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North by Northwest



India

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 All meals included	Yes ⁽¹⁾
 Free beverages	No
 Persons per room	2-4
 Wifi in public areas	Yes ⁽²⁾
 Laundry facilities	No
 Safety box	No
 Lockable rooms	Yes
 Hot shower	No ⁽³⁾
 Private bathroom	Yes
 Western toilet	Yes
 Bed linen	Yes
 Towels	No
 Mosquito protection	No
 Fan	Yes
 Air conditioning	No

(1) 3 meals on weekdays, 2 on weekends

(2) In all hotels along the route

(3) Might be available at same hotels. See schedule.

Location

This route takes you from Delhi to Shimla and then we head north towards Dharamshala. We travel down again to Delhi and Agra and move further to the Western India to the state of Rajasthan. Then we head down south to Mumbai and finally into Goa.

About Shimla

Shimla, the capital of Himachal Pradesh which translated means 'The Land of snowy mountains' is situated 2,205 metres (7,234 ft.) above sea level. The city is adorned with forests of pine, rhododendron and oak and is infamous for the monkeys that frequent it. Blessed with warm flowery summers and snowy winters, it was declared the summer capital of the British Rule in India in 1864. The city is famous for its Tudor and Neo-gothic architecture styles which date from the colonial era. However this does not rob it of its 'Indianness' as local markets and street vendors are present everywhere.

Shimla is home to Asia's only natural ice skating rink. The handicraft of this area in the form of weaving, embroidery and regional jewelry is renowned not only throughout India, but the world over. Due to its pleasant climate, it attracts a favourable blend of Indian and International tourists throughout the year.

About Udaipur

Udaipur, commonly called the Venice of the East and nicknamed 'the city of lakes' is located in the princely state of Rajasthan. Primarily known for its art and architecture, it has temples dating as far back as 950 AD and palaces dating back to the Rajput era. The Lake Palace (Jag Niwas) located in the middle of Pichola Lake is an architectural and cultural marvel. The grand City Palace on the banks of the lake along with the Monsoon Palace (Sajjan Garh) on the hill above enhances the beauty of this magnificent city. Udaipur is also the centre for performing arts, crafts and its famed miniature paintings.

About Goa

Goa in south-west India enjoys a warm and humid climate throughout the year. It is known the world over for its pristine beaches, delectable cuisine, laid back lifestyle and it's warm and friendly people. Consistently ranked among India's top tourist destinations, it is the ideal place for first time travelers and adventurers alike to acclimatize to a different culture. From caves behind waterfalls to villages hidden in sandy coconut forests, there is always something more waiting to be rediscovered. The mountain ranges and spice plantations enhance the beauty of this glorious state.

Apart from its natural beauty, this former capital of Portuguese India and home to various UNESCO World Heritage sites has a lot to offer in terms of architecture with churches, cathedrals and forts abounding. Put together, it is all of these aspects and more that make Goa the ultimate travel destination.

Accommodation & Food

About the Accommodation

Along the route you will have overnight stays in hotels/guest houses, busses and trains. More information can be found inside the schedule.

Food Arrangements

Mostly Indian style dishes (vegetarian and chicken) will be served during the trip.

Facilities

Along the route - but not at all times - there are ATMs and small local stores. Please make sure you have enough money with you before starting the trip.

Mandatory Orientation Day

At this location there is no mandatory orientation day offered.

Activities & Events

No scheduled activities outside the program.

Sights & Surroundings

You'll be on a busy schedule.