

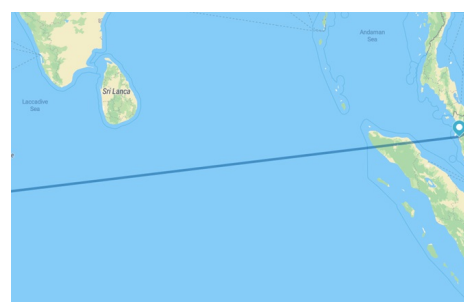


Malaysia and Indian Ocean Islands, 14 Days · Classic tour

## Mainland Malaysia and the Maldives

A fascinating journey through a country full of contrasts, from the cosmopolitan capital Kuala Lumpur to the fascinating tropical Penang, via places like Malacca, steeped in colonial history, the tea plantations of Cameron Highlands, the orangutan research centre of Bukit Merah and the nature reserve of Belum where nature takes centre stage

And after this urban paradise, what better than a true paradise on earth? Now is the time to travel to the Indian Ocean to relax in one of the most attractive destinations in recent years, the Maldives.



**Departure date:** Departures from August 2026 till March 2027

**From:** London, Birmingham, Manchester, Edinburgh, Glasgow

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### Travel details

#### ● DAY 1 · CITY OF ORIGIN - KUALA LUMPUR

Day 1: Departure with destination Kuala Lumpur. Night on board.

#### ● DAYS 2-3 · KUALA LUMPUR

Includes : Breakfast

Day 2: Arrival. Transfer to hotel. Accommodation.

Day 3: Breakfast. City tour. We'll pass by the Perdana Botanical Garden, also known as the Lake Gardens. We'll stop at the National Mosque and Independence Square. From there we will walk to Pasar Seni, the central market. We'll pass one of the first buildings in Kuala Lumpur, the Masjid Jamek, built where the Gombak and Klang rivers meet. We will arrive in Chinatown and go to Kampung Baru, an area where most houses are built following traditional architecture. The visit ends in the centre, where we can take photos of the Petronas Towers. Return to the hotel and rest of the day free. Accommodation.

#### ● DAY 4 · KUALA LUMPUR - MALACCA - KUALA LUMPUR

Includes : Breakfast - Lunch

Day 4: Breakfast. Morning departure for a full-day tour of Malacca, about 145 kilometres south of the city. The crossing takes about two and a half hours. In Malacca, we will see the ruins of the A Famosa fortress, the Dutch Square and cross the bridge across the river to reach the streets of the old part of Malacca. We'll enjoy a cruise on the river and admire buildings whose architecture draws on Dutch and British influences. We'll then visit the Baba Nyonya House Museum. Lunch included. Then we will see the Cheng Hoon Teng Temple, the oldest Chinese temple in Malaysia, and the Kampung Kling Mosque, the oldest mosque in Malacca. To end the tour, we'll make a stop at Bukit China, the largest Chinese graveyard outside of China. Return journey to Kuala Lumpur. Accommodation.

#### ● DAY 5 · KUALA LUMPUR - CAMERON HIGHLANDS

Includes : Breakfast

Day 5: Breakfast. Morning departure to Cameron Highlands. On the way, we'll stop at a local Orang Asli house. On arrival at Cameron Highlands, we'll see a tea plantation and check into the hotel. Accommodation.

#### ● DAY 6 · CAMERON HIGHLANDS - BELUM

Includes : Breakfast - Dinner

Day 6: Breakfast. We'll set off for the royal town of Kuala Kangsar, where we'll visit the Ubudiah Mosque. After the visit, we'll head to the island of the Butik Merah Orang Utan Foundation, the only orangutan research centre in Peninsular Malaysia. We'll arrive after a boat ride of about 20 minutes. This is a sanctuary for the breeding and conservation of these animals. From there we will continue to the Belum Jungle Reserve, near the Thai border. The journey takes about 3 hours. On arrival, check-in at the lodge. Dinner and overnight stay. Note: the visit to the orangutan centre will depend on the water levels of Lake Merah.

#### ● DAY 7 · BELUM - PENANG

Includes : Breakfast - Lunch

Day 7: Breakfast. Excursion to Belum to learn more about the fauna and flora of this reserve, one of the oldest jungles in Malaysia. Picnic lunch. Return to hotel. Departure by road to Penang Island. Arrival at hotel. Accommodation.

