

LADAKH UNLIMITED THE FULL LOOP

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Journey Route>>

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Travel Details

Duration: 11 Nights/ 12 Days

Trip Style: Expedition

Departure Dates: June 23rd-3rd July | June 30th-10th July |
July 14th-24th July | July 21st-31st July | August 4th-14th August |
August 11th-21st August | August 25th-4th September |
September 1st-11th September | September 15th-25th September |
September 22nd-2nd October

Group Style: 12-24 people

Accommodation: Comfortable 3*-4* boutique hotels



Day 00

Delhi / Chandigarh Departure | The Adventure Stirs to Life

Every great expedition begins with the first step — and yours begins tonight.

Make your way to the designated pickup point in Delhi or Chandigarh, where your overnight Volvo bus awaits to carry you north toward the mountains.

Settle in, watch the city lights fade behind you, and let the hum of the highway lull you into anticipation. By morning, the Himalayan horizon will be yours.

Stay: Overnight Volvo Bus to Manali

Meals: Breakfast & Dinner



Day 01

Arrival in Manali | Welcome to the Valley of the Gods

The bus rolls into Manali as the morning mist lifts off the Beas River, revealing a town draped in deodar cedar forests and ringed by snow-tipped peaks. This is the Valley of the Gods — and it lives up to its name.

Check into your hotel, shower off the road dust, and spend the day at your own pace discovering Manali's spirit.

Begin at Hidimba Devi Temple, an ancient pagoda-style shrine set deep in a cedar grove, dedicated to the wife of the Pandava warrior Bheem. Its four-tiered wooden spire is one of the most photographed structures in the Himalayas.

Next, follow the trail to Jogini Waterfall — a 30-metre cascade tucked into the forested hillside above Vashisht village — for a gentle morning hike with rewarding views.

Wind down with a soak at the natural sulphur hot springs of Vashisht Temple, where geothermal waters at 43–50°C have been soothing travellers for centuries.

In the evening, stroll Mall Road for local woolens, Himachali handicrafts, and a bowl of steaming thukpa, before returning to the hotel for your route briefing with the Team Captain.

Stay: Manali

Meals: Breakfast & Dinner



Day 02

Manali to Jispa | The Ride to Ladakh Begins

The day you've been waiting for. Kick-start your Royal Enfield Himalayan, feel the engine settle into its rhythm, and point north— Ladakh calls.

The first stretch takes you past the Vashisht Hot Springs, steaming quietly alongside the road at 6 km from town, a brief warm reminder of civilisation before the wilderness takes over.

Solang Valley opens up ahead — a broad, glacier-carved bowl famous for its winter ski slopes and summer paragliding — offering one of the finest panoramic backdrops of the Rohtang range.

The engineering marvel of Atal Tunnel (the world's longest highway tunnel above 10,000 ft) punches through the Rohtang barrier, delivering you in minutes into the Lahaul Valley — a transition that once took hours and risked deadly weather exposure.

Cruise through the quiet market town of Keylong, the administrative heart of Lahaul, and continue along the Bhaga River as the valley narrows and deepens toward Jispa.

Arrive at your Swiss camp in Jispa as the sun dips behind the Zaskar range and the temperature drops sharply — a foretaste of high-altitude nights to come. Dinner by the campfire, early to bed.

Stay: Jispa / Billing (Swiss Camps)

Meals: Breakfast & Dinner



❄️ Day 03

Jispa to Sarchu | Crossing the Baralacha La

Morning at Jispa is cold, clear, and impossibly beautiful. After breakfast, pack your panniers and prepare for a day of high-altitude riding through some of the most desolate — and magnificent — terrain in India.

The route threads through Darcha, Patsio, and Zingzing Bar, each a small knot of human habitation in a landscape that otherwise belongs entirely to rock, glaciers, and sky. Suraj Tal commands a long pause: a startlingly blue glacial lake at 4,950 m and the source of the Bhaga River, its turquoise waters reflecting the snows of the surrounding peaks in near-perfect stillness.

Then comes Baralacha La (4,892 m) — a broad, exposed saddle that marks the boundary between Himachal Pradesh and Ladakh. The air is thin, the wind is forceful, and the sense of achievement is immediate.

Descend to Sarchu, a seasonal settlement of tent camps perched at 4,200 m on the banks of the Tsarap River. Altitude headaches are common here — hydrate well, eat lightly, and sleep early.

