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## Best Of Srilanka Senior Senior Citizen Special 19- 26` 2026



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# Destination Introduction

A paradise hiding in plain sight, Sri Lanka is a beautiful mélange of sandy beaches, historic ruins, rugged hilltops, diverse wildlife and amazing food. The country is home to UNESCO world heritage sites, beautiful beaches, magnificent peaks and lush rainforests, and has something to offer to everyone. Located in the vastness of the Indian Ocean, the island country of Sri Lanka has a rich cultural history that dates back to 3000 years ago. Blessed with incredible flora and fauna, a beautiful heritage, delicious cuisine and breath-taking festivals, this country is a realm waiting to be explored.

## **Highlights:**

### **Kandy, Sri Lanka**

- Pinnawala Elephant Orphanage
- Temple of the Sacred Tooth Relic
- Royal Botanical Garden
- Cultural Show

### **Nuwara Eliya, Sri Lanka**

- Hakgala Botanical Garden
- The Victoria Park
- Gregory Lake
- Horton Plains National Park
- Jeep/Micro Van to (max 4 pax per jeep) Horton Plain National park
- Sita Amman Temple
- Devon Falls
- St Clairs Falls

### **Colombo, Sri Lanka**

- Gangarama Temple
- National Museum of Colombo

### **Bentota, Sri Lanka**

- Kosgoda Sea Turtle Conservation Project
- In BENTOTA (Madu Ganga River Safari in Balapitiya)

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## Detailed Itinerary

### **Day 01 - Arrive Colombo - Colombo to Kandy (3 Hrs 19 Min, 137 KM)**

Meet & assist on arrival. Proceed to Kandy via Pinnawela elephant orphanage.

**Pinnawela Elephant Orphanage:** The Pinnawela Elephant Orphanage is one of Sri Lanka's most popular tourist attractions. The orphanages population has now mushroomed to around 65, making it the world's largest collection of captive elephants. The elephants here range in age from newborns to elderly matriarchs, and include orphaned and abandoned elephants, as well as those injured in the wild. Proceed to Kandy. Leisure day Dinner & Overnight stay at the Hotel.

**Meal :** Dinner

### **Day 02 - Kandy**

After your breakfast, Kandy city tour. Temple of the Tooth Kandy: According to legend, the tooth was taken from the Buddha as he lay on his funeral pyre. It was smuggled to Sri Lanka in 313 AD, hidden in the hair of Princess Hemamali who fled the Hindu armies besieging her father's kingdom in India. 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. The garden includes more than 4000 species of plants, including orchids, spices, medicinal plants and palm trees. Attached to it is the National Herbarium of Sri Lanka. Kandy Lake also known as Kiri Muhuda or the Sea of Milk, is an artificial lake in the heart of the hill city of Kandy, Sri Lanka, built in 1807 by King Sri Wickrama Rajasinghe next to the Temple of the Tooth.

**Kandyan Dance Performance:** The Kandyan dance has become most distinctively Sinhalese and is readily associated with the idea of a National Dance. Dinner & Overnight Stay at the Hotel

**Meals:** Breakfast & Dinner

### **Day 03 - Kandy - Nuwara Eliya (2 Hrs 12 Min – 98 KM)**

After breakfast, Checkout From Hotel , Transfer from Kandy to Nuwara Eliya via Ramboda. Bhaktha Hanuman Temple and visit to Tea Factory and Tea Plantation. Afterwards visit Seetha Amman Temple. Visit en route Hanuman Temple at Ramboda & Ramboda water falls. Sri Baktha Hanuman Temple It is believed that Lord Hanuman was searching for Sitadevi from these hills of Ramboda.

**Note:** Chinmaya mission of Sri Lanka has built a temple with Lord Hanuman as the presiding deity on this hill. On every full moon day special poojas are conducted and witnessed by thousands of devotees. The status of Lord Hanuman here is carved out of granite and is 16 feet in height.

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**Meals :** Breakfast & Dinner

## **Day 04 - Nuwara Eliya**

### **Nuwara Eliya city tour:**

Nuwara Eliya meaning “the city of dawn” is the town at the highest elevation (about 2000m above Sea level) in Sri Lanka and its tallest peak, Pidurutalagala (2555m) could be seen from here.

