

09 Days - Sea & Tea - From Waves to Tea-Kissed Hills, Sri Lanka Awaits

Highlights

This Sri Lanka beach holiday package, lasts nine days and includes sightseeing excursions, safaris, and time at the beach. The vacation starts with a boat ride around Negombo Lagoon, where visitors may witness exotic birds and enjoy delicious seafood. The next day will be filled with exciting activities, including a safari through Minneriya National Park and a trip to the Negombo fish market. On day three, you'll see a Kandyan dance performance, see the spice garden in Matale, and explore the Dambulla Cave Temple. On day four, you'll see the beautiful Ambuluwawa Ridge, the Pinnawala Elephant Orphanage, and the world-famous Buddhist Temple in Kandy. On day five, you'll take a train from Kandy to Nuwara Eliya, passing through the misty mountains. On day six, you'll get the chance to immerse yourself in local culture among tea plantations. On day seven, you may see the beautiful Hakgala Botanical Garden. The eighth day consists of a whale-watching trip and a day at the beach. Finally, on the last day, you'll tour Galle and stop at a turtle farm in Kosgoda. This package is ideal for those who want to see the best of Sri Lanka and get some much-needed relaxation.

Day 1 : Airport - Negombo, Sri Lanka



WELCOME TO SRI LANKA AYUBOWAN!!!

("Wishing you a long life" in Sinhala Language)

Begin your trip with a relaxing ride from Bandaranaike International Airport (BIA) to Negombo, a picturesque seaside town with plenty of restaurants, shops, and nightlife. See the majesty of the setting sun while enjoying a boat trip across the peaceful waters of the Negombo lagoon. Visit the tranquil lagoon and surrounding jungle to see rare birds and other animals. After your boat trip, get some of Sri Lanka's freshest seafood at one of Negombo's numerous eateries. The ideal way to kick off your trip to Sri Lanka and relax after that long travel!

Meals: Breakfast

Hotel: Walawwa Hotel Boutique Hotel or Similar

Day 2 : Negombo - Habarana - Minneriya National Park- Habarana



The second day of your trip to Sri Lanka has begun. This excursion is planned so that you may experience some of the local customs and animals. Visit the lively Negombo fish market in the morning to get a feel for the local culture and see the fisherman bring in their daily haul. After perusing the fish market, have a hearty breakfast, then walk to Habarana. You'll go on a thrilling safari journey through Minneriya National Park this evening. Elephants, leopards, and sambar deer are just a few examples of the park's well-known abundance of wildlife. See the wildlife as they visit the local lake to cool down and have fun. On a second date in Sri Lanka, this trip is a great chance to learn about the country's rich culture and diverse animals.

Meals: Breakfast

Hotel: Water Gardens Sigiriya Boutique Hotel or Similar

Day 3 : Habarana - Dambulla – Matale - Kandy



Welcome to day three of your trip to Sri Lanka! This vacation package is meant to introduce you to the natural and cultural wonders of the nation. Start the day by checking out the impressive UNESCO World Heritage Site, the Dambulla Cave Temple. The temple's historical paintings and 150 Buddha sculptures show Sri Lanka's cultural heritage. Next, we'll visit the Matale spice garden, where you can learn about the country's famed spices and how to use them in cooking and medicine. Experience the cultural legacy of Sri Lanka during a nighttime traditional Kandyan dance performance. You will be completely captivated by the vibrant costumes, pulsating drums, and fluid dancing techniques. Why not tour Sri Lanka's natural and cultural wonders for your third date? Take advantage of the chance to have the trip of a lifetime in Sri Lanka.

Meals: Breakfast

Hotel: King's Pavilion Kandy Boutique Hotel or Similar

Day 4 : Kandy - Pinnawala – Ambuluwawa



The fourth day of your trip will take you to the beautiful city of Kandy. The day begins with a trip to the Buddhist shrine most famous for housing Buddha's tooth relic, the Temple of the Tooth Relic. Following receiving the temple's blessings, we'll take you shopping for some of the area's finest treats. We plan to visit the Pinnawala Elephant Orphanage in the afternoon to see the elephants enjoying a river bath and playtime. You can take incredible photos of these docile giants in their natural habitat. In the late afternoon, we'll drive you to Ambuluwawa, a stunning ridge with 360-degree views of the surrounding area. The setting light across the horizon makes this the ideal spot to unwind and take it easy. This day trip's sights, sounds, and experiences will be with you forever.

Meals: Breakfast

Hotel: W15 Ambuluwawa Boutique Hotel or Similar

Please Note: During the visit to the Temple of the Tooth, please wear clothing covering knees and shoulders, as a sign of respect. You will also be required to remove your shoes.

