

Itinerary Details

Essence of Indonesia - Winter 2026

8Nights 9Days





Day 1 : Welcome to Yogyakarta - Indonesia's cultural capital. Experience Ramayana Ballet.

Welcome to Yogyakarta, the cultural capital of Indonesia, renowned for its rich heritage, royal traditions, and vibrant arts scene. Upon arrival meet your friendly Travel Professional outside the baggage hall and proceed to our hotel. (Check-in after 1500 hrs.).

In the evening, witness the spectacular Ramayana Ballet Performance, a captivating retelling of the legendary epic of Rama and Shinta. Set against a stunning backdrop, the performance beautifully combines traditional Javanese dance, dramatic storytelling, and enchanting live gamelan music, offering an unforgettable introduction to Indonesia's rich cultural heritage.

Overnight in Yogyakarta.

Dinner

Day 2 : Visit Yogyakarta Heritage Temples. Embark on a Merapi Lava Jeep Adventure.

Explore the magnificent UNESCO listed temples of Yogyakarta, beginning with Mendut Temple, Pawon Temple, and Borobudur Temple — the largest Buddhist temple in the world. These remarkable monuments are aligned along a perfectly straight 3-kilometre east-west axis in the scenic Kedu Valley of Central Java, reflecting the region's rich spiritual and architectural heritage.

Later, witness the raw beauty and power of Mount Merapi, one of Indonesia's most active volcanoes, with an exhilarating 4X4 Merapi Lava Jeep Adventure. Traverse volcanic landscapes, explore the remnants of past eruptions, and experience the dramatic natural surroundings of this iconic destination.

Overnight in Yogyakarta.

Breakfast,Lunch,Dinner

Day 3 : Experience Yogyakarta's Cultural Treasures & Ancient Temples.

Begin your day with a visit to Kraton Yogyakarta (Sultan's Palace), a magnificent 18th-century royal complex that serves as the official residence of the Sultan. Explore its elegant courtyards, historic architecture, and cultural treasures that offer a glimpse into the royal heritage of Yogyakarta.

Continue to Taman Sari Water Castle, a former royal garden and bathing complex built in the 18th century. Discover its fascinating tranquil pools, and unique architectural features that reflect the grandeur of the royal era. Later in the evening, visit the spectacular Prambanan Temple, another UNESCO World Heritage Site and one of Indonesia's most remarkable Hindu temple complexes.

Overnight in Yogyakarta.

Breakfast,Lunch,Dinner

Day 4 : Explore Yogyakarta Heritage.

Discover the rich cultural heritage of Yogyakarta with a visit to Kotagede Heritage Village, renowned for its traditional Kalang houses, historic Mataram architecture, and centuries-old craftsmanship. Stroll through this charming neighbourhood and experience the unique blend of history, culture, and local traditions. Continue your cultural journey with a hands-on Batik-making experience, where you will create your own design on cotton fabric.

Later, enjoy leisure time at the lively Malioboro Street, one of Yogyakarta's most iconic shopping destinations, where you can browse for beautiful batik textiles, local handicrafts, souvenirs, and sample delicious Indonesian street snacks.

Overnight in Yogyakarta.

Breakfast,Lunch,Dinner

Day 5 : Onto Bali - Welcome to the Island of Gods.



Enjoy some leisure time in Yogyakarta before transferring to the airport for your flight to Bali. Renowned for its breathtaking landscapes, lush tropical forests, emerald rice terraces, volcanic mountains, pristine beaches, and vibrant Hindu culture, Bali offers a perfect blend of natural beauty and spiritual charm.

Upon arrival, get transferred to your conveniently located hotel (Check-in after 1500 hrs.). Rest of the day is at leisure to relax and unwind at the hotel or explore the surroundings at your own pace.

Overnight in Bali.

Breakfast,Lunch,Dinner

Day 6 : Visit Bali's Coastal Wonders: Turtle Island & Uluwatu Temple. Enjoy The Kecak Fire Dance.

