

# HERITAGE WITH HILLS, PLANTATIONS & BACKWATERS

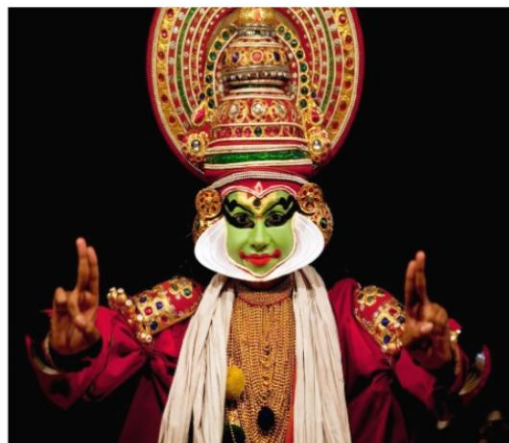
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## INDIA - INTRODUCTION



A country with a rich and colorful history, India is home to some of the world's most fascinating cultures. India is a country located in South Asia and the capital of India is New Delhi. The Government of India, the Constitutional Republic represents a highly diverse population of thousands of ethnic groups and the many languages spoken in the country.

India is a country that attracts millions of tourists every year and is considered one of the most popular tourist destinations in the world. These visitors are attracted to its natural beauty and cultural heritage. It has many historic sites as well like the Taj Mahal, Golden Temple, Red Fort, etc.



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## Day 01 Arrival Cochin

Meet our representative upon arrival in Cochin and you would be transferred to your hotel. Rest for the day and acclimatize. Overnight at Cochin.

## Day 02 Cochin

After breakfast proceed for full day Kochi sightseeing. Visit Fort Kochi and Mattancherry island, which consists of Jewish Synagogue, Mattancherry Palace also known as Dutch Palace, Famous Chinese Fishing nets, St. Francis church and local spices market followed by colorful performing art – Kathakali Dance. Return to the hotel and Overnight at Cochin.

## Day 03 Cochin – Munnar (120 kms / approx. 4 hr one-way)

After breakfast, drive to Munnar. Munnar is a tea plantation region and a renowned Hill station in the plantation highlands of Kerala offering guests an experience of misty climate and a relaxed stay around the tea plantations. Upon Arrival check-in and rest for the day. Overnight stay at Munnar.

## Day 04 Munnar

After breakfast explore local sightseeing Visit Eco Point and Flower Garden. Later, proceed towards Tea Museum (closed on Monday), which gives an insight to the history of tea plantations of this region. Later. Evening explore local market for shopping and Return to the hotel. Overnight in Munnar.

## Day 05 Munnar – Thekkady (100 kms / approx. 3 hrs)

After breakfast, drive to Thekkady (Periyar) Post check-in enjoy sightseeing tour of Periyar. Set high in the ranges of the Western Ghats in Kerala, is the Periyar National Park and Tiger Reserve. Periyar wildlife sanctuary has a picturesque lake at the heart of the sanctuary. Herds of playful wild elephants have made Periyar Lake their favorite haunt for frolicking in the water. They can be witnessed bathing and swimming here. Enjoy a boat ride on the lake to view the wildlife at close quarters and return to the hotel for an overnight stay in Thekkady.

## Day 06 Thekkady – Kumarakom (120 kms / approx. 3.5 hrs)

After breakfast proceed for a spice plantation tour. The aroma and pleasant ambiance of the spice and tea plantations of Periyar are fascinating. Spices found in Thekkady include pepper, clove, cardamom, nutmeg, ginger, turmeric, vanilla and curry leaves. Post that checkout and drive towards Kumarakom - a charming emerald peninsula jutting into the picturesque Vembanad Lake dotted with innumerable traditional country rafts, boats and canoes. The fresh water of the lake flows into the mainland, making a labyrinth of lagoons, canals and waterways. Upon arrival check-in and relax for the Day. Overnight at Kumarakom.

## Day 07 Day cruise in Alleppey backwaters (33 kms / approx. 1 Hours)

After relaxed breakfast, drive to Alleppey (Alappuzha) jetty, famous for its tranquil backwaters. Board a private houseboat and drift through lush green canals and paddy fields. Enjoy the lunch on the boat cruise and then disembark the boat and transfer back to Kumarakom hotel, Overnight at Kumarakom.

