

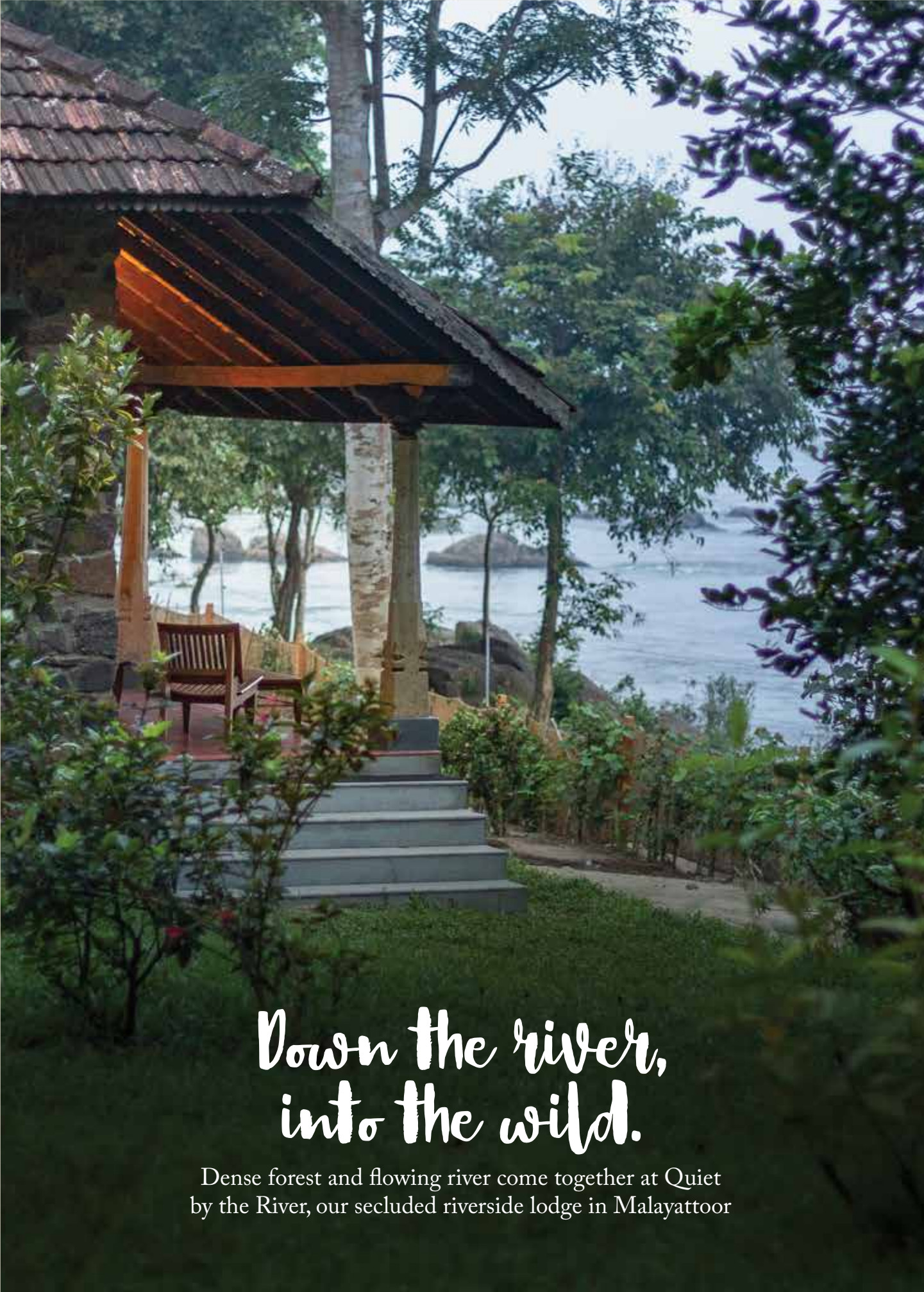
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# Quiet

by the river

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Down the river,  
into the wild.

