

#### PUERTO PRINCESA | EL NIDO | CORON | CEBU

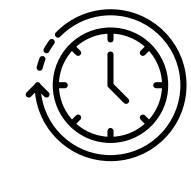


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### **OVERVIEW**









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#### DATES

23Feb - 04Mar 30Mar - 08Apr 23Apr - 02May **DURATION** 

10 Days

MEAL

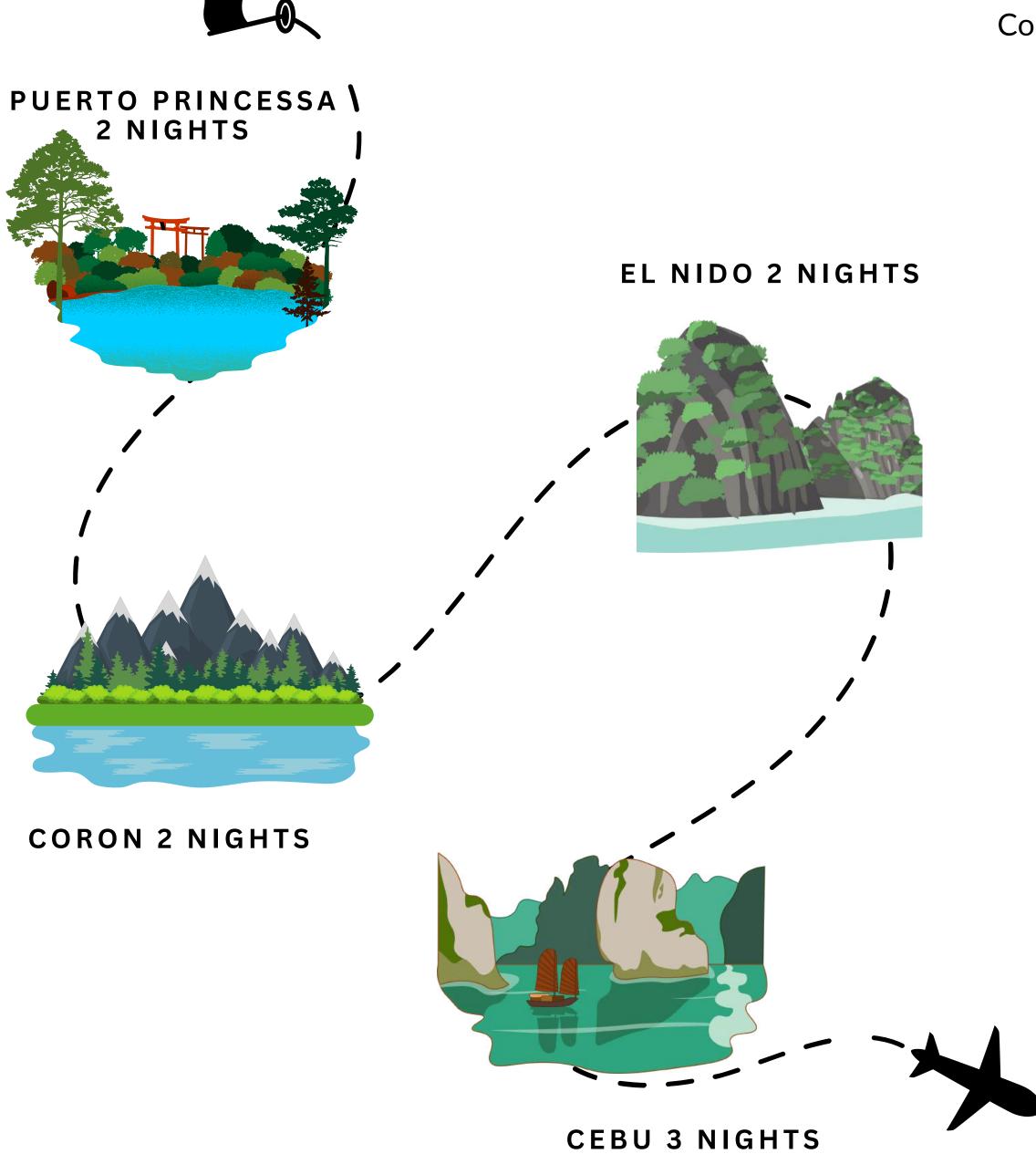
9 Breakfasts 4 Lunches

**GROUP SIZE** 

12 To 15 Strangers

#### ACCOMMODATION

3/4 Star Hotels in **Peurto Princesa and** Cebu Super Cool Hostel Dorms in El Nido and Coron





