SRI LANKA

The Tuk-Tuk Rally

Tea trails, temple towns and a little three-wheel freedom.



7 days · 6 nights | Road adventures

From Colombo’s lively streets to Sigiriya, Kandy and the misty tea hills, this is Sri Lanka with the windows open. Drive tuk-tuks through part of the route, meet local makers, board the scenic train to Ella and finish beside the lagoon in Negombo.

Departure: Enquire for the next departure

This is a sample itinerary summary. Your final quotation confirms dates, accommodation, services, current pricing and booking terms.

The journey, day by day

Route: Colombo → Sigiriya → Kandy → Nuwara Eliya → Ella → Negombo

Day 01 — Touchdown in Colombo

Arrive in Colombo. Depending on flight timing, explore the Dutch Hospital Precinct or Galle Face Green before dinner and an overnight city stay.

Day 02 — Handlooms & heritage

Visit Selyn Handloom in Kurunegala and Dambulla Cave Temple. Continue to Sigiriya for tuk-tuk handover and a safety briefing.

Day 03 — Rock fortresses & sacred lakes

Climb Sigiriya Rock Fortress, with Pidurangala as an optional alternative. Travel via Matale’s batik makers to Kandy for a cultural show and the Temple of the Tooth.

Day 04 — Into the tea hills

Drive deeper into the highlands. Visit Ambuluwawa Tower and continue to Nuwara Eliya for lake views, gardens and tea-country atmosphere.

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Day 05 — A train through the green

Return the tuk-tuks in Nanu Oya and board the scenic train to Ella through tea estates and mountain scenery. Enjoy Ella's cafés or a walk to Nine Arches Bridge.

Day 06 — Peaks, waterfalls & a lagoon sunset

Hike Little Adam's Peak. Travel via Diyaluma Falls, with an optional swim, and continue to Negombo for the night.

Day 07 — Farewell, island life

Transfer to the airport for the journey home, carrying a few more stories than you arrived with.

The practical things

Accommodation

6 nights' shared accommodation in city hotels and resorts. Specific properties are confirmed with your departure.

What's included

• Tuk-tuks for the guided driving segment, with handover and safety briefing

• 6 nights' shared accommodation

• Local guide throughout

• All meals as listed in the brochure

• Private car transfers

• Cultural and heritage visits per itinerary

• Scenic train from Nanu Oya to Ella

What's extra / to confirm

• International and domestic flights

• Optional hot-air-balloon experience

• Personal expenses and services outside the quotation

Good to know

• Tuk-tuk driving eligibility, permits and vehicle arrangements must be confirmed before booking.

• Includes driving, light to moderate hikes and optional swimming.

• Pidurangala and ballooning are optional; confirm any extra charges.

For current departures and a confirmed quotation, contact SoulSteps.