

Day 1 - Pick up From Bagdogra Airport / NJP Station - Transfer to Phuentsholing - Immigration Formalities - Night Stay

(Distance: 155 km / Driving Time: 4 hr / Altitude of Phuentsholing: 293m)

On the arrival of the guest at Bagdogra Airport / NJP Station , One of our representative will be there to assist you. After meeting & greeting , will transfer towards Phuentsholing. At Phuentsholing , clear the immigration formalities at Pedestrian Terminal. Once you get the inner – line permit. Check into your pre - booked hotel. After refreshment , take a rest. Evening leisure in the main market at Phuentsholing by walking. Overnight stay at Phuentsholing. (Altitude 293m)

Day 02: Immigration Formalities - Transfer to Thimphu - Night Stay

(Distance: 163km / Driving Time: 6 hr / Altitude of Thimphu: 2334m)

After morning breakfast , clear the immigration formalities in immigration office. Once you get the inner-line permit drive towards Thimphu , which take almost 6 hrs drive to reach. On the way you can visit **Kharbandi Gumba**. The journey will be beautiful surrounded by mountain. On the way to Thimphu see the waterfall . Once you reach Thimphu. Check into your pre-booked hotel & after refresh and take rest.

- **Bhutan gate**
- **Kharbandi Gumba**
- **Waterfall**

Evening time can be spent strolling through the government-run Handicrafts Emporium and local crafts bazaar, to browse through examples of Bhutan's fine traditional arts. Here you can buy hand-woven textiles, thangka paintings, masks, ceramics, slate and wood carvings, jewellery, and interesting items made from local materials. Overnight at the hotel in Thimphu. (Altitude 2,320m)

Day 03 - Full Day Thimphu Sightseeing - Night Stay

Thimphu is the capital of Bhutan. After morning breakfast , you can start your local sightseeing at Thimphu by cover these places below.

- **National Memorial Chorten**
- **Tashidzong**
- **Folk Heritage Museum**
- **Buddha Point**
- **Thimphu Post Office**
- **Simply Bhutan**
- **National Librerary**

- Changangkha Lhakhang
- Motithang Takin Preserve
- Handicraft Market

Overnight at the hotel in Thimphu. (Altitude 2,320m)

Day 04 - Transfer Thimphu to Punakha Sightseeing - Night Stay

(Distance: 74km / Driving Time: 3 hr / Altitude of Punakha: 1300m)

After morning Breakfast , transfer to Punakha from Thimphu which take approx 3 hr. On the way cover below places in sightseeing. After sightseeing check in to your pre-booked hotel & evening time free for leisure in the hotel .

Later visit :-

Dochula Pass

The Dochula Pass is a mountain pass in the snow covered Himalayas within Bhutan on the road from Thimphu to Punakha where 108 memorial chortens or stupas known as "Druk Wangyal Chortens" have been built by Ashi Dorji Wangmo Wangchuk, the eldest Queen Mother. Apart from the chortens there is a monastery called the Druk Wangyal Lhakhang (temple), built in honour of the fourth Druk Gyalpo (head of the state of Bhutan), Jigme Singye Wangchuck; the open grounds in its front yard is a venue for the annual Dochula Druk Wangyel Festival. The pass with 108 memorial chortens is adjacent to the country's first Royal Botanical Park.

Later visit :-

Chimi Lhakhang

The Chimi Lhakhang, situated on a hillock in the centre of the valley, is also known as the temple of fertility. It is widely believed that couples who do not have children and want one, if they pray at this temple, they are usually blessed with a child very soon. A walk through the village near the temple will give you rare glimpses into the daily life and lifestyle of the villagers.

Punakha Dzong

It was built in 1637 by Shabdrung Ngawang Namgyal, at the junction of the Phochu and Mochu rivers. This majestic dzong served as both the religious and the administrative center of Bhutan in the past. It measures some 600 by 240 feet and has a six-story, gold-domed tower. Inside are courtyards and religious statuary that hint at the depth of history and spiritual tradition embodied here.

- Punakha Suspension Bridge
- White River rafting

Overnight at the hotel in Punakha. (Altitude 1300m)

Day 05 : Excurtion to Gangtey/ Phobjikha valley

(Distance: 160km / Driving Time: 5hr / Altitude of Phobjikha: 3000 mts.)