# TRIP HIGHLIGHTS

UNDERGROUND RIVER TOUR ISLAND HOPPING AT EL NIDO KAYAKING ZIPLINING SUNSET BEACH LOUNGES KAYANGAN LAKE BARRACUDA LAKE TWIN LAGOON SNORKELING SHIPWRECK DIVE CANYONEERING CLIFF JUMPING SARDINE RUN

#### KAWASAN FALLS SWIMMING WITH THE WHALE SHARK

This trip is for the wanderers who have the soul of a backpacker, love traveling like a local, enjoy exploring hidden gems beyond tourist hotspots, thrive on immersing in local cultures, are excited to meet and connect with new friends, crave trying authentic local cuisines, seek thrilling adventures, and want to experience vibrant nightlife

# **PUERTO PRINCESA**

#### BEACH BUMMING | UNDERGROUND RIVER

#### DAY 1 PUERTO PRINCESA!

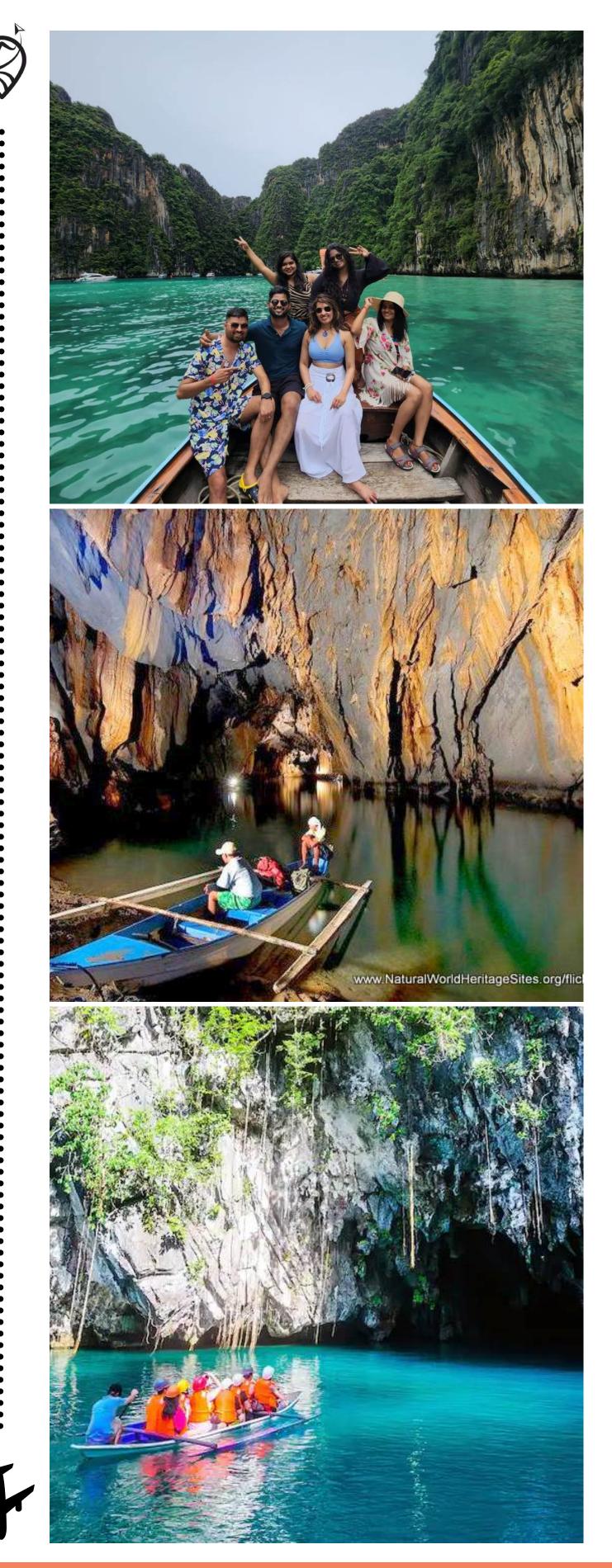
Kamusta, Philippines fam! Once you land in Puerto Princesa, check in the hotel for two nights.

