

12-Day Classic Cultural Tour - Sri Lanka Heritage & Wilderness Odyssey

Highlights

Experience the best of Sri Lanka on this 12-day Classic Cultural Tour, blending history, nature, and adventure. Begin in Negombo, then journey through Anuradhapura, Sigiriya, Polonnaruwa, and Kandy, exploring UNESCO World Heritage Sites, ancient temples, and iconic landmarks like the Sigiriya Rock Fortress and Temple of the Tooth Relic. Immerse yourself in local culture with visits to bustling markets, spice gardens, and a traditional Kandyan dance performance. Discover Sri Lanka's breathtaking landscapes on a scenic train ride to Ella, followed by thrilling safaris at Minneriya and Udawalawe National Parks, home to elephants and diverse wildlife. Unwind in Nuwara Eliya's tea plantations, go whale watching in Unawatuna, and explore the historic streets of Galle Fort. Conclude your journey with a vibrant Colombo city tour, capturing the essence of this island paradise. Throughout your trip, stay in luxurious hotels like Jetwing Beach, Heritance Kandalama, Earl's Regency, and Araliya Unawatuna, ensuring the perfect blend of adventure and relaxation. Book now for an unforgettable cultural experience!

Day 1 : Airport - Negombo, Sri Lanka



WELCOME TO SRI LANKA AYUBOWAN!!!

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

As quickly as you land at the airport, our warm and friendly airport representatives might be there to greet you. From there, we'll whisk you away to the picturesque metropolis of Negombo, in which your journey starts off evolved. The spotlight of your first day is a serene boat journey on the beautiful Negombo Lagoon. Let the gentle ripples of the water soothe your soul as you soak inside the beauty of this coastal paradise. With eleven extra days of cultural exploration beforehand, Day 1 is just the start of your exceptional adventure. Discover the coronary heart and soul of Sri Lanka's vibrant lifestyle with us. Book now for an immersive revel-in that guarantees memories to final a lifetime!

Meals: Breakfast

Hotel: Jetwing Beach 5* or Similar

Day 2 : Negombo - Anuradhapura - Dambulla



Start your day in the Negombo Fish Market, where the clean catch changes daily. Experience the local lifestyle as fisherman show off their catch. We'll then visit mediaeval Anuradhapura. Discover Sri Lanka's rich history at this UNESCO World Heritage Site's centuries-old ruins and holy stupas. As we tour the Heritance Kandalama Hotel, expect to be amazed by its mix of history and elegance. Relax and relax at Sigiriya Rock's lush flora and lovely vistas. Day 2 celebrates records, culture, and luxury. Your trip continues, offering more amazing news. Join us for an intensive Sri Lankan cultural experience. Reserve your slot today to create lifelong memories.

Meals: Breakfast

Hotel: Heritance Kandalama 5* or Similar

Day 3 : Dambulla - Sigiriya - Polonnaruwa - Dambulla



Today, conquer the amazing Sigiriya Rock Fortress, built amid the lush forest. Climb to the historic palace on the cliff for amazing views. Next, prepare for a thrilling Polonnaruwa bike excursion. Bike through centuries-old temples, monuments, and ruins in Polonnaruwa. This record-based experience brings the beyond to life. Return to the Heritance Kandalama Hotel in the evening to relax in luxury among nature. Day three offers unparalleled adventure and cultural exploration. Your Sri Lankan journey continues. Join an exceptional journey through Sri Lanka's cultural heart. Reserve your seat for an unforgettable experience.

Meals: Breakfast

Hotel: Heritance Kandalama 5* or Similar

Day 4 : Dambulla - Hiriwaduna - Minneriya - Dambulla



Trek Hiriwadunna, a nature lover's heaven, to start the day. Enjoy the tranquilly of lush foliage and rural life as you wander through the picturesque surroundings. Sri Lanka's natural beauty is shown during this excursion. Choice between first-rate reports follows. Visit the Dambulla Royal Cave Temple, a UNESCO World Heritage Site, to see cave murals and sculptures. Instead, take a thrilling Minneriya Safari to see Sri Lanka's natural beauty. Return to the Heritance Kandalama Hotel for comfort and relaxation to prepare for the future. Day four has the perfect mix of nature, lifestyle, and travel. Your exploration of Sri Lanka's culture reveals further levels. Join us for a first-rate look at Sri Lanka's rich history. Reserve your seat for an amazing experience.

Meals: Breakfast

Hotel: Heritance Kandalama 5* or Similar

Day 5 : Kandalama - Matale - Kandy



We start today in the magnificent Matale Spice Gardens. Walk through aromatic plantations to learn about Sri Lanka's famous spices and plants. Experience the production of flavours that have enhanced gastronomy worldwide. In picturesque Kandy, you'll see the Dalada Maligawa, or Temple of the Tooth Relic. A Buddha relic makes this hallowed location a pilgrimage destination and a symbol of the country's spirituality. In the evening, a mesmerising Cultural Dance performance will showcase generations-old music and dance. Day 5 offers a culinary, spiritual, and cultural experience at the beautiful Earls Regency Hotel. Join us for an exciting cultural tour of Sri Lanka. Book your place today for a spellbinding experience.

Meals: Breakfast

Hotel: Earl's Regency Hotel 5* or Similar

Day 6 : Kandy – Hatton



Take a city tour of colourful Kandy on day six. Visit famous temples, meander through picturesque alleyways, and soak in this cultural gem's rich past. Your day will be highlighted with a tea factory tour where you'll learn about Ceylon tea manufacturing. Tea tastings let you see the precise process from leaf to cup and enjoy the fragrant flavours. You may experience Sri Lankan life by picking tea in luxuriant estates where expert workers collect the world's best tea leaves. After a day of exploring, relax at the Argyle Hotel. Day 6 offers an intensive Kandyan experience with Ceylon tea scent and flavour. Join us for an unforgettable tour of Sri Lanka's history. Reserve your seat for an unforgettable experience.