After breakfast,

Phobjikha is a wide glacial valley with a central stream meandering through the open grassland and thickets of dwarf bamboo. Farmlands occupy the peripheral slopes where potatoes and turnips are grown. The forests beyond the farms are mostly coniferous. The general vegetation is composed of mainly blue pine, birch, maple and several species of rhododendrons. The Central Valley inhabited by the cranes in winter has mostly dwarf bamboo. The repeated grazing of the bamboos by the local cattle and horses in summer prepares the ground for the wintering cranes. The magnificent Black-necked Cranes heighten the breathtaking scenery of Phobjikha in winter.

You can also visit Gangtey Gompha. Evening return back to Punakha.

Overnight at the hotel in Punakha (Altitude 1,300m)

Day 06 - Transfer Punakha to Paro - Paro Local Sightseeing - Night Stay

(Distance: 115km / Driving Time: 3.5 hr / Altitude of Paro: 2200m)

After morning breakfast, Transfer to Paro , it take 4hr to reach at Paro from Punakha.

Cover 2-local sightseeing at Paro. After done with sightseeing check into your pre-booked hotel and take a rest. Evening Scroll in the local market or town by walking.

Over night halt at paro hotel.

Later Sightseeing:

Ta Dzong (National Museum)

Ta-Dzong, an ancient watchtower, which now houses the National Museum. It is located about five and a half kilometers away from the main town of Paro and 500 feet from the Rinpung Dzong located below the museum. Cameras are not allowed inside the museum, but you can photograph the ta dzong and surrounding grounds.

Rinpung Dzong (Paro Dzong)

The construction of the Rinpung Dzong (Paro Dzong) began in 1644 on the order of Zhabdrung Ngawang Namgyal, the unifier of modern-day Bhutan. Unlike most of the other dzongs in Bhutan, it survived the massive 1897 earthquake though it was damaged by fire in 1906. Paro Dzong's full name is Rinpung Dzong, which means 'the fortress of the heap of jewels'. The approach toward the Dzong is through a traditional covered bridge called the Nemi Zam. A paved stone path runs alongside the imposing outer walls of the structure. The valley's annual springtime religious festival called the Paro Tsechu is organized each year in the courtyard of the dzong and is attended by tourists from all over the world.

Overnight at the hotel in Paro. (Altitude 2,280m)

Day 07 : Tiger's Nest Monastery Hike

After an early breakfast,

Taktsang Monastery it may take 6 hr (to n fro). Suggest to take a hot Stone bath & Spa after trekking for body relaxing and take a rest .Evening free for exploratory walk around Main Street and market area by walking.

Tiger's Nest Monastery (Taktsang Lhakhang) is Bhutan's most iconic landmark and religious site. The name Taktsang translates to "The Tiger's Nest". This temple is one of the most holy sites in the kingdom. It is believed that Padmasambhava (Guru Rinpoche) flew to this location from Tibet on the back of a tigress from Khenpajong. This place was consecrated to tame the Tiger demon, was first built in 1692 at a cave where Guru Rinpoche meditated in a cave.

In order to arrive at the temple you must trek for around 2-3 hours through beautiful, shady pine forests that are colorfully festooned with moss and prayer flags.

- Taktsang Monastery (Tiger's Nest Monastery Trekking)
- Hot Stone Bath & Spa
- Paro Local Market by walking

Evening free for leisure.

Overnight stay at hotel at Paro.(Altitude 2200 mts)

Day 08 : Excursion to Chele-La-Pass

(Distance: 70km / Driving Time: 4hr / Altitude of Chele-la-Pass: 3988 mts.)

After breakfast,

Excursion to **Chele-La-Pass**

The 35km drive to cheli la makes an interesting road excursion and is an excellent jumping-off point for day walks. Chele la separates Haa and Paro valley and at 3988m, it is one of the highest motor able pass in Bhutan. The drive till here from either Paro or Haa is through dense spruce and larch forests according to the seasons. On a clear day, there are spectacular views of Mt. Jumolhari, Jichu Drake and adjoining peaks to the North West, as well as the view of Haa and Paro valley.

