

Paradise Island Tour

DAY 1

Arrive in Colombo the commercial capital of Sri Lanka. You will be met by our representative and transferred to the hotel for overnight accommodation at Cinnamon Lakeside or similar.

DAY 2

After breakfast leave for Galle (approx 3 hours). Overnight accommodation at Lighthouse & Spa or similar.

After breakfast climb the Sigiriya Rock Fortress. Sigiriya – the Lion's rock, a World Heritage site - is an ancient rock fortress. Palace ruins are surrounded by the remains of an extensive network of gardens, reservoirs, and other structures. Sigiriya is world renowned for its ancient paintings (frescos). You will be staying at Vil Uyana or similar.

DAY 3 - 4

Visit the UN heritage site of Galle. It was inscribed as a UNESCO World Heritage Site in 1988. Located facing the Indian Ocean in the town of Galle, on the southern coast of Sri Lanka, Galle Fort is one of the best preserved examples of 17th century colonial fortifications in the world. It is perhaps the best example of a fortified city built by Europeans in South and South-East Asia, showing the interaction between European architectural styles and South Asian traditions. Galle is also a good place to shop for unique mementoes to take back with you.

Overnight accommodation at Lighthouse & Spa or similar.

DAY 5

After breakfast leave for Bentota (approx 1 ½) hours. Bentota is famous for golden beaches, and as a destination for water sports. Overnight accommodation at Taj Exotica or similar.

DAY 6 - 7

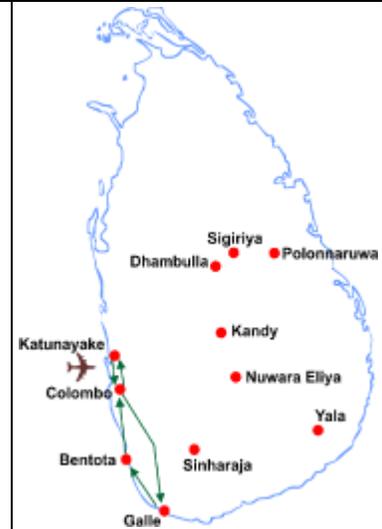
Two days of water sports and beach!

A host of water sports including Water Skiing, Body Surfing, Wind Surfing etc are available all along the beach. You can also take part in Beach Volleyball, Tennis, Table Tennis, Aqua Gymnastics and Jogging along the miles and miles of golden beach. You could also cruise along the river and watch birds along the nature trails of the jungle.

Overnight accommodation will be at Taj Exotica or similar.

DAY 8

After breakfast leave for Colombo (approx 2 hours). Afternoon will be a city tour and shopping.



Colombo is a pretty medium sized metropolis, a beehive of commotion with more than a million inhabitants. Fort is the historic centre of the city. There are many gracious old buildings from the Dutch, Portuguese and British colonial eras are to be seen. East of Fort is the exciting Pettah bazaar district, where the streets are crammed with shops and stalls selling all manner of goods from vegetables to gemstones. Further south the city's seafront is known as Galle Face Green, where locals enjoy games of cricket, fly kites or take evening strolls watching the sunset. Main attractions include museums, historic buildings and churches, and beautiful parks. What is especially enjoyable is the variety of cuisine that can be sampled at any one of the city's plentiful bars, restaurants, sidewalk cafes and kiosks.

Overnight at Cinnamon Lakeside or similar.

DAYS 9

Transfer to the airport for your flight home.

