

Taprobana Rome Tours





Wild Sri Lanka Expedition 15N/16D

Tour Overview: Dive into the mesmerizing world of Sri Lanka's diverse wildlife on our Wild Sri Lanka Expedition. From lush rainforests to pristine coastlines, this 16-day adventure offers unparalleled opportunities to encounter a rich array of fauna and flora. Explore the wetland marshes of Muthurajawela Nature Reserve, snorkel in the marine biodiversity hotspot of Kalpitiya, and embark on thrilling jeep safaris in Wilpattu, Minneriya, Gal Oya, and Udawalawe National Parks.

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Day 1: Arrival in Colombo - Transfer to Negombo

Upon arrival in Colombo, transfer to Negombo and check into your hotel. In the afternoon, embark on a boat ride through the Muthurajawela Nature Reserve to explore its wetland marshes and mangrove forests, teeming with bird and animal life.

Overnight Stay in Negombo.

Day 2: Negombo - Kalpitiya: Snorkeling Adventure

Travel to Kalpitiya, a marine biodiversity hotspot, and enjoy a snorkeling trip in its pristine waters, home to diverse coral reefs and marine life.

Overnight Stay in Kalpitiya.

Day 3: Kalpitiya - Wilpattu National Park: Jeep Safari

Depart for Wilpattu National Park and embark on a thrilling jeep safari through its dense forests, seeking encounters with elephants, leopards, sloth bears, and birdlife.

Overnight Stay in Wilpattu.

Day 4: Wilpattu National Park: Bush Walk & Night Safari

Enjoy an early morning jeep safari followed by a guided bush walk. In the evening, embark on a night safari to spot the elusive loris and other nocturnal creatures.

Overnight Stay in Wilpattu.

Day 5: Wilpattu National Park - Polonnaruwa - Sigiriya: Ancient Ruins & Primate Center

Visit the ancient ruins of Polonnaruwa and explore the Primate Center to observe primates and interact with wildlife researchers.

Overnight Stay in Sigiriya.

Day 6: Sigiriya & Minneriya: Rock Fortress & Jeep Safari

Climb Sigiriya Rock Fortress and enjoy a jeep safari in Minneriya or Kawdulla National Park, known for its large herds of elephants.

Overnight Stay in Sigiriya.

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Day 7: Sigiriya - Dambulla - Gal Oya National Park: Cultural & Natural Attractions

Explore the UNESCO caves at Dambulla and visit the Sam Popham Arboretum. Continue to Gal Oya National Park for a night walk in the jungle.

Overnight Stay in Galoya.

Day 8: Gal Oya National Park: Boat Safari & Jungle Walk

Embark on a boat safari on Senanyake Samudraya Lake and enjoy a jungle walk with a local Vedda chief to learn about indigenous forest life.

Overnight Stay in Galoya.

Day 9: Gal Oya National Park - Bandarawela: Scenic Drive

Drive through the scenic mountains and tea plantations to Bandarawela, stopping at waterfalls and viewpoints along the way.

Overnight Stay in Bandarawela.

Day 10: Bandarawela - Horton Plains - Udawalawe: Grassland Walk & Jeep Safari

Visit Horton Plains for a grassland walk and continue to Udawalawe National Park for an afternoon jeep safari.

Overnight Stay in Udawalawe.

Day 11: Udawalawe: Morning & Afternoon Jeep Safaris

Experience morning and afternoon jeep safaris in Udawalawe National Park, home to large herds of elephants and diverse wildlife.

Overnight Stay in Udawalawe.





Day 12: Udawalawe - Sinharaja Rainforest: Virgin Rainforest

Travel to Sinharaja Rainforest Reserve, the only remaining virgin rainforest in Sri Lanka, and embark on a guided walking safari.

Overnight Stay in Singhe Raja.

Day 13: Sinharaja Rainforest: Exploration on Foot

Explore Sinharaja Rainforest further with your expert guide, discovering its diverse flora and fauna on different trails.

Overnight Stay in Singhe Raja.

