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DAY-BY-DAY ITINERARY



AMAZON RAINFOREST · DEPARTING FROM MANAUS

Araçá Tour

Everything in the 3-day tour, plus piranhas, legends and riverside culture.

4 days	Pick-up	~5:00 p.m.	From US$ 472
3 NIGHTS	HOTEL OR AIRPORT, DAY 1	BACK IN MANAUS, DAY 4	PER PERSON

YOUR TRIP AT A GLANCE

Araçá Tour



Amazon Ipanema Lodge, your base in the jungle

REGION
Ipanema Lake, primary jungle and riverside communities

SCHEDULE
Day 1, pick-up 7:00 to 7:30 a.m. to Day 4 at ~5 p.m.

BEST FOR
Travelers who want more time in the jungle

ACTIVITY LEVEL
Moderate

The route

1. **Hotel or airport** — Pick-up in Manaus
2. **Ceasa harbor** — Speedboat
3. **Meeting of the Waters** — Negro + Solimões
4. **Careiro** — Road BR-319, about 1 h
5. **Mamori River** — Canoe
6. **Amazon Ipanema Lodge** — Ipanema Lake
7. **Primary jungle** — Camp, night 2
8. **Riverside communities** — Culture and farewell

Day by day

Day 1	**Pick-up, Meeting of the Waters and caimans**	Amazon Ipanema Lodge (air-conditioned room)
Day 2	**Sunrise, river dolphins and a night in the jungle**	Camp in primary jungle (hammocks and mosquito nets)
Day 3	**Jungle skills, piranhas and legends**	Amazon Ipanema Lodge (air-conditioned room)
Day 4	**Riverside culture and return**	Back in Manaus, around 5 p.m.

Days 1 to 3 are the same in every package. The more days you stay, the more experiences you get.

FLIGHT TIP

Arrive in Manaus the day before Day 1 and book your flight out after 8 p.m. on Day 4, or the next morning.



The Meeti



Caiman spotting at night

DAY

1

DEPARTURE DAY

Pick-up, Meeting of the Waters and caimans

Our team picks you up at your hotel in the Manaus metropolitan area or at the airport and takes you to the speedboat at Ceasa harbor. We cross the famous Meeting of the Waters and the tour begins. In Careiro we drive along the BR-319 to the Mamori River (about 1 hour) and board canoes to the Amazon Ipanema Lodge. After check-in and a self-service lunch, at 3 p.m. we head out by motorized canoe into the flooded forest, the igapós, exploring lakes and islands until sunset over Ipanema Lake. At night, after dinner, caiman spotting and the observation of nocturnal animals.

Hour by hour

07:00 — **Pick-up at your hotel or the airport**
Between 7:00 and 7:30, depending on where you are: hotel in the Manaus metropolitan area or Eduardo Gomes airport (MAO). The exact time comes on WhatsApp the day before.

08:00 — **Transfer to the speedboat**
We take you to the speedboat at Ceasa harbor. This is where the tour begins.

08:20 — **Meeting of the Waters**
The dark Rio Negro and the sandy Solimões run side by side for kilometers without mixing, giving birth to the Amazon River. Photo stop.

09:00 — **Careiro and the BR-319**
Landing in Careiro and transfer by road to the Mamori River, about 1 hour.

10:00 — **Canoe to the lodge**
We board the canoes and sail the Mamori River to Ipanema Lake.

11:30 — **Check-in and lunch**
Welcome to the Amazon Ipanema Lodge. Settle into your air-conditioned room, then a self-service lunch with regional food.

15:00 — **Motorized canoe into the igapós**
We explore the flooded forest, its lakes and islands, looking for birds, monkeys, sloths and river dolphins.

17:45 — **Sunset over Ipanema Lake**
The sky turns gold over the water. One of the best photos of the trip.

19:30 — **Dinner at the lodge**

20:30 — **Caiman spotting**
By canoe and flashlight, the guide finds caimans and other nocturnal animals along the banks.

Times are approximate. The guide adapts the schedule to the weather, the river level and the wildlife of the day.

MEALS INCLUDED
Lunch, dinner

OVERNIGHT
Amazon Ipanema Lodge (air-conditioned room)

PICK-UP
7:00 to 7:30 at your hotel in the Manaus metropolitan area or the airport. We take you to the speedboat.

GUIDES
Bilingual local guides, born and raised in the forest.

BRING TODAY
Repellent, sunscreen, hat, water bottle and a headlamp for the night.



Jungle tre



Sunset from the canoe

DAY
2

DAY 2 OF 4

Sunrise, river dolphins and a night in the jungle

The day starts early with a paddle canoe trip to watch the sunrise among exotic birds and wild river dolphins, both grey and pink. Then we trek into the forest to discover its fauna, flora and the fascinating world of insects up close. In the late afternoon we head into primary jungle and set up camp for an unforgettable night in the heart of the forest.

Hour by hour

05:30 — **Sunrise by paddle canoe**
Silent paddling on the lake at dawn, with exotic birds and wild grey and pink river dolphins.

07:30 — **Breakfast at the lodge**

08:30 — **Guided jungle trek**
Fauna, flora and the fascinating world of insects, with a local guide born in the forest.

12:00 — **Lunch at the lodge**

13:30 — **Free time**
Rest in the hammocks or swim in the river where the guide says it is safe.

16:00 — **Into the primary jungle**
We walk into untouched forest and set up camp with hammocks and mosquito nets.

19:00 — **Dinner at the camp**
Around the fire, with the sounds of the forest at night.

20:00 — **A night in the jungle**
Survival techniques with the guide and a night few people ever experience.

Times are approximate. The guide adapts the schedule to the weather, the river level and the wildlife of the day.