Puerto Princesa, Palawan is straight-up paradise! Think pristine beaches, lush jungles, and the mind-blowing underground river. Perfect for catching some epic vibes and snapping fire pics.

Evening will be at leisure for you to get some rest.

#### What's Covered?

Meet & Greet + Exploring



#### DAY 2 UNDERGROUND RIVER TOUR

Ready for an epic adventure? Picture this: cruising through the world's biggest underground river also a UNESCO World Heritage Site! You'll hop on a boat and cruise through a jaw-dropping cave system with stunning rock formations and crystalclear waters. The tour guides are super fun and knowledgeable, sharing cool facts and stories about the cave's history and geology It's like stepping into another world—totally magical and unforgettable!

#### What's Covered?

Breakfast + Local Lunch + Underground river tour



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#### BEACH BUMMING | UNDERGROUND RIVER

#### DAY 3 PUERTO PRINCESA TO EL NIDO

Today's Agenda: We check out and catch a shuttle to El Nido. Once we touch down, check in at your chill, quirky hostel. Then, as the sun dips down, we're hitting up one of those hidden beach lounges for unreal sunsets, upbeat music, and vibes that are straight-up magical. Oh, and did I mention they've got happy hour? Let's make tonight legendary!

#### What's Covered?

Breakfast + Transfer to El Nido by shuttle + Exploring Beach Lounges





#### DAY 4 EL NIDO ISLAND HOPPING

Gear up for an epic island hopping adventure with this lit boat tour hitting up the most insta-worthy spots in El Nido! We will be visiting lagoons, islands, coves and also have a beach picnic lunch.

Go kayaking through the lagoons and dive into the underwater wonderland with the snorkeling gear available. But wait, there's more! Get your groove on with music, keeping the party vibes alive. For those looking to unwind with a drink, beverages and drinking water will be available on board (at additional cost)

What's Covered?

Breakfast + Local Picnic Lunch + Island Hopping + Snorkeling + Kayaking + Music



CORON

#### LAKES | ISLANDS | UNDERWATER LIFE | SNORKELING | SWIMMING

#### DAY 5 EL NIDO TO CORON

It's time to bid farewell to El Nido as we hop aboard the ferry to Coron Island. When you arrive, get ready to check into this ultra-cool hostel with a killer rooftop lounge boasting stunning sea views. Picture yourself sipping your drink during happy hour as the sun sets in the background, with an upbeat music setting the vibe. It's like being whisked away to one of the Greek islands! And don't miss out on the nightly events hosted by the hostel – the perfect opportunity to mingle with fellow backpackers from all over the world!

#### What's Covered?

Breakfast + Transfer to Coron by Ferry + Rooftop Lounge



#### DAY 6 CORON ULTIMATE TOUR

Get ready to vibe with the best of Coron on this lit island-hopping tour! Dive into the crystal-clear waters of Kayangan Lake, vibe with the marine life at Barracuda Lake, and soak in the epic scenery at Twin Lagoon. Snorkel with the fishes at Skeleton Wreck and Coral Garden, then paddle out on a kayak (at additional cost) for some chill vibes. Swim, snorkel, and soak up the sun—it's all about those island adventures!

