



## 8 Day Indian Pacific from Sydney to Perth with Wildflower Discovery & Flights

Sydney - Broken Hill - Adelaide - Cook - Rawlinna - Perth

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From **\$4,049** Typically \$4,290 ✈️ pp twin share

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4-day Indian Pacific Gold Service experience from Sydney to Perth

Experience the transcontinental train with all meals & drinks included

Luxury Wildflower Tour, Swan River Cruise, and much more!

## Description

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There's no better way to experience mountain ranges, deserts, goldfields, rocky valleys and subtropical savannas of Australia than by this romantic rail. Named after the two oceans on its journey, Indian Pacific travels between Perth, Adelaide and Sydney on a spectacular 4352km transcontinental crossing.

Hop on this luxury journey and begin your adventure with your luxurious Indian Pacific journey. Prepare to be amazed at the impeccable Gold Service experience you'll encounter onboard as you travel towards Adelaide, Broken Hill, Cook and the Nullarbor Plain. Wake up on your last day in the picturesque Perth, where you will disembark and transfer to your hotel.

Begin the second half of your adventure with a Perth & Fremantle tour. Enjoy the beautiful sights of Perth before embarking on a short scenic cruise along the magnificent Swan River. Discover the remarkable wildflower phenomenon whilst visiting the Darling Escarpment and Wireless Pak before heading towards the Kings Park Botanic Garden, perched high on Mt Eliza.

## Itinerary

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### Day 1

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#### ✈ Fly to Sydney, board the Indian Pacific

Your luxurious Aussie adventure begins today with your flight to Sydney, where you will be met by your driver for your private transfer to the train station to board the Indian Pacific. A friendly and helpful staff member will escort you to your comfortable cabin which will be your home for the duration of your epic and romantic 4352 km railway journey. Depart Sydney that afternoon. As you approach the spectacular Blue Mountains to settle back, relax, in the privacy of your air-conditioned cabin or head to the Outback Explorer Lounge and enjoy a welcome drink in the company of other passengers.

As your train makes its way through these sensational mountain ranges it's time to indulge yourself in the fine dining experience for which the Indian Pacific is renowned, the elegant Queen Adelaide Restaurant serves up mouth-watering fare produced onboard by talented chefs, wash it down with a glass or two of fine wines from the extensive selection available.

Accommodation: Gold Service cabin onboard the Indian Pacific

Meals included: dinner

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### Day 2

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#### 🚂 Indian Pacific (Broken Hill and Adelaide)

This morning the Indian Pacific arrives at Broken Hill where you make your first off-train excursion, explore this historic outback mining town where BHP Billiton has its origins and visit the Pro Hart Gallery and learn about one of Australia's most iconic artists, back onboard the Indian Pacific breakfast awaits as you then continue your journey deep into South Australia on the southern edge of the mighty Flinders Ranges.

The landscape outside your cabin window undergoes a dramatic transformation from the barren remoteness of the outback to the golden fields of South Australia's food-bowl as you near beautiful Adelaide where you have the option to spend time in the city itself enjoying its many attractions, or alternatively you can choose to visit the picturesque Barossa Valley and its fabulous boutique wineries, your day finishes back on board the Indian Pacific with a welcoming nightcap awaiting you on your bedside table.

Passengers who departed from Adelaide will embark the train this evening.

Accommodation: Gold Service cabin onboard the Indian Pacific

Meals included: Breakfast, lunch and dinner

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## Day 3

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### Indian Pacific (Cook and The Nullarbor)

You'll spot the vast horizon beyond the window this morning as you arrive on the edges of the sweeping Nullarbor Plain. The ancient stillness of the desert landscape is broken only by a mob of friendly kangaroos or the occasional circling bird of prey. Enjoy an off-train excursion in Cook. Once a bustling railway community, and now effectively a ghost town, Cook gives new meaning to the expression "middle of nowhere".

Get a sense of the Nullarbor's intense remoteness as you wander through Cook's abandoned buildings and learn more about the town's intriguing history. Back on board, the beverages are cold and the welcoming atmosphere of the Outback Explorer Lounge inspires conversation and laughter. Sit back and relax as the train continues its trek across the longest single stretch of railway in the world.

Accommodation: Gold Service cabin onboard the Indian Pacific

Meals included: Breakfast, lunch and dinner

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## Day 4

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### Indian Pacific (Disembark in Perth)

Today the Indian Pacific rolls into the undulating landscape and emerald vales of the scenic Avon Valley as you approach Perth, you've just completed an unforgettable adventure on one of the world's great railway journeys where you will be transferred from the train terminus to your hotel for check-in.

Accommodation: Travelodge Hotel or similar, Perth

Meals included: breakfast

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## Day 5

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### **Perth & Fremantle Welcome Tour with Swan River Cruise**

Perth has it all, modern and cosmopolitan with a big city vibe it still retains a friendly smiling atmosphere, outdoor lifestyle sits easily with urban chic, quality restaurants and eateries abound, golden beaches and the beautiful Swan River offer a wealth of opportunity for playing about in the water and the city's eclectic arts and entertainment scene spoil you for choice.

