

Family Tour Sri Lanka Nine Days

From

USD 615 per person

Code: ACME 201115

Overview

Sri Lanka is one of the best countries in the world to spend your holiday with your family as travel is hassle free & a family would have a variety of places to visit & activities to take part in. The whole family can enjoy an unforgettable tropical vacation!

Itinerary:

DAY 01: AIRPORT/BEACH HOTEL MARAWILA

Sri Lanka is the perfect country to travel with children. The distance between one location and another is not time consuming and hectic. The kids would have many activities to take part in! We know (from experience) that if the children are not enjoying their holiday then neither is the parent. Feeding a baby elephant with a bottle of milk, snorkeling on our reefs or simply enjoying our warm seas are few of the activities we are certain your kids would enjoy. There are whales passing by our paradise and our national parks are teeming with peacocks, elephants and even leopards.

Arrival & transfer to Marawila beach hotel for overnight stay.

DAY 02: NEGOMBO/MUTHURAJAWELLA/OVERNIGHT BEACH HOTEL

After breakfast enjoy an excursion to Negombo and a boat ride in the Muthurajawella marshland. A maximum of 6 persons per boat is allowed. Next, tour the fishing town of Negombo and visit the fish market.

Muthurajawella is a marshland in the southern region of the Negombo lagoon, 30 km north of Colombo. It is the island's largest peat bog, and is notable for its unique and highly diverse ecosystem.



Negombo is a major city in Sri Lanka, on the west coast of the island in close proximity to the international airport. It is also a fishing town once occupied by the Portuguese, Dutch and British Colonialists. You will find remnants of Colonial buildings in the vicinity in particular the Dutch Fort by the sea.

Overnight stay at Marawila Beach Hotel



DAY 03: MINNERIYA RESERVE BY JEEP SIGIRIYA

After Breakfast travel to the Sigiriya, Habarana and Minneriya. At Minneriya you can enjoy an elephant back Jungle Safari (Optional). Spend sometime with the elephant and enjoy a joy ride in the Habarana Jungle and nearby village where you will have ample opportunities for photography. Later in the early afternoon enjoy a wildlife Safari at the National Park. (Jeep Hire and Park Entrance). The National Park area was initially declared a sanctuary in 1938. The vegetation in this area is mainly dry mixed evergreen forest.

Enjoy a delicious dinner & stay overnight at the hotel.



Sigiriya: The rock fortress built by the parricidal King Kassapa I (477-95) lie on the steep slopes and at the summit of a granite peak standing some 180m high (the 'Lion's Rock', which dominates the jungle from all sides). A series of galleries and staircases emerging from the mouth of a gigantic lion constructed of bricks and plaster provides access to the site. Sigiriya is a UNESCO listed site popular among locals and tourists.

Habarana is a small city in the Anuradhapura District of Sri Lanka. The location has some mid-range and up hotels aimed at package tourists, and is a departure point for other nearby locations of greater interest.

The main attraction in Habarana is the fine Habarana Lake, encircled by a small footpath around which it's possible to walk in 90min or so.

DAY 04: SIGIRIYA / POLONNARUWA

After breakfast visit the Sigiriya Rock - Entrance Ticket needed to climb the rock. The history of Sigiriya dates back to over 5000 thousand years, to the Mesolithic period.



Next, visit the historical town of Polonnaruwa City Tour - Entrance Ticket. Needed. You can visit the city by hiring bicycle. Children and adult will enjoy this visit. Polonnaruwa the 2nd capital of the Sinhalese kings dates back to the 11th & 12th century A.D. The entire landscape of the region is bordered by huge man-made reservoirs, the most famous of which is the Parakrama Samudra. Numerous monuments are found in this city.

Enjoy dinner & stay overnight at the hotel.

DAY 05: SIGIRIYA/DAMBULLA/MATALE/KANDY

After breakfast visit the Dambulla Rock Cave Temple (Entrance Tickets need to be purchased). The Rock cave temple of Dambulla is a vast isolated rock mass of 500 ft. and a UNESCO World Heritage Site.

Pay a visit to the Matala Spice Garden. Free visit included in the Program you will be introduced to a variety of plants, which are used as spices in Sri Lankan cuisine.