Day 14: Sinharaja - Galle: Coastal Journey

Drive to the historic city of Galle, stopping at coastal towns and beaches along the way, including Weligama and its iconic stilt fishermen.

Overnight Stay in Galle.

Day 15: Galle: Leisure Day

Enjoy a leisure day in Galle, exploring its historic fort, charming streets, and cultural attractions at your own pace.

Overnight Stay in Galle.

Day 16: Galle - Departure from Colombo

Drive back to Colombo and transfer to the airport for your departure flight, marking the end of your wild Sri Lanka expedition.

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TOUR INCLUSIONS

- Accommodation with Breakfast & Dinner in a DBL/TWIN room at listed hotels or equivalent
- All internal road travel by private luxury vehicle as per itinerary.
- Assistance of an English / Arabic Speaking Chauffeur Guide
- All applicable taxes and VAT
- 01 Liter of bottled drinking water per person per day

TOUR EXCLUSIONS

- Expenses of a personal nature such as laundry, telephones, beverages, etc.
- All other than those listed in the above inclusions
- Entrance fees to any sights in Sri Lanka.
- Lunch on tour
- International flight
- Visa

TOUR ACCOMMODATION INFORMATION

Place	Nights	Hotel/Resort	Room type	Vehicle
Negombo	<u>01</u>	Leighton Resort	Double / Twin Room	At disposal
Kalpitiya	<u>01</u>	Sandy Edge	Double / Twin Room	At disposal
Wilpattu	<u>02</u>	Ceylon Resort Wilpattu	Double / Twin Room	At disposal
Sigiriya	<u>02</u>	Palmyra Nature Resort Sigiriya	Double / Twin Room	At disposal
Galoya	<u>02</u>	Gal Oya Lake Club	Double / Twin Room	At disposal
Bandarawela	<u>01</u>	Train View Chalet	Double / Twin Room	At disposal





Udawalawe	<u>01</u>	Kottawatta Village	Double / Twin Room	At disposal
Singhe Raja.	<u>02</u>	Sinharaja Forest Edge	Double / Twin Room	At disposal
Galle	<u>02</u>	Arches Fort	Double / Twin Room	At disposal

HOLIDAY PRICE: (02 Passengers – Car)

TOUR PRICE : USD 2055 per person sharing a Double / Twin Room

HOLIDAY PRICE: (04 Passengers – Micro Van)

TOUR PRICE : USD 1820 per person sharing a Double / Twin Room

HOLIDAY PRICE: (06 Passengers – Van)

TOUR PRICE : USD 1725 per person sharing a Double / Twin Room

HOLIDAY PRICE: (08 Passengers – Van)

TOUR PRICE : USD 1665 per person sharing a Double / Twin Room

HOLIDAY PRICE: (10 Passengers – Mini Coach)

TOUR PRICE : USD 1675 per person sharing a Double / Twin Room





PRICE INFO & VALIDITY:

- The above holiday is valid for the dates mentioned in the itinerary only.
- The above-mentioned price is valid till the end of December 2024.
- Normal check-in/out time of hotels is 1200 hrs. We can request for early check-in or late check-outs but these cannot be guaranteed
- The above quote is subject to the accommodation availability mentioned in the itinerary.
- The above quote is subject to change with the proviso that; in case of a hike in fuel/tax, the quote may vary accordingly.

Terms and Conditions

- The rooms will be confirmed according to the availability at the time of check-in unless the client makes a block booking with the hotels with a 50% advance payment to us to make it against the hotels.
- Please note that the above rates are applicable for the above program only and if the client needs a specific destination included or omitted we could adjust the same accordingly further if you need us to tailor-make any programs we could arrange it for your convenience.

Cancellation Policy

- Please note that the above rates are compiled with the hotels mentioned in the program and are subject to change if any changes take place in the government taxes.
- The rooms will be confirmed according to the availability at the time of check-in unless the client makes a block booking with the hotels with in 50% advance payment to us to make it against the hotels.