

## Nepal Temple & Pagodas Tour

### Trip Facts

**Duration:** 11 days

**Entry / Exit City::** Kathmandu

**Group Size::** 01 Person Or Above

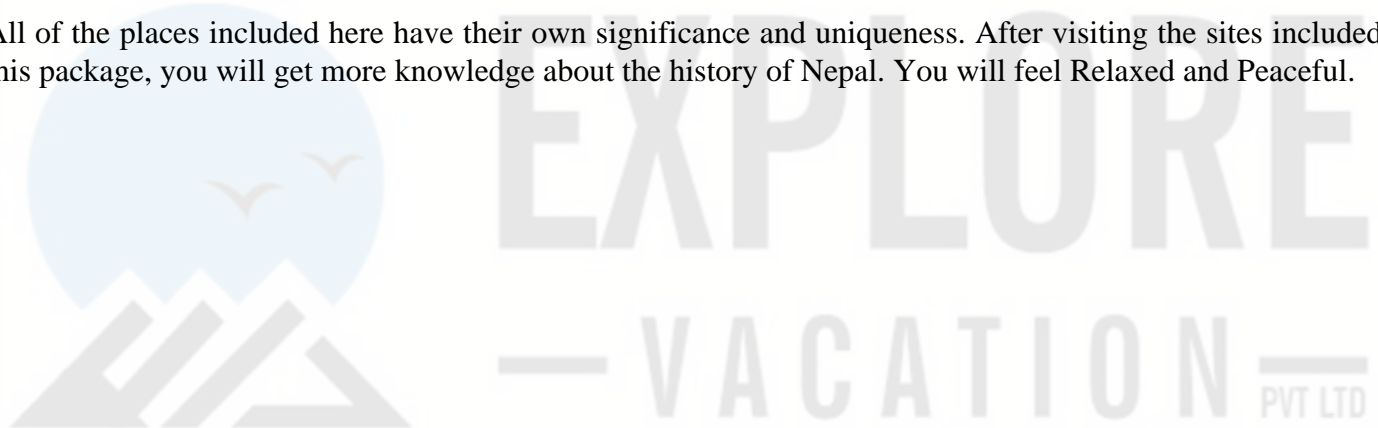
**Mode Of Transportation::** Private Vehicle

**Best Season::** January - June & September - December

The Nepal Temples and Pagodas Tour is especially designed for people who are Religious and curious about Art and history. Majority of people in Nepal follow Hinduism and Buddhism. Due to proper mix of Hinduism and Buddhism, there are plenty of temples and pagodas. These temples are gift to the eyes, since they are so beautiful. We can analyze rich history from the art present in different Temples.

In this Tour Package, the temples included in Kathmandu Valley are Pashupatinath Temple, Doleshwor Mahadev, Changu Narayan Temple, Budhanilkantha and Kathmandu Durbar Square (Kumari Ghar). Accordingly, you will visit Daksinkali Temple, Janakpur, Chitwan (Balmiki Ashram), Lumbini, Devghat, Tansen, Palpa, Pyuthan, Pokhara and Manakamana Temple.

All of the places included here have their own significance and uniqueness. After visiting the sites included in this package, you will get more knowledge about the history of Nepal. You will feel Relaxed and Peaceful.



## Day to Day Itinerary

### Day 1: Arrival in Kathmandu

A breathtaking Himalayan flight to Kathmandu is a thrill indeed. Upon arrival at Tribhuvan International Airport (TIA) in Kathmandu, you will be warmly greeted by our representative and s/he will escort you to your Hotel. After check in and refreshing, you will be briefed by your tour executive. Overnight at Hotel

### Day 2: Kathmandu Sightseeing Tour

(Optional Tour: Early morning at 05.45am, transfer to domestic airport for an hour panoramic Everest flight. The flight departs from 06.30am (approximately) so the interested clients were requested to book your seats with us in advance day. After Everest flight, return back to hotel and have breakfast, then proceed sightseeing activities in Kathmandu valley: Pashupatinath Temple (the Holiest Hindu shrine and the largest collection of temples in the Kathmandu Valley alongside the bank of Baghmati River), Doleshwor Mahadev (the temple dedicated to Lord Shiva representing head part of Kedarnath, India) and Changu Narayan Temple (the most ancient heritage temple in Nepal devoted the Shrine to Lord Vishnu, recognized by World Heritage site). Overnight at Hotel