A Batik Factory stopover will give an overview of the practical procedure of the Batik Handicraft from plain clothes to completed fabric containing immaculate and intricate Designs.

Pay a visit with your family to the Sacred Tooth Relic Temple & enjoy Cultural Dance in the evening. Entrance Tickets needed.

The famous show starts in the evening and runs for more than 1 hr. culminating in a fire walking ceremony.

Stay the night in Kandy (B.D)

Day 06: KANDY / POUSELLAWA / PERADENIYA

After breakfast pay a free visit to a tea plantation and a tea factory. Then visit the Peradeniya Royal Botanical Gardens. (Entrance Ticket needed).

Royal Botanical Garden, Peradeniya is about 5.5 km to the west from the city of Kandy in the Central Province of Sri Lanka. It attracts 2 million visitors annually. It is near the Mahaweli River. It is renowned for its collection of orchids.



Enjoy a free site seeing tour of the Kandy; visit the museum (Entrance Ticket needed).

National Museum, Kandy

This building established during Sri Wickrama Rajasingha era was then known as “Palle Vahala” This was used as the palace where the Queens of the king lived. This building has been built according to the architectural features of Kandy period.

This palle Vahala building was used to deposit the various items of historical value made by Kandy Art Association established in 1832 and technicians of Matale district. This was opened for the public as a museum 1942.

This museum has over 5000 museum objects, which are depicting various aspects historical and cultural events of the Kandyan period. (17-19 century A.D.)

Enjoy dinner & the overnight stay at the hotel.

Day 07: KANDY / PINNAWELA / MOUNT LAVINIA



After breakfast pay a visit to the Pinnawela Elephant Orphanage -Entrance Ticket needed. The orphanage was established to feed, nurse & house young elephants abandoned in the wild. If you are lucky you will get a chance to bottle feed the baby elephants.

Proceed to the Beach Hotel and relax at your own pace.

DAY 08: BEACH FREE DAY

Relax leisurely at the beach hotel with Breakfast & stay overnight. (Optional) Colombo City tour can be arranged free of charge for half a day. Please advise us early to make arrangements.

Day 09: BEACH/AIRPORT

After breakfast transfer to the airport and the room is available until 12 noon. If time permits you and your family can visit Colombo & do some last minute shopping and then transfer to the airport.

Accommodation details

DAY DETAILS	HOTEL DETAILS
DAY 01	CLUB PALM MARAWILA
Day 02	CLUB PALM MARAWILA
DAY 03	THILANKA ECO OR SOROWWA HOTEL
DAY 04	THILANKA ECO OR SOROWWA HOTEL
DAY 05	THILANKA HOTEL
DAY 06	THILANKA HOTEL
DAY 07	MT. LAVINIA HOTEL, OCEAN VIEW ROOM
DAY 08	MT. LAVINIA HOTEL, OCEAN VIEW ROOM
DAY 09	END OF TOUR - DEPARTURE TO AIRPORT

SUMMER 2016 EXCLUDING KANDY PERAHARA AUG 2016 - 1ST MAY 2016 TO 31ST OCTOBER 2016

PER PERSON	COMFORT ACCOMMODATION
2 INDIVIDUALS	USD 905
3 INDIVIDUALS	USD 760
4 INDIVIDUALS	USD 795
5 INDIVIDUALS	USD 765
6 INDIVIDUALS	USD 745

WINTER 2016/17 (EXCLUDING 20DEC TO 10JAN) - 1ST NOVEMBER 2016 TO 30TH APRIL 2017

PER PERSON	COMFORT ACCOMMODATION
2 INDIVIDUALS	USD 945
3 INDIVIDUALS	USD 780
4 INDIVIDUALS	USD 830
5 INDIVIDUALS	USD 800
6 INDIVIDUALS	USD 775

Services Included and other details

INCLUDES

Welcome & assistance at the Sri Lanka airport by our ACME Representative.

Accommodation for three persons will be on Triple room basis. With one double bed & an extra single bed) we have split the rate per person.

It will be same for adults & child. For two adults & two children you can use the four person base rate. We have split the rate per person. It will be same for adults & child. For four people in most hotels they will have one double bed & another two extra single beds but in Marawila 1st two nights only it will be one double bed with two mattresses on the floor for children.

