



# Darjeeling - Gangtok Family Package

9 Night / 10 Days

Gangtok, Lachung, Gangtok, Pelling, Darjeeling

Departure City : Arrive from Anywhere to Bagdogra/New Jalpaiguri



**BOOKING :** Air Tickets of Domestic & International Airlines • Authorised Railway Ticket Agent (IRCTC)  
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## Tour Highlights

### FLIGHT & TRANSPORT

- Return airport transfers & sightseeing by Non AC Scorpio / Xylo

### ACCOMMODATION

- 2 Night(s) in Gangtok at Hotel Maple Residency/ Tamarind Residency or similar
- 2 Night(s) in Lachung at Norling Zimkhang Hotel/ Modern Residency or similar
- 1 Night(s) in Gangtok at Hotel Maple Residency/ Tamarind Residency or similar
- 2 Night(s) in Pelling at The Aryan Regency or similar
- 2 Night(s) in Darjeeling at Sumi Yashshree Suites and Spa, Darjeeling or similar

### SIGHTSEEING

#### Gangtok, India

- Tshangu Lake
- Baba Mandir
- Bhimnala Waterfall
- Get a bird's eye view from a cable ride
- Jhakri Waterfall With Droul Chorthen
- Research Institute of Tibetology
- Directorate of handicraft & handloom
- Nathula Pass
- Flower show

#### Lachung, India

- Tashi View Point
- Seven Sister Water Fall
- Yumthang Valley
- Zero Point

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### **Pelling, India**

- DriveTo Yuksom
- Darap Village
- Rimbi Water fall & Hydro Project
- Khecheopalri Lake

### **Darjeeling, India**

- Tiger Hills
- Japanese Temple
- Padmaja Naidu Himalayan Zoological Park
- Himalayan Mountaineering Institute
- Tenzing & Gombu Rock
- Tibetan Refugee Self-Help Center
- Darjeeling Ropeway
- Peace Pagoda, Darjeeling

### **MEALS**

- 9 Breakfast
- 9 Dinner
- 2 Lunch

### **VISA & TAXES**

- Luxury taxes.

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## Tour Description



The spiraling mists at Darjeeling and Sikkim rise upwards to reveal the Kanchenjunga in different aspects each new day. In like manner, one is enthused in a spirit of rediscovering the East. On one hand, there's the vivacity in Kolkata - the land of Rabindranath Tagore, Satyajit Ray and Mother Teresa, presided over by the immense Victoria Memorial in white marble and on the other hand, there's the golden triangle of temple towns: Bhubaneswar - temple city of India, Puri - home of Lord Jagannath, and also a popular beach resort and Konark where you can join the spectacular Rath Yatra or gaze spell-bound at the stupendous Sun Temple of Konark rising amidst the sand dunes from the blue waters of the bay. Fall in love with orchid-bedecked Sikkim - the land that time forgot. See the Buddhist prayer flags fluttering in the breeze at the Buddhist Monasteries, such as Pemayangtse - an oasis of serenity and a repository of centuries-old wisdom and scriptures, surrounded by mountains and glaciers and passes, where time stands absolutely still. Sample the cheese in Kalimpong, a quaint bazaar town set in rolling foothills and deep valleys at the foot of the mighty Himalayas. Drink in Assam - as famous for its tea, as for its wildlife reserves - tigers at Manas and the one-horned rhinoceros at Kaziranga. Or holiday in Shillong, "the Scotland of the East" an ideal holiday resort through the year. Truly every day in East India is a new discovery.

## Tour Itinerary

### DAY 1: Arrival Njp Railway Station - (Ixb) Bagdogra Airport - Gangtok

On arrival at NJP Railway Station / (IXB) Bagdogra Airport, (413 Ft / 126 Mts) will be met by our office Executive who will assist you to vehicle to Gangtok (5412 Ft / 1650 Mts, 130 Kms / 04 to 05 Hrs). Check in and overnight at Hotel.

