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Eid escapes 2025: Where to travel this UAE long weekend

Your editor-approved guide to long weekend trips with wow-factor...

We already know that there's a UAE long weekend on the way. And although it's yet to be confirmed whether Eid Al Fitr will be a four- or five-day public holiday in the UAE, we do know it's the perfect opportunity to jet off for a fabulous break.

If you're unsure how to spend the Eid holiday, we've got some wanderlust-inducing travel inspo that will take you from golden deserts to sparkling private islands.

Remote wilderness in Rajasthan, India



Flight time from Dubai: 3 hours to Delhi, 1 hour connecting to Jodhpur

The stay: Trade soaring city skyscrapers for stretching wilderness at SUJAN JAWAI, a breathtaking retreat backdropped by unspoiled natural beauty. Just 10 luxurious tents make up this sumptuous eco camp, where responsible luxury and sustainability come together to create a magical destination. Spend unforgettable days on wilderness adventures and tracking leopards, wake up to breakfasts in the bush, enjoy sunset yoga outdoors and dine on local flavours under the starry night's sky.

Rates: From AED6,210.

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A seaside escape in Sri Lanka



Flight time from Dubai: 4 hours 30 minutes

The stay: Sri Lanka is a popular travel destination for UAE residents, with its vast and varied topography providing the perfect backdrop for trips for friends, families and couples. Among its grand dames, Cape Weligama sits pretty on the palm tree-fringed shores of the South coast, and envelopes guests in oceanic-inspired activities, gourmet cuisine, and local culture. Check in to one of the clifftop villas, soak up the sun from the crescent-shaped infinity pool, and accept the call of the wild with whale watching and crocodile river cruises.

Rates: From AED3,560

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