#### What's Covered?

Breakfast + Lunch + Island/Lake Hopping + Snorkeling at Ship wreck



CANYONEERING | CLIFF JUMPING | WHALE SHARK SWIMMING | SARDINE RUN

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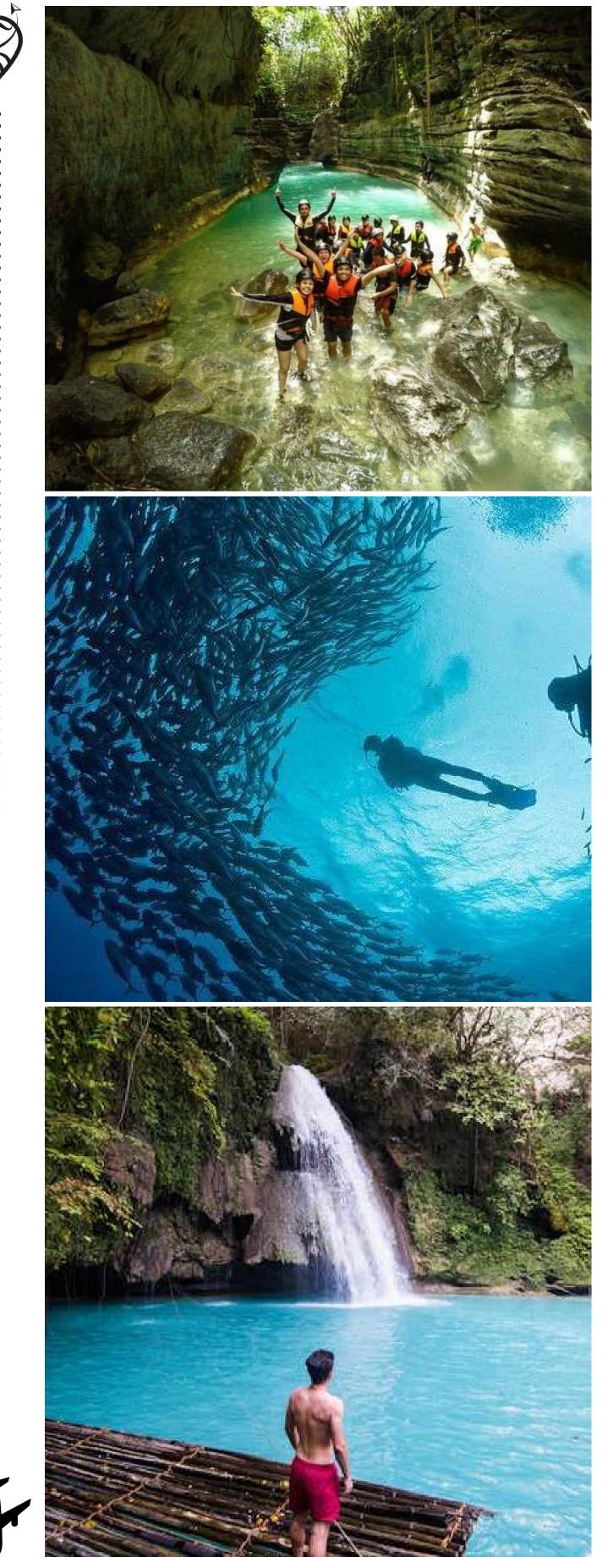
#### DAY 7 CORON TO CEBU

Today board your flight to Cebu. Check into the hotel for a three-night stay, then get ready to hit the town for some nightlife vibes.

But hey, don't stay out too late—we've got an epic early morning adventure lined up for tomorrow!

What's Covered? Breakfast + Flight to Cebu + Airport transfer

#### DAY 8 CANYONEERING + SARDINE RUN



Today, we head for an epic Marine experience that is a Sardine Run where you swim with literally millions of sardines perfect for an insane footage for your socials.

Later we head for Canyoneering at Kawasan Falls! Non-stop action in a tropical jungle with unreal 'Gatorade Blue' water through a canyon. Jump off cliffs, swing from the ropes into the water, slide down rocks, and swim in stunning blue pools. If you're into nature and heart-pounding adventure, this is where you wanna be!

