



ZEPHYRA TRAVELS
Fall In Love With Sri Lanka

Sri Lanka Grand Highlights Tour

8 Days / 7 Nights

**Route: Airport → Sigiriya → Kandy → Nuwara Eliya → Ella → Tangalle → Galle →
Colombo → Airport**

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Kirulapone, Colombo 06, Sri Lanka

Day 01 – Arrival | Airport → Sigiriya

Upon arrival at Bandaranaike International Airport, guests will be warmly welcomed by our representative and introduced to the chauffeur guide before beginning the journey to Sri Lanka's Cultural Triangle.

En Route Visit

- Pinnawala Elephant Orphanage
- Witness elephant feeding and river bathing

Dambulla Cave Temple

Visit the UNESCO World Heritage Site featuring:

- Ancient Buddhist cave shrines
- Over 150 Buddha statues
- Beautiful murals
- Historic rock paintings

Minneriya National Park Jeep Safari

Enjoy an exciting evening safari through one of Sri Lanka's best wildlife parks.

Possible wildlife sightings:

- Wild Asian elephants
- Deer
- Peacocks
- Crocodiles
- Eagles
- Monkeys
- Numerous bird species

Traditional Village Experience (Optional)

Experience authentic Sri Lankan village life including:

- Bullock cart ride
- Catamaran ride
- Village house visit
- Traditional cooking demonstration

Pidurangala Rock

Complete a sunset hike to Pidurangala Rock and enjoy panoramic views overlooking Sigiriya Rock Fortress and the surrounding countryside.

Overnight Stay: Sigiriya

Meals : Breakfast

4 Star Hotel Options:

- EKHO Sigiriya
- Elephas Resort and Spa
- Sigiriana Resort by Thilina
- Jungle HUt Resort
- Wewa Addara Hotel

Day 02 – Sigiriya → Kandy

Early Morning

Before breakfast, climb the magnificent Sigiriya Rock Fortress and witness a breathtaking sunrise from the summit.

Explore:

- Water Gardens
- Boulder Gardens
- Mirror Wall
- Frescoes
- Lion's Paw
- Royal Palace Ruins

Breakfast at the hotel before checking out.

En Route

- Matale Spice Garden
- Silk Garden & Clothing Factory
- Batik Factory
- Wood Carving Centre

Kandy City Tour

Visit:

- Temple of the Sacred Tooth Relic
- Kandy Lake
- Upper Lake Viewpoint
- Gem Museum

Evening

Enjoy the famous Kandyan Cultural Dance Show featuring traditional dances, drumming, fire walking and acrobatics.

Overnight Stay: Kandy

Meals: Breakfast

4 Star Hotel Options:

- Radisson Hotel Kandy
- Earl's Regent Hotel Kandy
- Cinnamon Citadel Kandy
- Hotel Topaz
- Royal Kandyan

Day 03 – Kandy → Nuwara Eliya

Breakfast at the hotel before departing for Sri Lanka's beautiful hill country.

Peradeniya Royal Botanical Garden

Explore Sri Lanka's largest botanical garden featuring:

- Giant Java Fig Tree
- Orchid Collection
- Palm Avenue
- Bamboo Garden
- Tropical plants

Ambuluwawa Biodiversity Complex

Visit the famous Ambuluwawa Tower and enjoy spectacular 360° mountain views.

Tea Plantation & Tea Factory

Learn about the world-famous Ceylon Tea manufacturing process and enjoy a freshly brewed cup of premium tea.

Nuwara Eliya City Tour

Visit:

- Colonial Post Office
- Golf Course Area
- Local Market

Gregory Lake

Spend a relaxing evening enjoying the cool climate and optional leisure activities around the lake.

Overnight Stay: Nuwara Eliya

Meals: Breakfast

4 Star Hotel Options:

- Araliya Green Hills
- Montagna Luxury Hotel
- Araliya Red Hotel
- The Lynden Grove
- Kent Cottage

Day 04 – Nuwara Eliya → Ella

Breakfast at the hotel.

Horton Plains National Park

Enjoy a guided morning hike through Sri Lanka's famous cloud forest.

Highlights include:

- World's End Viewpoint
- Baker's Falls
- Sambar Deer
- Endemic birds

Scenic Train Journey

Board the world-famous train from Nanu Oya to Ella.

Enjoy spectacular views of:

- Tea plantations
- Waterfalls
- Mountain valleys
- Misty forests
- Scenic bridges

Ella Sightseeing

Visit the iconic Nine Arches Bridge surrounded by lush tea estates.

Enjoy free time exploring Ella's cafés and charming atmosphere.

Overnight Stay: Ella

Meals: Breakfast

4 Star Hotel Options:

- Hide Ella
- Ekho Ella
- Heart of Ella
- Spice Ella
- Morning Dew Hotel

Day 05 – Ella → Tangalle

Before breakfast, hike Little Adam's Peak and witness a spectacular sunrise over the mountains.

Return for breakfast before checking out.

Ravana Falls

Visit one of Sri Lanka's most beautiful waterfalls.

Yala National Park Jeep Safari

Experience Sri Lanka's most famous wildlife safari.

Possible wildlife sightings include:

- Sri Lankan Leopard
- Sloth Bear
- Wild Elephants
- Crocodiles
- Buffalo
- Deer
- Peacocks
- Eagles
- Numerous bird species

Continue towards Tangalle.

Tangalle Beach

Relax on one of Sri Lanka's most beautiful golden beaches.

Overnight Stay: Tangalle

Meals: Breakfast

4 Star Hotel Options:

- Anama by Queens Mount
- Sooriya Resort & Spa
- Green Parrot Beach Resort
- Rocky Point Beach Front Pool Resort
- OHEI

Day 06 – Tangalle → Galle

Breakfast at the hotel.

