

SL Itinerary 3 - Wild Wonders - 4 nights

COLOMBO/GALLE → SINHARAJA → UDAWALAWE → YALA → BUNDALA →
KALAMETIYA → MIRISSA → GALLE/COLOMBO

This 5-day itinerary, takes a deep dive into Sri Lanka diverse ecological gems. From rainforest walks and lagoon boat trips to jungle safari's and whale watching expeditions, it's got it all!



D1: SINHARAJA - Pick up from Colombo or Galle and transfer (4 hrs. or 2 ½ hrs.) to rainforest lodge in Sinharaja.

Embark on **afternoon walk in the Sinharaja Rainforest**, a UNESCO World Heritage Site, where dense jungle trails reveal rare wildlife, vibrant birdlife, and lush tropical flora.

Return to rainforest lodge for dinner.

Overnight Sinharaja

D2: UDAWALAWE - Optional rainforest walk in the morning.

After breakfast, travel (2 hrs.) to **visit the Elephant Transit Home in Udawalawe for feeding time**. ETH is a sanctuary where orphaned baby elephants are rehabilitated with minimal human contact before being released into the wild. Watching them gather for their daily feeds is a heartwarming and memorable experience.

Embark on an exciting **afternoon safari in Udawalawe National Park (3-6 pm)**, to witness majestic elephants, playful wildlife, and vibrant birdlife against the backdrop of stunning open landscapes and the setting sun.

Overnight Udawalawe

D3: YALA - Optional morning safari at Udawalawe.

Check out close to mid-day and travel (2 hrs.) to **Yala National Park for an afternoon safari (3-6pm)**. Yala is famed for its diverse wildlife including a high density of leopards and crocodiles, together with elephants, sloth bears, and abundant birdlife.

Overnight Yala

D4: BUNDALA & KALAMETIYA - Early morning transfer (30 mins) to **Bundala National Park for a birdwatching safari (6-9am)**. Bundala is a birdwatcher's paradise where wetlands and lagoons host flamingos, pelicans, and countless migratory and endemic species.

Transfer (1 ½ hrs.) to the **Kalametiya Bird Sanctuary, for an afternoon boat ride**. Glide through tranquil lagoons and mangroves while spotting diverse birdlife, water monitors, and other wetland wildlife.

Transfer (1 hr.) to your accommodation in **Mirissa**, a lively south coast town famed for its golden beaches and turquoise waters. The area is also renowned for its rich marine life, with opportunities to spot whales and dolphins offshore.

Overnight Mirissa

D5: MIRISSA & FAREWELL: Set out early for a **morning whale-watching excursion off the coast of Mirissa (6-11am)**, where you can witness majestic blue whales, playful dolphins, and other marine life in their natural ocean habitat.

Return to your hotel to freshen up before transferring back to Galle or Colombo (1 hr. or 2 ½ hrs.)

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