



# ON-SHORE EXCURSIONS

# MONTSERRAT W.I

# **CATEGORIES**

**WILDLIFE, NATURE, CULTURAL,  
SIGHTSEEING, HISTORY,  
ADVENTURE, OUTDOOR,  
WALKING, BUS TOUR, WATER**

**(MONTSERRAT)**

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## Buried City Plymouth Tour

First get the eye-opening facts and see footage from a series of volcanic eruptions compiled in a short 20-minute film at the Volcano Observatory. Then take an exhilarating excursion across the buried Belham River into the uninhabited abandon villages of Cork Hill and surrounding areas, leading to the Buried City Plymouth Zone V, the exclusion zone of Montserrat. Experience first-hand from ground zero, natures wrath on a nation. Disembark on the remains of the old Plymouth Jetty and experience breath taking views of the buried capital and surrounding areas present day with pictorial displays of Montserrat before the Volcano in its glory days. Traverse parts of the Modern day Pompei by foot and witness the devastation of a ravaged city from the direct path of a Volcanic eruption. Finally, drive through a time capsule between the ruins of our modern-day Pompeii creating exhilarating memories to last a lifetime.



**Duration:** 3 hours

**Cost:** \$176 USD

**Pace:** Easy-Moderate

**Key Words:** Sightseeing, History, Nature, Adventure, Bus tour.

**Please Note:**

Conditions in the Buried City are dusty and may impact those with respiratory problems. Dust masks will be provided. A slight smell of rotten eggs from the Sulphur may be experienced depending on wind direction. Limited to no access to rest rooms available. Inclusive of all fees, water, driver & tour guide.

**Capacity:** 320 passengers

160 passengers - (9am to 12pm)

160 passengers - (1:30pm to 4:30pm)





## Hiking Tours

Take a short 15-minute bus journey to your starting point and experience the flora and fauna of Montserrat's Centre Hills, on one of our specialists guided Hiking tours.

Truly a Nature lover's fantasy!

Experience first-hand the endemic species of Montserrat's wildlife. Get a glimpse of our indigenous National Bird, the Montserrat Oriole, or sights of our rare National Flower, the Heliconia. Immerse yourself in breath taking views of Montserrat from elevated trails above the mainland occupancy. Breathe the freshness of the Montserrat tropical forest and if you're lucky, reap fresh fruits common to Montserrat. Learn about the medicinal uses of the various plants and ancestral methods utilizing local bushes found in the Centre Hills for food consumption and medical purposes. Your Guide is the island's lead Forest Ranger and has over 20 years' experience in the Centre Hill guided tours. He and his team are simply the best and are the most experienced guides you can ask for.

**Duration:** 2.5 hours

**Cost:** \$99 USD

**Pace:** Easy-Moderate

**Key Words:** Outdoor, Wildlife, Sightseeing, Adventure, Walking

### **Please Note:**

Wear comfortable shoes and have drinking water available. Requires moderate fitness. Bring your cameras and Binoculars! Inclusive of all fees, water, transport & tour guide.



**Capacity:** 80 passengers

40 passengers (9:30am to 12:00pm)

40 passengers (1:30pm to 4:00pm)



## History Tour: Museum, National Trust, and Montserrat Volcano Observatory (MVO)

Learn about Montserrat's ancestral history and the origins of much of its cultural identity. Take a journey in the past with a visit to National Museum as its curators educate you on its pre-colonial past and colonial history.



Learn about the Montserrat Folklore, its Icons, and National Heroes.



Then continue with a guided tour of Montserrat to your next destination at the National Trust, where you will take a guided walk through the Trust's Amerindian Gardens of preserved endemic plants. Browse the Trust's Gift shop for local cookbooks, books on Montserrat's endemic birds, intriguing books on Montserrat's history, institutions and people by local historian like Sir Professor Howard Fergus or get yourself souvenirs and other memorabilia. Finally journey to the MVO, interact with scientists, and learn how the Volcano devastated and shaped Modern-day Montserrat. Watch a short 20 min interpretation film which unravels the volcano era.

**Duration:** 2.5 hours

**Cost:** \$138 USD

**Pace:** Easy

**Categories:** Sightseeing, Nature, Bus Tour, Culture.





**Please Note:**

The road to the Observatory is narrow and winding. Driving is on the left-hand side. Persons prone to motion sickness should take the necessary medication prior to the start of the tour. The Observatory has two floors with stairs. Wear comfortable shoes or sandals with rubber soles. The National trust requires an easy walk around the botanical garden. Inclusive of all fees, water, driver & tour guide.

**Capacity:** 96 passengers

48 passengers (9am to 11:30am)

48 passengers (1pm to 3:30pm)

## Coastal Kayaking/Snorkelling Tours

After receiving your safety and kayaking instructions and equipment, embark on your "sit-on-top" ocean kayak and begin your guided kayaking adventure along the north-western coast of Montserrat.

This beautiful volcanic isle is blessed with diverse coral reef, which abounds with interesting and colourful fish and marine life. A short kayak ride along the shorelines will take you to the island's most famous bat caves, which offer a chorus of bat chirps that greet you as you pass the entrance of the caves. Thousands of fruit bats may be seen hanging upside down from the walls and ceilings of the caves and over to the beautiful and secluded, only white sand beach on the island. On arriving at Rendezvous Bay, you will put on your snorkelling gear for a guided snorkelling session, to explore the coral reefs that are home to tropical fish and marine life. Afterwards, have yourself some free time where you can relax and rejuvenate, on the delicate white-sand beach surrounded by crystal clear blue waters.



**Duration:** 2.5 hours

**Cost:** \$140 USD

**Pace:** Moderate-Strenuous

**Key Words:** Boating, Sightseeing, Snorkelling, Adventure.

**Please Note:** You should be able to swim and be physically fit. Access to the bat caves is not permitted. No rest rooms are available at Rendezvous Bay. Inclusive of all fees, water, gears & tour guide.

**Capacity:** 20 passengers

10 passengers (9am to 11:30am)

10 passengers (1pm to 3:30pm)





## Jeep Off-Roading Tours

These adventurous Jeep Off-Roading tours are the most amazing way to experience Montserrat, with a scenic explosion of uncommon sights. The off roading experience on the beautiful Emerald Isle is guaranteed to be exhilarating.



Enjoy some of Montserrat's historic locations and view several of the islands treasured landmarks, as we tackle mountain ranges, to the incredible viewpoints around abandoned areas of the island. Also experience nature one on one, where you can pick your own super fruits on our off roading jeep tours. You will also be provided fresh coconut water to quench your thirst.



**Duration:** 3 hours

**Cost:** \$170 USD

**Pace:** Moderate

**Key Words:** Sightseeing, Culture, Off-Road, Nature, Adventure, Outdoor.

**Please Note:** Course can be rugged at times. Roads can be winding with multiple abandon sights to be explored that have limited to no rest room facilities.

**Capacity:** 40 passengers

20 passengers (9am to 12pm)

20 passengers (1:30pm to 4:30pm)



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