Southern Coast Exploration

Visit:

- Hummanaya Blow Hole
- Kudawella Beach
- Nilwella Beach (Blue Beach)
- Hiriketiya Beach

Snorkeling Experience

Enjoy snorkeling in the crystal-clear waters (weather permitting).

Weligama Beach

Experience Sri Lanka's famous surfing destination.

Dondra (Point of Dondra)

Visit the southernmost point of Sri Lanka and its historic lighthouse.

Coconut Tree Hill

One of Sri Lanka's most Instagram-famous viewpoints.

Turtle Beach

Relax and enjoy the coastal scenery.

Unawatuna Beach

Free time for swimming and beach relaxation.

Traditional Ayurvedic Massage (Optional)

Relax with an authentic Sri Lankan Ayurvedic massage therapy session.

Galle Fort

Enjoy a beautiful sunset while exploring:

- Ancient Ramparts
- Lighthouse
- Dutch Colonial Streets
- Cafés
- Boutique Shops

Overnight Stay: Galle

Meals: Breakfast

4 Star Hotel Options:

- LE JARDIN DU FORT
- Arcadia Resort
- Cocobay Unawatuna
- The Lady Hill Hotel
- Ravo Hotel
- Kapaliya Unawatuna

Day 07 – Galle → Colombo

Breakfast at the hotel.

En Route Visits

- Turtle Hatchery
- Moonstone Mine

Continue towards Colombo.

Colombo City Tour

Visit:

- Independence Square
- Gangaramaya Temple
- Lotus Tower (Photo Stop)
- Galle Face Green
- Old Parliament
- Colombo Fort
- Pettah Market
- Dutch Hospital Precinct

Shopping Experience

Visit some of Colombo's leading shopping destinations for souvenirs, local handicrafts and international brands.

Overnight Stay: Colombo

Meals: Breakfast

4 Star Hotel Options:

- Mirage Colombo
- Granbell Hotel
- Sofia Colombo City Hotel
- Radisson Hotel
- Cinnamon Red

Day 08 – Colombo → Negombo → Departure

Breakfast at the hotel before checking out.

Proceed towards Negombo.

Negombo City Tour

Visit:

- St. Mary's Church
- Negombo Fish Market (subject to timing)
- Dutch Canal
- Negombo Beach
- Beach Road

Enjoy some leisure time before your airport transfer.

At the appropriate time, proceed to Bandaranaike International Airport for your departure flight, carrying unforgettable memories of Sri Lanka's wildlife, ancient heritage, scenic mountains, tea country and beautiful southern coastline.

Meals: Breakfast

TOUR HIGHLIGHTS

- Pinnawala Elephant Orphanage
- Sigiriya Rock Fortress (UNESCO World Heritage Site)
- Pidurangala Rock Sunset Hike
- Dambulla Cave Temple (UNESCO World Heritage Site)
- Minneriya National Park Jeep Safari

- Traditional Sri Lankan Village Experience (Optional)
- Matale Spice Garden
- Temple of the Sacred Tooth Relic (UNESCO World Heritage Site)
- Kandy City Tour
- Kandy Lake & Upper Lake Drive Viewpoint
- Gem Museum
- Silk Garden & Clothing Factory
- Batik Art Centre
- Traditional Wood Carving Workshop
- Kandyan Cultural Dance Show
- Royal Botanical Garden, Peradeniya
- Ambuluwawa Biodiversity Complex & Tower
- Tea Plantation & Tea Factory Experience
- Nuwara Eliya Hill Country
- Colonial Post Office
- Gregory Lake
- Horton Plains National Park
- World's End Viewpoint
- Scenic Nanu Oya – Ella Train Journey
- Nine Arches Bridge
- Little Adam's Peak Sunrise Hike
- Ravana Falls
- Yala National Park Jeep Safari
- Tangalle Beach
- Hummanaya Blow Hole
- Kudawella Beach
- Nilwella Beach (Blue Beach)
- Hiriketiya Beach
- Weligama Surf Beach
- Dondra Head (Southernmost Point of Sri Lanka)
- Coconut Tree Hill
- Turtle Beach
- Unawatuna Beach
- Snorkeling Experience (Weather Permitting)
- Traditional Ayurvedic Massage Experience (Optional)
- Galle Fort (UNESCO World Heritage Site)
- Dutch Colonial Architecture & Lighthouse
- Sunset at Galle Fort
- Moonstone Mine Experience
- Sea Turtle Hatchery
- Colombo City Tour
- Independence Square
- Gangaramaya Temple
- Galle Face Green

- Pettah Market
- Shopping Experience in Colombo
- Negombo City Tour
- St. Mary's Church, Negombo
- Negombo Beach
- Dutch Canal, Negombo
- Scenic Coastal & Hill Country Drives Throughout the Journey

Premium Free Inclusions for Every Traveller

- Travel Insurance (Up to USD 10,000)
- Free eSIM With Data
- Unlimited Bottled Water
- 24/7 contact support through journey
- Photography Support

PACKAGE INCLUDES

- Accommodation in 4-star hotels
- Daily Breakfast
- Private Air-Conditioned Vehicle
- English-Speaking Chauffeur Guide
- Meet & Greet with Airport Transfers

PACKAGE EXCLUDES

- Lunch & Dinner
- Personal Expenses
- Entrance Tickets
- Optional Activities
- Visa Fees
- International Airfare
- Tips

ABOUT ZEPHYRA TRAVELS

Zephyra Travels is a premier Sri Lankan Destination Management Company specializing in spiritual tours, pilgrimage journeys, cultural experiences, group tours, leisure holidays and customized travel solutions. We are committed to providing exceptional service, comfortable transportation, quality accommodation and unforgettable travel experiences throughout Sri Lanka.

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