



# Deep Amazon Kayak Tour



# Activities (5 days/4 nights)

Day	Activities	Meals
1	<p><b>Yasuni National Park:</b> An early flight takes you to the city of Coca. Once you arrive, you take a scenic drive to the Indilama River at the entrance of Yasuni National Park. The first kayaking expedition will be paddling down this fantastic river surrounded by nature and wildlife. Usually you will be able to spot river turtles, monkeys, caimans and many species of birds. Once we arrive, we set-up the campsite and rest after dinner.</p>	LD at camp
2	<p><b>Kayaking and wildlife encounter:</b> After an early breakfast, continue your kayaking exploration, heading deeper into the jungle. You will encounter various species native to the forest, such as monkeys, capybara, tapir, flycatchers, herons, and you will also learn about local plants and their medicinal properties. Head back to the camp for dinner and rest.</p>	BLD at camp
3	<p><b>Kayaking in Pañacocha Flooded Forest:</b> Early wakeup call and breakfast. The day starts navigating by canoe down the Napo River to reach Pañayacu river, where you will set camp next to an indigenous community and enjoy lunch. In the afternoon, you will go kayaking on the Pañacocha lagoon, as well as on Pañayacu River, where you can enjoy the dark and clear waters of the flooded forest, and hopefully spot piranha, caiman, anaconda, and other species native to this ecosystem. Back at the camp there is a night walk to view insects, frogs and snakes. Accommodation and dinner in jungle lodge.</p>	BLD at camp
4	<p><b>Kichwa Community:</b> In the morning you will begin with a hike in the pristine forest to learn about the rich flora of the area and the medicinal plants that can be found there. After lunch, you will take a canoe ride to a local Kichwa Community to learn about their customs and traditions, you will also participate in the elaboration of the traditional drink called chicha. In the late afternoon head to Pañacocha lagoon to fish and swim. Accommodation and dinner in the camp near the kichwa community</p>	BLD at camp
5	<p><b>Clay Lick:</b> Early wakeup call to visit a parrot clay lick, where there is a big concentration of different species of parrots and macaws that go there to feed on the clay from the mineral enriched ground, to help them digest and detoxify from the poison of their main fruit diet. After this activity you will be transferred to Coca to fly back to Quito.</p>	B at camp



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## Inclusions:

- ✓ Transportation:
  - Private and comfortable land transportation
  - Motorized canoe
  - Dugout canoe
  - Kayak
- ✓ Accommodation: Based on double occupancy. 2 nights camping in Yasuni National Park, 2 nights campin next to a Kichwa community and meals as listed in itinerary
- ✓ Activities:
  - Kayaking on Indilama River, Pañayacu River and Pañacocha Lagoon
  - Visiting the Yasuni National Park, Animals, parrot clay lick and the nativekichwa communities
  - Piranha fishing
  - Night hikes
- ✓ Gear: Expedition and inflatable kayaks, paddles, dry bags, life jackets, dugout canoe with outboard motor, rubber boots, eureka tents, air mattresses, bathroom tent, portable toilet, social kitchen.
- ✓ Trip leader: Certified EPL expert English- speaking Adventure Trip Leader and local guide.

## Exclusions:

- ✗ Airfare Quito-Coca round trip
- ✗ My own room and tent supplement (\$310 extra)
- ✗ International flights
- ✗ Airport transfers to/from Quito Airport
- ✗ Travel insurance (mandatory)
- ✗ Required immunizations (mandatory)
- ✗ Personal expenses and tips



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