



Bali

Questions & Answers

HOW LONG DOES IT TAKE TO FLY THERE?

Garuda Indonesia & Air Australia fly directly to Denpasar (Bali), a journey of approximately 3.5 hours ex Perth, 6.5 hours ex Sydney, 6 hours ex Melbourne and 7.5 hours ex Brisbane.

WILL WE BE MET AND TRANSFERRED?

Yes, where transfers have been included in your arrangements, our operator (Jans' Tours) will have their representative meet you on arrival and transfer you to your hotel.

WHAT ARE THE FORMALITIES & RESTRICTIONS?

A 30 day visa will be issued on arrival. (US\$25.00 Fee Applicable). These visas are not extendable. If a longer duration is required you must organise that through your nearest Indonesian Embassy prior to travel.

Like many of it's Asian neighbours, Indonesia has very strict laws relating to drugs (including possession for personal use), don't risk it! It is also illegal to import weapons, TV sets, radio receivers, fresh fruit, Chinese medicines and anything remotely pornographic.

OFFICIAL LANGUAGE AND RELIGION?

Language: Bahasa Indonesian, although English is widely spoken

Religion: Predominantly Hindu

TRANSPORT: HOW TO GET AROUND?

Sightseeing is readily available through our operator. Otherwise, hire cars/ scooters and taxis (be sure to fix the price prior to departure) are available

WHAT IS THE DRESS CODE?

The dress code in Bali is definitely casual outside of resorts. Take light clothes, as the weather is warm-to-hot throughout the year. There are really only two seasons in Bali - wet and dry. During the wet season the rains usually fall in short spells but it is generally more humid during the day. Nude or topless bathing is forbidden.

WHAT IS THERE TO SHOP FOR?

Bali is a shopper's paradise; modern shopping centres sell a wide range of local and international goods. Day to day wear, to tailored suits or dresses are available in many small stores. Local arts, crafts and furnishings are widely available and are a must see. (Bartering is acceptable)

NIGHT LIFE AND ENTERTAINMENT?

The night scene in Bali is very large, many bars, restaurants and night clubs are located in the Kuta area.

DRINKING WATER?

It's recommended you drink bottled water only.

WHAT IS THE CURRENCY?

The local currency is the Indonesian Rupiah (Rp) which can be found in the denominations from 100 to 100.000; and coins from 25 to 1.000 rupiah denominations. Due to the favourable exchange rate from Australian, New Zealand, U.S., European and other major currencies, we suggest you be extremely careful when exchanging money as you will get a lot of Rupiah notes.

For your own peace of mind, we recommend you use currency exchange services at airports, hotels and banks wherever possible. Small exchange counters and windows offering fantastic exchange rates are normally too good to be true! ATM's are widely available

POWER SUPPLY

220V AC. 2 (round) pin plugs. Adaptors are widely available at many hotels and resorts

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