Let us show you the sights of our beautiful city of Perth to get your bearings and benefit from the informative commentary. It's a true welcome to Perth. This three and a half hour tour takes in most of the city's major attractions, takes you to South Perth across the Swan River, along Perth beaches and through Kings Park full of magnificent seasonal wildflowers. Now you have a good orientation and knowledge of the Perth area, you can return to soak up some places at your own pace. Don't forget your Bonus Voucher Book for amazing discounts and bonuses.

The bohemian port town of Fremantle has a unique feel and distinctive cafe lifestyle. See the amazing colonial architecture and experience Fremantle. En route to Fremantle take in the views from the "Tree Top Walk" in King's Park and travel along some of Perth's finest beaches.

After your coach tour, enjoy a scenic cruise with informative commentary back to Perth along the magnificent Swan River as well as a complimentary tea or coffee.

Accommodation: Travelodge Hotel or similar, Perth

Meals included: none

## Day 6

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### Wildflower Discovery Tour

This morning, get picked up from your hotel and enjoy a full day exploring the magnificent wildflowers of Perth and the surrounding regional areas on your specialised wildflower tour.

You will travel to the best areas surrounding Perth to experience the remarkable wildflower phenomenon, visiting places such as the Darling Escarpment, Wireless Pak, Gingin and Toodyay. The itinerary varies and is designed to help ensure you visit the areas with the most prolific wildflowers on the day. Profusion varies daily and is dependent on mother nature.

Your experienced botanical guide will identify rare flowers and show you popular favourites such as everlasting, orchids, red & green kangaroo paw, banksia, bottle brush and of course Western Australia's famous orange flowering Christmas trees. Stop for lunch close to the wildflowers and enjoy ample time to identify and photograph the flowers.

You will also be guided through Kings Park Botanic Garden. Perched high on the Mt Eliza scarp in the heart of Kings Park, this world-famous botanic facility is a sweeping 17 hectares of stunning garden displays, featuring 3,000 striking species from around the state. Plantings are grouped by regions of the state or notable taxonomic groups, and some are purely for a spectacular display.

Use your complimentary wildflower booklet to help you identify and the many various varieties of flowers during this exciting day.

Accommodation: Travelodge Hotel or similar, Perth

Meals included: lunch

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## Day 7

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### Perth sightseeing

Perth is Western Australia's smiling capital city, cerulean skies, white sand beaches and turquoise waters make it a paradise for outdoor lovers, the city is vibrant chic and modern, galleries, festivals and performance venues are cultural must-sees, a wealth of bars, cafes, restaurants and clubs cater for those in search of dining and entertainment.

Enjoy a free day to explore the sights and surrounds of Perth. Maybe visit Rottnest Island and see the famous quokkas or visit the many shops and restaurants in the city. The choice is yours.

Accommodation: Travelodge Hotel or similar, Perth

Meals included: none



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## Day 8

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### Depart Perth

Today marks the end of your wildflower adventure. Time to say goodbye to beautiful Perth, your fellow travellers and friendly hotel hosts. You will be personally met at your hotel and transferred to the airport for your flight home.

Meals included: none

## Inclusions & Exclusions

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### Inclusions

- Return Economy Class Airfare from \*Melbourne, ^Sydney, \*Brisbane, \*Hobart or ^Adelaide (\*surcharge applies, ^ one-way airfare for Sydney or Adelaide)
- Domestic flights with Qantas, Virgin Australia or Jetstar including luggage (subject to availability)
- Private transfers between airport and train station in Sydney (excluding departures from Sydney or Adelaide)
- 4 Days / 3 Nights on the Indian Pacific in a Gold Service cabin^ (^upgrade to Platinum Class cabins at additional cost, subject to availability)
- All onboard meals with fine wines and beverages
- All off-train excursions and activities;
- Sydney to Perth direction (Broken Hill, Adelaide, Cook and Nullarbor)
- Private transfer between Perth Rail Terminal to Perth hotel
- 4 Nights of 4-star accommodation in Perth on a twin share basis with private bathroom facilities
- Meals as indicated: 3 breakfasts, 3 lunches and 3 dinners
- Luxury Wildflower Tour with lunch
- Perth & Fremantle Coach Tour
- Swan River Cruise
- Airfare between Perth and departure city

### Adelaide Departures - From \$2799 pp

- Customers make their own way to/from Adelaide rail terminal
- 3 day/2 night Train trip
- Transfer from Perth Rail Terminal to hotel
- 4 nights accommodation in Perth
- Luxury Wildflower Tour with lunch
- Perth & Fremantle Coach Tour
- Swan River Cruise
- Airport transfer in Perth
- One way flight between Perth and Adelaide

**Departing from Adelaide? Join the journey on Day 2 and save \$600!**

Call 1300 350 263 or email [info@traveldream.com.au](mailto:info@traveldream.com.au) to reserve your cabin for Adelaide departures.

### Accommodation

Indian Pacific - Gold Service cabin (^upgrade to Platinum Class cabins at additional cost, subject to availability)

Perth - Travelodge Hotel or similar

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### Exclusions

- Travel insurance (strongly recommended)



- Anything not listed in the itinerary.

## **Child Policy**

Please enquire with [info@traveldream.com.au](mailto:info@traveldream.com.au) or 1300 350 263 if you would like to travel with a child or infant.

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## **Fitness Level Required**

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