Begin your day with a scenic Glass Bottom Boat Ride to Turtle Island, where you can observe marine life through the crystal-clear waters and enjoy the beauty of Bali's coastal surroundings.

Continue your journey to the iconic Uluwatu Temple, dramatically perched on a limestone cliff overlooking the magnificent Indian Ocean. This ancient sea temple offers breathtaking panoramic views and is one of Bali's most spectacular cultural landmarks.

As the sun sets, witness the mesmerizing Kecak & Fire Dance Performance, a traditional Balinese spectacle that narrates the legendary tale of the Ramayana through rhythmic chanting, dramatic expressions, and captivating choreography, set against the stunning backdrop of the ocean sunset.

Overnight in Bali.

Note: For safety reasons, water activities are not permitted for children below 6 years of age and guests above 60 years of age

Breakfast,Lunch,Dinner

Day 7 : Discover Kintamani Wonders & The Cultural Charms of Ubud.

Begin your day with a visit to the scenic Kintamani Highlands, where you can enjoy breathtaking panoramic views of Mount Batur and Lake Batur from the viewing point. Experience the natural beauty of Bali's volcanic landscape while admiring one of the island's most iconic destinations.

Later, explore the artistic charm of Ubud Village, the cultural heart of Bali, renowned for its traditional arts, wood carving, painting, and vibrant local heritage.

Visit the fascinating Sacred Monkey Forest Sanctuary, home to hundreds of long-tailed macaques and ancient temple ruins nestled within a lush tropical forest.

Overnight in Bali.

Breakfast,Lunch,Dinner

Day 8 : Visit the beautiful Bedugul Highlands & the Tanah Lot Temple.

Embark on a scenic journey to the beautiful Bedugul Highlands, a picturesque region of Bali known for its cool climate, lush landscapes, and serene mountain surroundings. Visit the vibrant Candi Kuning Traditional Market, where you can explore a variety of fresh local produce, flowers, spices, and regional specialties.

Continue to the stunning Ulun Danu Beratan Temple, a magnificent water temple gracefully located on the shores of Lake Beratan. Surrounded by misty mountains and tranquil waters, this iconic temple offers a perfect blend of natural beauty and Balinese spiritual heritage.

Later, proceed to the legendary Tanah Lot Temple, one of Bali's most photographed landmarks. Perched on a rocky offshore formation and surrounded by the Indian Ocean, this iconic sea temple provides a spectacular setting, making it a memorable highlight of your Bali experience.

Overnight in Bali.

Day 9 : Depart and fly back home.

Your Holiday ends, today it's time to fly back home. Check out and depart for the airport for the flight home.

Breakfast

Highlights

- Comprehensive and seamlessly all-inclusive tour at an honest price.
- Explore the cultural wonders of Yogyakarta and the tropical paradise of Bali.
- Visit Borobudur & Prambanan – UNESCO World Heritage Sites.
- Witness the spectacular Ramayana Ballet performance.
- Experience an exhilarating 4X4 Merapi Lava Jeep Adventure.
- Discover the Sultan's Palace, Taman Sari Water Castle & Kotagede Heritage Village.
- Enjoy a hands-on Batik-Making Experience.
- Shop for local handicrafts and souvenirs at Malioboro Street.
- Cruise on a Glass Bottom Boat to Turtle Hatchery Island.
- Visit the iconic cliff-top Uluwatu Temple.
- Witness the mesmerizing Kecak & Fire Dance at sunset.
- Enjoy panoramic views of Mount & Lake Batur from Kintamani Highlands.
- Discover the cultural charm of Ubud, including the Sacred Monkey Forest Sanctuary.
- Visit the scenic Ulun Danu Beratan Temple and the iconic Tanah Lot Sea Temple.
- Service of multilingual & knowledgeable tour manager who will accompany you on the tour.