## Day 08 Kumarakom – Cochin Departure (60 kms / approx. 1.5 hrs)

After breakfast, you will be transferred to Cochin airport for return flight back home.

...TOUR ENDS...

## ACCOMMODATION OPTIONS

City	Nights	CATEGORY A	CATEGORY B	Meal Plan
Cochin	02	<a href="#">Kochi Marriot</a> – Deluxe	<a href="#">Radisson Blu</a> – Superior	Breakfast
Munnar	02	<a href="#">Blanket Hotel &amp; Spa</a> – Blanket Camelia	<a href="#">The Fog Munnar</a> – Premium Valley view	Breakfast
Thekkady	01	<a href="#">The Elephant Court</a> – Patio	<a href="#">Hotel Pepperville</a> – Deluxe	Breakfast
Kumarakom	02	<a href="#">Gokulam Grand Resort &amp; Spa</a> - Deluxe	<a href="#">Eastend Lakesong</a> - Ashtamudi	Breakfast

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**VALIDITY: 16 JAN 2027 TO 15 FEB 2027**

PACKAGE COST IN INR / USD	(CATEGORY A) (INR / USD)	(CATEGORY B) (INR / USD)
Cost on Single Occupancy - 1 Pax	INR 155200 / USD 1765	INR 133000 / USD 1515
Cost on Double Occupancy - 2 Pax	INR 163000 / USD 1855	INR 140000 / USD 1590

*\*USD to INR exchange rate is calculated as of 9 Feb 2026 and is subject to change at the time of booking due to fluctuations in the Rate of Exchange (ROE).*

*\* Above rates are subject to change in case of occupancy getting higher, or any exhibitions / events getting planned in the hotels.*

## PACKAGE INCLUSIONS:

- ✓ 07 nights' accommodation in well-appointed above hotels or equivalent
- ✓ All ground transportation and sightseeing strictly as per above itinerary and not at disposal by private tourist vehicle AC Innova Crysta (AC will be non-operational in hilly region)
- ✓ English Speaking Guide for sightseeing tours (1 Full Day Cochin + 1 full Day Munnar)
- ✓ Monument entry Fees strictly as per itinerary only.
- ✓ 1 Kathakali Show in Cochin,
- ✓ 1 Common Boat ride in Periyar Lake and Spice plantation tour in Thekkady
- ✓ 1 Day Cruise by Premium Houseboat in Alleppey Back waters for 4 hours with Lunch, tea/coffee.
- ✓ Assistance at the airport

## PACKAGE EXCLUSIONS:

- ✓ Air tickets and airport taxes
- ✓ Any meal other than specified above.
- ✓ Optional activities are subject to availability. Charges additional.
- ✓ Expenses of personal nature like laundry, phone calls, drinks, liquor, tips to guides / drivers etc.
- ✓ Camera / Video camera fees applicable at monuments
- ✓ Any increase in taxes or fuel, leading to increase in land arrangements, which may come into effect
- ✓ Any other costs NOT mentioned under "Includes" header

## IMPORTANT NOTES

- ✓ Rates are valid for foreign nationals only.
- ✓ Rooms & Rates are subject to availability at the time of booking:
- ✓ Hotel Check in 1400hrs and check out 1200hrs
- ✓ Rooms in Munnar and Thekkady will be Non-AC
- ✓ **Jewish Synagogue closed on Friday/Saturday/Jewish Holidays,**
- ✓ **Mattanchery Palace will be closed on Friday**
- ✓ **Eravikulam National Park will be closed in the month of February & March and Tata Tea Museum will be closed on Monday**
- ✓ In the event of circumstances/situations such as road blockage due to strike/agitation, natural calamities, sickness evacuation, delay/cancellation of train/flight etc. Also, due to monsoon rains and extreme weather patterns journey time can vary enormously at all times of year, which is beyond our control.
- ✓ **Please note that the rate in USD is subject to change at the time of booking due to fluctuations in the Rate of Exchange (ROE).**