### Dinner

### DAY 2: Gangtok - Tshangu Lake - Baba Mandir Excursion

After breakfast, in the morning, start for excursion to Tshangu Lake (12400 Ft / 3780 Mts / 43 Kms in 03 Hrs one way from Gangtok) and Baba Mandir (13100 Ft / 3994 Mts / 16 Kms in 01 Hr one way from Tshangu Lake). Situated at a height of 12400 Ft / 3780 Mts / 43 Kms in 03 Hrs one way, with an average depth of 50 ft. The cool water of the Lake is perfectly attuned with the scenic beauty around. Back to Gangtok and overnight at Hotel. (In case of Landslide or due to any other reasons if Tshangu Lake is closed then an alternate sightseeing will be provided)

NOTE: NRI, OCI, PIO Card holder & Foreign National are not allowed to visit Baba Mandir & Nathula Pass. They are allowed to visit Tshangu Lake, with a valid permit. They also have to be 02 & above in number to visit Tshangu Lake. For Tshangu Lake & Nathula Pass there is a permit fee after the permit is confirmed by Sikkim Tourism, due to whatsoever reason (Land slide, Heavy rain fall, VIP Movement, Heavy snow etc). OPTIONAL NATHULA One can opt for Nathula Excursion by paying a supplement cost. Nathula (14140 Ft / 4310 Mts / 20 Kms in 04 Hrs one way from Gangtok)

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way from Tshangu Lake) Baba Mandir (13100Ft / 3994 Mts / 16Kms in 1Hrs one way from Tshangu Lake) is an Indo China border, controlled by the Indian Army & is situated approx 20 Kms ahead of Tshangu Lake at an height of 14140 Ft / 4310. The journey to Nathula& Baba Mandir is same up to 16 Kms. At this point the right arm of the "V" which is 4 Kms takes one to Baba Mandir& left arm of the "V" which is 4 Kms takes one to Nathula. One can opt for Nathula Excursion by paying a supplement cost which varies from month to month. Organising the permit at the moment is not possible & a clear window of 72 Hrs with proper documents is required to process the permit. Nathula permit gets confirmed only after prior OR on the day of journey (depending on the working of the permit issuing office) & it is subjected to permit availability as it is alloted on a first come first turn. At times the demand for Nathula permit goes to 700 vehicle where as the permit issued is only 60 for civil & 40 for government vehicles. Nathula is closed on Monday & Tuesday for tourist.

NATHULA CAN BE GUARANTEED IF YOU HAVE CONTACTS IN THE ARMY OR IF YOU ARE GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE. KINDLY USE YOUR SOURCES SO THAT THE PERMIT COULD BE PROCURE.

### Breakfast Dinner

#### DAY 3: Gangtok - Lachung

Pick up from Gangtok Hotel and transfer to Lachung (8000 Ft / 2439 Mts, 124 Kms / 05 ½ to 06 ½ Hrs). On the way visit Tashi view point & sister's water fall (Subjected the vehicle take the normal route. This sightseeing points are included on complimentary basis & any diversions these points will be missed. There will be no refund in such case). Overnight at Hotel.

NOTE: NRI, OCI, PIO Card holder & Foreign National will be allowed to visit Lachung, Yumthang&Yumesamdong, with a valid permit. There should be 02 & above in number. For Lachung&Lachen there is no refund after the booking is confirmed whatsoever.

### Breakfast Dinner

#### DAY 4: Lachung - Yumthang Excursion

Early morning proceed on a half day excursion to Yumthang Valley (11800 Ft / 3598 Mts / 25 Kms / 1 ½ hours one way). Visit to Yumthang Valley is a day excursion from Lachung, which is an attraction for tourist visiting this region. The colorful Singba Rhododendron Sanctuary is in bloom between April to June. The soaring snow-capped peaks and herds of wandering yaks make this a Himalayan paradise. The valley is also famous for its Hot spring. Although the water is quite dirty, many locals from the area visit to get themselves soaked & cured as believed. Overnight at Hotel.

