

Family Reunion 14 nights / 15 days Blue Sapphire Tour

A family reunion is coming after ages – it's one of the most important times to share with remarkable memories. CULTURE, NATURE, ADVENTURE and RELAXING with your own family members in the same trip! You thought that impossible? Not this time!

Follow your guide, by VAN, tuk tuk, train or boat, and even on foot or on elephant back, for two unforgettable weeks, between rice fields and tea plantations, Indian Ocean beaches and sacred mountains. The sacred towns and rural villages also open their doors to you ... to share and exchange... TO ENJOY this trip: a trip like no other!

DAY 01

AEROPORT / KANDY

We welcome you upon your arrival at the airport, where you meet your driver and your personal guide.

Then we take the road to Kandy. On the road, we stop at the Elephants' Orphanage in Pinawella, where you can bottle feed the little ones and watch the spectacular daily bath in the nearby river.

Check into your hotel room and then relaxing. In the evening, you watch a show of colorful traditional dances. The rhythm of the drums will lead us to the famous Temple of the Tooth (Dalada Maligama) and its nocturnal procession.

Return to hotel, dinner and overnight

DAY 02

KANDY

Breakfast at the hotel and full day dedicated to the discovery of the sacred city of Kandy.

This town is listed since 1988 as World Heritage by UNESCO. Follow us through the maze of narrow streets where shops offer in the eyes of passers of the 1000 color displays.

Then, up to contemplation and reverie, since the lake which lies a few steps. Finally, we set off to explore the temples of Gadoladeniya, Lankatilaka and Embekke.

Back to the hotel, dinner and overnight.

DAY 03

KANDY / GIRITHALE

Breakfast at the hotel and drive to Giritale. On the road we'll visit a colorful Hindu temple.

Then, while taking the spices road, we will do a stop in an Ayurvedic garden. A time of refreshing in a garden where medicinal plants reveal their secrets. You can try some of these 100% natural remedies.

Finally we'll visit the Temple of Dambulla. This site contains a troglodyte alignment of kings and Buddhas carved in stone, surrounded by beautiful paintings.
Check into your hotel, dinner and overnight

DAY 04**GIRITHALE**

Breakfast at the hotel and drive to Polonnaruwa.

You will discover the magical atmosphere that emanates from this site as a World Heritage of Humanity.

Here every stone delivers you the secrets of a rich and unusual history. Buddha statues and ancient remains. Imagine the work of stone and wood, made at the time by craftsmen with nimble fingers.

Then, meet the same craftsmen who, decades later, shaping the wood to create objects, artworks, or furniture.

You can see the sculptor's work at the wood carving factory, and buy authentic and original memories.

Return to hotel, dinner and overnight.

DAY 05**GIRITHALE / ANURADHAPURA**

Breakfast at the hotel and drive to the Sigiriya rock.

We will climb the steps to the top of this famous citadel. You will be amazed by the beauty of the panorama that is offered. It is also an opportunity to see the famous cave paintings which ornament the cavities, and numerous ponds.

To reward this effort, then we propose you a ride on an elephant.

Check into your hotel, dinner and overnight.

DAY 06**ANURADHAPURA / KANDY**

Breakfast at your hotel and visit the city of Anuradhapura. The old capital of Sinhala kings invites you to enter a realm where the remains are a perpetual offering to the gods.

Anuradhapura is one of the oldest continuously inhabited cities in the world and one of the eight World Heritage Sites of Sri Lanka.

According to you, we can manage this discovering by bicycle.

Then return to Kandy for dinner and overnight.

DAY 07**KANDY / NUWARA ELIYA**

Breakfast at the hotel and morning in the beautiful botanical garden of Peradeniya near Kandy.

Then, we will visit a batiks factory.

On the road to Nuwara Eliya, you will discover the amazing landscapes of tea plantations.

Women dressed in colorful saris, wind through the plantations to pick the precious flower.

