



225<sup>\$</sup>
2 persons



## ITINERARY FULL-DAY MINDO

To the northwest, two hours from Quito, passing by the well-known Monument to the Middle of the World, we have Mindo with its warm and humid climate due to its location on the border between two regions: the Andes and the Ecuadorian Coast. This cloud forest is visited by biologists, birdwatchers, scientists, and adventurers.

- Pick-up at 07:30.
- Visit the Butterfly Farm and Orchid Garden

Step into a tropical paradise filled with vibrant butterflies of all shapes and sizes. Wander among lush plants and flowers as these colorful insects flutter around you. Learn about their life cycles and unique behaviors from knowledgeable guides. Additionally, Mindo is renowned for its incredible orchid diversity, and you'll have the chance to admire these intricate and rare blooms. Discover the fascinating adaptations and stories behind these captivating flowers.

## • Tarabita and hike to the River.

After this extreme experience, we'll cross the river using a "tarabita" and walk along different trails to reach the river for swimming. If we're lucky, we may spot some types of birds flying alongside us.



· Visit to the artisanal chocolate factory.

Delve into the world of chocolate making at Yumbos, where you'll learn about the chocolate production process from cacao bean to delectable treats.

· Return to the hotel in Quito.

## Includes:

- Authorized and comfortable touristic transportation.
- Certificate bilingual guide for each activity.

## Not Included:

- Entrance tickets to the butterfly farm and chocolate factory.
- Lunch
- Tips.
- Snacks.
- Extra food and beverage.
- Extra activities.
- Trabita or Zip-line.

**Equipment needed:** Comfortable clothing, warm layers, windbreaker jacket (optional), camera, sunscreen, and comfortable shoes for walking on hilly terrain.