Breakfast Lunch Dinner

DAY 5: Lachung - Gangtok

After breakfast transfer to Gangtok(5412 Ft / 1650 Mts / 124 Kms / 05 ½ to 06 ½ Hrs). Overnight at Hotel.

### Lunch Dinner

#### DAY 6: Gangtok - Pelling

Morning Go for a half day (04 hrs) sightseeing covering Jhakri Water Falls along with DroulChorthen, Research Institute of Tibetology (Closed on Sunday), Directorate of Handicraft & Handloom (Closed on Sunday) and Flower Show. Afternoon transfer to Pelling(5500 Ft / 1675 Mts / 05 to 06 Hrs). Dinner & Overnight at Hotel

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**Breakfast Dinner**

**DAY 7: Gangtok - Yumthang Excursion**

After breakfast drive to Yuksom(5840 Ft / 1780 Mts, 35 Kms / 02 Hrs) on way panoramic sightseeing of Darap Village, Rimbi Water fall Project, Khecheopalri Lake (6000 Ft / 1829 Mts) it is one of the sacred Buddhist mountain lake and it is believed that whatever is wished at the lake comes true. Myth is that when a leaf falls on the placid clear water surface, it is picked by a bird & Kanchenjunga Water fall drive takes you to Yuksom (the meeting place of three monks) - the first capital of Sikkim. This was the place where the first Chogyal dynasty in Sikkim was crowned. Evening back to Pelling and Overnight at Hotel.

**Breakfast Dinner**

**DAY 8: Pelling - Darjeeling**

After Breakfast transfer to Darjeeling (6710 Ft / 2046 Mts, 125 Kms / 05 to 06 Hrs.). Overnight at Hotel.

**Breakfast Dinner**

**DAY 9: Darjeeling**

Early morning tour to Tiger Hills (8482 Ft / 2586 Mts at around 04:00 AM) to view sunrise over Kanchendzonga Peak (subject to clear weather). On way back visit Ghoom Monastery, Batasia Loop. After breakfast go for a half-day sightseeing of Japanese Temple, Peace pagoda, Naidu Himalayan Zoological Park & Himalayan Mountaineering Institute (Closed on Thursday, Local Festival and State & National Govt. holidays), Tenzing & Gombu Rock, Tibetan Refugee Self-Help Center (Closed on Sunday, Local Festival and State & National Govt. holidays), panoramic view of Tea Estate. Overnight at Hotel.

**Note:**

If the sightseeing points like Himalayan Mountaineering Institute and Zoological Park falling on Thursday, Local Festival and State & National Govt. holidays then we will include Dali Monastery and Ava Art gallery as an alternative sightseeing. If the sightseeing point like Tibetan Refugee Centre falling on Sunday, Local Festival and State & National Govt. holidays then we will include Ava Art gallery as an alternative sightseeing.

**Breakfast Dinner**

**DAY 10: Darjeeling - NJP Railway Station / (IXB) Bagdogra Airport**

Transfer to NJP Railway Station / (IXB) Bagdogra Airport, (413 Ft / 126 Mts, 100 Kms / 03 to 04 Hrs) for onwards connection / journey.

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## Inclusions

- Meet & Greet upon arrival at Airport/NJP Station
- Accommodation at the above mentioned hotels with Mention category of rooms as per the package.
- Daily morning breakfast & dinner & Lunch with All meals.
- All Transfer & Sightseeing by 01 AC Luxury Vehicle (Scorpio / Xylo) which will not be at disposal and will be exclusively used for the guest as per the itinerary only (on point to point basis). This vehicle will also change sector wise.
- Hotel Luxury Taxes.

## Exclusions

- 5% GST Extra
- Any extra, extension and optional tour then the above.
- All items of personal nature.
- Monastery / Sightseeing entrances fee.
- Zero Point
- Nathula Pass
- Optional sightseeing.
- Tour guide.
- Extra cost for hotel and transfers in case of flight cancellation and road blocks.
- Liabilities due to medical emergencies and evacuation involved.
- Water sports activities.
- Meals other than mentioned above.
- Tips, porter charges, incidentals, laundry, Mini bar...

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