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MAJOR TOURIST DESTINATIONS IN IDUKKI DISTRICT , KERALA.

Eravikulam National Park is the first national park in Kerala which is spread over 97 sq kms . This heavenly land which consist of high altitude grasslands ,rare species of flora and fauna,many perinneal streams,forests, hill plantations and water falls . Another attraction of this park is the scenery of mass blooming of Neelakurinji - which grows once in 12 years .

Idukki Dam is a double curvature Arch dam constructed across the Periyar River in a narrow gorge between two granite hills locally known as Kuravan and Kurathi in Mariyapuram village in Idukki District in Kerala, India. it is one of the highest arch dams in Asia. It is constructed and owned by the Kerala State Electricity Board.

Mangala Devi Kannagi temple is a historic temple located in the Idukki District of Kerala bordering Tamil Nadu, about 7 km from Pazhiyankudi in Theni district and 15 km from Thekkady in Idukki district. Cheran Chenguttuvan, the king of ancient Tamilakam, had erected the temple for Kannagi around 2000 years back .

Anchuruli is an emerging elegant tourist destination in the state of Kerala.It is located in the Idukki district .The name Anchuruli means five Vessels from where we will get a magnificent view of five mighty hills of Idukki.It is the catchment area of Idukki Arch Dam in Kanjiyaar village near kattappana.

Anamudi peak is located in Eravikulam National Park and u will find out different species of animals like Asian elephants, Nilgiri Tahrs etc. The peak offers a breathtaking view of the valley and hills around. We can see tea plantations , spice plantations and the wildlife in the area. The area is covered with evergreen forests of bamboos and teak trees, and as you walk down the path, Also see the rivers flowing through the valley.