


**DEFENDER**

**JOURNEYS**

**KONKAN  
EXPERIENCE**





An aerial photograph of a narrow, light-colored dirt path that winds through a dense grove of tall palm trees. The path is flanked by lush green vegetation and the long, dark shadows of the palm fronds. The perspective is from directly above, looking down the path as it recedes into the distance.

A series of journeys across India, for you to explore the natural wonders of our beautiful country. From the natural beauty of Coorg with its stunning coastal regions to the whitewashed peaks of the Himalayas or the ephemeral dunes of Thar, every journey is a curated travel experience like no other. You'll drive through awe-inspiring vistas and a myriad of landscapes behind the wheels of the iconic Defender.

**KONKAN EXPERIENCE**  
**GOA – BENGALURU,**  
**JAN 27TH TO FEB 2ND, 2024**

The Konkan Experience is a journey that is as idyllic, as it is relaxing. You'll explore towns along the Konkan coast, the hills of the Western Ghats and everything in between. This adventure will surprise you at every turn, be it exploring the beaches along the coast or sipping artisanal coffee in the cool mountain air.





## WHAT YOU CAN LOOK FORWARD TO

A spectacular drive  
down the Konkan  
coast with its stunning  
landscapes

Savouring the region's  
cuisines and cooking  
with celebrity chefs

Visiting one of  
the world's eight  
biodiversity hotspots


Immersing yourself  
in unique cultures  
and lifestyles with  
traditional art, pristine  
beach walks, yoga,  
meditation, coffee  
roasting and tasting

Negotiating difficult  
off-road trails with ease  
behind the wheel of  
your Defender

Staying at the finest  
luxury hotels, culturally  
rich villas, and bungalows

A dedicated team of  
instructors assisting you  
along your journey



A close-up, low-angle shot of a car's front end. The image shows the intricate details of the headlight assembly, including the lens and internal components, and the multi-spoke alloy wheel. The car's body is a dark, glossy color, reflecting light. The overall composition is dramatic and emphasizes the vehicle's design.

## ITINERARY

### DAY 1 – GOA | FENI DISTILLERY DINNER

On the first day, you'll arrive at Goa where you'll be chauffeured to the hotel. You'll spend the evening with your fellow travellers for a pre-drive briefing.

Visit the Fazenda Cazulo, a centuries old Feni distillery, for a Garrafoes ceremony and dinner.

**Hotel: Zuri White Sands | Meals: Dinner**



## DAY 2 – GOA | OFF-ROAD TRAILS AND FARM TO FORK LUNCH

Spend the morning with the Defender negotiating off-road trails. Visit C'est La Vie, the chef's artisanal table in the hills, for some reimagined Goan food and explore Goa's culture, heritage, and cuisine.

**Hotel: Zuri White Sands | Meals:  
Breakfast, Lunch and Dinner**





## DAY 3 – GOKARNA | DRIVE, YOGA, AND BEACHSIDE DINNER

Leave Goa and drive along the Konkan coast to Gokarna, a small pilgrimage town framed by the Western Ghats. Visit its famed temple or indulge in a relaxing yoga session at your wellness resort. End your day with a beachside dinner.

**Hotel: CGH Earth SwaSwara | Meals:  
Breakfast, Lunch and Dinner**



An aerial photograph of a tropical coastline. On the left, a dense forest of palm trees covers a sandy beach. The ocean is a vibrant turquoise color, with white waves breaking on the shore. The right side of the image shows deeper, darker green water.

## DAY 4 – BEKAL | DRIVE, SUNDOWNER, AND BACKWATER CRUISE

You'll continue driving along the Arabian Sea to enter 'God's own country - Kerala.' Spend the evening with a sundowner on the beachfront of your resort followed by a backwater cruise on a floating raft.

**Hotel: Taj Bekal Resort & Spa | Meals:  
Breakfast, Lunch and Dinner**





## DAY 5 – COORG | DRIVE, COFFEE PLANTATION TOUR, AND BONFIRE

Ascend into the mountains of the Western Ghats to experience some of the most exotic flora and fauna in the world. Visit a coffee plantation for a tour followed by a tasting session hosted by an expert. Unwind at your heritage bungalow around a bonfire.

**Hotel: Ama Stays & Trails Coffee Plantation Heritage Bungalow | Meals: Breakfast, Lunch and Dinner**



## DAY 6 – BENGALURU | DRIVE, TRAILS, AND EXPRESSWAYS

Drive to Bengaluru passing through dense forest trails and modern expressways. Spend the evening with your fellow travellers reminiscing about the days gone by.

**Hotel: Taj Yeshwantpur | Meals:  
Breakfast, Lunch and Dinner**

## DAY 7 – BENGALURU

Enjoy your final goodbye breakfast and wish everyone well on their next adventures.

**Meals: Breakfast**







## VEHICLE

Defender 110 HSE with an Ingenium 4-cylinder 2.0 I P300 powertrain

## OFF-ROAD LEVEL

2

## LANDSCAPE

4

## TYPES OF DRIVING

Mud & Ruts, Tarmac

## ACCOMMODATION STYLE

Luxury 5-star hotels, traditional villas, and heritage bungalows

## MAX NO. OF VEHICLES AND GUESTS

5 and 10 respectively

## NO. OF INSTRUCTORS:

2

## MINIMUM DRIVING AGE

19 years old + 1-year full license



CGH Earth, SwaSwara



Ama Stays and Trails Coffee  
Plantation Heritage Bungalows



Taj Bekal Resort and Spa



Taj Yeshwantpur



## DATES

Jan 27th to Feb 2nd, 2024

## ROUTE

Goa – Gokarna – Bekal – Coorg – Bengaluru



## COST

₹ 4 50 000 (Prices in INR, for two adults on twin/double occupancy and subject to GST @5%)

\*Including use of Defender, accommodation, meals, and experiences.

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