



India and Nepal, 12 Days · Classic tour

Golden Triangle and Kathmandu

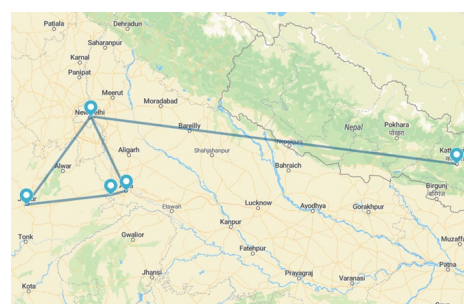
If you've ever dreamt about the India of maharajas and princesses, vivid colours and stunning sunsets, then come and join us on a journey that will give you the chance to discover Delhi, with its unique harmony of old and new, combined with real-life charm and amazing buildings; Jaipur and its pink façades where time seems to come to a standstill; the magnificent Amber Fort, which commands the surrounding plain from its heights; Fatehpur Sikri, a mute witness to an ancient time when kings would build cities following the designs of scholars and prophets; and Agra, the city where craftsmen from all over the world gave birth to a monument where stone weaves a love story like no other, the Taj Mahal.

To finish, you'll get to explore the capital of Nepal, Kathmandu, a city nestled at the foot of the Himalayas where mysticism and art fuse with vibrant streets and unparalleled views.

Are you up for it?

Departure date: Departures from October 2026 till March 2027

From: London, Birmingham, Manchester, Glasgow, Edinburgh



ARCHAEOLOGICAL

CULTURAL

Travel details

● DAY 1 · CITY OF ORIGIN - DELHI

Day 1: Departure with destination Delhi. Arrival and transfer to the hotel. Accommodation.

● DAY 2 · DELHI

Includes : Breakfast - Dinner

Day 2: Breakfast. In the morning we'll visit Old Delhi, stopping at Jama Masjid (the country's largest mosque) and the Red Fort (one of the most opulent forts of the Mughal empire), followed by a fascinating rickshaw ride along the streets of the historic quarter. We'll continue our tour round Delhi with a trip to the Raj Ghat (memorial to Gandhi), the India Gate, the Parliament building, the presidential palace and Qutub Minar, the tallest minaret in the world at seventy-three metres. And to round the day off, a tour of a fascinating Sikh temple. Dinner and overnight stay.

● DAY 3 · DELHI - JAIPUR

Includes : Breakfast - Dinner

Day 3: Breakfast. Morning departure by road to Jaipur, the capital of Rajasthan, with its famous dark pink buildings, the colour representing hospitality in Rajput tradition. Founded by Raja Jai Singh in the eighteenth century, it's surrounded by hills crowned by forts and palaces that have inspired many a fairy tale. Camels roaming around and locals dressed in bright colours reflect the unique cultural heritage of Jaipur. Meanwhile, the markets are bursting with wonderful handicrafts that reflect the true Rajasthani character. A perfect day in the city of love, legends and traditions. In the afternoon, we will visit a Hindu temple. Dinner and overnight stay. Note: a technical visit to a textile factory is included.

● DAY 4 · JAIPUR - AMBER - JAIPUR

Includes : Breakfast - Dinner

Day 4: Breakfast. Early departure from the hotel to Amber Fort. We'll climb to the top of the hill where we'll find Amber Fort and its ramparts, which command fantastic views over the historic city of the Kings of Amber and over to Maota Lake. In the afternoon, sightseeing tour of Jaipur, stopping at places such as the Maharaja Palace (also known as the city palace). It's a former royal residence converted into a museum, although a small wing is still used by the royal family of Jaipur. The tour continues with a stop at Jantar Mantar, which is the world's largest astronomical observatory, built in stone and marble by Jai Singh between 1728 and 1734. En route there'll be a brief stop for the typical photo of Hawa Mahal (Palace of the Breeze). This five-storey palace was built in 1799 and is one of the best examples of the artistic talent of the Rajputs, who built it so that the ladies of the court could entertain themselves by watching the hustle-and-bustle of the city. Dinner and overnight stay.