Dense forest and flowing river come together at Quiet by the River, our secluded riverside lodge in Malayattoor



# MALAYATTOOR – WHERE THE MOUNTAIN MEETS THE RIVER PERIYAR.

Downstream of the Bhoothathankettu Dam, the Periyar River splits forming 8 to 10 islands. Quiet by the River is located on one of the larger islands, surrounded by the verdant canvas of the Malayattoor forest range. The name 'Malayattoor' is an amalgamation of three words – Mala (Mountain), Arr (River) and Oore (Place). So Malayattoor is a meeting place of mountain, river and land. With a wide variety of flora and fauna, the lodge offers the opportunity to spot rare species of birds and animals amidst the evergreen and semi-evergreen forests of the mountain reserve.



Temperatures: 27°C to 34°C

Coordinates: 10.16°N 76.61°E

- Periyar - literally meaning 'big river' - is the longest river in Kerala (244 km)





## OFF THE BEATEN TRACK.

Quiet by the River is less than an hour's drive from the Cochin International Airport.

Your exploration begins at the last stretch, with a 30-minute ride in a 4x4 vehicle down a narrow, rugged road through the forest, to an embarkation point for a short ride across the river in a country canoe, to reach the lodge.

However, do keep in mind that the forest reserve gates close at 5 PM and open at 6 AM in order to preserve the habitat of the animals and birds in the forest.





## A RIVERSIDE LODGE ON AN ISLAND OF CALM.

With the gurgling waters of the Periyar River on both sides, life here offers opportunities to explore the surrounding wilderness and its flora and fauna, as well as time to relax and enjoy the river.

Let our naturalist help you discover the secrets of the forest - from over 100 varieties of birds to dozens of other creatures big and small. In fact, if you're lucky, you may even spot a herd of elephants.

Settle into front-row seats to the spectacle of nature; with thrilling visuals, surrounded by the sounds of the forest - it is nature at its untamed best. Whether you are a river lover, a nature enthusiast or a serious birdwatcher, Quiet by the River is the ideal riverside setting for you.

Quiet by the River has four lodges, right on the banks of the river, that offer exquisite views of the gushing streams and the lush forest.