### Day 3: Excursion to Dakshinkali Temple

Morning after breakfast, you will visit to Budhanilkantha Temple (the large finest stone sculpture of sleeping Lord Vishnu), Kathmandu Durbar Square (the monuments of the historical Royal Palace and the Living Goddess Kumari Temple with more ancient temples) and Dakshinkali Temple (one of most powerful Goddess Nava-Durga temple near Kathmandu valley). Overnight at Hotel

### Day 4: Drive, Kathmandu to Janakpur (200 km / 6 hrs) & Janaki Temple Visit

Morning after early breakfast, you will set off the journey for Janakpur (the famous holy temple of Ram-Janaki dedicate to Goddess Sita & Lord Ram). In Janakpur, after check into hotel and refresh, you will go for sightseeing tour of Janakpur that includes Janaki Temple and other related temples & ponds around its vicinity & Dhanushadham (the place where Shiva's bow broken by Lord Ram). Overnight at Hotel

### Day 5: Drive Janakpur to Chitwan and visit Balmiki Ashram (175 km / 5 hrs)

Wake up and take breakfast in hotel. Then commence our drive journey further to Chitwan. On reaching Chitwan, we straight visit Balmiki Ashram, the place where Sita spend rest of her life with her beloved sons - Luv & Kush and back to Chitwan at Narayanghat for overnight stay. Overnight at Hotel

### Day 6: Drive from Chitwan to Lumbini via Devghat excursion (180 km / 6 hrs)

Today we will wake up in normal time and have breakfast in the hotel. After being ready for leaving Chitwan, we will make short visit to Devghat Dham (the triveni dham where you will find the meet junction of three holy river Gandaki, Trishuli & Narayani & the holy land where Goddess Sita vanished herself into the earth). And after darshan of such spiritual Devghat, we will move our trip towards Buddha's birthplace at Lumbini. Check into hotel and rest in hotel for tonight. Overnight at Hotel

**Day 7: Drive to Palpa / Tansen via Ridi RuRu river visit (180 km / 6 hrs)**

As of normal routine, wake up and take breakfast in the hotel and then move out for sightseeing tour in Lumbini. You will visit Mayadevi Temple & Garden along with Ashoka Pillar, Buddha's birth marks in stone, Pushkarni Pond, Bishwo Shanti Deep (World Peace Lamp) and few major monasteries built by other foreign countries nearby Mayadevi Temple. Back in Hotel and have lunch then leave Lumbini to visit Ridi RuRu region and stay in Tansen. Overnight at Hotel

**Day 8: Visit Tansen & Palpa then drive to Sworgadwari Temple at Pyuthan (180 km / 6 hrs)**

Today early morning you will finish breakfast and make short quick visit of Rani Mahal and Markets. Then you will continue your journey to another epic historical land at Sworgadwari. With short hike up you will visit Sworgadwari temple, the holy gateway from where Panch Pandav move to heaven as per Mahabharat myth. Overnight at Sworgadwari. Overnight at Hotel

**Day 9: Drive extensive distance to Pokhara (250 km / 7 hrs)**

After early breakfast, we lead our trip to Pokhara for relaxation. Visit Pokhara lakeside area and boating on Fewa Lake with visiting Barahi Temple in middle of lake. Special dinner at decent restaurant with cultural program. Overnight at Hotel

**Day 10: Drive back to Kathmandu via Manakamana temple (210 km / 6 hrs)**

Early morning visit Sarangkot for beautiful sunrise trip with magnificent panoramic view of Annapurna Himalaya. Back to hotel and have breakfast. Then we continue our journey back to Kathmandu. On the way, we will visit Manakamana Temple by cable car. You will have free time in the evening in Kathmandu for shopping or relaxation. Overnight at Hotel

**Day 11: Departure**

The final day of your journey. Our representative will farewell you to the airport for your flight back to home.

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**Trip Cost Includes**

- Arrival & departure transfers.
- Accommodation in Kathmandu, Pokhara, Lumbini on twin sharing with breakfast.
- Accommodation in Palpa, Janakpur, Chitwan & in Sworgadwari on twin sharing with breakfast, lunch & dinner.
- Sightseeing tours as per program itinerary in all cities.
- All ground transportation for all cities as per program itinerary.
- All applicable taxes and service charges.

**Trip Cost Excludes**

- Meals other than breakfast in Kathmandu, Pokhara, Lumbini
- English speaking tour guide for sightseeing tour (INR 1500 per day)
- Entry fees for monuments visit (approx. INR 250 PP).
- Personal travel insurance.

- Insurance for any loss & damage.
- Bottled drinks.
- Tips for staff, guide & driver.
- Any additional cost due to unforeseen circumstances and not mentioned above.



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