Stay: Sarchu (Tent Camps)

Meals: Breakfast & Dinner



Day 04

Sarchu to Leh | The Epic Manali-Leh Highway

This is arguably the greatest single day of riding in India. The Sarchu-to-Leh stretch of the Manali-Leh Highway packs five high passes, a famous loop road, an endless plateau, and one of the world's highest motorable summits into a single unforgettable day.

The legendary Gata Loops set the tone immediately: 21 consecutive hairpin bends carved into a near-vertical mountain face at 4,669 m. Count every one — each bend earned is a story worth telling.

Nakee La (4,738 m) and Lachung La (5,065 m) follow in close succession, the landscape stripping itself down to bare rock and wind-scoured moraine as you climb.

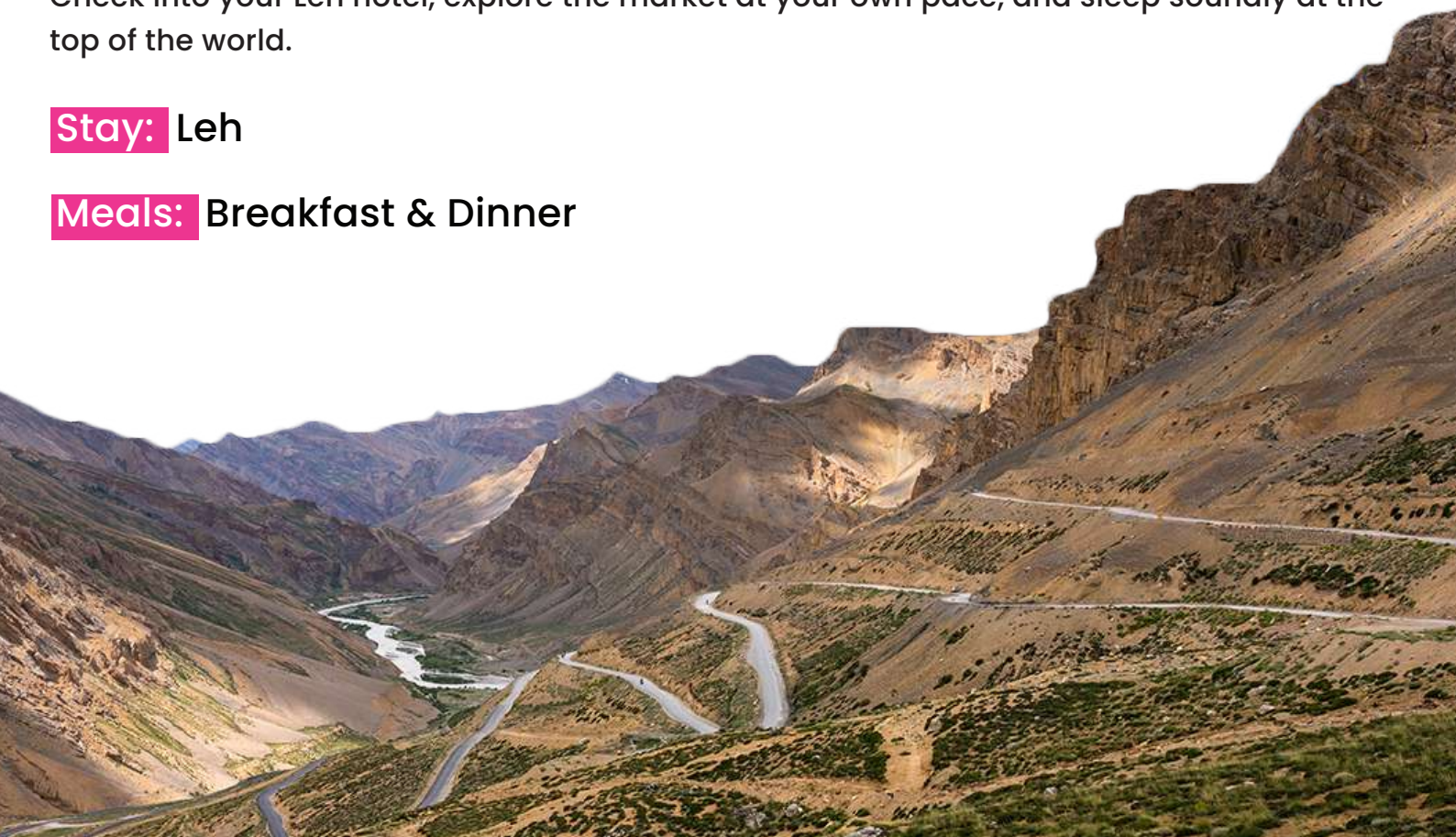
Lunch at Pang — a cluster of dhabas and tents at the foot of the Moore Plains — fuels you for what comes next: 50 uninterrupted kilometres of dead-straight road across the world's highest cold desert plateau, where colonies of marmots stand sentinel and herds of Kiang (wild Tibetan ass) graze without concern.

