



## 14-day Incredible India – luxury tour

Enjoy a great introduction to India on this fabulous luxury private tour! Over 14 days you'll visit key sites in Delhi, Agra, Jaipur, Udaipur, Mumbai and Goa with the option to further customise your trip by choosing from a number of optional additions. You'll stay at wonderful 5 star luxury Oberoi and Taj properties throughout. Your tour ends with a few days relaxation in Goa, with the choice to extend your stay further or perhaps visit nearby regions such as Kerala or neighbouring regions such as Nepal or Bhutan.



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## Private departures

Available as a private tour from 28 November 2024 to 20 December 2024 and from 07 January 2025 to 31 March 2025. Choose your preferred dates of travel during these date ranges,

Based on 02 people travelling together, twin or double room share throughout

## Trip overview

<b>Style</b>	Luxury private tour
<b>Accommodation</b>	Luxury 5 star Oberoi and Taj hotels
<b>Grade</b>	Easy
<b>Duration</b>	14 days from Delhi to Goa
<b>Min/Max group size</b>	2
<b>Trip leader(s)</b>	Professional English-speaking guides
<b>Start/end point</b>	Join in Delhi, depart from Goa

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Group size	Based on a private tour for 02 persons
Tour	£5995 per person
Airfare Udaipur to Mumbai	From £90 per person. Based on economy class with 15 kg checked luggage and 07 kg hand luggage. This is a short flight of around 1 hour 35 minutes, so we've based it on an economy fare. If you would like business class options or to bring additional luggage, please contact us for more information and revised flight quotations.*
Airfare Mumbai to Goa	From £90 per person. Based on economy class with 15 kg checked luggage and 07 kg hand luggage. This is a short flight of around 1 hour 15 minutes, so we've based it on an economy fare. If you would like business class options or to bring additional luggage, please contact us for more information and revised flight quotations.*  <i>*Please note all airfares are subject to change &amp; availability at the time of booking. If the airfare is lower or higher at the time of booking, we will advise you of any changes before confirmation.</i>
Optional additions	Available on request to add to your main itinerary
Five Senses Tour in Delhi	£130 per person
Nahargarh Water walk in Jaipur	£60 per person
Bazaar, cuisine & crafts of Old Jaipur	£49 per person
Mumbai by Dawn	£85 per person

## Will the trip run?

This trip is guaranteed to run and is based on 02 persons travelling together, sharing a twin or double room. On the rare occasion that we need to cancel a trip we will provide a full refund or the choice of an alternative trip with the difference in pricing either refunded (if the cost is less) or the difference payable before departure, should the cost be higher. The majority of our trips, including this luxury tour, are tailor made and based on your preferred dates of travel, subject to the best times to visit each region, in addition to a small number of fixed date small group departures that we run for some of our trips each year.

## Flight inclusive departures

For departures from the UK or elsewhere to India, we offer a variety of flight options, working with a wide variety of airlines. Please contact us to discuss and for no obligation quotes. All flights are ATOL protected and our ATOL number is 12415. For flights in country (for example within India) we work with our local partners under their licences relevant to each country's licensing rules. All flights are subject to availability at the time of booking. Flights do fill quickly, particularly for the peak travel months and we advise booking your flights as soon as possible for the best fares and choice.

## No surcharge guarantee

The trip pricing and pricing for flights or any optional supplements or trip extensions will be confirmed to you at the time you make your booking. We guarantee there will be no change to pricing with no surcharges after your booking has been confirmed.

## Insurance

It is a condition of booking that you have personal travel insurance in place for your booking, valid for the duration of your trip. You are free to choose any insurance provider of your choice and our recommended Travel Insurance providers are [Campbell Irvine](#). Please visit our website [Travel Insurance page](#) to find out more and to request a quote.

## Tailor made private trips

The majority of our tours, treks and other trips are tailor-made and designed around the interests, requirements and preferred dates of travel of our clients, with your Himalayan holiday designed and customised specifically for you. We've designed this luxury tour as a great introduction to some of the key highlights of India, ending with a few days relaxing in the beautiful beachside location of Goa and staying at luxury Oberoi properties throughout. This tour can be further customized with a variety of additional optional tours, such as the Five Senses Tour in Delhi or the Mumbai by Dawn tour as outlined in the itinerary and pricing details.