#### ● DAY 8 · PENANG

Includes : Breakfast

Day 8: Breakfast. Day spent exploring Penang. The visit includes: the Kek Lo Si Temple, the Thai Temple of the Reclining Buddha, the Burmese Temple, Fort Canning and Clan Jetty, Khoo Kongsi and Armenian Street. Return to the hotel and rest of the day free. Accommodation.

#### ● DAY 9 · PENANG - MALDIVES

Includes : Breakfast

Day 9: Breakfast. Transfer to the airport. Flight from Bayan Lepas to Maldives. Arrival and transfer from the airport to the selected hotel in Maldives. Free time. Overnight stay.

#### ● DAYS 10-12 · MALDIVES

Days 10-12: Free day. Overnight stay.

#### ● DAY 13 · MALDIVES - CITY OF ORIGIN

Day 13: At the scheduled time, transfer to the airport. Flight to City of origin destination. Night on board.

#### ● DAY 14 · CITY OF ORIGIN

Day 14: Arrival. End of the trip and our services.

## Your trip includes

### Your trip includes

- ✓ Return flight.
- ✓ Overnight stay in the listed hotels, or similar.
- ✓ Transfers according to the itinerary.
- ✓ Transport in vehicles appropriate to the size of the group.
- ✓ Regular tours mentioned in the itinerary, not stated as optional.
- ✓ English-speaking local guides, except for the transfer out of Penang, without a guide.
- ✓ Diet: 7 breakfasts, 2 lunches, 1 dinner.
- ✓ Flight from Bayan Lepas to Maldives.
- ✓ Transfer from the airport to the hotel in Maldives.
- ✓ Stay in selected hotel in Maldives.
- ✓ Selected meal plan in Maldives.
- ✓ Transfer from the hotel in Maldives to the airport.
- ✓ Insolvency protection.

### Your trip doesn't include

- ✗ Visa to enter in Maldives.
- ✗ Departure taxes in Maldives.
- ✗ Any other service not previously mentioned as included.

## Destinations Visited

Kuala Lumpur



Melaka



Cameron Highlandss



Belum



Penang



Maldives



## Important remarks

- Triple rooms in Malaysia are generally rooms with twin beds or a double, in which a folding bed is installed to accommodate the third person. Due to the inconvenience this causes, we advise against using this option as far

the possible.

- Please check with your international vaccination centre about the recommended healthcare measures in Malaysia.
- Malaysia is a Muslim country and the month of Ramadan is of major significance to its residents. During Ramadan, entertainment and alcohol will be restricted in most of the country. The sale of alcohol will be restricted in many places, although some establishments will offer alcohol for sale to tourists. During this period, local businesses may also have shorter opening hours.
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- Check-in time at the hotel on the day of arrival depends on each establishment, but in no case will it be before 3:00 p.m., unless otherwise indicated.
- The triple accommodation in Belum is based on a double and a single room.
- For walks in the jungle, we recommend comfortable footwear, a waterproof jacket, a hat, sunscreen and a small backpack.
- Visiting Orang Utan Island cannot be guaranteed due to the fluctuation of the water level of Lake Merah.
- The tea plantation and strawberry factory is closed on Mondays and holidays.
- As of 24 June 2025, the visit to Orang Utan Island will be suspended due to the water levels of Lake Merah. Until further notice, that visit will be replaced with the following: We will proceed to Kellie's Castle. We will visit the beautiful and intriguing Kek Lok Tong Cave Temple, located among huge limestone caves, which house several metal Buddhist and Taoist statues. We will see the Ipoh Railway Station, built in 1917, one of Malaysia's most iconic colonial landmarks. This station is not just a transit point but also a heritage attraction in itself. We will observe the Clock Tower, built in 1909, which remains a significant colonial-era monument in the heart of Ipoh. Finally, we will visit Concubine Lane. With an interesting history of over 120 years, this street in Ipoh is one of the most visited in the area, full of cafés, stalls, souvenir shops, and dessert houses.
- Depending on the return flight, the trip may be one day longer.
- The order of the itinerary may be altered for logistical reasons, without prior notice, but no scheduled trips will be cancelled (except in the case that adverse weather conditions prevent its realisation).
- A credit card is considered a guarantee, so sometimes you will need one for check-in at hotels.
- Prices are calculated based on admission fees to the sights as of the date of publication. If there is an increase in these prices, you will be promptly informed.
- If you are a person with reduced mobility, please contact us to confirm the suitability of the trip.
- Consult the necessary documentation to enter the destinations visited and for transit in the countries where air stopovers are made.