The day's crowning moment arrives at Tanglang La (5,328 m) — the highest point on the Manali-Leh Highway — before the road descends through Upshi and Karu into the welcoming warmth of the Indus Valley.

Check into your Leh hotel, explore the market at your own pace, and sleep soundly at the top of the world.

Stay: Leh

Meals: Breakfast & Dinner



Day 05

Leh to Nubra Valley | Over Khardung La into the Cold Desert

Start the morning with a sunrise visit to Shanti Stupa — the white-domed Buddhist monument on a hilltop above Leh that offers the finest panoramic view of the capital and its guardian peaks.

Then brace yourself: you're about to ride over Khardung La (5,359 m), one of the world's highest motorable passes. The air is thin, the views are boundless, and the bragging rights are permanent.

Descend into the Shyok River valley and wind north toward Diskit, where a 106-foot Maitreya Buddha statue gazes serenely across the arid plain — a monument of extraordinary scale in an already extraordinary landscape.

Continue to the Hunder Sand Dunes, where double-humped Bactrian camels — living relics of the ancient Silk Road — still roam the cold desert. An optional camel ride or ATV run across the dunes is available at your own expense.

Settle into your riverside camp as the stars emerge over the Karakoram Range — one of Asia's most spectacular natural light shows.

Stay: Nubra Valley

Meals: Breakfast & Dinner



Day 06

Nubra Valley to Pangong Tso | Riding Into Infinite Blue

Leave Nubra's orchards and river willows behind and thread south through the Shyok River corridor, passing the apricot-laden villages of Agam and Shyok — quiet, unhurried communities that seem lifted from another century.

The first glimpse of Pangong Tso is a moment riders describe for the rest of their lives: a sliver of impossible blue materialising between barren ridges, expanding into a vast, mirror-flat expanse as the road descends.

Pangong Tso stretches 136 km across the India-China border at 4,300 m above sea level — the world's highest saltwater lake. Its waters cycle through every shade of cerulean, cobalt, and jade depending on the hour and the angle of the light.

Spend the afternoon lakeside — photograph the mirror-image mountains, walk the pebbled shoreline, or simply sit in the rare, profound silence that only high-altitude wilderness can offer.

Overnight in a lakeside camp, lulled to sleep by the soft sound of waves against stone.

Stay: Pangong Lake

Meals: Breakfast & Dinner



Day 07

Pangong to Hanle | Honouring the Fallen at Rezang La

Depart with the morning light still gold and cold, riding south through the remote Chushul valley toward Hanle.

The most sobering stop of the expedition awaits at Rezang La War Memorial — a windswept monument to the 114 soldiers of the 13th Kumaon Battalion who defended Indian territory to the last man during the 1962 Sino-Indian War. Stand here in silence; the weight of history is palpable.

Cross the Loma Bridge over the Indus River and press deeper into the Changthang plateau — one of the most remote and least-visited corners of India, where vast open skies and unbroken silence are the dominant features.

Arrive by evening in Hanle, a tiny village perched at 4,500 m that feels like the very edge of the known world. Check into your homestay, eat a warm home-cooked dinner, and sleep under skies so clear you can count the rings of Saturn.

Stay: Hanle

Meals: Breakfast & Dinner



Day 08

Umlingla Pass & Demchok Excursion | Summit of the Motorable World

This is the day that defines the entire expedition. You are about to ride to Umlingla Pass — at 5,640 metres, the highest motorable road on Earth, standing higher than Everest Base Camp.

En route, cross Photi La (5,524 m), itself a formidable altitude by any measure, before the final push to the Umlingla summit.

The landscape here is stripped to its essentials: rock, sky, prayer flags, and the overwhelming stillness of extreme altitude. Umlingla marks the source of the Umlung Stream, a tributary that eventually finds its way into the mighty Indus. Few rivers on Earth begin their journey this high.

On the descent, cross Nurpu La (5,282 m) — your third pass above 5,200 m in a single day — before returning to Hanle for lunch.

If the afternoon allows, visit Hanle Observatory — the highest space research station in India, where astronomers study the cosmos through skies of extraordinary clarity, untouched by light or air pollution.

