

KERALA with BACKWATER TOUR

(AAT-IND-025-D&P)

(6Days/ 5Nights)



Kerala, a state on India's tropical Malabar Coast, has nearly 600km of Arabian Sea shoreline. It's known for its palm-lined beaches and backwaters, a network of canals. Inland are the Western Ghats, mountains whose slopes support tea, coffee and spice plantations as well as wildlife. National parks like Eravikulam and Periyar, plus Wayanad and other sanctuaries, are home to elephants, langur monkeys and tigers.

Day 01: ARRIVE COCHIN

On your arrival at Cochin International Airport/ Railway station, meet our executive to Welcome & receive you. Later you will be taken to your hotel at Cochin and after lunch go for sightseeing at Historical Fort Cochin which has a rich heritage and strong historical relationship with English, Portuguese, Dutch, Arabs, Chinese etc. you can visit Dutch Palace, Asia's best-preserved Synagogue, Chinese fish nets, Sea mouth, Beach walk way etc.

- Overnight stay at hotel.



Day 02: COCHIN - MUNNAR (150KMS/4hrs by drive)



After Breakfast and drive to Munnar enroute visiting Cheeyaparra Falls. Arrive Munnar and check in at the hotel. Munnar is the nature-lover's paradise. Snuggling in the green and serene Kannan Devan Hills lies the quiet and restful resort of Munnar. Panoramic views of low-flying clouds and mist filled valleys make it a pretty little heaven with a cool bracing climate. It was opened out of virgin forests a century ago by pioneering planters. Within its remote and elderly churches - gracious, stone-structures with ancient chandeliers and rosewood pews. A little beyond lies

Anaimudi, South India's highest peak. In the vicinity is the Eravikulam National Park, the home of the endangered Nilgiri Thar that roams on a stretch of grassland or is seen climbing the pinnacles of the undulating hills. Here you can have a glimpse of a Gaur, Langur, Lion-tailed macaque, and Elephants roaming in herds. Rest of the day will be at leisure

- Overnight stay at hotel.

Day 03: MUNNAR

Buffet breakfast at the hotel. Later proceed for a morning sightseeing trip of Munnar; visiting the Eravikulam National Park where you can see the very rare mountain goats locally called the Nilgiri Thar, visit Mattupetty Dam which offers many fascinating sights to relish. The Shola forests around Mattupetty are ideal for trekking and bird watching, with the variety of birds found there. Kundala is a picturesque town located at the confluence of three mountain streams namely Mudrapuzha, Nallathanni and Kundala. Enroute visit Echo Point, View Point & green carpet of Tea Gardens. Late afternoon, you will go for a stroll in Tea Estates. Meet the local people engaged in tea Industry. Evening will be at leisure.



- Overnight stay at hotel.

Day 04: MUNNAR – THEKKADY (124KMS/3HRS by Drive)



After breakfast, depart for Thekkady by road (Approx: 124 kms / 3 hrs). En route visit the panoramic Western Ghat hills covered with spice plantations and an occasional view of waterfalls and streams, several types of spice plantations like cardamom, vanilla, pepper, cinnamon and clove. On arrival at Thekkady, check into hotel. Later proceed for boating on the Periyar Lake (optional) and experience a view of calm crystal clear Periyar Lake and sanctuary. Watch different wild animals while boating. Stay overnight at

Periyar.

- Overnight stay at hotel.

Day 5: THEKKADY – ALLEPEY HOUSEBOAT (155KMS/4HRS By Drive)

After breakfast, depart for Alleppey by road (Approx: 155 kms / 4 hrs). On arrival, check into houseboat and spend the day at leisure. Houseboat cruise is the best way to explore the beauty of backwaters. Spend the rest of the day at leisure. Enjoy lunch, evening tea/coffee with snacks and dinner on it.



- Overnight stay at houseboat.
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Day 6: ALLEPEY – COCHIN DEPARTURE (90KMS/2HRS By Drive)

Morning breakfast, check out from hotel & get dropped at Cochin Airport for your onward journey.

