



## 7-Day Safari Excursion In Sri Lanka

Free cancellation up to 5 day(s) prior departure, after which the tour cancellation policy applies.

- **Activities:**
  - Nature
  - Safari
  - Wildlife Safaris
- **Travel Style:** Budget
- **Guiding Type:** Live Guide/Instructor
- **Activities:**
  - English
- **Tour Vibe:** Active
- **Guiding Type:** Live Guide/Instructor
- **Recommended For:**
  - Couple
  - Family/Kids
  - Senior
  - Solo
  - Women
  - Youth
- **Country:**
  - Sri Lanka
- **Routes:**
  - Colombo, Sri Lanka
- **Pickup:** Airport;

From:12:00 AM

To:12:00 AM

- **Drop-off:** Airport;

From:12:00 AM

To:12:00 AM

- **Age Range:** 12 - 99 (Years Old)
- **Tour Highlights:**

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- **Itinerary:**
  - Day 1: **Airport to Negombo**

Meet and Greet at the Airport. Tour of Negombo City area

Negombo is located approximately 37 km north of the commercial capital of Colombo in Sri Lanka. It is located at the mouth of the Negombo lagoon. The major beach resort on the West Coast is Negombo. The wide sandy beaches and the safe sea are the main attractions of Negombo and it is perfectly located within 7 km from the Bandaranaike International Airport in Katunayake, Sri Lanka.

Visit Negombo Beach area.

Overnight at the Hotel in Negombo

- Day 2: **Negombo to Kandy**

Breakfast at the hotel.

Thereafter proceed to Kandy with a stop at a spice garden-route to witness how the traditional spices are grown (Mawanella) Reach Kandy and check-in at Hotel. Shopping in Kandy – known for exotic arts and crafts and world-famous gemstones.

Overnight at the Hotel in Kandy

- Day 3: **Kandy to Nuwra Eliya**

Breakfast at Hotel,

Visit Peradeniya Botanical Gardens – one of the finest in Asia, which dates back to the 14th century (Optional). Journey up through the hills, passing waterfalls (Ramboda Falls), pine and eucalyptus forests and vast green tea estates. Many optional photos stop en-route. Visit a tea factory, where you will not only enjoy a cup of freshly brewed Ceylon tea but will also have the opportunity to witness the intricacies involved in its manufacturing process. By late afternoon, reach Nuwara Eliya, the “city above the clouds” at 1980m above sea level. A golf course, racecourse for horse racing, English country style cottages and planters bungalows are all witnesses of its colonial past.

Check-in at the hotel – relax at leisure.

Overnight stay at the Hotel in Nuwara Eliya

◦ **Day 4: Explore Horton Plains & Nuwara Eliya**

Breakfast at Hotel.

Free at leisure & enjoy the scenic beauty Visit the Haggala Botanical Garden.

Horton Plains in Nuwara Eliya

The Horton Plains National Park at Ohiya is a beautiful highland plateau situated at an elevation of 2100 -2300m (6,900-7,500ft) above sea level. Sri Lanka’s Highlands along with Horton Plains National Park, the Peak Wilderness Protected Area, and the Knuckles Conservation Forest was declared a World Heritage site in 2006. It is accessible via Ginigathena (185.4 km) or via the A5 Road (228.5 km) which connects Peradeniya with Chenkalady in the east via Gampola & Nuwara Eliya. Horton plains have an interesting history behind it with the discovery of early stone tools dating back to the Balangoda Culture (According to Archeological sequences the earliest evidence of Balangoda Man at caves and other sites dates back to 38,000 BP).