Stay: Hanle

Meals: Breakfast & Dinner



Day 09

Hanle to Leh | The Long Road Through Changthang

Rise before dawn to catch the Ladakh Range igniting in shades of amber and rose — a sunrise that will linger in your memory long after the roads have faded.

The ride back to Leh follows the Indus valley north through Chumathang (known for its geothermal hot springs), Upshi, Karu, and the imposing Thikse Monastery before the road widens into the Leh valley.

Check into your hotel, scrub the road dust off, and spend the evening at leisure in Leh's spirited bazaar — browse Tibetan jewellery and pashmina shawls, sip butter tea at a rooftop café, or hunt down the legendary Ladakhi momos.

Stay: Leh

Meals: Breakfast & Dinner



Day 10

Leh to Kargil | Landmarks, Passes & the Indus Valley

The reverse journey from Leh to Srinagar is rich with landmarks that deserve unhurried attention — and today delivers them all.

Begin at the Hall of Fame, a moving museum and war memorial on the Leh–Srinagar highway dedicated to the soldiers of the Kargil War, housing weapons, uniforms, and personal accounts of high-altitude combat that bring the conflict vividly to life. Continue to Pathar Sahib Gurudwara, where the sacred boulder bearing the imprints of Guru Nanak Dev Ji draws pilgrims and travellers alike, followed by Magnetic Hill, where the natural topography creates a compelling optical illusion that appears to defy gravity.

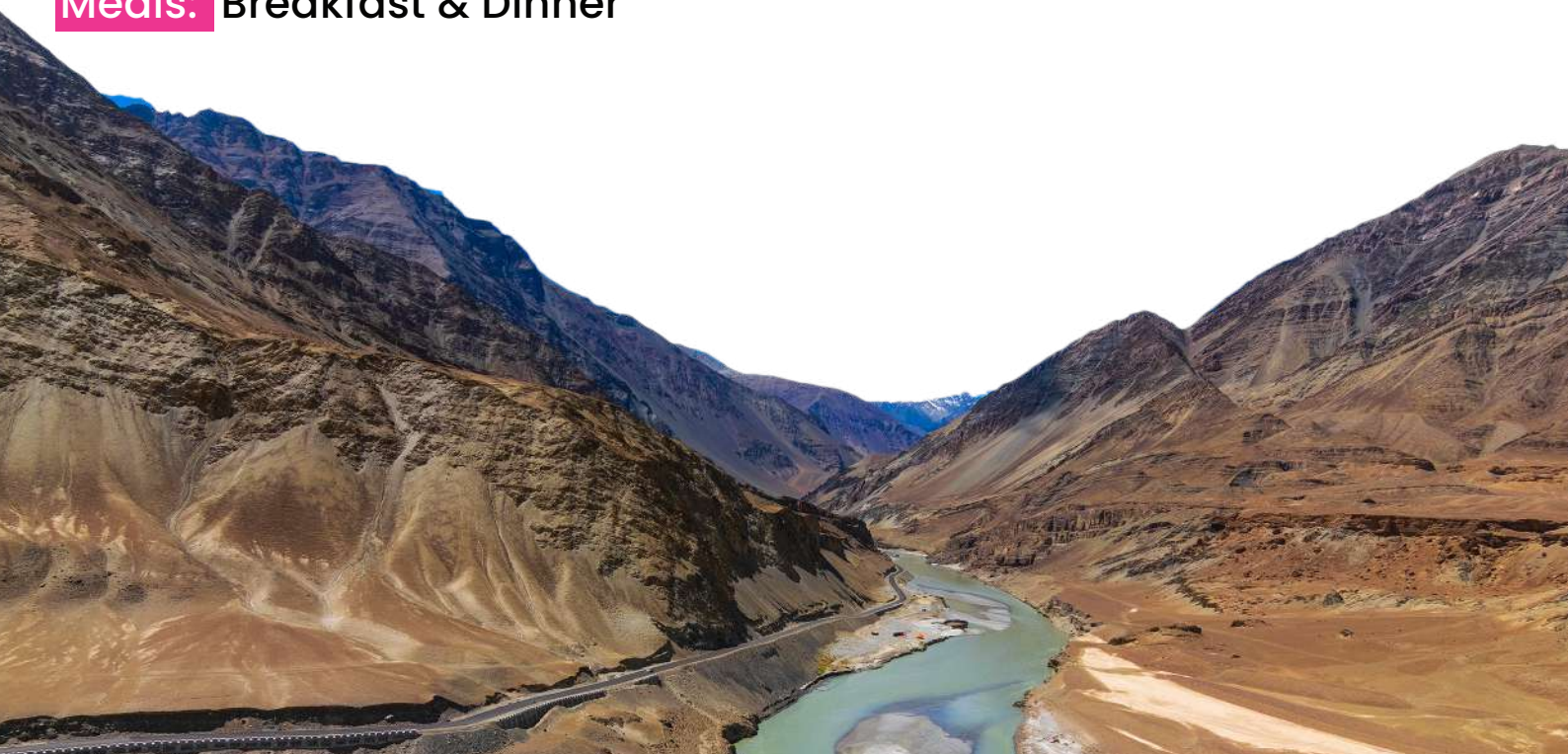
At Sangam Point, watch the turquoise Zaskar merge with the grey-green Indus in a swirling, photogenic confluence that marks one of the great river junctions of the Himalayas.

