



Guayaquil and Pacific Coast Service Catalogue

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GUAYAQUIL CITY TOUR + HISTORICAL PARK



05
HOURS

Tour time: 09h00- 14H00
 All Ecuadorian taxes included
 Prices are in US. Dollars.

Price does not include additional services, meals or drinks other than the stated in the detailed program.

ITINERARY

Guayaquil, Ecuador's main port is an important trading and business city, famous for the nearby production and exportation of "fine aroma" cacao. In our extensive city tour of Guayaquil we'll cover the most important attractions of this modern city, including the Seminario Park best known as the Iguanas Park, the Moorish Clock Tower, Malecon Simon Bolivar and the traditional and artistic neighborhood of Las Peñas. Later on the tour we'll go to the Historical Park of Guayaquil, an interactive and interesting walk through the traditional colonial constructions of Guayaquil plus an interesting group of local species of fauna which were rescued. On the tour we'll have the chance to see artisans demonstrations of Panama Hats and textiles weavers, which will be on display specially for our groups.

TOUR HIGHLIGHTS

- Traditional neighborhood
- Iguanas Park
- Malecon Simon Bolivar
- Historical Park
- Moorish Clock Tower
- Ecuadorian typical fauna, as Guayaquil Macaw, Southamerican Crocodile, Harpy Eagle, etc.

NOT INCLUDED

- Meals
- Insurance
- Tips

INCLUDED

- Private Transportation
- English speaking guide
- Entrances fees to all attractions.

Price per person:	SIC	Private Service
	\$ 28.00	\$ 60.00

CACAO ROUTE FULL DAY



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HOURS

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This visit is a classic; treat yourself with this most enjoyable tour, where we will learn about the worldwide renowned Ecuadorian cacao recognized for its excellent quality. The visit starts in Guayaquil, an hour drive will take us out of the city to the cacao plantation where we can learn all the process of planting, care and production of the cacao. In a complete tour visitors can interact picking cocoa pods and trying the fruit. The plantation has also many other tropical fruits that our guest can enjoy. Lunch will be served at the hacienda. After a delicious lunch we'll have the chocolate tour where we can observe the chocolate processing and production, finishing with a chocolate tasting.

TOUR HIGHLIGHTS

- Traditional cacao plantation
- Tropical fruit trees and degustation
- Chocolate tasting
- Traditional culture
- Contrasting and beautiful landscapes

NOT INCLUDED

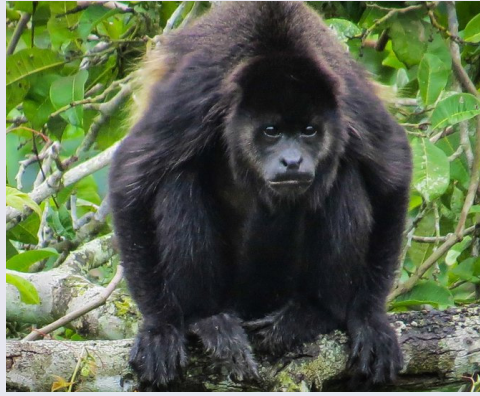
- Insurance
- Tips

INCLUDED

- Private Transportation
- English speaking guide
- Entrances fees to all attractions.
- Lunch

Price per person:	SIC	Private Service
	\$ 75.00	\$ 150.00

CERRO BLANCO COAST RESERVE



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Tour Time: 08h30 - 12h30 / 13h30 - 17h30.
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The Cerro Blanco Reserve covers 6,078 hectares and is situated in the Tumbesian Eco region in the coastal Chongon mountain ridge, near Ecuador's largest city Guayaquil. Stretching from south western Ecuador into Peru, the Tumbesian Eco region is characterized by tropical dry forests and is one of the most threatened ecosystems in the world. The reserve, which ranges from 50m to 500m above sea level, is one of the best remaining examples of Ecuadorian coastal dry forest.

TOUR HIGHLIGHTS

- Learn about the biodiversity of one of the last remaining Ecuadorian dry forests.
- 54 characteristic mammal species including Mantled Howler Monkeys, White-fronted Capuchin and South American Coati.
- Important Bird Area (IBA) with 219 bird species recorded: 30 endemic to Tumbesian Eco region, 8 globally threatened including the Great Green Macaw.
- Over 100 endemic plant species.
- Activities include hiking on nature trails, wildlife and bird watching.



