

**Democratic
Socialist
Republic of Sri
Lanka**





- Is an island country in **South Asia**;
- Sri Lanka means «**Blessed Land**» in Sanskrit;
- **Lankans** – so officially called the people of Sri Lanka;
- **Ceylon**-the former name of the country, until 1972.



- The elephant is the symbol of the country. The penalty for killing an elephant is life imprisonment;
- The actual but not official capital of the country is the city of Colombo;
- Sri Lanka is the world's third largest tea producer

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- Only two languages here have the status of state — Tamil and Sinhala;
- The alphabet consists of 18 consonants and 12 vowels;
- Nouns do not have gender, number, or case categories for adjectives;
- The verb is characterized by the categories of person, number, gender, tense, and mood.

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String hoppers



Kottu



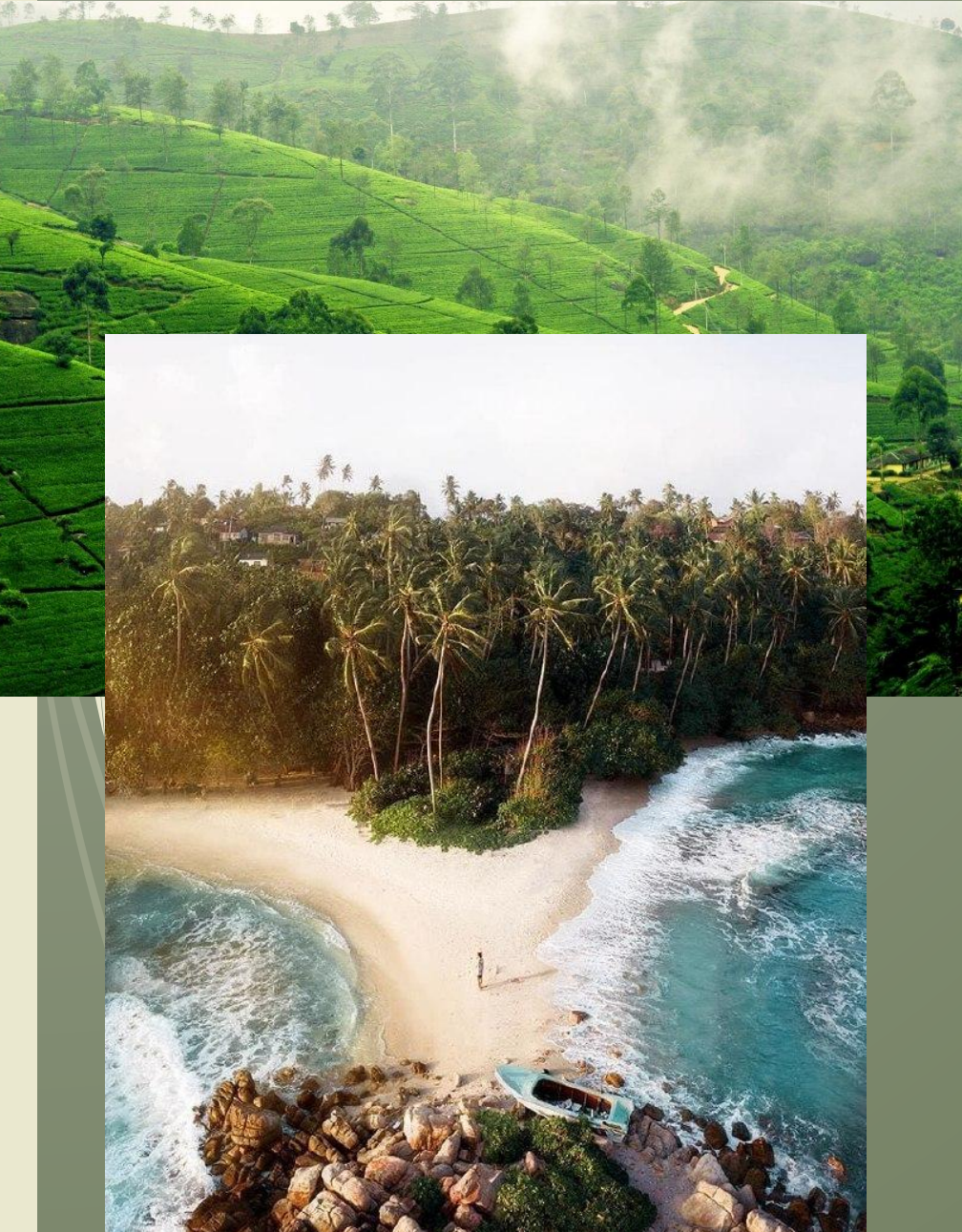
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Interesting facts about Sri Lanka



- ❑ The most popular dessert delicacy in Sri Lanka is ice cream.
- ❑ In cheap street cafes, sliced Newspapers are used instead of napkins.
- ❑ The front seats on buses in Sri Lanka are reserved for monks and pregnant women.
- ❑ When a daughter is married off, the parents must give her a house and a car.
- ❑ The numbers 9 and 12 are considered the happiest.
- ❑ On weekdays, alcoholic beverages can only be purchased in special stores.

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Sini Launka

A photograph of a beach with waves crashing onto the shore. The sky is a clear, pale blue. The water is a vibrant greenish-blue. The sand is a warm, golden-brown color. Overlaid on the water is a large, white, brushstroke-style signature that reads "Sini Launka". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing font. The background image shows a small boat on the horizon and some footprints in the sand in the foreground.