

Windermere Estate - Munnar, Kerala



The Windermere Estate At Night

Plantation Bungalow Hotel High In The Western Ghats



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About Windermere Estate

Windermere Estate is a beautiful planter's retreat in the hills, situated 1600m above sea-level in the upper reaches of the **Western Ghats** a short drive from the tea-growing hill station town of **Munnar**. The town was a favoured summer retreat for the **British** during colonial times due to its cooler climes and spectacular scenery. **The Windermere Estate** offers breathtaking views, spacious and comfortable rooms, attentive service and accomplished food. The plantation grows cardamom, pepper, tea and coffee.



Cottage Room At The Windermere Estate



Verandah Views



Fine Dining At Windermere Estate

Rooms

Windermere has 5 **Farmhouse Rooms**, 4 **Garden Facing Rooms** and 8 **Cottages**. The split-level 'Farmhouse' has five small rooms around a garden and a communal verandah. The two cottages, are enormous and sparsely furnished. Cottage bathrooms are similarly outside, and the picture windows bring the mountains to you. Room amenities include telephones and televisions in all rooms.

Fine Dining

Dining facilities include **Pine Top** restaurant serving table d'hote, a tea and snack bar called **The Hut**, and the **Boulder Garden** for bonfire and barbeques. **On the Rocks** is a boulder that dominates the property, with its stunning 360 degree views. There is a telescope providing a 360° uninterrupted breathtaking view of **Munnar**.



New Cottage At Windermere Estate



The Western Ghats



Old Cottage At Windermere Estate

Facilities

Day treks are organised in the surrounding countryside, including visits to **Eravikulam National Park**, about 19km away, to see the **Nilgiri Tahr**, a rare species of mountain goat. **Mattupetty Dam** is 13km and offers some wonderful boating opportunities. One may also trek through 60 acres of meandering greenery of the **Windermere Cardamom Estate**.

Guides can also take you on an early morning trek, winding up through the hardy tea plants to the top of **Chokkan Mudi** at 2,500m, overlooking **Windermere** (two hours), or to **Attukkad Waterfall** (40 minutes). Since you're in the midst of **Tata** tea country, this is the place to visit a tea museum, where the history, processing and art of making a cup of tea are all revealed.



The Garden At Windermere Estate

Hotel Website: <http://www.windmeremunnar.com>