#### What's Covered?

Breakfast + Lunch + Sardine Run + Canyoneering at Kawasan Falls



### CANYONEERING | CLIFF JUMPING | WHALE SHARK SWIMMING | SARDINE RUN

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#### DAY 9 OPTIONAL SWIMMING WITH WHALES SHARKS

Swimming with whale sharks in Oslob, Philippines, is a surreal experience where you get to swim with these gentle giants up close. But heads up, while it's an epic adventure, the increased tourism is impacting their natural behavior and habitat. This is an optional tour at an additional cost.

#### What's Covered?

Breakfast + Day at leisure/Optional Activities

#### **DAY 10**

#### DAY OF DEPARTURE

Today, time to say good bye to this Filipino Adventure and to everyone as our trip comes to an end until we meet again. Pinkie promise to stay in touch and meet up for our next lit adventure in a new country. See you soon! Paalam, Kita Kits!!

#### What's Covered?

Breakfast





## HOW WE STAY?





\*Images are for reference only; accommodations may vary based on availability but will be of equivalent quality.



### INCLUSIONS

#### Accommodation:



- 5 nights at 3/4 star hotels on a twin sharing basis
- 4 nights at super cool hostel dorms (mixed)

#### Meals



• 4 lunches (Local cuisine)

#### Transfers



- Puerto Princesa to El Nido by shuttle bus
- El Nido to Coron by ferry
- Ferry terminal to Coron hostel by Tuk Tuk
- Coron Hostel to Coron Busuanga



#### Airfares:

We can either book flights for you or guide you with flight bookings.

EXCLUSIONS

#### Visas:

Philippines has an E-visa or you can apply for a Singapore E-visa and get a Philippines visa on arrival.



#### Meals:

Any meals not mentioned in "inclusion section" (We would like you to explore the local cuisine and if you are a vegetarian not to worry we suggest options for you.)

- Airport by shuttle
- Coron to Cebu by flight (10 kg +7 kg baggage allowance)
- Cebu Airport to Hotel

#### Activities



- El Nido Island Hopping with Snorkeling, Kayaking, games and music on board.
- Coron Island and Lake Hopping Tour -Kayangan Lake, Barracuda Lake, Twin lagoon, Snorkeling at Skeleton Wreck and Coral Garden etc.
- Canyoneering in Moalboal Cliff Jumping, Swinging from ropes, Swimming in blue pools, etc.
- Snorkeling Sardine Run Experience in Moalboal
- Kawasan Falls
- Nightlife



Airport Transfers: Pick up at PPS airport and drop off at Cebu airport (at additional cost based on your flight timings)



**Tax:** 5% TCS (Refundable as per ITR.) + 5% GST

Personal Expenses and Anything not specifically mentioned under "inclusions"

\*\*Please Note: All the activities mentioned in the itinerary are subject to weather conditions and sea tides.

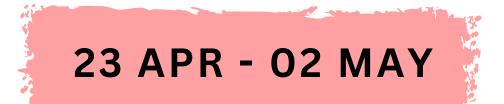






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If booked by 19 Mar: After 19 Mar:

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### HOW DO I BLOCK MY SPOT?

- To confirm the booking a deposit of INR 12,000 per person will be required
- At the time of making the booking, please <u>Click</u> <u>here to fill up BOOKING FORM</u>
- Balance payment is to be made 30 days before departure

#### For any queries Whatsapp us HERE



# WHAT OUR TRIBE HAS TO SAY..



#### Ashutosh Niraj

Local Guide • 140 reviews • 502 photos

★★★★★ 5 weeks ago

Itenerary is well planned. TripNTales tried to do best tradeoff between experience on transit modes and cutting down on transit times. The stay location are well thought off. Guide Arnav leads the way and ensured that itenerary cancellation were backed up with an alternate plan. Overall good experience. When you are on the Phillipns beaches, the surreal landscape calms you, so need not worry about the operator before arriving here.

