

# Munnar Photography & Sunrise Tour: Eravikulam National Park

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Destination  
**Kerala**



Duration  
**4 Nights 5 Days**



Starting from  
**Rs. 14,400 / person**

## ITINERARY ROUTE

➤ **Munnar · 4N**

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## Overview

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Discover the best of Munnar with this immersive 4 nights / 5 days Kerala tour package focused on photography and sunrise experiences. Ideal as a Kerala Family tour package or for photography enthusiasts, this itinerary blends early-morning golden-hour shoots, wildlife at Eravikulam National Park, and relaxed tea-estate walks. Perfect for families or small groups seeking a calm, scenic getaway.

### Highlights:

- Sunrise at Top Station – panoramic views over the Western Ghats
- Eravikulam National Park – Nilgiri tahr sightings and trekking
- Tea estate photography – rolling plantations and estate workers
- Mattupetty Dam & Echo Point – boating and natural acoustics
- Kundala Lake & Photo Shoots – misty mornings and reflections

This package is presented as a 4-night itinerary but also suits travellers looking for a 4 and 5-day Kerala Family tour package or a longer Kerala Family package with minor adjustments.

### ✓ What's Included

- ✓ Accommodation for 4 nights in Munnar (well-located, family-friendly hotel)
- ✓ Daily breakfast and 2 dinners (hotel) - customizable for families
- ✓ Transfers: Kochi to Munnar by private, air-conditioned vehicle
- ✓ Entrance fees to Eravikulam National Park (1 visit) and parking
- ✓ Guided sunrise visit to Top Station and local photography guidance
- ✓ Local English-speaking guide for selected activities
- ✓ Bottled water during transfers
- ✓ This Kerala Family Retreat package is designed for comfort, photography-friendly schedules, and family needs.

### ✗ Not Included

- ✗ Flights or train tickets to/from Kochi
- ✗ Lunches, additional dinners and personal expenses
- ✗ Any camera equipment rental (available on request at extra cost)
- ✗ Tips, insurance, and emergency medical expenses
- ✗ Optional activities like boating at Kundala or private village fees unless pre-booked
- ✗ Note: Peak-season supplements, park permit surcharges, or festival-related price changes are not included.

## Day-by-Day Itinerary

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Day

1

### **Arrival at Kochi and Transfer to Munnar — Sunset Photography at Tea Estates**

Arrive at Cochin International Airport or Ernakulam station and transfer to Munnar (approx. 4–5 hours by road). Check in to your hotel and relax. In the late afternoon, head to nearby tea estates for a relaxed sunset photography session—capture soft light on verdant terraces and tea-pickers at work. Carry a light rain jacket and spare batteries.

Day

2

### **Eravikulam National Park — Wildlife & Scenic Trails**

Early morning visit to Eravikulam National Park to catch the cool mountain air and search for the Nilgiri tahr. Enjoy short treks along marked trails and photograph the unique high-altitude flora. Afternoon at leisure — optional visit to the Tea Museum or local markets for souvenirs. Park entry is limited; book permits early during peak season.

Day

3

### **Top Station Sunrise and Kundala Lake — Panoramic Views**

Depart before dawn for Top Station to photograph a spectacular sunrise over the Western Ghats — a must-do for any photography-focused Kerala tour package. Continue to Kundala Lake for reflections and misty shots; optional pedal boating. Spend the late afternoon visiting Mattupetty Dam and Echo Point for wide-angle landscape and candid family shots. Best lens recommendations: 24–70mm and a telephoto 70–200mm.

Day

4

### **Tea Estate Walks, Local Villages & Sunset at a Scenic Viewpoint**

Enjoy a guided walk through tea plantations to learn about tea processing and capture intimate lifestyle photographs of estate workers. Visit a nearby village to experience local Kerala culture and traditional architecture. Conclude the day at a scenic viewpoint for another sunset session or golden-hour portraits. Respect local privacy when photographing people; always ask permission.