Our UK and in country teams have a huge amount of experience and extensive networks which allows us to design and offer a very wide range of itineraries within India, Nepal, Bhutan and Tibet. We're happy to share our knowledge and suggestions to design the best itinerary to create your perfect itinerary. If you'd like to consider a tailor-made holiday with One Himalaya or to customise this itinerary, please call us on +44(0)28207 68975, email us at [hello@one-himalaya.com](mailto:hello@one-himalaya.com) or visit our website for inspiration.

## At a glance itinerary

Delhi – Agra– Jaipur – Udaipur – Mumbai– Goa

Day 01: Arrive Delhi

Day 02: Delhi – explore Old & New Delhi

Day 03: Train Delhi to Agra, Agra Fort and the Taj Mahal

Day 04: Drive Agra to Jaipur, via Fatehpur Sikri

Day 05: Jaipur, explore the Pink City

Day 06: Drive Jaipur to Udaipur

Day 07: Udaipur – City Palace and Museum, Jagdish Temple, Fatehsagar Lake, Sahelion ki Bari, Lake Pichola

Day 08: Udaipur – full day at leisure

Day 09: Fly Udaipur to Mumbai

Day 10: Mumbai – Gateway of India, Malabar Hills, Mani Bhavan, meet the Dabbawallas

Day 11: Fly Mumbai to Goa

Day 12: Goa – at leisure

Day 13: Goa – at leisure

Day 14: Depart Goa



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## Trip Highlights

- Explore Old and New Delhi's key cultural and spiritual sites
- Enjoy a sunset tour of the magnificent Taj Mahal
- Explore Fatehpur Sikri, one of the best-preserved examples of Mughal architecture in India
- Walk the courtyards and halls of the magnificent hilltop fortress and palace complex at Amber Fort in Jaipur
- Visit Jaipur's impressive City Palace, a wonderful complex of exquisite palaces, gardens and courtyards, decorative art and carved doorways
- See the exquisite and elaborately carved white marble temples of 15<sup>th</sup> century Ranakpur, the largest Jain temple complex in India
- Spend time in Udaipur, known as the 'City of Lakes' and 'Venice of the East' with its kaleidoscope of fairy-tale palaces, lakes, temples, gardens and narrow lanes, considered one of the most romantic cities of India
- Explore City Palace and Museum in Udaipur, the largest palace complex in India, a wonderful blend of Mughal and Rajput influences and home to the world's largest private collection of crystals
- Take in the spectacular city views from an evening boat ride on magnificent Lake Pichola
- Visit Mani Bhavan, former residence of Mahatma Gandhi, visit the Dhobi Ghat and meet the Dabbawallas in the bustling city of Mumbai
- Relax in Goa, known for its beautiful beaches and chilled vibe
- Stay at wonderful luxury Oberoi and Taj properties throughout

## Day to day trip itinerary

### Trip introduction

This is a great introduction to some of the many wonderful highlights of a visit to India. You'll stay in luxury Oberoi and Taj properties throughout, explore stunning key World Heritage, cultural and spiritual sites and enjoy a range of great experiences for a great insight into and experience of what makes India and her people such as wonderful, vibrant and fascinating place to visit and engage with.

### Day to Day

#### Day 01 Arrive Delhi

Welcome to India! One of our local representatives will be waiting to greet you in the arrivals hall after you've cleared immigration and custom formalities to assist you for the transfer and check in to your hotel.

India's capital and a major gateway to the country, contemporary Delhi is today a truly cosmopolitan city that juxtaposes and successfully combines modern and ancient in a unique heritage. After checking in to your hotel, the rest of today is free to rest and relax after your flight, ready for tomorrow. Relax by the pool, visit the spa, head to the rooftop bar or enjoy dinner at one of several restaurants, with plenty of options from classic to casual.

For the next two days you'll be staying at the wonderful 5 star luxury The Oberoi New Delhi. Ranked Number 1 City Hotel in Delhi, The Oberoi, New Delhi has views of the UNESCO World Heritage Site of Humayun's Tomb on one side and a calming view of the forested golf course on the other. It's a great example of Oberoi's reputation for taking care of its guests with relaxing, comfortable and stylish interiors reflecting a contemporary New Delhi.

**Overnight: [The Oberoi, New Delhi](#)**

**Day 02 Delhi – guided tour**

This morning after breakfast, your tour starts with a visit to some of the intriguing and enchanting sights of the national capital.