Meals: Breakfast

Hotel: The Argyle Hotel 4* comfort or Similar

Day 7 : Hatton - Nuwara Eliya – Hatton



Day 7 of our Classic Cultural Tour Package, lets you explore Nuwara Eliya and rest. Start your day with a delightful Nuwara Eliya walking tour. Colonial grandeur, lush gardens, and wealthy tea plantations will fascinate you in this charming hamlet, known as "Little England." Walk across beautiful scenery and inhale fresh mountain air. Relax and refresh at the Argyle Hotel after a morning of exploring. Enjoy the tranquility of your stay. Day 7 balances cultural discovery and relaxation, letting you enjoy Nuwara Eliya. Join us on this wonderful cultural tour of Sri Lanka. Reserve your seat for a body and soul-rejuvenating experience.

Meals: Breakfast

Hotel: The Argyle Hotel 4* comfort or Similar

Day 8 : Hatton - Ella - Udawalawe



Today's adventure starts off with a journey from Nanu Oya to Ella, a scenic trip famous for its breathtaking perspectives of lush landscapes, rolling hills, and misty mountains. Relax in cushy train carriages as you traverse the lovely scenery, capturing the essence of Sri Lanka's natural splendor. Upon arrival in Ella, you may test in to the Grand Udawalawa Resort, wherein you could unwind and mirror on the brilliant journey to date. This tranquil haven gives you the correct possibility to rest and rejuvenate. Day 8 is a day of scenic wonders and relaxation, permitting you to connect with the soul of Sri Lanka. Join us on this brilliant voyage thru the heart of Sri Lanka's cultural heritage. Secure your spot now for an revel in that blends herbal beauty and quietness.

Meals: Breakfast

Hotel: Grand Udawalawe Safari Resort 4* comfort or Similar

Day 9 : Udawalawe



Day nine of our Classic Cultural Tour Package, includes an exciting flora and wildlife encounter at Grand Udawalawa Resort. An exciting Udawalawa safari takes you close to Sri Lanka's rich wildlife. Explore the vast Udawalawa National Park, home to elephants, leopards, and other wildlife. Photograph such lovely animals in their herbal home. After the safari, visit the touching Elephant Transit Home for endangered elephants. Discover the conservation efforts to protect these stunning species in their native habitat. Day 9 blends nature and culture while relaxing at the Grand Udawalawa Resort. Join us on this amazing journey through Sri Lanka's cultural and botanical legacy. Reserve your space for a relaxing experience.

Meals: Breakfast

Hotel: Grand Udawalawe Safari Resort 4* comfort or Similar

Day 10 : Udawalawe - Mirissa – Unawatuna



Day 10 of our absorbing Classic Cultural Tour takes you to Sri Lanka's stunning flora and wildlife and seaside splendour. Start your day with an exciting Unawatuna whale-watching cruise is available at night. Sail on the Indian Ocean's clear seas to see these gentle giants. It's a magnificent experience to inspire appreciation of the water. The Araliya Unawatuna Resort, a beachfront oasis for relaxation, is another option. On Day 10, you may enjoy animals, maritime activities, and seaside leisure. Join us on this top-notch tour of Sri Lanka's culture and nature. Book your heart-and-soul adventure today.

Meals: Breakfast

Hotel: Araliya Beach Resort & Spa 5* or Similar

Day 11 : Unawatuna - Galle – Unawatuna



On Day 11 of our Classic Cultural Tour Package, explore Galle and Sri Lanka's architectural and environmental attractions. Start your day with a delightful Galle tour. Explore this UNESCO World Heritage Site's old streets, where Dutch colonial architecture combines with vivid neighbourhood custom. Explore ancient fortifications, quaint stores, and a bygone era. Finish your day at a turtle farm, where you can see these ancient animals and learn about conservation efforts. Day eleven at the Araliya Unawatuna Resort features history, architecture, and flora and animals against a beach environment. Join us on this amazing journey through Sri Lanka's rich history. Reserve your seat for a cultural-nature experience.

Meals: Breakfast

Hotel: Araliya Beach Resort & Spa 5* or Similar

Day 12 : Departure



We ensure your last day of your 11-night, 12-day Classic Cultural Tour Package is as wonderful as the others. Start your last day with a Colombo city tour, which blends contemporary and historical elements. Explore busy marketplaces, historical buildings, and contemporary skyscrapers to learn about this diverse town. We will help you leave after a day of exploring. We want your domestic trip to be as smooth as your cultural tour of Sri Lanka. Day 12 ends your tour with fond recollections and a desire to return. We hope you enjoyed this trip through Sri Lanka's rich cultural heritage. Book today for a memorable experience that will touch your heart and soul, and remember to return for more.

Meals: Breakfast

Inclusions:

- 11-night accommodation in hand-picked 4 star comfort & 5 star 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 Anuradhapura, Sigiriya Rock Fortress, Polonnaruwa, Minneriya National Park, Dambulla Royal Cave Temple, Cultural Dance, Temple of the Tooth, Udawalawa National Park, Elephant Transit Home, Train Ride, Galle Maritime Museum, Turtle hatchery
- Free Excursions- Spice Garden in Matale
- Jeep/guide costs at Minneriya National Park & Udawalawa 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