NOT INCLUDED

- Meals
- Insurance
- Tips

INCLUDED

- Private Transportation
- English speaking guide
- Entrances fees to all attractions.

Price per person:	SIC	Private Service
	\$ 35.00	\$ 55.00

DOLPHIN OBSERVATION AT EL MORRO



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This eco-touristic project is held by the fishermen community of puerto el morro, we visit a small and still basic interpretation center, to continue navigating on the peaceful waters of this extensive inlet where bottle nosed dolphins will swim and swirl along our canoe. Tropical birds' observation and magnificent mangrove landscapes on a short easy hike on the egrets island complete this wonderful day.

NOT INCLUDED

- Insurance
- Tips

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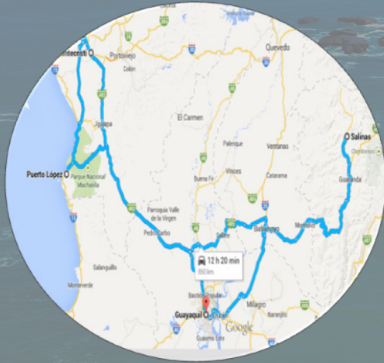
- Private Transportation
- Lunch
- English speaking guide
- Entrances fees to all attractions.

Price per person:	SIC	Private Service per Person
	N/A	\$ 145.00

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DAYS



PACIFIC COAST



Tour includes:

- Transportation.
- Meals plan.
- Tour and / or specialized Guide.
- Entrance fees to all attractions.
- Accommodation on double basis.

Tour highlights

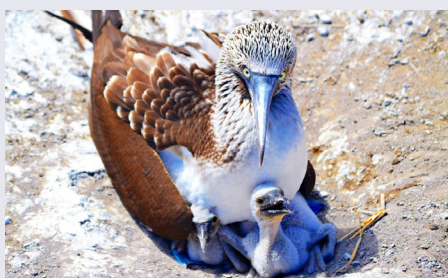
- Vast beaches at close distance from main cities.
- Gastronomy.
- Average Weather minimum 20°C - maximum 35°C.
- La Plata Island (little Galapagos)
- Humpback Whales season (June-September).
- Toquilla fiber production for the creation of artisanal Toquilla (Panama) Hats.

Not included

- Tips.
- Personal expenses.

GUAYAQUIL / SALINAS

Day 01 After breakfast, we start our way to the Pacific Ocean through the famous “Spondylus Route”. We arrive to El Morro Port, where an outboard boat will take us to and unforgettable tour through the mangroves where we’ll do some birdwatching and a short hike on the trails of Birds Island and visit the Dolphins Estuary.



A simple and traditional lunch will be served by the local women that make part of this community development project. Later we’ll head to Salinas to visit “La Chocolatera”, an impressive cliff and rock formation where the waves crash in full power. At the end of the day, there will be an opportunity to enjoy the sunset by the seashore. Accommodation and dinner.

Meal plan: B/L/D

SALINAS/ PUERTO LÓPEZ

Day 02 Visit to Ben Haas, who has been tracking watching whales since the 1980s and founded the Whale Museum in Salinas.

We’ll continue towards the Northern area, we’ll visit the artisanal fishermen town of San Pablo and we’ll have a chance to see the characteristic handicrafts as Panama Hats and Tagua nuts, better known as vegetable ivory all over the way. We’ll pass through the surfer’s town of Montañita on our way to Puerto López area for overnight. Accommodation and dinner.

Meal plan: B/L/D

ISLA DE LA PLATA FULL DAY

Day 03 Plata Island is surrounded by the Machalilla Marine Reserve that protects coral reefs where marine life



is varied and exciting and between July and November receives the magnificent Humpback whales.

The island has two routes or hiking trails, both with spectacular views, where you can find interesting colonies of blue footed boobies, masked boobies, frigate birds and albatrosses, the reason why it’s been locally known as “Little Galapagos”. It has a desert climate in which plant species have adapted forming an interesting dry tropical forest.