A short detour takes you to Lamayuru Monastery, the oldest in Ladakh, perched above a lunar valley of eroded mud formations that have baffled and delighted visitors for centuries.

Wind through Namika La (3,700 m) and Fotu La (4,108 m) before descending into Kargil — a frontier town of resilient character — for the night.

Stay: Kargil

Meals: Breakfast & Dinner



Day 11

Kargil to Srinagar | Through the Great Himalayan Divide — One Final Time

A hearty breakfast in Kargil, then one last helmet buckle and one last engine start — this is the final riding day of the expedition.

The route retraces the ancient corridor through Drass, India's coldest inhabited settlement and the silent gateway between Ladakh and Kashmir, before the road climbs toward the formidable Zoji La (3,528 m).

Descending Zoji La marks a dramatic transformation: the barren moonscape of Ladakh gives way almost instantly to the deep greens, waterfalls, and meadows of Kashmir. Few single passes in the world command such a complete shift in scenery.

Sonamarg — the Meadow of Gold — greets you with its sweeping alpine valley, snow-fed streams, and the scent of pine. This was once a key waypoint on the ancient Silk Road; today it feels like a reward for everything you've ridden through.

Roll into Srinagar by evening, check into your hotel on the shores of Dal Lake, and let the city's unhurried beauty wash over you. Your Ladakh odyssey ends here — but the stories begin.

Stay: Srinagar

Meals: Breakfast & Dinner



Day 12

Departure from Srinagar | Carry the Mountains Home

Wake to one final Kashmiri morning — a breakfast of noon chai and sheermal, the sound of shikaras on Dal Lake, and the Zabarwan Mountains framed in your window.

Pack your bags, check out, and make your way to Srinagar Airport for your onward flight. 12 days. 2,000+ kilometres. Five passes above 5,000 metres. One summit above the entire known world. The road gave everything — and you took it all.

Travel safely. Come back soon.

Meals: Breakfast



Trip Highlights



Camp under a million stars



From lush green valleys
to cold desert in one trip



Offbeat destination
before it gets crowded



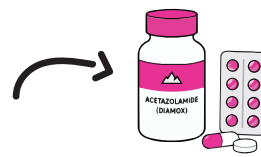
Perfect mix of calm
and adventure



Inclusions



- Private traveller transfers for the entire journey
- Cozy stays in handpicked hotels/camps on double or triple-sharing basis
- Experienced and dedicated tour leader throughout the trip
- All permits, tolls, and applicable taxes covered
- Basic first-aid assistance
- Travel insurance included
- Overnight Volvo bus transfer from Delhi to Manali
- Royal Enfield Himalayan 411cc BS6 motorcycle with full fuel coverage from Manali to Srinagar
- Entire ground transport from Manali to Srinagar by tempo traveller / cab
- 10 nights accommodation: Manali (hotel), Jispa (Swiss camp), Sarchu (tent camp), Leh (hotel), Nubra Valley (camps), Pangong Tso (lakeside cottages), Hanle ×2 nights (cottage/homestay), Kargil (hotel), Srinagar (hotel)
- Buffet breakfast daily from Day 2 through Day 12; buffet dinner from Day 1 through Day 11
- Riding gear kit: standard helmet (58–60 cm), riding jacket, and knee guards
- Dedicated Team Captain and mechanical support vehicle throughout the expedition
- Daily bike inspection, spare wheels, and puncture-repair support
- 24/7 on-vehicle medical kit and emergency oxygen cylinder



