

Immerse yourself into the culture, surroundings and more of this rich and colourful state of Rajasthan.

This action-packed week in the Royal city of Udaipur in the state of Rajasthan will be filled with language lessons, markets and sightseeing! Through these activities, you will begin to get acquainted with this country and its culture, an important step into making your experience more enriching.

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Program Description

Welcome to the city of Lakes!

This program is individually designed to immerse you into the culture of Rajasthan and lets you the opportunity to experience the lifestyle and culture of this beautiful city of Udaipur. This will be a very important step that will prepare you for your stay in India. Loads of new things will be introduced to you and it will be the time to ask all your questions about the programs, the organization, the country, the culture and anything else that might come to your mind.

To make your week memorable and informative we have lined up a list of activities. There will be language lessons, cooking classes, yoga sessions, sightseeing tours, visits to authentic Indian restaurants, workshops that will introduce you to the culture, visits to our project locations and much more!

Program Duration & Availability

Min duration (weeks): 1
Max duration (weeks): 1

Aims & Objectives

The purpose of this program is to help you get an understanding of the manners, norms, and etiquette that is inherent in Indian society as well as show you around and introduce you to your new surroundings.

Schedule

Monday

8.30 - 9:00 Breakfast

9:30 - 12:15 Overview of program and culture shock. Introduction to India including culture, caste system and religions in general. Discussion on Dos and Don'ts and House Rules.

13.00 - 14:00 Lunch at the Centre

15.00 - 20:00 Visit the City Centre. Visit the famous city place of Udaipur, Jagadish temple and witness a local cultural dance performance

20:30 - 21:00 Dinner at the centre

Tuesday

7:00 - 8:00 Yoga

8:30 - 9:00 Breakfast at the centre

10:00 - 12:30 Hindi Language Lesson (Alphabets, sentences, phrases, names of fruits and vegetables, numbers). A short break to learn to make Indian Chai (tea)

13:00 - 14:00 Lunch at the centre

15:00 - 18:00 Visit a Rajasthani Art School to learn traditional painting

18:30 - 19:15 Dinner at the centre

19:30 - 20:30 A workshop introducing previous participants to new participants

Wednesday

8.30 - 0.00

0.50 9.00	Breaklast at the centre
9:15 -10:15	Visit a local vegetable market & vegetable Shopping
10:30 - 12:45	Join a practical session of Indian Cooking
13:00 - 14:00	Lunch at the centre

Breakfast at the centre

14:30 - 18:00 Visit beautiful Badi lake and Fateh Sagar Lake

18:30 - 19:15 Dinner at the centre

Thursday

7:00 - 08:00	Yoga
8:30 - 09:15	Breakfast at the centre
10:00 - 12:30	Learn pottery with local craftsmen of Udaipur
13:00 - 14:00	Lunch at the centre
15:00 - 17:00 Go on a scenic boat ride in Lake Pichola and witness the panoramic city view of Udaipur from atop a hill	
18:30 - 19:15	Dinner at the centre

Friday

8:00 - 8:45	Breakfast
9:00 - 12:00 Teachers)	Project Visit (Learn About all the Project and meet to school children and
13:00 - 14:00 restaurants in	Enjoy a Special Rajasthani Thali Lunch at one of the famous authentic Udaipur
14:30 - 17:00 palatial Reside	Visit Monsoon Palace which is also known as Sajjangarh Palace (Hilltop ence In Udaipur)
18:30 - 19:30	Dinner At the centre
20:00 - 22:30	Enjoy a Bollywood Movie at the centre

This schedule can be changed and/or amended depending on weather conditions, local conditions and unforeseen circumstances.

Starting Dates

During 2019

This program starts every week.

During 2020

This program starts every week.

Participant Criteria & Requirements

Minimum age:

Maximum age:

Minimum English level: Basic

CRB required: On Signup **Passport copy required:** On Signup

Resume copy required: No **Required qualification:** None

Additional Requirements

- Participants below the age of 18 should have parental consent.
- Participants above the age of 65 should have medical clearance.

Additional Equipment

There are no specific additional equipment.