

## **Ecuador** - Galapagos Southern Islands Cruise | Endemic

Trip Code  
ECTSE4D  
Departure



### Introduction

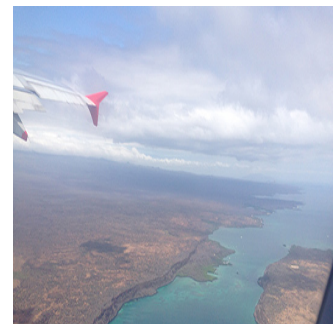
Gain an insight into the fascinating wildlife and beautifully rugged landscapes of the Galapagos Islands archipelago as you cruise for 4-days around the islands of Bartholomew, Floreana, Santiago, North Seymour and Santa Cruz. Take in the panoramic view of Sullivan Bay and iconic Pinnacle Rock from Bartholomew and snorkel amongst the coral and marine life of Devil's Crown. Visit Chinese Hat and the flamingo lagoon at Cormorant Point and take a Zodiac cruise amongst the mangroves at Black Turtle Cove alongside turtles, eagle rays and white-tipped reef sharks. This is a wonderful taste of the Galapagos Islands.

**Combine your Galapagos cruise on the Endemic with a stay at the premium [La Selva Lodge](#) in the Amazon for an exclusive saving. [Contact us](#) for more information and pricing!**

### Itinerary

**DAY 1: Baltra Airport - Bartholomew Island**

On arrival at Baltra Airport, you will be met and transferred to the M/C Endemic. After lunch, discover Bartholomew Island and admire the spectacular panorama of the Sullivan Bay and the famous Pinnacle Rock. The beaches at the foot of the Pinnacle Rock are excellent for snorkeling from which you can discover the marvelous underwater world, and with a little luck, you'll get to snorkel with penguins.



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Ecuador, Galapagos Islands

Underwater volcanic crater, almost covered

completely by Galapagos waters. Just a

small portion of the rock formation can be

seen from above and it looks like a crown.

The underwater world is very rich in coral

reefs, abundant marine species. Birds are

also part of this visitor point due to its

location in open waters. Or visit Cormorant

Point where you will land on a green olivine

sand beach. Following a 100 meters long

path you will soon reach a lagoon with

flamingos. In the afternoon, visit the

Baroness' Lookout (Mirador de la

Baronesa). This viewpoint is located on the

north of Floreana Island. The way up and

trail is very easy, steps are placed in this

area for security. Your naturalist guide will

tell the murder and mystery legend of the

Baroness. Or go to the Post Office Bay,

which keeps the legendary post barrel that

whalers historically used to post their mail

in.



## DAY 3: Santiago Island - North Seymour Island

In the morning, after breakfast you will visit

Chinese Hat, which is a small islet off the

south coast of Santiago, with a maximum

elevation of 160 feet (52 meters). Though

within easy reach of Santa Cruz, Chinese

Hat is typically only visited by those aboard

a Galapagos Cruise. In the afternoon, North

Seymour island will be discovered. It is

located slightly to the north of Baltra. It is a

low, flat island, formed by submarine lava

formation uplift. Covered with low, bushy

vegetation, it contains the largest colony of

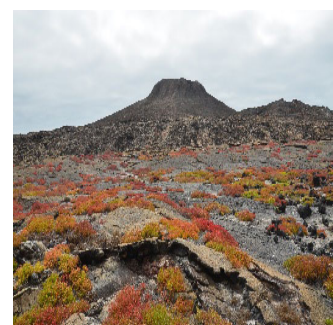
magnificent frigate birds in the Galapagos.

There is also a large population of blue-

footed boobies that perform an amusing

courtship dance when nesting conditions

are right.



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After breakfast, enjoy the visit to Black

Turtle Cove, which is located on the north

shore of Santa Cruz. It is a living illustration

of how mangroves alter the marine

environment to create a rich and unique

habitat. Three mangrove species crowd the

area from the shore out into the lagoon,

which reaches almost a mile inland. As you

drift through quiet waters in the zodiac, you

are likely to see spotted eagle rays and

diamond shaped mustard rays, which swim

in a diamond formation. White-tipped reef

sharks slip beneath the boat and Pacific

green sea turtles come to the surface for air

and to mate. Waterfowl, including pelicans,

herons and egret, all feed in the cove. This

is a peaceful place that will make you feel

calm. After this last visit, transfer to Baltra

airport for your return flight to mainland

Ecuador.



### Inclusions & Details

Accommodation

Cabin On Board Ship

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## INCLUSIONS

Transfers in the Galapagos  
Airport reception and assistance  
Accommodation on board the yacht  
Guided expeditions according to the itinerary  
Top bilingual National Park guide (English/Spanish)  
Cruise Service Officer  
Activity daily briefing  
All meals and snacks  
Soft drinks and juices  
Captain's welcome and farewell cocktail  
Use of sea kayaks and paddle-boards  
Expedition gear  
Yoga mats  
Kettlebells and dumbbells  
Stargazing laser pointer  
One free beer or wine per guest per day

Inclusions

## EXCLUSIONS

International & internal flights  
Visa and reciprocity fees (if applicable)  
Travel insurance  
Personal expenses  
Tips and gratuities for guide and crew  
Beverages other than specified  
Local taxes  
Galapagos National Park Entrance fee (USD\$200 per person, subject to change)  
Galapagos Transit Control Card (USD\$20 per person, subject to change)  
Any items not mentioned as included  
Micro SD Card 4K

Difficulty Rating

2 (Light Adventure)

Single Surcharge

A single supplement surcharge may apply and is subject to availability. Please [contact us](#) for more information.

Prices are based on per person, twin share.

Notes

Prices are correct at time of publishing but are subject to change at any time.

All entrance fees are subject to change without prior notice.

Kayaking and water based activities are subject to weather conditions.

Price Dependent upon

Departure date, fuel surcharges, cabin category, currency fluctuations, seasonality and availability.

Sustainability