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Ashish Nathella

2 reviews · 0 photos

★★★★★ 4 weeks ago NEW

Went on a 10 day trip to Phillipines with Trips N Tales. It was an amazing experience. The itinerary was comfortably arranged. Our guide Arnav was friendly and helpful to address sudden changes in our plans as unpredictable weather conditions resulted in us missing a few activities.



#### ★★★★★ 5 weeks ago

Had an amazing 10 days with Trip n Tales team at Philippine's. Philippine's is a destination

All accommodations including the hostel stays have been well thought of booked. We get to interact and meet with people from different countries (which may not be possible on hotel stays) and this experience is quiet surreal.

Overall I had a great time in Philippine's with Trip n Tales. As Philippine's is still a developing country pls don't expect Thailand kinda vibes. Unlike Thailand, Philippine's has a calming effect on you in it's own way and if you are able to adjust and accommodate you will have a great time here.

Thanks at Trip n Tales team.

#### <u>Check out our past trip highlight</u> <u>Here</u>

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#### What will be the arrival and departure?

The arrival is at Puerto Princesa airport and departure is from Cebu airport.

#### What's the additional expense that I would incur?

Personal expenses vary from each individual.

The common additional expense that you may incur is:

- International flights: INR 50k 60k
- Meals: INR 10k 12k
- Airport Transfers: INR 2000 2800
- Swimming with whale sharks: INR 4-7k

#### Will I get vegetarian food easily?

Vegetarian food is available in Philippines. Our trip buddy will also recommend places with good vegetarian options. During activities too you will get vegetarian meal, although options may be limited.

#### What about Visa?

You can apply for a Singapore Evisa. It will cost about 4k INR. And it takes 2 to 5 working days to process. You can then get a Philippines visa on arrival for free. If you have a valid visa of USA/Canada/Japan/Australia/Schengen/Singapore/UK, you don't need a visa to enter Philippines.

#### Which flights should I consider to book?

- Arrival: You can book your flights from your city of departure to Puerto Princesa, You can also book flights to Manila and a separate internal flight to Puerto Princesa if that works out better.
- Departure: Cebu to your city.
- For more details on flights, get in touch with our team and we will give recommendations!

#### Can I travel solo? With whom would I have to share the room with?

Absolutely! We welcome many solo travelers who join us and become a family! You'll share a room on a twin-sharing basis with someone of the same gender or in a mixed dorm.

#### Am I eligible for this trip?

If you're aged 20 to 39, with the spirit of a backpacker and the curiosity of an explorer, eager to connect with like-minded adventurers, then this trip is perfect for you!

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2) GOOGLE PAY:9284497284 TRAVELDIARIESPUNE-1@OKICICI

# PAYMENT POLICY

Booking Confirmation:

- A non-refundable deposit of INR 12,000/- is required to confirm your booking.
- The balance must be paid as per the payment schedule provided prior to the trip date.

Payment Deadlines:

- Full payment must be completed no later than 30 days before the departure date.
- Failure to pay the balance by the due date may result in the cancellation of your booking, and the deposit will be forfeited.

Payment Methods:

- Payments can be made via NEFT bank transfer or UPI transfer only.
- Payments must be made in the Indian Rupees(INR) only.
- Trips N Tales is not responsible for any additional fees charged by your bank.





# CANCELLATION POLICY

#### **Cancellation by Travelers:**

- More than 45 Days Before Departure: The deposit secures your spot and cannot be reclaimed.
- 45 21 Days Before Departure: 75% of the trip cost will be retained as a cancellation fee.
- Within 20 Days of Departure: 100% of the trip cost will be retained as a cancellation fee

#### Cancellation by us:

Trips N Tales reserves the right to cancel a trip at any time if traveler safety or trip quality is compromised.

In such cases, a full refund of all payments made to Trips N Tales will be provided as the sole settlement.
Trips N Tales is not responsible for any additional losses related to travel arrangements or airfare due to trip cancellations.

Refunds:

- Refunds are not applicable once the trip has started.
- Refunds, if applicable, may take 5-6 weeks to process.
- No refund will be issued for cancellations made less than 30 days before departure or after the trip has commenced.



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