

TBZUKD01 INDIA UTTARAKHAND 2N MUSSOORIE, 2N RISHIKESH 4 Nights & 5 Days



Tour Start: Delhi / Chandigarh
Tour End: Delhi / Chandigarh

TOUR SUMMARY

DAY	OVERNIGHT	PARTICULAR
Day 1	Mussoorie	Transfer Delhi/Chandigarh to Musso <mark>orie</mark>
Day 2	Mussoorie	Mussoorie Sightseeing
Day 3	Rishikesh	Transfer Mussoorie to Rishikesh
Day 4	Rishikesh	Rishikesh Sightseeing
Day 5	Departure	Transfer Back to Delhi

OVERNIGHT

2 Nights at Massoorie



With a backdrop of Shivalik range of Himalayas and doon valley, Mussoorie, also known as Queen of The Hills, stands at an altitude of 7000 feet above sea level and has a cool, pleasant climate throughout the year. Once the British summer capital, Mussoorie is a popular getaway for honeymooners and families.

The adjoining little hill station of Landour, along with Mussoorie, Barlowganj and Jharipani together form the greater Mussoorie. Affording a mind-stirring view of the snow-dusted Himalayas, Mussoorie beckons trekkers, climbers and adventure sports enthusiasts.

2 Nights at Rishikesh



Situated along the convergence of Ganga and Chandrabhaga, Rishikesh on the foothills of Himalayas is the hub of many ancient temples, popular cafes, yoga ashrams and adventure sports. Rishikesh is the most beautiful blend of spiritual and adrenaline pumping experiences. With Whitewater Rafting industry growing and a number of camping and cafe spots springing up, Rishikesh has grown immensely as a favourite, catering to people with different needs

DETAIL ITINERARY

DAY 1

TRANSFER DELHI TO MUSSOORIE

OVERNIGHT: MUSOORIE

As you arrive at the Delhi airport, our representative will receive you and assists while you take a transfer to your first destination, Mussoorie.



Stay overnight at the hotel in Mussoorie.

Popularly known as the Queen of Hills, Mussoorie is a popular hill station of North India. Mussoorie is the place you should be heading to. Nestled amidst the foothills of the Garhwal Himalayan ranges, Mussoorie, also known as Queen of The Hills, stands at an altitude of 7000 feet above sea level, and has a cool, pleasant climate throughout the year.

This beautiful hill station is the perfect retreat from the sweltering weather of the plains, and the fact that it was a very popular holiday destination during the British era can be seen from the multitude of British remnants engulfing the city, such as the archaic architecture of the hotels and churches dotting the entire terrain.

DAY 2 MUSSOORIE SIGHTSEEING OVERNIGHT: MUSOORIE

Morning after breakfast proce<mark>eds to explore local tourist attractions. Mussoorie La</mark>ke, Lal Tibba, Kempty Falls are great attractions of Mussoori<mark>e.</mark>



Mussoorie Lake It is a man-made lake which was developed by City Board and the Mussoorie-Dehradun Developmental Authority. The lake is placed at a scenic location about 6 km before Mussoorie on the Dehradun-Mussoorie Road. One can get down at Dhobi Ghat from where the lake is just at a walking distance. Surroundings of the lake include the mesmerizing views of Doon Valley and the verdant hills of Mussoorie. There are pedalled boats to enjoy the calmness of the lovely lake.

It is a perfect picnic spot for family and couples to spend fun and quality time. Monsoon is the best time to visit the as the lake looks most beautiful during that time of the year.

There is a nominal entry fee<mark>s and</mark> the lake is open all days of the year. Shops offering refreshments are there to provide refreshments to the visitors.

Lal Tibba: is located on the top of Depot Hill in Landour, approximately 6 kilometres from Mussoorie. Being the highest point in the area, Lal Tibba is one of the most stunning viewpoints in the region. The name literally translates to 'red hill'. Rising to a height of 2,275 meters (7,164 feet), Lal Tibba is the picture-perfect place to fulfil your sightseeing desires. The telescopes installed here are priceless, and aid in cherishing the beautiful unfettering panoramas of the Nilkantha peak (6,596 meters) in Badrinath, Kedarnath peak (6,940 meters), Banderpoonch range of three peaks with the highest rising to 6,316 meters can all be viewed on a cloudless day.





Evening back to hotel Overnight stay.

Kempty Falls: Located on the way between Dehradun-Mussoorie roads, in the Ram Gaon area of Tehri Garhwal, Kempty Falls is a beautiful cascade of water that falls to the ground from a mighty altitude of 40 feet. Surrounded by high mountain cliffs, Kempty Falls is nestled at an altitude of around 4500 ft above the sea level. This place was developed as a picnic destination by John Mekinan owing to its captivating surroundings and scenic beauty. One of the most renowned waterfalls in Uttarakhand, Kempty Falls offers a mesmerizing panoramic view as the water falls from the mountains

TRANSFER MUSSOORIE TO RISHIKESH (75km, 2Hrs)

OVERNIGHT: RISHIKESH

Morning after breakfast, check out from hotel and proceed for Rishikesh. Situated along the convergence of Ganga and Chandrabhaga, Rishikesh on the foothills of Himalayas is the hub of many ancient temples, popular cafes, yoga ashrams and adventure sports. Rishikesh is the most beautiful blend of spiritual and adrenaline pumping experiences. With Whitewater Rafting industry growing and a number of camping and cafe spots springing up, Rishikesh has grown immensely as a favourite, catering to people with different needs.



