

Scenic Highlands

Enjoy a five day tour of the cool hill-country of Sri Lanka, which includes Kandy and Little England.

Locations: | Colombo | Nuwaraeliya | Horton Plains | Kandy | Pinnawala or Kitulgala |

| Hiking | Culture | Rafting |

Day 01

(Airport – Colombo)



- At the airport you will be greeted by your chauffeur guide who will take your residence for the next five nights.
- After completing formalities at the airport, take a leisurely drive, just under an hour into Colombo, the commercial capital of Sri Lanka and check in to your hotel.
- After settling in, it is time to explore the city of

Colombo. Visit some interesting features such as the old city of Fort, the main markets of Pettah, the Hindu Temple at Sea Street, the Dutch Church at Wolfendal, the historic Davatagaha Mosque, the Colombo Museum amongst others. Another option is to indulge in some shopping whether it is value for money clothes or impressive antiques.

Day 02

(Colombo - Nuwaraeliya)



- Breakfast in the hotel
- Then we will transfer to Nuwaraeliya (Little England). During the drive relish to endless views of tea carpeted valleys and the bright flash of female "tea pluckers" in their pimento, fuchsia and cerise saris. We will visit a tea factory on our way and you will also be able to taste a cup of pure Ceylon tea in the factory.

- Once in Nuwara Eliya you will realize that the abundant rainfall combined with sunshine, cold nights and misty mornings offers the perfect climate for producing high grown teas. With brick and stone-built houses, rose gardens and perfect lawns Nuwara Eliya in many ways resembles a 'small English village'. Enjoy a guided stroll pass the 18-hole golf course, the colonial member's only Hill Club and English styled country homes.

Day 03

(Nuwaraeliya – Horton Plains - Nuwaraeliya)



- Breakfast in the hotel
- Then we will head to Horton plains, the highest plateau in the country. It is one of the very important National parks in Sri Lanka especially for its topographical variations. It has unique vegetation and is famous for many rare and endemic highland birds. The most awesome physical feature of the Horton Plains is the escarpment that falls 880 meters to the lowlands

of the southern region of the island. Aptly known as the 'World's End' the view from the precipice of the countryside below towards the south coast is spectacular.

- Return to Nuwara Eliya upon completion. After lunch and at your convenience commence a sightseeing tour of the city. Visit the Nuwara Eliya Town, Market place, Golf Course, (one of the finest 18 holes Golf courses in Asia) the Hill club, and drive around this hill station viewing Lake Gregory.

Day 04

(Nuwaraeliya - Kandy)



- Breakfast in the hotel
- Then we will head to Kandy, which is known as the center of Buddhism. It is famous for the Temple of the Tooth, which houses the most sacred religious relic, the tooth of the Lord Buddha, the Kandy Lake built in 1807, which is an attractive center piece to the town. Other attractions in Kandy include Peradeniya Botanical Gardens, Tea Museum, Royal Palace Kandy and many more.
- We will visit the sacred Temple of the Tooth Relic and enjoy the outer surrounding of Kandy. In the evening, enjoy a Kandyan Cultural show at the Kandyan Arts & Cultural Centre. The show features the graceful and rhythmic dancers and drummers culminating in an impressive fire walking display.

Day 05

(Kandy – Pinnawala/Kitulgala - Colombo - Airport)



- Breakfast in the hotel
- We will transfer to Colombo. On the way, you may choose either to visit the Pinnawala elephant orphanage or Kitulgala for a white water rafting adventure.
- Spend the rest of the day enjoying some sightseeing in Colombo along with some shopping and spend the night in Colombo.
- Alternatively, you could always soak up some sun on Colombo's prestige beaches which is close as an hour away from the airport.
- As all good things must come to an end, your chauffeur guide with comfortable take you back to the international airport for a safe journey home.

End of Services

Terms & Conditions

Your Holiday Includes:

- Per person cost of twin-sharing accommodation.
- Transport by Private air-conditioned car or van and services of English speaking chauffeur guide for the entire duration.
- Local government taxes & service charges.
- Meals: Breakfast.

Your Holiday Excludes:

- Visas
- Meals: Lunch & Dinner
- Travel Insurance
- Optional tours & activities
- Flights
- Airport taxes
- Activities & Highlights
- Camera & video permits at cultural sights
- All expenses of personal nature
- Tips and portage; if you are satisfied we recommend tipping your chauffeur guide
- Spa and wellness treatment
- Entrances

Reservation, Cancellation Policy & Note

- All reservation subject to availability at time of booking.
- Quote is subject to availability of rooms, tax increases, price fluctuations & any peak season supplements.
- The cost is based on cash basis. For any reservation, 50% of the total tour cost should be paid 30 days prior to the arrival date and the balance payment to be paid on arrival.
- The standard check-in time in Sri Lanka is 14:00 hours and standard check-out time is 11:00 hours.
- All drive times are approximate and are subject to change.