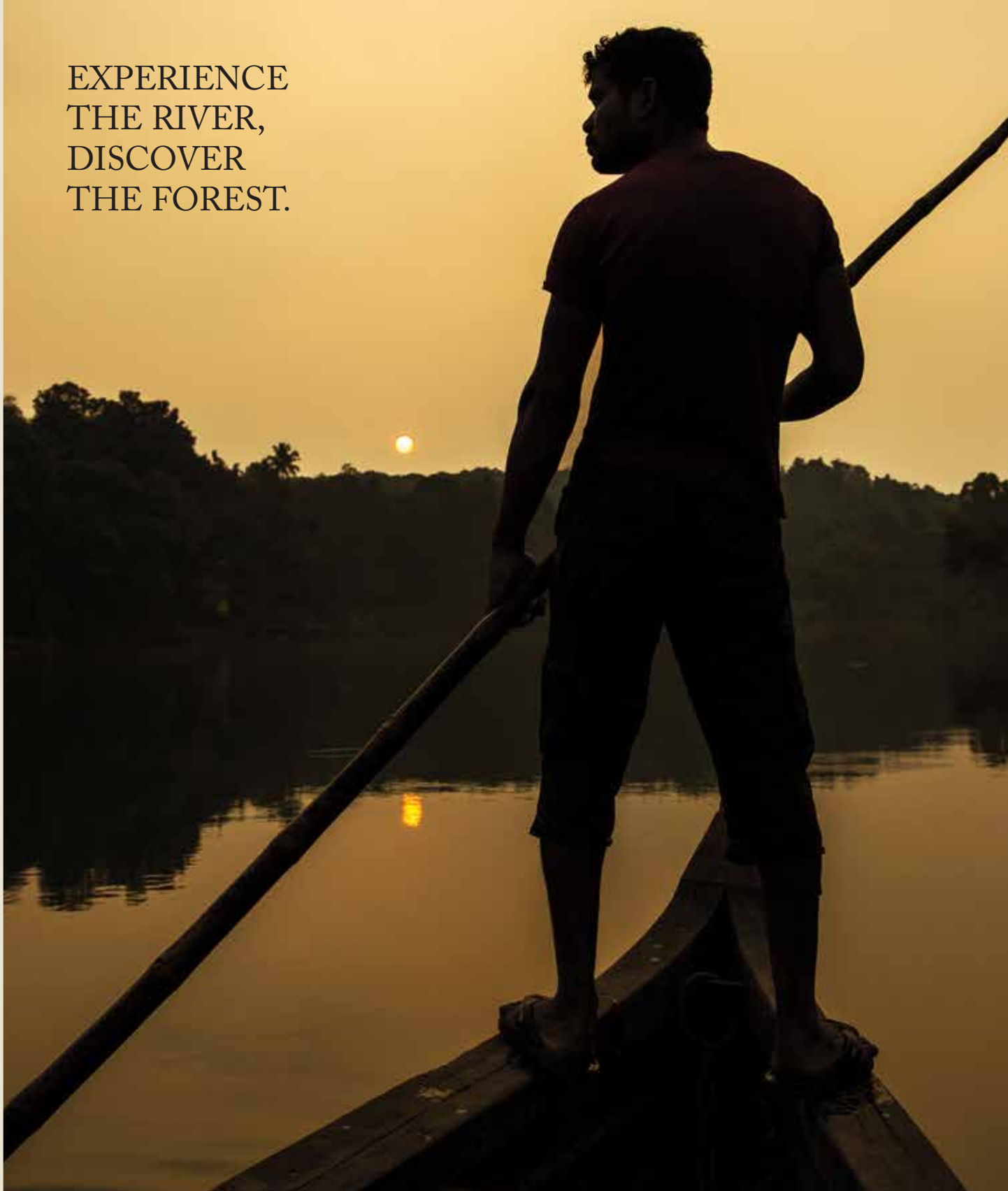
Quiet by the River also offers a unique dining experience with native flavours enhanced by the enchanting presence of the woods and the river.







EXPERIENCE  
THE RIVER,  
DISCOVER  
THE FOREST.



#### FOREST TREKKING

Join a naturalist-led trek that offers an intimate experience of the surrounding forest. While on the trek, you will be able to spot a wide variety of birds and other small creatures in the forest.

#### NIGHT TREKKING

Night treks offer an entirely unique experience of the forest and are especially mesmerising on full moon or new moon nights. Discover the nocturnal life of the forest, and take in the magnificence of the stars in the night sky, making it a stargazers paradise.

#### BIRDWATCHING

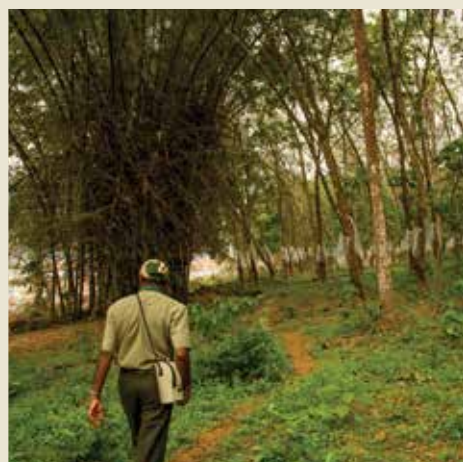
Engage with the winged wonders of this habitat by going birdwatching around the Malayattoor forest where over 100 birds have been sighted. The forest is an extension of the Thattekad Bird Sanctuary which Dr. Salim Ali, the best known ornithologist, described as the richest bird habitat on peninsular India.

#### EXPLORE IN A COUNTRY CANOE

Quiet by the River offers spectacular views of the sun setting over the forest canopy. Experience this magic moment while exploring the Periyar River in our country boat.

#### RIVER EXPERIENCES

The natural pools in the streams near the lodge offer an opportunity to immerse yourself in the crisp, invigorating waters.









