



An initiative
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EXPLORE HILLS OF PERIYAR

1 | **2**
NIGHT | DAYS

TRIP DETAILS



INCLUSIONS:

- **Meals (Breakfast and Dinner):** You do not have to worry when you travel with us. You will be served with authentic Kerala cuisine during this trip.
- **Accommodation:** We ensure you get all the amenities necessary for a comfortable stay. You will be provided with comfortable accommodation in comfy homestays or hotels for the one night stay.
- **Transfers:** Our experienced team takes care of all your transfers for the activities during the tour, in dedicated vehicles..
- **Guided tours, activities and safaris:** Every batch is assigned with a trip captain/guide. It not only ensures that you have a secure experience, but also learn about all the secrets, mysteries and myths about the place.
- **Wildlife encounters and Cultural Experiences:** A chance to witness the traditional dance, Kathakali, and Martial Art Spectacle, the Kalaripayattu Show are also included in the package. While on the boat ride and Elephant ride you can also get lucky to spot the exquisite wildlife of the region.
- **Spot Visits:** Visiting Parunthumpara, Kuttikkanam, and Vagamon are all included in the package.

EXCLUSIONS:

- **Travel Arrangements:** We cannot pay for or arrange air or rail tickets for you to reach the destination.
- **Personal Porters:** Personal porters or people who may carry your belongings must be self-hired and the company doesn't include them in the package.
- **Participant Responsibility:** Although maximum care for safety will be taken throughout the backpacking experience, if one doesn't listen to the supervisors and sustains injuries during the tour, the cost of medical treatment will not be borne by the company.
- **Unforeseen Circumstances:** The company is not liable for providing the customers with stay and food in case of an extension caused by natural calamities, roadblocks, bad weather, or circumstances beyond human control.
- **Non-Included Services:** Anything that is not listed under the inclusions list will be treated as something the company is not liable to provide.

ITINERARY:

- **Day 1: A Day of Cultural and Natural Wonders**

Your day starts with boating on the beautiful Periyar Lake. Enjoy the picturesque view amidst the wilderness of the Periyar hills, watching birds and mountains all around. Our next adventure on our itinerary is a thrilling thirty-minute-long elephant ride. It provides a unique experience of exploring the Periyar lake and its surroundings and a chance to spot the exquisite wildlife of the area.

After the ride, enjoy a traditional Kathakali dance show, specifically arranged for you. Kathakali is one of the eight Indian classical dances and originates in Kerala. The mixture of expressive storytelling, elaborate costumes and makeup, and rhythmic mudras can't be missed when staying in Kerala.

Lastly, enjoy a Kalaripayattu show, a martial arts spectacle in Kerala. Try understanding the philosophy and values embedded in the art form. The agility and fluidity of the performers using diverse weapons will leave you amazed.

- **Day 2: Journey Through Scenic Hill Stations and Wilderness**

Your second day begins with an exhilarating open jeep safari to Sathram Jungle. The viewpoints throughout the journey are breathtaking. In the jungle, experience the aromatic cardamom plantations and immerse yourself in the rich biodiversity.

After a wild start to the day, dig in for some delicious breakfast. Preferably, a local Kerala breakfast is the best food to savour when in the Keralian jungles.

After breakfast, set off to explore the Parunthumpara Hill Station and enjoy the serene meadows and rolling hills. It is a peaceful and offbeat location around the Periyar hills, providing picturesque panoramic mountain views. Next, we will take you to the Kuttikkanam Hill Station where you can savour the local Kerala delicacy at lunch.

Lastly, go ahead and explore the serene yet majestic Vagamon Hill Station. Vagamon is also called the Scotland of South India due to its green meadows, lush pine forests, and towering waterfalls. It is the best place to end the Periyar Hills trip.

We would like to see you again on a different adventure trip with us in some other part of the country.



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