Exclusions

- 5% GST applicable extra
- Meals and beverages not mentioned in inclusions (lunch, snacks, alcohol)
- Entry fees for monuments and sightseeing points
- Tips, gratuities, and porter charges
- Personal expenses such as shopping, laundry, room service
- Any additional costs due to landslides, roadblocks, or weather conditions
- Anything not specifically mentioned under inclusions
- Airfare or rail fare unless specifically listed under inclusions
- Airport, railway station, or bus stop transfers
- Cost of spare parts required due to accidental damage while the bike is in your possession
- Towing or transportation costs if the motorcycle is abandoned mid-route
- Refundable security deposit of ₹10,000 per motorcycle (covers accidental damage)
- Monument entry fees and parking charges at sightseeing stops
- Additional accommodation and meals caused by delays due to weather, roadblocks, or force majeure
- Medical treatment and evacuation costs
- Extra luggage beyond one 60-litre rucksack (additional baggage charged at ₹250/day per 10 kg)
- Anything not explicitly stated under inclusions



Important Notes for Travelers :

- Guests are required to assemble at the meeting point by 8:00 AM sharp
- Quoted package rates are not valid during peak periods and festivals (Diwali, Christmas, New Year)
- Group departure will be strictly on time
- We reserve the right to adjust the itinerary based on weather conditions and government policies
- Age limit for group departures: 16 to 42 years
- Standard check-in time is 12:00 noon; early check-in is subject to room availability.
- Triple-sharing rooms will have extra mattresses provided as needed.
- A minimum group size of 6 riders is required to operate a departure. The organiser reserves the right to cancel under-strength groups.
- Additional costs arising from adverse weather, natural events, or other factors beyond the organiser's control — including extra hotel nights, meals, or transportation — will be billed separately.
- The organiser is not liable for itinerary changes caused by flight/train schedule changes, political disruptions, or natural phenomena.
- Any rider who exits the group mid-tour is responsible for the cost of transporting the motorcycle to Manali.
- A valid driving licence, government-issued photo ID, and a helmet are mandatory throughout the trip.
- Riders are solely responsible for the safety of their personal belongings. Keep valuables in your day pack.
- Any damage or accident caused to third-party property or persons during the tour is the financial responsibility of the rider.

Pricing

Double Sharing on Tempo Traveller

₹ 46499 per person

Triple Sharing on Tempo Traveller

₹ 42499 per person

Double Sharing on Himalyan 411cc Solo

₹ 61499 per person

Triple Sharing on Himalyan 411cc Solo

₹ 57499 per person

Double Sharing on Himalyan 411cc Pillion

₹ 47999 per person

Triple Sharing on Himalyan 411cc Pillion

₹ 43999 per person



Payment Process



We accept payment via following methods:

Cash

Bank Transfer

UPI

Debit Card

Credit Card

No Cost EMI available

Account Details

Account no - 9999558134

IFSC code - KKBK0000202

Account name - Trip of a lifetime

Bank name - Kotak Mahindra bank



***INR5000 advance payment for booking is mandatory .**

Payment Policy

Payment Type	Up to 60 Days	59–46 Days	45–31 Days	30–15 Days
Booking Amount	✓	✓	✓	✓
50% Payment	Optional	Compulsory	✗	✗
75% Payment	Optional	Optional	Compulsory	✗
100% Payment	Optional	Optional	Optional	Compulsory



Cancellation Policy

Policy Details	Up to 60 Days	59–46 Days	45–31 Days	30–0 Days
Batch Shifting	✓ Allowed	✗ Not Allowed	✗ Not Allowed	✗ Not Allowed
Cancellation Charge	Free Cancellation	25% of the Trip Amount	50% of the Trip Amount	100% of the Trip Amount
Booking Amount	Refunded in mode of Credit Note	Adjusted in Refund Deduction	Adjusted in Refund Deduction	No Refund
Remaining Amount	Full Refund (minus booking amount)	Refund (minus 25% of the trip amount)	Refund (minus 50% of the trip amount)	No Refund



Things to Carry

- Authentic government ID card.
- Down jacket / heavy winter jacket / Windproof jacket
- Gloves
- Good trekking shoes
- High SPF sunscreen
- Sunglasses (UV protection)



- Medicine for altitude sickness (like Acetazolamide / Diamox – only if doctor recommends)
- ORS / electrolytes
- Backpack / daypack
- Reusable water bottle
- Power bank (electricity can be limited)
- Torch / headlamp