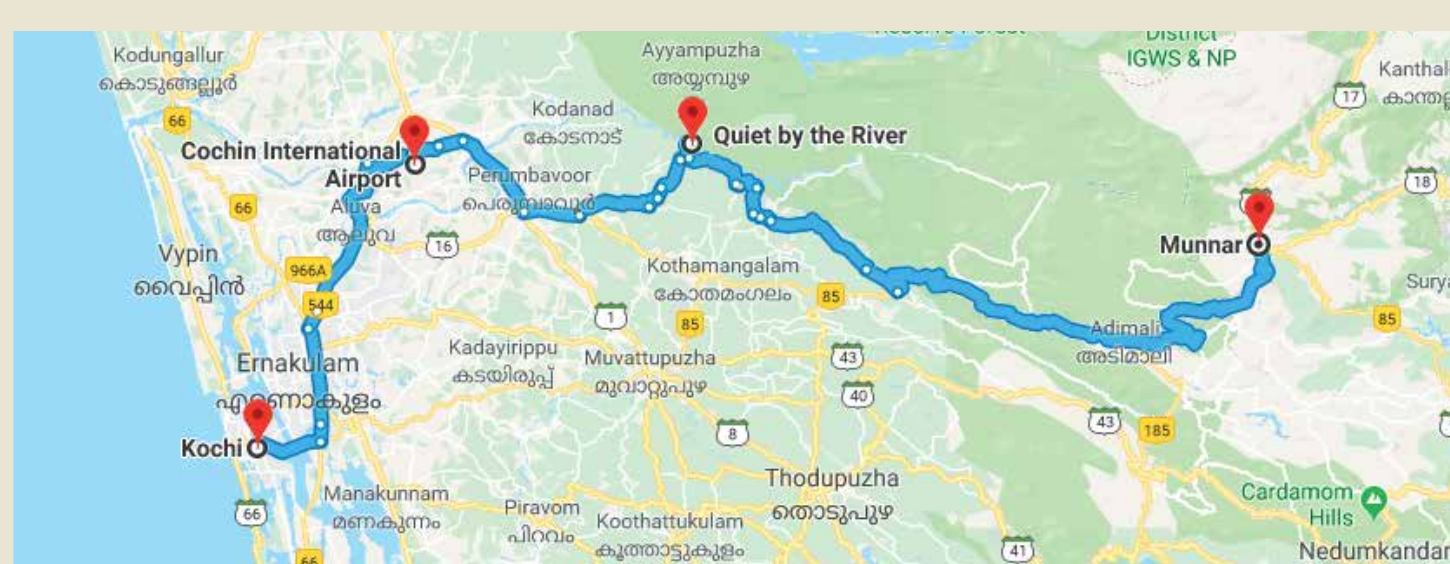


## QUICK FACTS

- Distances from Quiet by the River:
  - Cochin International Airport - 33 km (45 minutes - 1 hour)
  - Kochi - 60.3 km (2 hours)
  - Munnar - 88.7 km (2 hours 42 minutes)
- The journey to the sanctuary starts with a 30-minute ride down a narrow, rugged road through the Malayattoor forest to reach a point where you hop on to a country canoe to cross the river and arrive at the lodge.
- The forest reserve gates close at 5 PM and open at 6 AM. Hence, we request you to plan your trip to the reserve with our travel concierge.
- Quiet by the River offers four independent lodges which are spacious with air-conditioning, en-suite baths and a verandah that offers majestic views of the river and surrounding forest.
- Quiet by the River offers facilities such as a swimming pool that looks over the Periyar river, a cozy library lounge and a restaurant with a majestic view of the forest.
- Your stay at the lodge is inclusive of the dining experience where you can taste the local cuisine of Kerala. From dining out in the open by the beautiful riverside under the stars to having a picnic meal with your loved ones under the forest canopy, our team at Quiet by the River will make every dining experience unique and memorable for you.

## THINGS TO REMEMBER

- Since you will be entering a forest reserve, we request you to avoid bright colours, strong perfumes and loud noise.
- We request you to respect the habitat of animals and limit use of flash photography.
- We recommend you carry your walking shoes, windcheater (during monsoon), sunglasses, hat and a camera.







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