On the way visit famous **Mansa Devi** by cable car in Haridwar. Mansa Devi Temple is one of the most revered temple of Goddess Mansa Devi located at Bilwa Parvat near Haridwar. This temple is a holy place to worship Goddess Mansa, who is believed to be a form of Shakti, emerged from the mind of great Sage Kashyap. Mansa Devi temple is a famous Siddhpeeth and offers panoramic views of Haridwar city. Mansa Devi Temple can be reached in two ways: on foot or by cable car. Walking requires a one and a half kilometer hike uphill. The track is sealed but the exertion can be draining during the hot months. Hence, many people prefer to take the cable car (also referred to as a ropeway) up, and walk down.

Later visit other important temples of Haridwar such as Daksh Temple, Maya Devi Temple, Pawan Dham & Parad Shivling. Transfer to Rishikesh. Check in to hotel.

Overnight at Rishikesh

DAY 4 RISHIKESH SIGHTSEEING OVERNIGHT : RISHIKESH

In the morning post breakfast - head out to enjoy a day's excursion to Rishikesh. Visit Lakshman Jhula, Neelkanth Mahadev, Gita Bhawan, Bharat Mandir, Trambakeshwar Temple,.



Lakshman Jhula: The Lakshman Jhula is a famous hanging bridge across the river Ganga that connects two villages, Tapovan in the Tehri Garhwal district and Jonk in the Pauri Garhwal district. Located 5 kilometres to the northeast of the town Rishikesh in the Indian state of Uttarakhand, the entire bridge is made up of iron, is 450 feet long and is situated at the height of 70 feet from the river. The Lakshman Jhula is extremely well known amongst tourists because of the rich mythological associations that are connected with the bridge. It is widely believed that Lord Lakshman, the younger brother of Lord Rama, had crossed the river Ganga at this same site, where the bridge now majestically stands for all to see.

Neelkanth Mahadev Temple is dedicated to Shiva as Neelkanth is his another name. This temple is located around 7km from Swarg Ashram and the route is a 3 hour long walk along a forest path. Another way to reach here is via Lakshman Jhula. A taxi might also take you there for a reasonable price. Pilgrims offer water from Ganga to this temple.

Gita Bhawan: Also popularly known as the Guru Shri Ram Sukh Daasji, the Geeta Bhawan is a vast and spacious complex that is located on the banks of the river Ganga in Swargashram in Rishikesh, at the foothills of the mighty Himalayas. The Ashram is renowned as an important institution that preserves Hindu literature since it houses the Gita, which symbolizes the Hindu Vedas and epics. The Geeta Bhawan is visited by a large number of people each year, who flock to here to take a dip in the holy waters of the Ganges, listen to the discourses and meditate.





Bharat Manidr: Founded by Adiguru Shankaracharya in 12th century, the shrine houses Lord Vishnu carved out of a single piece of Saligram. The inner canopy of the temple contains Shree Yanthra. The architecture and interiors of the temple has been detailed in the ancient record of Kearkhand. The present structure was reconstructed on the ruins of the original temple destroyed by Tamur. Excavations have yeilded many old statues, ancient pots and coins from this site

Evening you can relax or visit Ganga Aarti at Parmarth Niketan. Ganga arti in Rishikesh is unlike any other arti ritual held to worship the holy Ganges. These artis are usually attended by a number of devotees and tourists. The rituals are authentic and provide a highly soulful and peaceful experience. Those seeking a divine escape are often drawn to these rituals held in Rishikesh on the banks of River Ganga.

Overnight stay at Rishikesh.

DAY 5 DEPARTURE

Morning after breakfast check out from the hotel, you can do raft away in the Ganges. Rafting in Rishikesh particularly is hands down the best; one could endeavour in India. From the gifted natural circumstances to the top professional assistance, the place has just the best to offer. There are some certified operators, whose safety arrangements are well in place, and there are customised packages for camping and rafting at Rishikesh. Your food, water and rafting arrangements are taken care of by operators if you want a stress free outing. If you want to look into matters yourself, you can also make your arrangements while you're there. The peak season sees Rishikesh pretty crowded, so you can

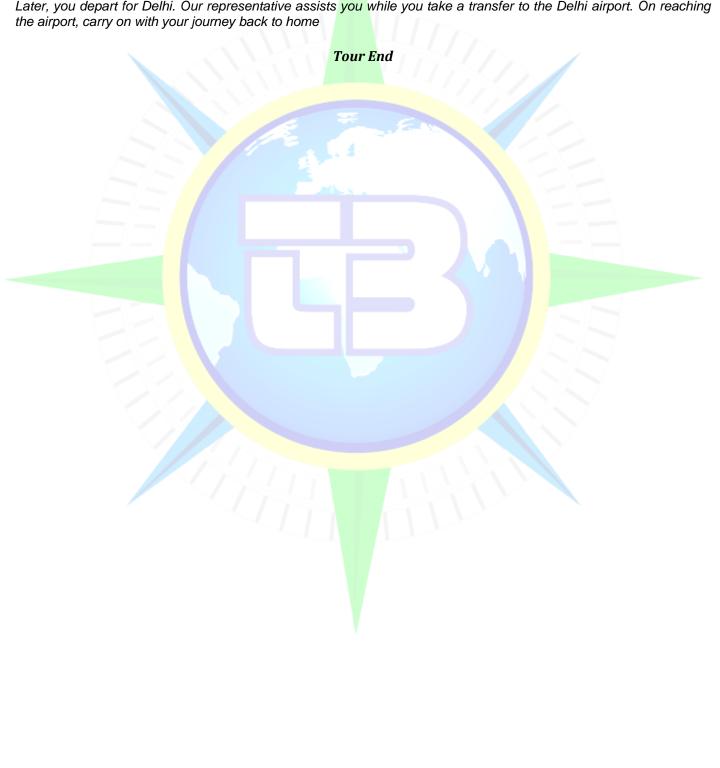
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Later, you depart for Delhi. Our representative assists you while you take a transfer to the Delhi airport. On reaching







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