The Plata Island became named after “the silver” seen in the distance, caused by the reflection of the sun on the abundance of guano which covers the site. Some pre Columbian vestiges from native and Inca cultures have been found in site, evidence of an interesting past as research port for the exploitation of the Spondylus priceps shells, precious ornament for ritual use by the Amerindian peoples.

After the hike, we’ll enjoy a light box lunch and have an opportunity of snorkeling in this beautiful marine reserve. Return to Pto. López.

Meal Plan B/BL/D

Diving Tours Available



MACHALILLA / MANTA

Day 04 In the morning, we'll visit the in-site archaeological museum of the Agua Blanca Community and in the Machalilla National Park we'll enjoy the Frailes Beach, a pristine site with the most beautiful landscape. After lunch, leave the area of Machalilla through the Toquilla Straw Corridor, towards the city of Manta, one of the main ports in Ecuador for overnight. Accommodation and dinner.
Meal plan: B/L/D

MANTA / MONTECRISTI / LA PILA / GUAYAQUIL

Day 05 We leave the city towards the town of Montecristi, known for the production and commercialization of the world known -but misnamed- Panama Hat, a true artisanal symbol of Ecuador. Visit the Eloy Alfaro Civic Center and Museum, dedicated to one of the most important and avant-garde Presidents Ecuador has had. At La Pila you'll see some traditional ceramics and we'll start the return to Guayaquil for overnight. Dinner and accommodation.
Meal plan: B/L/D

TRANSFER OUT

Day 06 Transfer to the airport for continuation to Galapagos or International flights.

PRICES

PRIVATE COLLECTION:
Private: 2245 - 2 pax min.
Group Tour: 1820 - 6 pax min.

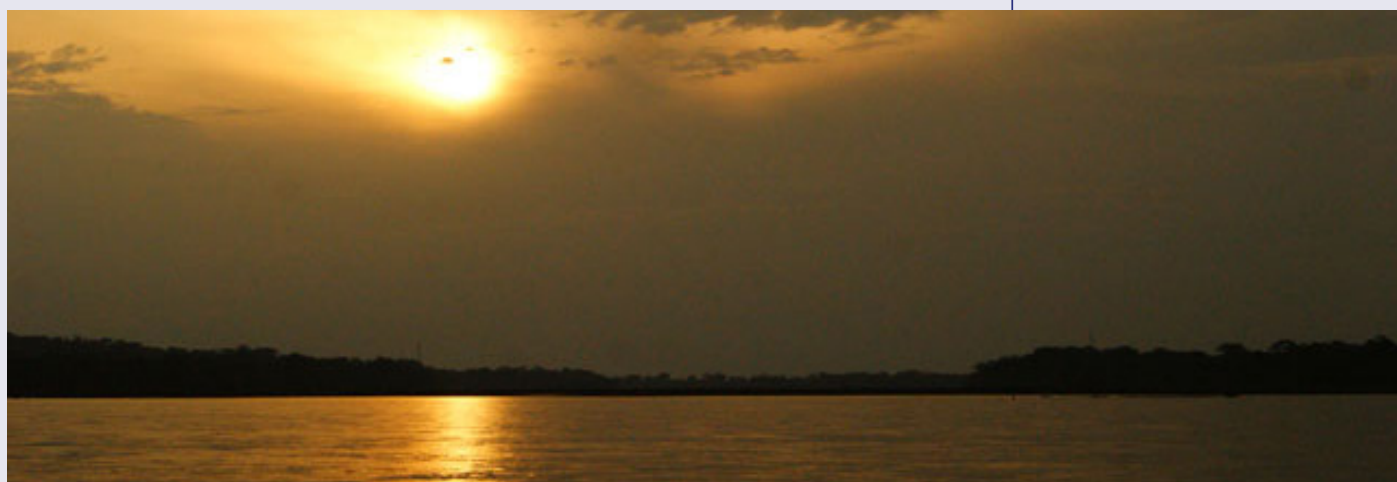
CLASSIC COLLETON
Private: 1659 - 2 pax min.
Group Tour: 1285 - 6 pax min.

OBSERVATIONS

- * Best in between June to September (Hump back whales season).
- * Great diversity of Flora, Fauna and great gastronomy.
- * Family and Seniors friendly.
- * Perfect to compliment the Galapagos

EXTENSIONS

- * Galapagos
- * Southern wonders.
- * Connections to international flights.



