

Stop Over at Paradise Island



Welcome to Sri Lanka!

A breath-taking island paradise nestled just off the south-eastern coast of India. Though compact in size, Sri Lanka boasts an extraordinary diversity that captivates every traveller. From golden beaches to mist-covered mountains, ancient temples to bustling cities, the island offers an unforgettable experience at every turn.

Steeped in over 2,000 years of rich history, Sri Lanka is home to sacred Buddhist sites, legendary ruins, colonial landmarks, and no less than eight UNESCO World Heritage Sites. Explore the iconic Sigiriya Rock Fortress, wander through the ancient city of Anuradhapura, or marvel at the timeless beauty of Kandy's Temple of the Tooth.

Nature lovers will find their paradise here. Relax on palm-fringed beaches, trek through rainforest trails, or witness majestic waterfalls and lush tea plantations in the central highlands.

Key Destinations

- *3 Nights in Colombo*



Day 01 – Airport / Colombo

Highlights

- Arrival in Sri Lanka / meet and greet
- Proceed to Colombo (Approx. 20 mins)
- Check in at the Hotel and spend the rest of the day on leisure

---Overnight stay in Colombo ---

Day 02 – Colombo / Galle / Bentota / Colombo

Highlights

- Breakfast at the Hotel
- Proceed to Galle (Approx. 2.5 hrs)
- Visit at the Galle Dutch fort, Galle Museum, Galle Lighthouse
- Visit Athukorala Tea Factory
- Proceed to Bentota (Approx. 1.5 hrs)
- Visit Madu River Safari, and Turtle Hatchery Farm
- Return back to the Hotel and spend the rest of the day on leisure



Galle's unique blend of history, culture, and natural beauty makes it a popular destination for tourists and a place where you can immerse yourself in the rich heritage of Sri Lanka while enjoying the modern amenities and coastal charm of the city. Galle is home to a picturesque lighthouse located at the point where the fort meets the sea. It is a popular spot for visitors to enjoy the scenic views of the coastline. The city

is surrounded by beautiful beaches, making it a popular destination for sunbathing, swimming, and water sports. Unawatuna Beach, just a few kilometers from Galle Fort, is a well-known beach destination.



Visit Athukorala Tea Factory, and you will be taken on a tour around the Tea Factory. You will also get to enjoy a Tea Tasting Experience



The Madu River is rich in biodiversity. It passes through the wet area of Galle District opening up into the large Madu Lagoon. The Madu River area has surrounded all swampy marshlands covered in mangrove forests. The Madu River Safari is a popular and unforgettable activity that lasts for over two hours and is a chance to travel through the mangrove forests and see the ecology.

Explore the Bentota River or the nearby Madu Ganga River on boat safaris. These excursions allow you to immerse yourself in the lush mangroves, diverse birdlife, and tranquil surroundings.

Sri Lanka is blessed with the luxury of having an extensive variety of sea creatures finding a home in sea.



The Turtle Hatchery is a homely place dedicated to the protection of sea turtles that visit Sri Lanka for nesting and are even wounded and sick around the island. Initially, the effort of the hatchery contains collecting eggs from the turtle on the beach and keeping them in the hatchery in order to hatch in safety. Finally, hatchlings are released to their habitat. The area around Bentota is known for its efforts to conserve sea turtles. You can visit turtle hatcheries where you can

learn about these fascinating creatures and even participate in the release of baby turtles into the sea.

---Overnight stay in Colombo ---

Day 03 – Colombo

Highlights

- Breakfast at the Hotel
- Enjoy Colombo City and Shopping Tour
- Return at the Hotel and spend the rest of the day on leisure



The Gangaramaya Temple, also known as Gangaramaya Vihara, is one of the most prominent Buddhist temples in Colombo, the capital city of Sri Lanka. This temple is not only a place of worship but also an important cultural and educational center. The temple showcases a blend of Sri Lankan, Thai, Indian, and Chinese architecture. The main shrine hall features intricate carvings and decorations. The temple complex houses a sacred Bodhi tree, which is a

descendant of the Bodhi tree in Anuradhapura under which Lord Buddha is believed to have attained enlightenment.

---Overnight stay in Colombo ---

Day 04 – Colombo / Airport

Highlights

- Breakfast at the Hotel
- Check out from hotel and proceed to the airport for departure (Approx. 1.5 hrs)

---End of Tour---



Tour Details (03 Nights / 04 Days)

Destinations & Hotels – Deluxe Hotels

3 Nights in Colombo at Flower Road Villa by Mannankulam | Standard Room | BB

Package Starting from USD 450 per person

Value Additions

- Water bottles will be provided during the tour
- A surprise welcome on arrival with garlands
- A departure souvenir

Package Inclusions:

- Accommodation at above mentioned Hotels
- Meal Plan as mentioned above
- Entrance fees for Galle Museum, Athukorala Tea Factory, Madu River Safari, Turtle hatchery Farm and Gangarama Temple
- All transfers on private basis with services of an English -Speaking Chauffeur Guide
- All taxes and service charges Included

Package Exclusions:

- Flights and visas
- Insurance
- Entrance fees to sights
- Any other charges not mentioned above

Notes

- The mentioned travel times are approximations and may vary depending on the weather, traffic conditions, etc.
- Rates are subject to change if there is any increase in Government taxes (If any changes we will inform at least 3 months before the travel date).

How much to tip drivers or chauffeur guides:

A driver or chauffeur guide can be tipped Rs3,500-4,500 (approx. 10 – 15 USD) a day for good service. You can give this to them at the end of each day, which is often preferred, or if you prefer you can give it to



them in total at the end of your holiday. Please do give more if you feel it is deserved, or less (even nothing) if the service has not been satisfactory. If you are unsatisfied with your driver, please let us know why.

How much to tip Sri Lankan hotel staff:

Tipping hotel staff in Sri Lanka is expected if you stay in a small hotel or villa – you can do this either as you go along or on departure. Giving a collective tip is fine – usually to the most senior of the staff while making it clear that you would like it shared out. Most small hotels have a tip box now. Even in large or expensive hotels, wages are very low (you would be surprised), so these tips are appreciated and needed. This amount is impossible to dictate and depends entirely on how helpful/friendly they have been and how generous you are feeling. Rs1,500 – 2,500 per day is a good guide (Approx USD 5).

Tipping in Sri Lanka's Restaurants:

A 10% service charge is usually included in restaurant bills, so it's best to check whether or not it's been added. In small local places, however, it's not normally included so if you've had good service, do leave a small tip – anything up to Rs 500 (1.5 USD) – and in tourist or posh city restaurants an extra tip is always gratefully received as well. Try and keep the small change (notes of anything less than Rs 500 denomination and especially 50 and 100 notes!) as much as possible for small purchases and tipping in Sri Lanka.

Cancellation Policies:

Cancellation policies associated with tours

4. Cancellations before 30 days - No charge
5. Cancellations before 21 days - 75%

Cancellations before 14 days – 100%