

Earthbound Expeditions

Best of Sri Lanka and Nepal

15 days, from US$3,587 per person

Duration	Group size	Country
15 days	**15 people**	**Sri Lanka**

Best of Sri Lanka and Nepal Overview

Arrive in Kathmandu and depart from Sri Lanka, with a one-night transit in Delhi.

(Kathmandu in and Sr-Lanka Out, 1-night transit at Delhi)

TOUR DAYS: 15 DAYS / 14 NIGHTS

Kathmandu - Nagarkot - Pokhara - Chitwan - Kathmandu - Delhi - COLOMBO - KANDY - NUWARA ELIYA - YALA - HIKKADUWA - COLOMBO (Depart)

TOUR LODGING INFO

• 14 Nights Hotel
• Accommodation is provided on Twin Share Basis.
• Bed and Breakfast Basis, at listed hotels or equivalent.
• For Lunch and Dinner there would be an additional supplement.

Note:

- Check in at 1400 hours.
- Check out time at any hotel is 12.00 noon.
- Hotels are subject to availability at the time of booking.
- Early check-ins and late checkouts are subject to availability.

Itinerary

Day 1

Arrive in Kathmandu

• Arrive in Kathmandu. • You are met at the airport by an Earthbound Expeditions representative. • Check in to your hotel and rest for the day.

Altitude: 1,400 m On foot: None, arrival day Night: Hotel, Kathmandu Meals: None

Day 2

Kathmandu Valley sightseeing and drive to Nagarkot

• Breakfast. • Visit Patan and its Durbar Square. • In the afternoon, visit Pashupatinath and Boudhanath. • Drive up to Nagarkot (7,200 feet).

Altitude: 2,175 m On foot: Easy walking, 3–4 hrs Night: Hotel, Nagarkot Meals: Breakfast

Day 3

Sunrise at Nagarkot and drive to Chitwan National Park

• Watch the sunrise and the mountain views from Nagarkot. • Drive from Nagarkot to Chitwan National Park.

Altitude: 150 m On foot: None, 5–6 hr drive Night: Lodge, Chitwan Meals: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

Day 4

Chitwan National Park

Visit Chitwan National Park.

Altitude: 150 m On foot: Short walks Night: Lodge, Chitwan Meals: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

Day 5

Drive to Pokhara, 200 km west of Kathmandu

Drive to Pokhara, 200 km west of Kathmandu by car.

Altitude: 820 m On foot: None, 4–5 hr drive Night: Hotel, Pokhara Meals: Breakfast

Day 6

Sarangkot (6,500 feet) and return to Kathmandu

• Drive to Sarangkot (6,500 feet) for the sunrise and a close view of the Annapurna range and Fishtail (Machhapuchhre). • Drive back to Kathmandu, or fly for an extra USD 90. • In the evening, join the Earthbound Expeditions team for a Nepali cultural show and a farewell dinner.

Altitude: 1,400 m On foot: None, 6–7 hr drive Night: Hotel, Kathmandu Meals: Breakfast, Dinner

Day 7

Depart for Delhi (India)

Depart for Delhi.

Altitude: 1,400 m On foot: None, flight day Night: No overnight Meals: Breakfast

Day 8

Arrive in Colombo and transfer to Wattala

• Arrive at Bandaranaike International Airport, Katunayake. • You are met and assisted on arrival by an Earthbound Expeditions airport representative. • Transfer to Wattala. • Overnight at a hotel in Wattala.

Altitude: 5 m On foot: None, arrival day Night: Hotel, Wattala Meals: None

Day 9

Wattala to Kandy

• Breakfast. • Travel to Kandy. • Overnight at a hotel in Kandy.

Altitude: 500 m On foot: None, 3–4 hr drive Night: Hotel, Kandy Meals: Breakfast

Day 10

Kandy to Nuwara Eliya

• Travel to Nuwara Eliya. • Overnight at a hotel in Nuwara Eliya.

Altitude: 1,868 m On foot: None, 3–4 hr drive Night: Hotel, Nuwara Eliya Meals: Breakfast

Day 11

Nuwara Eliya to Yala

• Travel to Yala, also known as Ruhuna. • Overnight at a hotel in Yala.

Altitude: 20 m On foot: None, 5–6 hr drive Night: Hotel, Yala Meals: Breakfast

Day 12

Yala to Hikkaduwa

• Travel to Hikkaduwa. • Overnight at a hotel in Hikkaduwa.

Altitude: 5 m On foot: None, 3–4 hr drive Night: Hotel, Hikkaduwa Meals: Breakfast

Day 13

Hikkaduwa

• Free time at the beach. • Overnight at a hotel in Hikkaduwa.

Altitude: 5 m On foot: Optional 2–3 hrs Night: Hotel, Hikkaduwa Meals: Breakfast

Day 14

Hikkaduwa to Colombo

• Travel to Colombo. • Overnight at a hotel in Colombo.

Altitude: 5 m On foot: None, 2–3 hr drive Night: Hotel, Colombo Meals: Breakfast

Day 15

Departure from Colombo

Departure from Colombo.

Altitude: 5 m On foot: None, departure day Night: No overnight Meals: Breakfast

What's included

- Hotel accommodation as listed.
- Bed and breakfast basis (3 dinners and 2 lunches).
- Arrival transfers.
- Departure transfers.
- Transport in an air-conditioned van.
- English-speaking driver and guide.
- Entrance fees at the places listed in the programme (Pinnawela, Kandy Temple, Yala; not applicable in Kathmandu).
- All government taxes and service charges.
- Kathmandu to Delhi and Delhi to Colombo airfares.

Not included

- Lunches or dinners on tour.
- Alcoholic and non-alcoholic drinks at all hotels.
- Camera fees at sites.
- Gratuities.
- Personal expenses such as laundry and telephone calls.
- Any international or domestic airfares.
- Visa fees for Nepal, India and Sri Lanka.
- Tips and porter charges.

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