Well open your eyes wide and let yourself be transported by the magic of the show that you have given.

Check into your hotel, dinner and overnight.

DAY 08**NUWARA ELIYA / ELLA**

Breakfast at the hotel and discovering of the highest city of the island: Nuwara Eliya.

Perched at 1800m, this colonial town was once a popular spa resort with English settlers.

Now nicknamed "Little England", the city has many red telephone boxes, a famous golf, and many colonial-style bungalows.

Then it will be THE highlight of this trip, whatever you do never forget: excursion by train to Ella, among the tea plantations and green hills.

Arriving at Ella, we reserve you a little surprise "Wellness" ...

Check into your hotel, dinner and overnight.

DAY 09**ELLA**

Breakfast at the hotel and ascent of Little Adam's Peak, where you enjoy a breathtaking panorama of the surrounding hills. Short hike without difficulty, rewarded by a refreshing near a waterfall.

The small town of Ella is circled by a dozen waterfalls. A nice opportunity for us to freshen up the look, body and spirit, as we approach the 10th day together!

Return to your hotel, dinner and overnight.

DAY 10**ELLA / ARUGAM BAY**

Breakfast at your hotel and dip in a natural pool fed with water by a sublime waterfall.

Then we take the road to join one of the most beautiful bays in the world, on the southeast coast of Sri Lanka: Arugam Bay.

You are in paradise: golden sand, turquoise water, palm and coconut trees. You just have to relax, enjoy it, and abuse it!

According to you, we can manage surf lessons.

In the evening at your hotel, dinner and overnight.

DAY 11**ARUGAM BAY**

Breakfast at the hotel and morning swim. Then all the day by tuk tuk !

Scheduled for this day: crocodiles watching, and tuk tuk safari near the Kumana National Park. Then, little trekking without difficulty finding a temple like no other, set on top of a mountain.

Return to your hotel, dinner and overnight.

DAY 12**ARUGAM BAY / TISSAMAHARAMA**

Breakfast at the hotel then free time in the morning where you can enjoy the beach. We will then take the road to join Tissa.

In the evening at your hotel, dinner and overnight.

DAY 13**TISSA**

Morning JEEP SAFARI in famous YALA National PARK.

This park is the most famous of the island. Savannah and marshes are home to unique wildlife, buffalos, deer, crocodiles, monitor lizards, various birds ... but also about 400 elephants and especially the famous leopard.

Jeep safari lasting 4 hours. Don't forget your cameras!

Afternoon stroll around the lake Tissa (bird watching). Return to your hotel, dinner and overnight.

DAY 14**TISSA / MIRISSA**

Breakfast at your hotel and drive to the idyllic beach of Mirissa, punctuated by a stop in a "nursery" for turtles.

In the evening at your hotel, dinner and overnight.

DAY 15**MIRISSA / GALLE**

For this last day with us, waking up early for a departure from the harbor of Mirissa at 7am.

Boat trip to discover the largest mammal the Earth ever known: the blue whale.

extraordinary show!

Then our last trip takes you to Galle, and his famous stilt fishermen.

Transfer to International Airport

Note: You can choose your own choice of alternative suitable accommodation subject to availability.

Package Includes:

- Accommodation on BB / HB / FB
- Transportation in an A/C Car / Family-Van / Mini Coach or Large Coach
- Airport transfers
- Services of English Speaking Driver-Guide or National Tour Guide.
- Government Taxes.

Package Excludes:

- Flights and Visas
- Early check in and late checkout charges (If required)
- Tips and Porter charges
- Expenses of a personal nature.
- Entrance tickets for sites mentioned. (can be paid directly in LKR, US\$, Euro)
- Safari Jeeps for sites mentioned. (can be paid directly in LKR, US\$, Euro)

Tour package can be customized as per your choices and hotels can be chosen with your preferences.

Please write to us personally; we will organize your own Sri Lankan Family Reunion – Blue Sapphire tour as you wish.

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