Later drive back to Paro.

Evening free for leisure.

Overnight at the hotel in Paro. (Altitude 2,280m)

Day 09 - Paro Local Sightseeing - Drive to Phuentsholing - Night Stay

(Distance: 142km / Driving Time: 5hr / Altitude of Phuentsholing: 293 mts.)

After morning breakfast , start local sightseeing at Paro - covering below places - After finished with your sightseeing drive to Phuentsholing - check into your pre -booked hotel at Jaigaon - evening free for leisure in the town to explore by walking.

Overnight stay at hotel at Phuntsholing.

- Bhutnese traditional dress center
- Rinpung Dzong
- Kichu Lhakhang
- National Museum of Bhutan

Day 10: Drop Phuentsholing to Bagdogra Airport (4hrs drive)

(Distance: 155 km / Driving Time: 4 hr)

After breakfast check out from hotel and drop at Bagdogra Airport / NJP Station for your onward journey via Phuentsholing. As you go home let the everlasting memory of the radiant Himalayas and this beautiful serene kingdom linger in your mind and prompt you now and again to revisit this place.

HOTELS ENVISAGED WITH 3 STAR CATEGORY

DESTINATION	PHUENTSHOLING	THIMPHU	PUNAKHA	PARO
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RATES PER PERSON ON TWIN SHARING BASIS

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DELUXE PACKAGE WITH 3 STAR HOTEL	50300/- PER PERSON	43500/- PER PERSON	41700/- PER PERSON	40000/- PER PERSON	37900/- PER PERSON

BOOKING POLICY :-

- 30% of the total package to be paid as advance for booking the TRIP. (A confirmation mail be granted for above.)
- Remaining 70% to be paid before once we send you your confirmation of permit.

***The balance of the total package cost is to be paid before the trip.**

Cost Includes

- ❖ Assistance upon arrival & departure
- ❖ All accommodation on double occupancy basis as per above
- ❖ Meals on MAP basis (09 Breakfast & Dinner included)
- ❖ All transportation by as per the itinerary
- ❖ Pick-up & Drop
- ❖ Protected Area Permits (PAP)
- ❖ Fuel, driver allowances
- ❖ SDF Charges 1200/- PER PERSON PER NIGHT
- ❖ 1 Tourist Guide (from day 2-9)
- ❖ 1 bottle water per person per day
- ❖ 1 Tourist Sim card
- ❖ Travel Insurance
- ❖ Rates are valid for Indian Nationals only.

Cost Excludes

- ❖ Air Fare
- ❖ Entrance fee for monasteries/palaces, etc.
- ❖ Expenses of personal nature, such as River Rafting , laundry, telephone calls , alcoholic beverages, mini bar charges, tips, portage, camera fees, room heater, etc.
- ❖ Any meals and services not specifically mentioned in the inclusions
- ❖ Any expense incurred or loss caused by reasons beyond our control such as bad weather, natural calamities (landslides, floods), flight delays / rescheduling / cancellations, any accidents / medical evacuations, riots/strikes/war/road blocks, &force majeure events, etc.
- ❖ Medical costs/ oxygen cylinder.
- ❖ Additional sightseeing charges or extra usage of vehicle apart from the suggested itinerary.
- ❖ GST 5 %

Rules for visit to Bhutan

- PASSPORT OR VOTER ID CARD 18 YEARS AND ABOVE (CARRY ORIGINAL DOCUMENT)
- FOR CHILD BELOW 18 YEARS PASSPORT OR BIRTH CERTIFICATE (ENGLISH WRITTEN CERTIFICATE)
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- SDF CHARGES COMPULSORY 1200/- PP PER NIGHT FOR ADULTS (13 YEARS AND ABOVE)

- 600/- PER CHILD PER NIGHT BETWEEN (6-12 YEARS)
- CHILD BETWEEN 1-5 NO SDF CHARGE REQUIRED.
- PASSPORT SIZE PHOTOGRAPH REQUIRED
- DOCUMENTS PHOTOCOPY REQUIRED
- TRAVEL INSURANCE REQUIRED

PLEASE NOTE PASSPORT EXPIRED DATE SHOULD BE MINIMUM OF 6 MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF TRAVEL

Regards



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