● DAY 5 · JAIPUR - FATEHPUR SIKRI - AGRA

Includes : Breakfast - Dinner

Day 5: Breakfast. Morning departure by road to Agra, En route we'll visit the Chand Baori stepwell in Abhaneri. Onward journey to the abandoned city of Fatehpur Sikri and its palace, built by King Akbar in the sixteenth century, where prominent civil buildings include Diwan-i-Am (the Hall of Audience), Diwan-i-Khas (the Hall of Private Audiences), the Jodhabai Palace, Birbal's House, Mariam's House, and the Panch Mahal Palace. Onward journey to Agra. Arrival and transfer to the hotel. Dinner and overnight stay.

● DAY 6 · AGRA

Includes : Breakfast - Dinner

Day 6: Breakfast. At first thing, we'll head off to the Taj Mahal, a truly jaw-dropping monument to love with architecture in white marble. Shah Jahan ordered its construction as an expression of his love for his beautiful wife, Mumtaz Mahal. Work of Persian architect Ustad Isa, it took twenty-two years to build and has become one of the wonders of the world. It has a stunning design, perfect symmetry, elegantly carved domes and the best stone inlays ever seen, among other works of genius. Later we'll visit Agra Fort, which was built by Emperor Akbar between 1565 and 1573 and reflects the Mughal talent for combining defensive architecture with beauty and design. This fort-palace was started by Akbar as a purely defensive citadel and was later completed by two successive generations, who added the delicate marble mosaic work and the magnificent palaces. The fort commands a magical view of the Taj Mahal. Then we'll visit Itmad-ud-Daulah, nicknamed the Baby Taj, an exquisite tomb in honour of Mirza Ghiyas Beg built by his daughter. Dinner and overnight stay. Note: a technical visit to a marble workshop is included.

● DAY 7 · AGRA - DELHI

Includes : Breakfast - Dinner

Day 7: Breakfast. Departure by road to Delhi. On arrival, if there's enough time, we recommend a trip to the Akshardham Temple (not included: entrance paid at the destination). Dinner at a local restaurant. Transfer back to the hotel.

● DAY 8 · DELHI - KATHMANDU

Includes : Breakfast

Day 8: Breakfast. At the prearranged time, transfer to the airport for the flight to Kathmandu, in Nepal. Arrival, transfer to hotel and overnight stay.

● DAYS 9-10 · KATHMANDU

Includes : Breakfast - Breakfast

Day 9: Breakfast. Visit to the hilltop Buddhist Temple of Swayambhunath to the west of the city. It's nicknamed the Monkey Temple because of the troop of monkeys that live on the hill. Afterwards, we'll set off on an excursion to Patan, known as the city of fine arts, packed with Hindu temples and Buddhist monuments. Return to the city to visit Durbar Square, the historical seat of royalty. With its ancient temples and palaces, it represents the epitome of the city's religious and cultural life. It's also where Nepalese monarchs are solemnly crowned. Overnight stay in Kathmandu.

Day 10: Breakfast. Tour of the Boudhanath Stupa, which is located eight kilometres east of Kathmandu. This ancient and colossal stupa is one of the largest in the whole world and is considered the global hub of Tibetan Buddhism. Then we'll visit Pashupatinath, a temple dedicated to Lord Shiva. With two floors of gilded roofs and silver doors, this is one of the most sacred sanctuaries for Hindus. After this, we'll head to Bhaktapur, or the City of Devotees, which still retains a medieval charm. The glorious past of the Malla Dynasty continues to be reflected in Durbar Square. Ceramics and textiles are its main and traditional industries. Bhaktapur is famous for wood carvings, the traditional Bhadgaon Topi hat and cottage cheese. Return to hotel. Accommodation.

● DAY 11 · KATHMANDU - CITY OF ORIGIN

Includes : Breakfast

Day 11: Breakfast and transfer to the airport for the return flight. Flight to City of origin destination. Night on board.

● DAY 12 · CITY OF ORIGIN

Day 12: Arrival. End of the trip and our services.