GUAYAQUIL HOTELS

First Class	Single	Double
Hilton Colon	179.00	179.00
Wyndham	157.00	157.00
Oro Verde	150.00	165.00
Tourist Class	Single	Double
Hampton Inn	125.00	125.00
Hotel Palace	120.00	130.00
Hotel Ramada	100.00	110.00
Hotel Guayaquil	105.00	112.00
Hotel Continental	95.00	107.00
Hotel Galería Man Gin	100.00	110.00

ADITIONAL SERVICES

Additional	Prices per person
Transfer In/Out	\$ 25.00
El Morro & Dolphins Tour	\$ 145.00
Programs	Prices
Pacific Coast (2 pax min.)	Private Collection \$ 2245.00
	Classic Collection \$ 1659.00
Southern Wonders (2 pax min.)	Private Collection \$ 2369.00
	Classic Collection \$ 1459.00
Galapagos Island Hopping and Cruises	

SOUTHERN WONDERS



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Early departures

Service: Private

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ENGLISH

Day 01 GUAYAQUIL CITY TOUR AND DINNER

Arrival to Guayaquil. Transfer to the selected hotel and time to rest and get ready to visit the "Pearl of the Pacific". We tour Seminario Square or "Iguanas Park", the Cathedral and the Simón Bolívar Boulevard along the Guayas River. To finish the tour, we visit the bohemian neighborhood Las Peñas, where we walk on its main street, old witness of Guayaquil's golden age. Then we will enjoy a traditional dinner. Transfer to the hotel. Meal plan: (-/-/D)

Day 02 GUAYAQUIL / INGAPIRCA / CUENCA

Today we leave Guayaquil to the Ecuadorian Andes. Once we leave the urban area, we'll be met by vast cacao, banana, sugarcane and other plantations that add beauty and color to the landscape. Our first visit will be the Cacao plantation El Deseo, where we'll see the process of chocolate production from the tree plantation to the harvest and the artisanal preparation of chocolate, to finish with a tasting of the final product. By noon, we will arrive to Ingapirca, the most important and best preserved archaeological center in Ecuador. There we will learn from the ancient Cañari and Inca cultures. Lunch at Hacienda Posada Ingapirca. Later in the afternoon we'll arrive to Cuenca. Accommodation and dinner. Meal plan (B/L/D)

Day 03 CUENCA FULL DAY

Cuenca is waiting for us to be discovered. We start the day strolling through the cobbled streets of this beautiful World Cultural Heritage, crossed by four rivers that add up to the splendor and give the city its complete name. Squares, balconies and churches will make perfect pictures. The "chola cuencana" traditional costumes will splash with color our experience and the outstanding pink marble Cathedral is for sure going to take your breath away.

The visit won't be complete without walking along the Tomebamba River and a panoramic view of the city from the Turi Hill. One of the most interesting visits of the day will be to the museum and factory of the famous, but misnamed, Panama Hats, a true symbol of Ecuador. Lunch included at local restaurant. Return to the hotel. Meal plan: (B/L/-)

Day 04 GUALACEO & CHORDELEG, HALF DAY

In the morning we visit the ancestral "ikat" weaving workshops and the skillful "toquilla" hat weavers. Then we'll visit the biggest orchid farm in South America. Finishing our tour in the town of Chordeleg, famous for its artisans that transform gold and silver in truly masterpieces. Lunch at Hosteria Santa Bárbara. Return to Cuenca. Balance of the day at leisure to enjoy the colonial city. Meal plan: (B/L/-)

Day 05 CUENCA / CAJAS NATIONAL PARK / GUAYAQUIL

Early in the morning we head towards the Cajas National Park, that only 30 minutes away, is waiting for us with an altitude difference of over 1500m and the richness of the Andean paramo, where we will enjoy the beauty of the Andes, its landscapes and flora. We will have a short walk to enjoy this nature wonder recognized as Worldwide Biosphere Reserve. Lunch in the area. Continuation to the city of Guayaquil descending through the Andes slopes with its intense contrast of landscapes, climate and color. Arrival to Guayaquil at the end of the afternoon. Meal plan: (B/L/-)

Day 06 TRANSFER OUT

Transfer to the airport for continuation to Galapagos or International flights.



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