*** Tour ends with sweet memories ***

HOTELS ENVISAGED:

Location	DELUXE Package	PREMIUM Package
Cochin	Hotel Castle Rock/Hotel Abad Fort/Hotel Fort Cochin/Similar	Le Marriott Cochin/Holiday Inn Cochin/The Dunes Cochin/Similar
Munnar	Hotel Grand Plaza/Spice Country Resort/Misty Mountain Resort/Similar	The Fog Munnar/The Leaf/Deshadan Resort/Devonshire Green/Similar
Thekkady	Hotel Sandra Palace/Jungle Park Resort/Hotel Grand Thekkady/Similar	Kofiland/Green Wood/Sarovar Portico/Spice Village/Similar
Alleppey HB	Deluxe A/c Houseboat	Premium A/c Houseboat/Luxury Houseboat

Per Person Cost on Twin Sharing basis:

Category	DELUXE Package	PREMIUM Package
No. of Pax	Per Person Cost	Per Person Cost
(Min 2 Pax)	2550 MYR	2850 MYR

Please note: Above package cost is valid for a couple on Double sharing basis

Validity: From 01st March 2018 to March 31st, 2019

Christmas Peak & New Year season supplementary hike as per actual basis.

Inclusions:

- Accommodation on Twin/Double sharing based on above package
- Daily Breakfast at all hotel as per above mentioned package
- **All Meals will be serve at Alleppey Houseboat**
- Transfers/Sightseeing will be provided by A/c Individual Vehicle at all places
- Assistance at Airport
- English Speaking Tour Guide
- All permit fees & hotel taxes (as per itinerary).
- All toll taxes, parking fee, fuel surcharges, driver bata includes
- **Includes GST on the above package cost**

Exclusions:

- Airfare/Train Ticket
- Visa / Travel Insurance charges.
- Camera fee at monument.
- Local Guide/Entrance Fees
- Monument charges
- Any other services which are not mentioned in the tour cost inclusions.

- Any meals / en-route meals unless specified.
- Items of personal nature viz, tips, portorage, room service, laundry, mineral water, alcoholic or non- alcoholic beverages, phone calls, additional sightseeing tours and excursions not included in the itinerary.
- Any rides, safaris, boating charges, additional sightseeing tours other than the mentioned in the inclusions.
- Supplement charges applicable for Long weekends and festive period.
- Entrance fees and guide charges, unless specified in the inclusions.
- Any increase in fuel cost, intra and interstate taxes etc, the tour price will be amended in accordance.

Terms & Conditions:

- Booking rates are subject to change without prior notice.
- **Hotel timings: Check in – 1400hrs; Check out – 1200hrs**
- **Houseboat Check in - 1200hrs; Check out – 1000hrs**
- Pricing of the booking is based on the age of the passengers. Please make sure you enter the correct age of passengers at the time of booking. Passengers furnishing incorrect age details may incur penalty at the time of check in at hotel
- Airline seats and hotel rooms are subject to availability at the time of booking.
- In case of unavailability in the listed hotels, arrangement for an alternate accommodation will be made in a hotel of similar category
- A maximum of 3 adults are allowed in one room. The third occupant shall be provided a mattress/rollaway bed.
- The itinerary is fixed and cannot be modified. Transportation shall be provided as per the itinerary and will not be at disposal.
- All transfers and sightseeing shall be provided by an exclusive vehicle unless otherwise specified.
- Due to operational reasons, the routing of this tour may be amended. However, all mentioned services will remain unchanged.
- Cost of deviation and cost of extension of the validity on your ticket is not included.
- Above package cost does not valid for New Year, Christmas, Diwali, Long Weekends Etc.

Cancellation Policy:

- If the booking cancels before 45 days than full refund will be back **(Except GST + Service charges will be applicable)**
- If the booking cancels within 45 days – 30 days than 25% amount will be deducted
- If the booking cancels within 30 days – 15 days than 50% amount will be deducted
- If the booking cancels within 15 days, then non-refundable