MEALS INCLUDED
Breakfast, lunch, dinner

OVERNIGHT
Camp in primary jungle (hammocks and mosquito nets)

STARTS
05:30 · Sunrise by paddle canoe

BRING TODAY
Repellent, sunscreen, hat, water bottle and a headlamp for the night.


Piranha fis


Sunset over the rainforest

DAY
3

DAY 3 OF 4

Jungle skills, piranhas and legends

After a night camping in primary jungle, the day opens with breakfast in the forest. We learn how to climb açaí palms, study tree species, make fire in the humid forest and search for boa constrictors and other mammals. Back at the lodge for a shower and lunch, the afternoon is for piranha fishing, exploring lakes and islands, spotting sloths and river dolphins and a swim in the lake. After dinner, a night canoe trip with caiman spotting and Amazonian tales and legends.

Hour by hour

06:00 — **Wake up in the forest**

06:30 — **Breakfast in the jungle**

07:30 — **Jungle skills**
Climbing açaí palms, learning tree species, making fire in the humid forest and searching for boa constrictors and other mammals.

10:30 — **Back to the lodge**
A good shower and some rest.

12:00 — **Lunch**

14:30 — **Piranha fishing**
With simple bamboo rods, the way locals fish. Exploring lakes and islands, with sloths and river dolphins along the way.

16:30 — **Swim in the dolphins' lake**
Where pink and grey river dolphins live, only where the guide says it is safe.

17:45 — **Sunset on the lake**

19:30 — **Dinner at the lodge**

20:30 — **Night canoe and legends**
Caiman spotting accompanied by Amazonian tales and legends told by the guide.

Times are approximate. The guide adapts the schedule to the weather, the river level and the wildlife of the day.

MEALS INCLUDED
Breakfast, lunch, dinner

OVERNIGHT
Amazon Ipanema Lodge (air-conditioned room)

STARTS
06:00 · Wake up in the forest

BRING TODAY
Repellent, sunscreen, hat, water bottle and a headlamp for the night.



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Sky, forest and water

DAY

4

RETURN DAY

Riverside culture and return

A last sunrise on the lake, then we sail to riverside communities to see cassava plantations, how farinha (cassava flour) is made and rubber extraction, watching sloths and monkeys along the way. Arrival at the lodge around 1 p.m. for lunch and a shower, then the return journey to Manaus, arriving at about 5 p.m.

Hour by hour

05:30 — **Last sunrise on the lake**
Exotic bird watching as the forest wakes up.

07:00 — **Breakfast**

08:00 — **Riverside communities**
Cassava plantations, how farinha (cassava flour) is made, and rubber extraction. Sloths and monkeys along the riverbanks.

13:00 — **Lodge: lunch and shower**

14:00 — **Journey back to Manaus**
Canoe to the Mamori River, road to Careiro and speedboat across the Meeting of the Waters once more.

17:00 — **Arrival in Manaus**
End of the tour in the late afternoon. Book onward flights after 8 p.m.

Times are approximate. The guide adapts the schedule to the weather, the river level and the wildlife of the day.

MEALS INCLUDED

Breakfast, lunch

RETURN

Back in Manaus, around 5 p.m.

STARTS

05:30 · Last sunrise on the lake

FLIGHT TIP

Arrival in Manaus around 5 p.m. Book your flight out after 8 p.m. or the next day.

BEFORE YOU GO

Everything you need to know

What's included

- ✓ Pick-up at your hotel (Manaus metropolitan area) or the airport, and transfer to the speedboat
- ✓ Accommodation as described (air-conditioned room at the lodge; camp or community nights where indicated)
- ✓ All meals throughout the itinerary
- ✓ All the excursions described
- ✓ Round-trip transport Manaus to the lodge (speedboat, road and canoe)
- ✓ Experienced bilingual local guides
- ✓ Camping and jungle equipment

Not included

- ✗ Flights to and from Manaus
- ✗ Hotel in Manaus before and after the tour
- ✗ Internet
- ✗ Drinks at the lodge bar
- ✗ Travel insurance
- ✗ Personal items and tips
- ✗ Optional, at extra cost: private tour and room with hot shower at the lodge (price on the booking page)

What to pack

CLOTHING

- Light long-sleeve shirts and long trousers (quick-dry)
- T-shirts and shorts for the lodge
- Swimwear
- Light rain jacket or poncho
- Hat or cap

FOOTWEAR

- Closed trekking shoes or boots
- Sandals or flip-flops
- Spare socks

PROTECTION

- Insect repellent (DEET or icaridin)
- Sunscreen and sunglasses
- Personal medication

GEAR

- Headlamp or flashlight
- Reusable water bottle
- Dry bag or plastic bags for electronics
- Power bank
- Binoculars (optional)

DOCUMENTS

- Passport or ID
- Copy of your reservation
- Cash in Brazilian reais (bar and tips)

TIP

Keep phone, documents and camera in a dry bag. Canoe trips are part of every day.

Good to know

Climate
Hot and humid all year, usually between 24 and 33 °C, and rain can come at any time. Light clothes that dry fast work best.

River seasons
The water level changes a lot during the year. Your guide adapts routes and activities to the river, the weather and the wildlife of the day.

Luggage
Travel with a small backpack. Most hotels in Manaus store larger luggage while you are in the jungle.

Health
The yellow fever vaccine is recommended for the Amazon (at least 10 days before the trip). Check with your doctor or a travel clinic.

Connectivity
Expect little or no phone signal and no internet in the jungle. Let family know before you go.

Safety
Always follow the guide's instructions. Swimming only where the guide says it is safe.



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02

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03

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