Overnight at the Hotel

◦ **Day 5: Nuwara Eliya to Kitulgala**

Breakfast at Hotel

Kitulgala Water rafting

If you are looking at an adventure and leisure base close to Colombo, Kithulgala is THE PLACE. Being so close to Colombo if you stay for one night you would be able to do many adventure and leisure activities such as White Water Rafting, Bird Watching,

Walking in the Jungle, Visiting prehistoric caves, Bathing in the river, Trekking to Waterfalls, Adventure Jumps and slides in natural ponds, River Expeditions, Rain Forest Walks and Trails, Flat Water Rafting, Waterfall Abseiling,

Proceed to Bentota

Check-in at Hotel Relax and enjoy the evening on the beach Overnight at the Hotel

◦ Day 6: **Bentota**

Breakfast at the hotel,

Relax and enjoy the beach

Water Sports at Bentota

This gives the visitor an ideal chance to stay in one and savor many different above water activities, Bentota has always been renowned as the water sports capital of Sri Lanka with the hoteliers in the area actively promoting water sports from adrenaline-filled speed boat and jet ski riding, windsurfing, boogie boarding, water skiing, kite surfing, to a leisurely ride on a banana boat for the family & kids.

Overnight at the Hotel in Hikkaduwa

◦ Day 7: **Airport**

Breakfast at Hotel,

Proceed to Colombo.

Madu Ganga River safari,

A boat excursion is the best way to navigate and enjoy what's on offer at Madu Ganga, a stretch of the lake with almost placid water dotted with many islets. You can visit an island with a Buddhist monastery, where the friendly young monks will show you a 150-year-old book made of palm leaves and how they cook on cinnamon wood on an open fire.

City tour of Colombo commencing with a visit to the Fort and the Pettah commercial hub with offices and shopping areas located amidst oldest colonial

hotel GOH. It has a fantastic view of the Colombo harbor, the lighthouse with clock tower (older than Big Ben in London) close to the president's house and old parliament. Afterward, proceed through the main street passing the old Dutch Museum, belfry and

old City Hall which houses puppets of earlier governors of Sri Lanka. The stop will be made at the Old Dutch hospital with shops and restaurants facing Sri Lanka's twin tower buildings. Continue to the old racecourse with a maze of buildings with colonial architecture, restaurants and shopping arcade passing through Colombo City Hall (mini replica of the White House in Washington, DC).

Shopping in Colombo,

Thereafter Proceed to the airport with lingering memories of your trip to Sri Lanka

## WHAT'S INCLUDED

| Location   | Nights | Type | Property Name | Rating | Occupancy |
|--|--------|------|---------------|--------|-----------|
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Pickup &amp; Drop-Off</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>◦ Meet and assistance at the Airport on arrival and departure transfers</li> </ul> </li> <li>• <b>Guide</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>◦ Guide Accommodations &amp; Meals</li> </ul> </li> <li>• <b>Transport</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>◦ Transportation in an air-conditioned Vehicle with English/Arabic speaking guide for the entire stay and tours</li> </ul> </li> </ul> |        |      |               |        |           |

## WHAT'S EXCLUDED

- Flights
- Meals
- Insurance
- Transport
- **Other Excluded:**
  - Entrance fees
  - Any tours to cities not mentioned above
  - Any other services not mentioned above

## Covid Safety

- Negative PCR BEFORE 72 HOURS

## Tour Cancellation Policy

Free cancellation up to 5 day(s) prior departure, Or traveler will pay 50 % of the tour amount

## **Good To Know**

- Hotel Check-In and Check-Out Times: Check-in time: 2pm; Check-out time: 12 noon
- The flexibility of 2 or 3 hours early check-in and late checkout could be arranged if hotel does not have high occupancy.
- Please note, all rates quoted are in US Dollars (US\$) and are non-commissionable. The rates in this document are subject to change/revision based on any increase/decrease in the hotels'/suppliers' rates or the taxes imposed by the government.
- The consumption of alcohol during “Poya Days” at bars, clubs and other public areas of the hotel and operation of similar forms of entertainment establishments is prohibited by law in Sri Lanka. It is recommended that clients contact the Reception to obtain their respective formalities during their holiday.
- All transfer times mentioned above are subject to variations depending on traffic flow and road conditions

## **FAQs**