Day 5 : Ambuluwawa - Nuwara Eliya - Hatton



On day five of your trip, you'll board a train and travel through the misty highlands of Sri Lanka, which will be a memorable experience. We'll have a substantial breakfast before boarding the train for a scenic ride via sweeping mountain ranges, green tea plantations, and gushing waterfalls. Nuwara Eliya, sometimes known as "Little England" due to its abundance of colonial buildings and English gardens, is our day trip's last stop. We plan to check into our hotel upon arrival and then relax by swimming in the pool.

Meals: Fully Inclusive

Hotel: Ceylon Tea Trails Boutique Hotel or Similar

Please Note: Sri Lanka Railways has a manual booking system for train reservations. Tickets can only be booked 30 days before departure. On the rare occasion the train is fully booked we will cover the route by road.

Day 6 : Hatton - Nuwara Eliya - Hatton

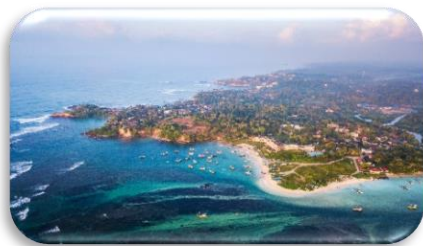


We will have a hearty breakfast in the morning before setting off to see the beautiful Hakgala Botanical Garden. On day six of your Sri Lanka vacation, you'll have a special cultural experience in the middle of beautiful tea farms. Our team will pick you up in the morning and transport you to a tea farm, where you may spend the day learning how to pick the perfect tea off a bush by hand. You'll get an unforgettable tour of a tea factory, get hands-on experience sampling some freshly brewed tea, and then relax for the remainder of the day.

Meals: Fully Inclusive

Hotel: Ceylon Tea Trails Boutique Hotel or Similar

Day 7 : Hatton - Weligama



Our seven-day vacation package includes exciting activities and peaceful downtime to ensure a memorable trip. We will have a hearty breakfast in the morning before setting off to Weligama. The serenity and beauty of this Beach will attract you. After we've finished, we'll return to the hotel so you may relax and have a cultural experience. Enjoy the best Sri Lankan food while engaging in activities, including safari trips, beach visits, and cultural experiences.

Meals: Breakfast

Hotel: Cape Weligama Boutique Hotel or Similar

Day 8 : Weligama - Galle -Kosgoda – Weligama



On day eight of your all-inclusive vacation, you'll see the ocean's spectacular grandeur on our whale-watching excursion. Go on an exciting journey after a hearty breakfast as we seek these wonderful animals in their native environment. Our expert guides will illuminate these mellow mammoths' intriguing worlds. Next, the journey will take you on the Galle city tour, the Maritime Museum, and the world-famous Kosgoda turtle farm, where you can see firsthand how these gorgeous animals are protected via conservation initiatives. Then, relax and soak up some rays on the beautiful beach after the trip, soaking in the peaceful environment and stunning scenery. Day eight of your trip with us will be one of the highlights, thanks to the ideal combination of exciting activities and restful downtime.

Meals: Breakfast

Hotel: Cape Weligama Boutique Hotel or Similar

Day 9 : Departure



On the last day of our all-inclusive vacation. You'll start your day with a hearty breakfast before setting off to Departure. We will then take you to the airport for your flight home, saying our last goodbyes to this beautiful island. Your last day promises a suitable conclusion to your fantastic experience with us and will create memories that will last a lifetime.

Inclusions:

- 08-night accommodation in hand-picked boutique hotels including meals as per itinerary
- Airport transfers
- Hire an air-conditioned vehicle including fuel
- Services of an English-speaking Driver/guide
- Entrance fees for Minneriya National Park, Dambulla Royal Cave Temple, cultural dance, Temple of the Tooth, Pinnawala elephant orphanage, Ambuluwawa Tower, Train Ride, Tea Plucking Session, Hakgala Botanical Garden, Galle Maritime Museum, Turtle hatchery
- Free Excursions- Hiriwaduna Trek & Spice Garden in Matale
- Jeep/guide costs at Minneriya National Park
- Boat ride Negombo lagoon & Whale watching tour
- Applicable all taxes

Exclusions:

- Airfares & Visas
- Travel Insurance
- Early checking & late checkouts
- Tips & other personal expenses of a personal nature.
- All entrances, tours, or optional excursions not mentioned in the above inclusions
- Private departure transfers for individual extensions
- Camera permit charges & video permits at certain locations
- Any other items not under inclusions

Optional Excursions - Round Tour



Sigiriya – \$45 per person



Yala National park safari - \$145

(Cape Weligama to Yala)



Madu River Boat Ride - \$60