Six nights on Half Board Basis (Dinner & Breakfast included) & the Last two nights on Bed & Breakfast Basis. In total eight nights in Sri Lanka

Check-in - Checkout at 12 noon

Air-conditioned private vehicle (Car or Micro Van) with an English-speaking Chauffeur will be provided during stay in Sri Lanka as per the program. No vehicle will be provided on any free days.

Working hours of the chauffeur will be from 08h00 to 19h30 normally but flexible & can be discussed with him. Please ensure sufficient rest has to be provided before the next days start of the program.

(Arrival & departures can be at any time of the day).

Fuel and Local assurance for the vehicle included.

The chauffeur will look after his meals & accommodation by himself.

The jeep to visit Reserve is included. Entrance fees to be paid directly by clients.

Boat included visiting Muthurajawela entrance paid directly.

Visits as per program all entrance fees to be paid directly by clients. All rates quoted above are in US Dollars & net per person inclusive of all applicable taxes.(around 25%)

Child Policy:

Maximum 02 children will be accommodated with parents (two adults paying)

Children 0 - 2 Years free sharing parents room (No meals & no extra bed)

** Kandy Perahara Period for ten nights from 08th to 17th Aug 2016 -. During Kandy Hotel Nights only extra if clients are in Kandy during the Kandy Perahara Period USD 50 extra per night per room will apply

For Reservations during Super Peak Period – 21 December 2016 to 15 January 2017 period please contact us for further details.

Peak supplements apply at hotels during this period & this will change according to the category of hotels and actual days of stay at each hotel.

EXCLUDES

All Entrance fees as per program to be paid directly by clients
(Entrance Fees are Subject to Change slightly without Prior Notice sometimes)

Sri Lanka family Tour will cost Approximately USD 180 per person.

(Children under 12 year's half rate charges will apply)

Single room supplement, the personal spending (tips, laundry, mini bar, telephone, fax etc.)

Beverages, the rights to use cameras or video at sites where most places they are free when you pay the entrance fees except at Kandy Tooth Temple & Pinnawela Elephant orphanage there are extra charges for Video around USD 05 per person,.

Medical expenses, insurance, international flights.

Sri Lanka Visa charges USD 35 per person for NON SAARC countries & USD 20 for SAARC Countries, can be obtained directly via the Internet please visit this site. <http://www.eta.gov.lk/>

The process is not complicated if you have any difficulty we could make arrangements for it too in 48hrs to obtain your visa if details are provided to us by mail. The process is very simple

payments can be paid online & with the confirmation document print out & code you have to submit passport on arrival only.

The passport has to be valid for six months from the day of arrival return air tickets & sufficient funds or reservations for the holiday should be with you.

All have to obtain a visit visa except for Singapore & Maldivian passport holders.

Children under 12 years get free visa on arrival immaterial of their nationality.

We have chosen the accommodation in such a way that rooms can be adjoining or wherever possible interconnected and on ground floor level as much as possible.

Kids love to play in the garden and whenever we have the possibility we will provide them with a tropical surprise full of birds and flowering plants and trees.

Needless to say all accommodations we picked for our family travel have a pool, which is safe for them to play around in.

Our guides went through a special training on how to deal with families.

Our transport is of good quality and fitted with safety belts. If you desire to travel to our island but end your trip in the Maldives then we are of course more than capable of organizing that too, keeping our philosophy intact so expect a very family friendly island with lots of amenities at your dispose!

You can select a program suitable for your holiday from the program listed in this web site or we can organize a tailor made package to suite your ne All Entrance fees as per program to be paid directly by clients.

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CANCELLATION

You may cancel your booking at any time prior to commencement of the tour by notifying us in writing, which must be acknowledged by our company.

If you cancel on or before 30 days before the first day of the tour, we will retain your small deposit to cover our costs. In addition, if the cancellation notification is received less than 30 days prior to the first day of the tour, additional cancellation charges shall be as follows:

AMOUNT OF CANCELLATION CHARGES: -

29-15 Days before the first day of the tour - 50%

Less than 14 Days before the first day of the tour 75%

Less than 7 Days before the first day of the tour 100%

No-show or early departure 100%

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