7 DAY CLOUD 9



Destination : Pedro Vicente, Mindo, Tandayapa

DAY 1	Mindo	DAY 1	Mindo	
Travel to Pedro Vicente Nature Hike Night Hike / Light Trapping		Nature Hike Travel to Tandayapa Night Hight / Light Trapping		
DAY 2	Mindo	DAY 2	Mindo	
Butterfly Breeding Center Travel to Mindo Night Hike / Light Trapping		Birdwatching Guided Nature hike Night Hike / Light Trapping		
DAY 3	Mindo	DAY 3	Mindo	
Birdwatching Nature Hike Night Hight / Light Trapping		Nature Hike Tulipe Archeological Site		
DAY 3	Mindo			
Waterfall Way Chocolate Making Coffee Tour		This is a generalize itinerary. Itinerary may change based on weather or availability.		

We'll descend down the western slopes of the Andes until we reach the lowland foothills in the transition forest between the costal lowland forest and the cloud forest. Here, we'll learn about conservation projects amid mining and farming operations while also learning about butterfly ecology at a butterfly breeding farm. Then it's further up the hill to the small town of Mindo where the community thrives on eco-tourism protecting the cloud forest with projects focused on adventure, agriculture, nature and history. After exploring Mindo and all it has to offer, we go even higher into the clouds to Tandayapa where the flora and fauna are strikingly different in comparison its lower elevation counterparts.