



Dubbed the Island of the Gods, Bali is one of the more than 17,000 islands that make up the Indonesian archipelago. Due to its location off the coast from the mainland and unique culture and religion from the rest of the country, Bali is often treated as a destination of its own, "if you've only been to Bali, you've never been to Indonesia".

With its pristine beaches, its unspoilt waters ideal for surfing and diving, its lush mountains, its neverending rice terrace and volcanic hillsides, its spiritually-infused culture and more, Bali has quickly become a must-visit and it often makes its way on everyone's bucket list.

|                         | Bali    |
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| 📛 All meals included    | Yes (1) |
| ☐ Free beverages        | Yes (2) |
| Persons per room        | 1-2     |
| Wifi in public areas    | Yes     |
| Taundry facilities      | Yes (3) |
| ■ Safety box            | No      |
| <b>Q</b> Lockable rooms | Yes     |
| ★ Hot shower            | Yes     |
| Private bathroom        | Yes     |
| <b>G</b> Bed linen      | Yes     |
| (a) Towels              | No      |
| Mosquito protection     | No      |
| <b>≋</b> Fan            | Yes     |
| Air conditioning        | No      |

<sup>(1)</sup> Breakfast only

<sup>(3)</sup> There are local laundry services around the village



<sup>(2)</sup> Drinking water

### **Accommodation & Food**

#### **About the Accommodation**

The Balinese place great importance on family and our houses are located amongst Balinese compounds, where you will get the chance to interact with local families and practice your newfound language skills. You can expect to share a room on single-gender basis with an attached bathroom and study area.

#### **Food Arrangements**

The meals are provided in buffet style at the canteen.

#### **Facilities**

At the house, there is also a refrigerator for you to keep your food and drinks. There are two cafes nearby the accommodation which will take around 5 minutes walk. There are also ATMs, mini marts, some shops and restaurants in the city center.

### **Shopping**

There are good grocery stores in Ubud, 24 hour stores and small, family run shops where you will be able to find everything that you need.

#### **Restaurants and Cafes**

If you want to eat out occasionally, there is a wide selection of restaurants with high standards of both international and local cuisine. There are several cafes in the village, where you can relax and hang out with other participants on your spare time.

#### **Swimming Pools**

There are two swimming pools, both located a five minute walk from our center.

#### Gym

There are several gyms in Ubud Center.

## **Mandatory Orientation Day**

At this location there is no mandatory orientation day offered.

#### **Activities & Events**

No scheduled activities outside the program.

# **Sights & Surroundings**

Since the weekends are free, you can go wherever you please. Several popular destinations that you can reach by taxi are:

**The Gili Islands**, where you will find small resorts and huts for tourists looking to get away from the bustle of Ubud. The islands are a popular destination for snorkelling and diving due to its abundant marine life.

**Nusa Lembongan**, an island paradise with one of the most clear waters that you will ever see and it is also a place where you can find peace and completely relax. Surfing, diving and snorkeling are amongst the most popular activities that visitors can enjoy.

**Lovina**, located between the Bedugul mountains and the sea, is popular for dolphin watching, trekking, hot springs and its gorgeous coral reefs.

**Sanur**, a stretch of beach in Southeast Bali that contains villa resorts and Zen Villas. Historically, it was used as the landing site for the Dutch invasion troops during the Dutch invasion in 1906 as well as being the entry point into Bali for the Japanese during WWII.

Kuta, a beach known of its surfing opportunities and party atmosphere.

**Uluwatu**, a temple built at the edge of a 70 meter high cliff at the edge of the sea and inhabited by monkeys.