Your trip includes

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- ✓ Return flight.
- ✓ Internal flight.
- ✓ Overnight stay in the listed hotels, or similar.
- ✓ Transfers according to the itinerary.
- ✓ Transport in vehicles appropriate to the size of the group.
- ✓ Regular visits from Delhi to Agra and privately in Kathmandu, which are listed but not optional.
- ✓ English-speaking local guides.
- ✓ Tourist taxes in India.
- ✓ Diet: 10 breakfasts, 6 dinners.
- ✓ Insolvency protection.

Your trip doesn't include

- ✗ Electronic Visa to enter in India.
- ✗ Visa to enter in Nepal.
- ✗ Any other service not previously mentioned as included.

Destinations Visited

Delhi



Jaipur



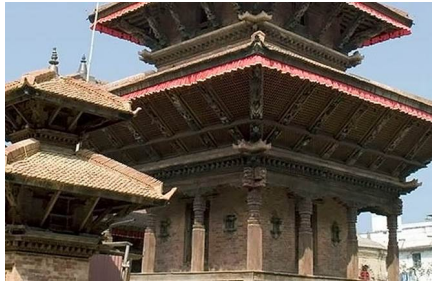
Fatehpur Sikri



Agra



Kathmandu



Important remarks

- Triple rooms in India are generally rooms with twin beds or a double, in which a folding bed is installed to accommodate the third person. Due to the inconvenience this causes, we advise against using this option as far the possible.
- The baggage allowance on domestic flights of most airlines in India is usually 15 kg per person, so lower than on international flights. Please take account of this when packing your bags.
- Please check with your international vaccination centre about the recommended healthcare measures in India.
- The tours include cultural stops at local workshops so you can learn about the production of traditional crafts.
- To reconfirm services at the destination, please send us your passport details within 24 hours of booking.
- Travellers are required to complete the e-Arrival Card at least 3 days prior to the start of their journey. The form can be completed via the official Indian Visa Online website (<https://indianvisaonline.gov.in/earrival/>) or through the Indian Visa "Su-Swagatam" mobile application (App Store | Google Play). Completion of this form does not remove the requirement to hold a valid visa; travellers must still complete the visa application process.
- The Government of India has introduced the Air Suvidha 2.0 – Self Declaration Form as part of its health screening measures for all international passengers arriving in the country. This measure does not impose any additional restrictions on travellers, nor does it affect visa or entry requirements for India. It is simply a mandatory online health declaration that must be completed before travel. Indian authorities recommend completing the form within 24 hours prior to arrival in India, preferably before boarding or during the web check-in process. The procedure can be completed via the official Air Suvidha 2.0 portal: <https://airsuvidha.civilaviation.gov.in>. Once the form has been submitted, the passenger will receive a confirmation receipt, which we recommend keeping in either digital or printed format throughout the journey.
- Triple rooms in Asia are generally rooms with twin beds or a double, in which a folding bed is installed to accommodate the third person. Due to the inconvenience this causes, we advise against using this option as far the possible.
- Check-in time at the hotel on the day of arrival depends on each establishment, but in no case will it be before 3:00 p.m., unless otherwise indicated.
- Groups may be multilingual.
- Triple rooms in Nepal are generally rooms with twin beds or a double, in which a folding bed is installed to accommodate the third person. Due to the inconvenience this causes, we advise against using this option as far the possible.

- Please check with your international vaccination centre about the recommended healthcare measures in Nepal.
- Since October, customers travelling to Nepal can pay for their visa online using a credit card. The application can be made via <https://nepaliport.immigration.gov.np/> through Visa on Arrival (VOA) or Electronic Travel Authorisation (ETA). The request should be submitted approximately 7 days before arriving in Nepal.
- The order of the itinerary may be altered for logistical reasons, without prior notice, but no scheduled trips will be cancelled (except in the case that adverse weather conditions prevent its realisation).
- A credit card is considered a guarantee, so sometimes you will need one for check-in at hotels.
- Prices are calculated based on admission fees to the sights as of the date of publication. If there is an increase in these prices, you will be promptly informed.
- If you are a person with reduced mobility, please contact us to confirm the suitability of the trip.
- Consult the necessary documentation to enter the destinations visited and for transit in the countries where air stopovers are made.