

## Bako National Park

DURATION: 8 HOURS

CAPACITY: RECOMMENDED GROUP SIZE 120 PAX

Bako National Park offers visitors the perfect introduction to Sarawak's native vegetation and wildlife. It is situated on the northern tip of the Muara Tebas Peninsula and covers 27 sq km in a coastal rainforest environment. Bako is renowned for its botanical richness, vegetation diversity and wildlife that extend out to coastal beaches and coves.

The first leg of the journey, which passes by a mangrove forest with its unique nipah palms, takes approximately 45 minutes from Kuching to the Bako Fishing Village by coach. Then embark onto a boat for a 30-minute cruise along the coast facing the calm South China Sea to reach the Bako National Park.

Upon arrival guests will pay a visit to the Park's information and exhibition centre for an overview of what is in store throughout the exploration. Enjoy a walk along well-planned trails with an abundance of flora and fauna under the cool shady forest canopy and trek through the mangrove forest to observe the mudskippers and blue-fiddler crabs. Then it's on to the Paku trail for a climb to the plateau for a worthwhile view of various botanical gems and several unusual species of the carnivorous pitcher plants.

Along the trail guests will see winding creepers and vines, long tailed macaques and silver leaf monkeys too. Wild boars, squirrels and monitor lizards are common sights in the park and guests may even get a chance to peek on the shy Proboscis monkeys during low tide with the help of the guide. The tour is made all the more unforgettable with the sight of the phenomenon "Sea Stack", a natural formation of iron stained rocks and hemispherical cavities.



### ENCHANCEMENTS

- ☞ Picnic lunch on the beach with full set up
- ☞ Beach towels with embroidered company logo for each guest