Day

5

### **Leisure Morning and Departure to Kochi**

Relax with a leisurely morning—choose a final short shoot in the hotel gardens or a nearby viewpoint. Check out and transfer back to Kochi for onward journey. Drop-off at Cochin International Airport or Ernakulam station. If your flight is late, consider a short stop at a spice garden on the way back.

## Frequently Asked Questions

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## ❓ **What are the top tourist destinations in Kerala?**

Kerala offers stunning tourist destinations like Munnar's tea plantations, Alleppey's backwaters, Kochi's vibrant culture, and Wayanad's lush hills. Don't miss the stunning beaches of Varkala and Kovalam, as well as the tranquil landscapes of Thekkady and Kumarakom. Each offers unique experiences for every traveler.

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## ❓ **What is the best time to visit Kerala?**

The best time to visit Kerala is from October to March. During these months, the weather is pleasantly cool and dry, making it ideal for exploring the lush backwaters, hill stations, and vibrant culture. Remember to experience the festivals and local events that take place during this peak tourist season!

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## ❓ **How can I travel around Kerala?**

Traveling around Kerala is easy thanks to its extensive transport options. You can use private taxis, auto-rickshaws, and public buses. For scenic routes, consider hiring a houseboat, especially in the backwaters of Alleppey. Trains and domestic flights connect major cities, making exploration seamless.

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## ❓ **What are the famous cuisines to try in Kerala?**

Kerala is renowned for its delicious cuisine, featuring dishes like Sambar, Appam, and Puttu. Don't miss the spicy Kerala fish curry and the delectable dosa. For a unique experience, try traditional Sadya, a vegetarian feast served on a banana leaf, highlighting the region's rich flavors and diverse culinary traditions.

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## ❓ **What activities can I enjoy in Kerala's backwaters?**

In Kerala's backwaters, you can enjoy serene houseboat cruises, kayaking through lush mangroves, and bird watching. Experience local cuisine on board, visit traditional villages, and partake in unique cultural performances. Don't miss the opportunity for peaceful sunsets and picturesque landscapes!

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## ❓ **Is Kerala suitable for family vacations?**

Yes, Kerala is ideal for family vacations! With its serene backwaters, lush hill stations, wildlife sanctuaries, and beautiful beaches, it offers a variety of activities for all ages. Families can enjoy houseboat rides, explore spice plantations, and visit cultural sites, making it a memorable destination.

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## ? What are the important festivals celebrated in Kerala?

Kerala is home to vibrant festivals like Onam, celebrated with colorful festivities and the traditional feast; Vishu, marking the New Year with family gatherings; and Thrissur Pooram, showcasing grand temple processions and spectacular fireworks. These events reflect the rich culture and heritage, making Kerala a unique tourist destination.

## ★ Traveller Reviews



**Aditi Rao**

★★★★★ 5/5

### Everlasting Impressions of Kerala

From the stunning scenery to rich traditions, this tour made lasting impressions. I can't help but reminisce about the experiences. Highly recommend!



**Kunal Kaur**

★★★★★ 5/5

### A Well-Rounded Experience

This Kerala tour provided a perfect blend of relaxation and activities. We got to unwind in the backwaters and explore beautiful hill stations. A great balance!



**Vani Dubey**

★★★★★ 5/5

### Heavenly Kerala Escape

Kerala felt like heaven on earth! The combination of nature, culture, and warm hospitality made it a trip to remember. I left a piece of my heart there!



**Kiran Menon**

★★★★☆ 4/5

### An Immersive Eco-Tour

The eco-tour experience was unique and educational. We learned about sustainable practices while enjoying the nature-rich surroundings. Very well organized!



**Rajesh Iyer**

★★★★★ 5/5

### Charming Village Tours

Exploring local villages was a highlight. Interacting with locals and understanding their lifestyle was eye-opening. Very enriching experience!

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