

SAMPLE JOURNEY TO

SRI LANKA

**GILTEDGE**









## WELCOME TO SRI LANKA

Endless beaches, timeless ruins, welcoming people, oodles of elephants, rolling surf, cheap prices, fun trains, famous tea and flavorful food make Sri Lanka irresistible.

Few places have as many Unesco World Heritage Sites (eight) packed into such a small area. Sri Lanka's 2000-plus years of culture can be discovered at ancient sites where legendary temples boast beautiful details even as they shelter in caves or perch on prominent peaks. More recent are colonial fortresses, from Galle to Trincomalee.

Across the island, that thing that goes bump in the night might be an elephant heading to a favorite waterhole. Safari tours of Sri Lanka's pleasantly relaxed national parks encounter leopards, water buffaloes, all manner of birds and a passel of primates.





GETTING THERE

DAY	FLIGHT	FROM	TO	DEP TIME	ARR TIME
Day 1	EK 764	Johannesburg	Dubai	19h10*	05h25
Day 2	EK 2210	Dubai	Maldives	09h10	14h30
	EK 652	Maldives	Sri Lanka	16h35	18h30
Day 6	EK 649	Sri Lanka	Dubai	03h15	06h00
	EK 763	Dubai	Joahnnesburg	09h55	16h15

\* Overnight flight

# ACCOMMODATION

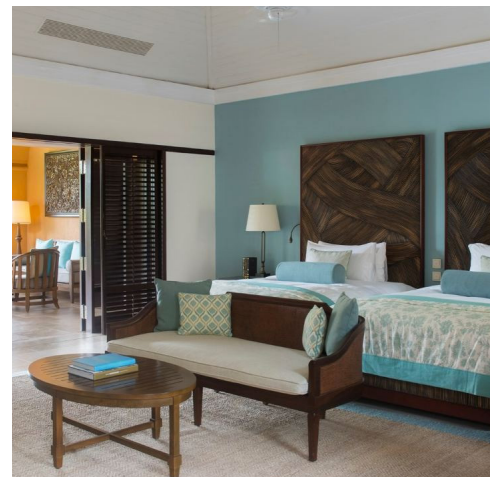


## CAPE WELIGAMA

### FEATURES

Where trade winds carried legendary explorers like Marco Polo, Ibn Battuta and Fa-Hsien past Sri Lanka's soaring southern cliffs on some of history's most celebrated nautical journeys, Cape Weligama has become the most celebrated resort along this fabled island's palm-fringed shores. Thirty minutes east of Galle, Cape Weligama inhabits 12 manicured acres atop a singular promontory rising 40 metres above the Indian Ocean.

Stunning panoramas await you, naturally complementing the 39 private retreats designed by one of Asia's most celebrated architects, Lek Bunnag. The hotel's dining venues capture Weligama's iconic sunsets, as does the 60-meter crescent-shaped infinity pool that appears to flow seamlessly into the shimmering sea, while those timeless breezes ensure elegant swells unfurl onto the sun-kissed sand.



# EXCURSIONS



## DAY 2

### *Visit to Koagala Lake by bicycle*

A great opportunity to see some of the inland areas of Sri Lanka, and get a feel for the Sri Lankan way of life and enjoy a chance to follow routes that would be difficult by car.



## DAY 3

### *Full day of activities at the lodge*

Swim and snorkel in the aquamarine bay beneath Cape Weligama. Explore neighbouring coves by kayak or learn to surf on Weligama's legendary curls.





## DAY 3

### *Journey in the region*

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## DAY 4

### *Tour of Fort Galle & Mirassa*

Galle is a jewel. A UNESCO World Heritage Site, this historic city is a delight to explore on foot, an endlessly exotic old trading port blessed with imposing Dutch-colonial buildings, ancient mosques and churches, grand mansions and museums.





# PROPOSED ITINERARY

DAY	MORNING	AFTERNOON	EVENING
DAY 1			<p>Guests to meet at OR Tambo International Airport, check-in at the Emirates Airlines counters.</p> <p>19h10: Departure of Emirates flight EK 764 from Johannesburg. This is an overnight flight. Full service flight with drinks and meals served on board.</p>
DAY 2	<p>05h25: Arrival of flight into Dubai, remain in transit for onward connecting flight.</p> <p>09h10: Departure of Emirates flight EK2210 from Dubai.</p>	<p>14h30: Arrival of flight into the Maldives. Remain in transit for onward connecting flight.</p> <p>16h35: Departure of Emirates flight EK 652 from the maldives.</p>	<p>18h30: Arrival at Colombo International Airport. Clear immigration, collect luggage and clear customs.</p> <p>Transfer to the hotel -2 <sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> hours.</p> <p>Arrival at the hotel with private check in. Butlers to facilitate.</p> <p>Drinks and dinner at the hotel.</p> <p>Overnight - Cape Weligama.</p>
DAY 3	<p>Breakfast at the hotel.</p> <p>Full day of activities at the lodge - water sports/surfing/fishing.</p>	<p>Lunch at the Hotel.</p> <p>Afternoon visit to Koagala Lake with bicycle use.</p>	<p>Dinner at the hotel.</p> <p>Overnight - Cape Weligama.</p>



DAY 4	Breakfast at the hotel.	Lunch at the Hotel.	Dinner at the hotel.
	Full day of activities at the lodge - water sports/surfing/fishing.	Afternoon to be enjoyed at leisure at the hotel.	Overnight - Cape Weligama.
DAY 5	Breakfast at the hotel.	Remainder of afternoon at leisure.	Dinner at the hotel.
	Morning tour to nearby Fort Galle and Mirassa with it's vibrant boat harbour.		Overnight - Cape Weligama.
	Time at leisure here prior to return to the hotel.		
DAY 6	03h15:Departure of Emirates flight EK 649 from Sri Lanka to Dubai.	16h15: Arrival of flight into Johanneburg.	
	06h00: Arrival into Dubai. Remain in transit.	Proceed through immigration, luggage collection and custom clearance.	
	09h55: Departure of Emirates flight EK 763 from Dubai. Full service flight with all meals, drinks and entertainment.		

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