

Land of Myths & Legends



Bhutan

Suggestive Itinerary

- Day 01:** **Arrive Delhi:** On arrival transfer to the hotel. Overnight at the hotel.
- Day 02:** **New Delhi-Paro:** Early transfer to the airport to catch the flight to Paro. Visit Dzong in Paro and the national museum. Walk through the market place. Overnight at the hotel.
- Day 03:** **Paro:** After breakfast have a short trek to Tiger Nest. Late afternoon visit to the Kiyuchu Lhakhang The oldest Buddhist place in the Tibetan region. Overnight at Paro.



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- Day 04: Paro-Thimphu:** Morning drive to Thimphu the capital of Bhutan. Later visit to the Tashichoe Dzong The summer palace of the spiritual leader of the land also visit the Chorten temple. Evening free for shopping. Night at hotel.
- Day 05: Thimphu-Punakha:** Morning drive to Punakha through Rhododendron forest over Dochu La pass to the Punakha valley. On arrival excursion to Punakha Valley water fort the winter residence of Je Khenpo where Shabdrung Namgyal is buried. Night at the hotel.
- Day 06: Punakha-Gangte Goemba-Trongsa:** In the morning leave for Trongsa. Enroute visit Gangte Goemba and Wangdi through the Black Mountain National Park visiting Chorten Kora (A large Stupa of Baudnath) and the beautiful view of Trongsa Monastery. The 3300m high Pele La is the entrance to Central Bhutan. Overnight at the hotel.
- Day 07: Trongsa-Bumthang:** Trongsa Dzong is one of the most aesthetic & magnificent works of traditional Bhutanese architecture. Continue drive to Bumthang and visit Purchey Lakan monastery. Overnight in the Hotel.
- Day 08: Bumthang:** Bumthang is the holy land of Bhutan where Guru Padma Sambhava and Pema Lingpa established a temple. Jambey Lhakhang has a Buddha statue from the time of Tibetan ruler Songtsen Gampo. We visit Nyingma Monastery and the old temple of Konchogsum. Visit the farm houses and a short walk through Tangbay monastery and Dzong Jakkar. Night at the hotel.
- Day 09: Bumthang-Mongar:** Early morning drive to Ura where one can see some interesting painting. Driving through the highest pass (3800 mt) is Thrumshing La the entrance to Eastern Bhutan. Drive through gorges and beautiful landscapes to Mongar. Overnight at the hotel.
- Day 10: Mongar-Trashigang:** Morning visit to Mongar Dzong and drive further to Trashigang, the heart of Eastern Bhutan & was once the centre of important trade with Tibet. Overnight at the hotel.
- Day 11: Trashigang-Chorten Kora-Tashi Yangtse:** An excursion lead us to Chorten Kora. If the road conditions allow we visit Trashi Yangtse valley the only one of its kind. Night at Trashigang.
- Day 12: Tashigang-Guwahati:** A long interesting drive through the forest over the serpentine roads through many passes leads us to Dooar plains to the Indian border and after the border formalities drive through the plains of Assam passing many tea plantations thereby reaching Guwahati in the evening. Overnight at Hotel.
- Day 13: Guwahati-Delhi:** Half day site seeing of Guwahati. Afternoon flight to Delhi.
- Day 14:** Transfer to Airport for Home Destination.