

Durations: 09 Nights / 10 Days

Destinations: Kathmandu - Pokhra - Lumbini - Sravasti - Kushinagar - Varanasi - Bodhgaya - Rajgir - Nalanda - Patna

Day 01: Kathmandu Arrival

Arrive Kathmandu, Meet & greet and then we will proceed for sightseeing of Kathmandu City - Durbar Square complex of palaces, courtyards and temples, built between the 12th and 18th centuries, used to be the seat of the ancient Malla kings of Kathmandu. An intriguing piece here is the 17th century stone inscription set into the wall of the palace with writings in 15 languages. The Durbar Square, protected as a UNESCO as a world heritage site, is the social, religious and urban focal point of the city. There are also museums inside the palace building. Pashupatinath Temple - One of the most sacred hindu shrines in the world, pashupatinath lies 5 Km east of the city center . The richly-ornamented pagoda houses the sacred linga, or phallic symbol, of Lord Shiva. Chronical indicates the temple's existence prior to 400 AD. Devotees can be seen taking ritual dips in the holy Bagmati river flowing beside the temple, also a World heritage site. Boudnath Stupa: lies about 6 km to the east of downtown Kathmandu and is the largest stupa in the valley. It looms 36 meters high and present one of the most fascinating specimens of stupa design. Boudhnath a world heritage, is also known as Khasti. There are more than 45 Buddhist monasteries in the area. Overnight at hotel.

Day 02: Kathmandu - Pokhra

After breakfast drive to Pokhra which will take about 6 hours drive and is about 200 Km. Pokhara is a place of remarkable natural beauty. The serenity of Phewa Lake and the magnificence of the fish tail summit rising behind it create an ambiance of peace and masic. At an elevation lower than Kathmandu, it has much more tropical feel to it, a fact well appreciated by the beautiful diversity of flowers which prosper in its environ. Indeed, the valley surrounding pokhara is home to thick forest, gushing rivers, emerald lakes and of course, the world famous, Views of the Himalayas. Overnight at hotel.

Day 03: Pokhra - Lumbini

Early morning drive to Sarangkot for Sunrise. After breakfast tour of Pokhara town and Boating at Phewa Lake. After noon drive to Lumbini. On arrival visit birth place of Lord Buddha. Overnight at hotel.

Day 04: Lumbini - Sravasti

After breakfast morning drive to Sravasti. Upon arrival at Sravasti transfer to hotel and proceed for lunch. After lunch visit Jetvanaram and Angulimal Caves. Overnight at Hotel.

Day 05: Sravasti - Kushinagar

After breakfast at hotel then drive to Kushinagar. Arrive Kushinagar proceed for after lunch proceed to visit Mahaparinirvana temple and Ramabha Stupa (Cremation centre). Check-in hotel. Overnight at hotel.

Day 06: Kushinagar - Varanasi

After breakfast at hotel then drive to Varanasi. On arrival check in to the hotel and then proceed to Sarnath (14 kms), Visit Dhamekha Stupa and Deer park. Back to Varanasi & Check-in hotel. Overnight at hotel.

Day 07: Varanasi - Bodhgaya

Early morning proceed for boat ride on holy river the Ganges with picturesque view of sunrise. Back hotel for breakfast, after breakfast at hotel then drive to Bodhgaya, which is 250 kms (05 hrs drive) arrive at bodhgaya & transfer to hotel. Evening free for meditation at Mahabodhi premises. Overnight at hotel.

Day 08: Bodhgaya

After breakfast proceed for full day tour to Bodhgaya visit Mahabodhi Temple, Sujata Village, Niranjana river, 80 feet high lord Buddha Statue & Various international monasteries. Overnight at hotel.

Day 09: Bodhgaya - Rajgir /Nalanda - Bodhgaya

After breakfast at hotel. Excursion to Rajgir (65 Kms). visit Gridhkutta (Vulture's peak), World Peace Stupa, Venuvanaram & Bimbisar Prison. After lunch drive to Nalanda (12 kms) to visit the ruins of world ancient University. It was one of the oldest Universities of the World & International Centre for Buddhist Studies. Thereafter drive back to Bodhgaya, on arrival transfer to hotel. Overnight at hotel.

Day 10: Bodhgaya - Patna Departure:

After breakfast at hotel day at leisure. After Lunch drive to Patna. On arrival transfer to airport to connect the flight for onward destination.

COST DETAILS FOR PACKAGE (Rates Valid from 1st Apr'2016 till 30th Sep, 2016)

Per Person Price

CATEGORY	STANDARD	DELUXE	LUXURY
MIN. 2 PAX	34434	40663	49335
MIN. 4 PAX	23711	29939	38611
MIN. 6 PAX	18354	24582	33254

HOTEL DETAILS

CATEGORY	STANDARD	DELUXE	LUXURY
Kathmandu	Backyard Hotel	Mirage Lords Inn	Hotel Vaishali
Pokhara	Hotel Himalayan Inn	Hotel Landmark	Waterfront Resort
Lumbini	Lumbini Bamboo Resort	Hotel Nirvana	Buddha Maya Garden Hotel
Sravasti	Rahi Tourist Bungalow	Hotel Pawan Palace	Lotus Nikko Hotel
Kushinagar	Rahi Pathik Niwas	Olive Tree Hotel	Lotus Nikko Hotel
Varanasi	Hotel R B International	Hotel Vibharash	Hindustan Hotel
Bodhgaya	Hotel Vipassana	Hotel Heritage	Hotel Bodhgaya Regency

PACKAGE INCLUSIONS

- Welcome drink on arrival.
- Accommodation on Double / Twin Sharing Basis as Per Package Selected.
- Daily Breakfast.
- All Sightseeing as per Itinerary.
- All Transportation and Sightseeing by Indigo/Innova.
- All permit fees & hotel taxes (as per itinerary).

PACKAGE EXCLUSIONS

- Any Kind of Personal Expenses or Optional Tours / Extra Meals Ordered.
- Tips, Insurance, Laundry, Phone Calls.
- Any Kind of Drinks (Alcoholic, Mineral, Aerated).
- Cost incidental to any change in the itinerary/ stay on account of flight cancellation due to bad weather, ill health, roadblocks and/or any factors beyond control.
- Service Tax.