Nuwara Eliya is also the heart of the tea country and you can visit a plantation and a factory enroute here and witness how the famous “Ceylon Tea” is brewed.

The Victoria Park is a public park located in Nuwara Eliya; Originally the park was the research field of Hakgala Botanical Garden. The park was formally named in 1897 to commemorate Queen Victoria’s Diamond Jubilee.

Gregory Lake was build under the period of British Governor Sir William Gregory in 1873. This is the most prominent attraction in Nuwara Eliya and all the vistors used to come here and spent some time by the lake and relax. This was used as a place for water sports and for re recreational activities. Overnight stay at the hotel

**Meals:** Breakfast & Dinner.

## **Day 05 - Nuwara Eliya - Bentota (4 Hrs 38 Min – 209 KM)**

Breakfast at the hotel. Transfer from Nuwara eliya to Bentota. St. Clair’s Falls is one of the widest waterfalls in Sri Lanka and is commonly known as the “Little Niagara of Sri Lanka”. The waterfalls consist of two falls called “Maha Ella” & “Kuda Ella. St Clair’s falls are the 20th highest waterfall in Sri Lanka. Devon Falls is a waterfall in Sri Lanka, situated 6 km west of Talawakele, Nuwara Eliya District on A7 highway. The Waterfall is 97 meters high and ranked 19th highest in the Island. Bridge on river kwai. Kitulgala is the beautiful location of the 1957 Oscar Award winning film “Bridge on the River Kwai”. The remains of the old bridge no longer exist as the bridge was blown up at the end of the film as part of the climax of the story. Its popular place for film buffs and tourists to visit on the way and back from the hills. Dinner &overnight stay at the hotel.

**Meals :** Breakfast & Dinner.

## **Day 06 - Bentota**

Breakfast at the hotel.

Bentota city tour.

Bentota is a coastal town in Sri Lanka, Bentota is situated on the southern bank of the Bentota River mouth, at an elevation of 3 meters (9.8 ft) above the sea level. The name of the town is derived from a mythical story which claims a demon named ‘Bem’ ruled the tota or river bank. Optional visit to.

KOSGODA TURTLE HATCHERY. Visit to the turtle hatchery in Kosgoda. Five of the world’s 8 species of turtles nest in Sri Lankan beaches. The Turtle Hatchery at Kosgoda is a conservation

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project that is helping to sustain and enhance the stability of sea turtles. Where you can see five species of turtles-Green Turtles

- Hawksbill Turtle,
- Loggerhead Turtle,
- Leatherback Turtle
- and Olive Ridley Turtle.

En-route boat ride at Maadu River. The Maadu River offers very popular boat trips down the river where you can arrange to visit temples, cinnamon estates and other nature resorts. This area is a preserved wild life sanctuary.

**Meals:** Breakfast & Dinner

## **Day 07 - Bentota - Colombo (1 Hr 40 Min – 81 KM)**

Breakfast at the hotel

Transfer from Bentota to Colombo.

### **COLOMBO CITY TOUR.**

Colombo is the business and commercial center and the new capital is Sri Jayawardhanapura Kotte, only a few miles away. Colombo was only a small seaport. Colombo became the capital of Sri Lanka in 1815 after Kandyan Kingdom was ceded to the British. The remains of the buildings during the period of the Portuguese, Dutch and British rule are found in every area of the city. Visit Fort, the former British administrative center and military garrison, Sea Street – the Goldsmith's quarters in the heart of Pettah, the Bazaar area where there is also a Hindu Temple with elaborate stone carvings, the Kayman's Gate with the Belfry at the original gate to enter the Fort, the Dutch Church of Wolfendhaal dating back to 1749, Kelaniya Buddhist Temple dating to 6th C.B.C., Davatagaha Mosque, Colombo Museum and the Natural History Museum are some of the sites to be visited. Dinner at restaurant.

**Meals :** Breakfast & Dinner

## **Depart**

Breakfast at the hotel

Transfer from Colombo to Airport for departure.

We bid you farewell and look forward to see you soon again on another adventure.

**Meal:** Breakfast.

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## Package Inclusions

Please Check Package Inclusions Carefully,

- Airport To Hotel And Hotel To Airport Pick & Drop
- Meet and Greet assistance at the airport with welcome garland
- Travel by comfortable A/C Mini Buses or big buses depending on the respective tour group size
- 06 Breakfasts
- 06 Dinners In Indian Restaurant (Ganesha The Indian Sanskriti Or Similar Restaurants)
- 03 Lunches
- Water Bottles 500x2 Per Person Per Day
- Bali Swing Photography charges Included
- Water Sports (1 x Jet Ski and 1xBanana Boat) at Tanjung Benoa
- Uluwatu Temple tour with Kecak dance
- Full Day Kintamani - Ubud Village - Ubud Market - Bali Swing (Alas Harum) - Tegalalang Rice Field
- Full Day Ulundanu Temple - Handara Gate - Tanah Lot Temple.
- Full Day Nusa Penida Tour
- Complimentary 1xParasailing during water sports activities.
- All Sightseeing By Private Vehicle
- All Tips: Restaurants, Drivers, & Guides
- Sunrays Holiday's Caring Tour Manager
- Entrance fees of all sightseeing places to be visited from inside

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## Package Exclusions

Please Read Package Exclusions List Carefully.

Air Tickets Govt Tax of 5% over and above the Tour Cost mentioned TCS (5% or 10%) upto 7 lacs and TCS @20% on amounts above 7 lacs is applicable on GST inclusive price wef 1st October 2023 Any increase in Govt Taxes, Fuel Surcharges and any applicability of new taxes from Govt Any up gradation in vehicle class or hotel room category Any extra expense such as route change, Airline change, Date change, Accommodation facilities, etc. incurred due to the unforeseen, unavoidable forced majeure circumstances during the tour Porterage, laundry, telephone charges, shopping, wines & alcoholic beverages, items of personal nature and food or drink which is not part of a set group menu Any extra cost incurred on behalf of an individual due to illness, accident, hospitalization, or any personal emergency Rates are not valid during Dubai shopping festival, new year, Christmas and trade fairs Any item of personal nature like tips, laundry, telephone calls etc, Any services or activity charges other than those included in the group tour itinerary Travel Insurance Any other sightseeing other than mentioned above Anything specifically not mentioned in the 'tour price includes' column. All hotels charge a refundable security deposit either in cash or credit card at the time of check-in. This is refunded by the hotel provided there are no incidental purchases or damages This security deposit is not included in the package price and must be paid by the guest directly to the hotel when checking in. Anything specifically not mentioned in the 'tour price includes' column.

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## **Additional Information / Notes**

### **Mandatory Documents**

- Original passport with minimum 6 months validity from the date of tour arrival along with sufficient blank pages for the stamping of visa
- A valid Tourist Visa for the duration of the tour
- For all Schengen countries passport validity should not exceed more than 10 years
- Handwritten passport is not acceptable.

### **Things Not To Do In Bali**

It shouldn't be a big surprise why people all over the world flock to Bali to spend their vacation. To make sure you do not land in trouble while visiting this place, we have put together a list of 9 things not to do in Bali that you should take care of:

- Do Not Enter The Temples With Your Shoes On.
- Avoid Drinking Tap Water
- Do Not Visit Temples. Wearing Revealing Clothes
- Avoid Using Your Left Hand For Giving Or Accepting Things.
- Drug Possession And Consumption Can Land You In Jail.
- Maintain Decorum During Nyepi.
- Honking Without Reason Is Prohibited.
- Do Not Point Your Toes Towards A
- Buddha Statue Or Symbol.
- Do Not Mock Religious Processions.

It is advisable to maintain decorum when religious processions are organized on the streets, especially if it is a funeral procession. A Hindu funeral procession is called Ngaben in Bali, also known as Pelebon or Pitra Yadnya. If you happen to come by a Ngaben it is best to not make any noise and maintain silence till it or you pass or you will definitely end up being confronted for your behavior.



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# Tour Pricing

## **Cost Per Head**

Cost On Request

Ex. Colombo (CMB) Airport 7N & 8D

## **Partial Payment**

100 % Payment Required If Booked Within 45 Days Of Travel Date.