Visit the 17th century Jama Masjid, Delhi's oldest mosque, the largest in India is highly decorated and a beautiful oasis of calm in the city. The marble and red sandstone building has numerous entrance gates, four watch towers and two minarets. Designed by Shah Jahan, the Mughal emperor who also built the Red Fort and the Taj Mahal, it was built between 1644 and 1658 and can hold up to 25000 people. After time at Jama Masjid, we'll head to bustling Chandni Chowk, one of the oldest and busiest markets in Delhi, where you'll explore some of the narrow, winding lanes of Old Delhi on a rickshaw ride – a great way to see and experience more.

We'll also stop in front of the Mughal Empire's most opulent fort, the Red Fort for a photo stop as we head onwards to visit Raj Ghat, where Mahatma Gandhi was cremated. Located on the banks of the Yamuna River, this outdoor complex houses the memorial to Mahatma Gandhi.

Later we'll proceed to New Delhi where we'll drive past the Presidential Palace, the one-time imperial residence of the British viceroys, as well as the India Gate, a memorial raised in honour of the Indian soldiers martyred during the Afghan war and drive along the Rajpath past the Parliament House and secretarial buildings. Enjoy an afternoon visit to the 16th century Humayun's Tomb, a precursor to the Taj Mahal as well as Qutub Minar, the 12th century tower of victory built by a slave king and the prototype of all minars (towers) in India. Humayun's Tomb is a UNESCO World Heritage Site and is important as an architectural landmark in the development of Mughal architecture and garden tomb style. It inspired the construction of the Taj Mahal and is the final resting place of Emperor Humayun, who was the second Mughal emperor of India. It's a place of pilgrimage and an important symbol of India's history and heritage.

Qutub Minar is another important UNESCO World Heritage Site and landmark in Delhi. It's a unique mix of Islamic and Hindu architecture and is the tallest minaret in the world.

**Overnight in Delhi at [The Oberoi, New Delhi](#) (Meals included: Breakfast)**

As an alternative there is also the option of taking the unique Five Senses Tour today, where you'll visit key sites as well as enjoy additional unique experiences that take you into the heart of Delhi.

### **Optional Five Senses Tour – available on request (Timing : 0800 – 1400 hrs)**

If you'd like something different there is also the choice of an optional Five Senses guided tour, that invites you to experience Old to New Delhi as you immerse all your senses in five unique experiences. On this unique tour, a selection of experiences has been carefully curated to transport you into Delhi's rich cultural history. As you walk down narrow lanes that have changed over centuries, experience for yourself the diversity that has served as Delhi's greatest strength and vulnerability. Red sandstone and white marble were two of the most prominently used building materials in the Mughal era and Mughal structures have retained their regal appearance. The massive red & white structures adorned with intricate carvings, laid out geometrically, are truly a sight to behold. Visit an 8th generation ittar studio where you will get to smell a wide range of ittars and mix your own unique perfume that can be named after you! Walk the streets of Chandni Chowk which in their glory years, were adorned with silver and gold jewellery in the midst of shops selling the most delectable food. Today, chaos thrives in the area, but as you walk down the street you're transported by the magic in the air to the era of Mughals. Take a rickshaw through the streets, a great way to explore this area. Visit one of the oldest wrestling schools in India and understand how the touch of everyday generosity can change our lives when you visit the oasis of service - the Bangla Sahib gurudwara.

#### **Day 3 Train from Delhi to Agra – visit Agra Fort and the Taj Mahal**

This morning you'll be transferred to Nizamuddin Railway station to board the Gatimaan Express train to Agra, departing 0810am arriving 0950.

Once a small village on the banks of the Yamuna river, Agra was transformed by two great Mughal monarchs, Akbar and his grandson Shah Jehan into the second capital of the Mughal Empire – Dar-ul-Khilafat, or 'seat of the Emperor' in the 16th & 17th century. You'll be met arrival in Agra to begin with a guided visit of the impressive Agra Fort. The fort is approached by two imposing gates and constructed of red sandstone. The citadel was built by the Mughal Emperor Akbar between the years 1565 and 1573. Encircled by a moat, this dramatic city within a city was the palace of three emperors, Akbar, Shah Jehan and Aurangzeb, each of whom made significant contributions to the wonderful architecture of the inner buildings – a combination of Persian (Islamic) and local Hindu styles. After your visit here we'll head to your hotel where you'll be able to check in and rest and relax.

Late afternoon today, your guide will meet you at the hotel and accompany you for a sunset visit of the splendid Taj Mahal.

Built as an impressive and timeless monument of eternal love and demonstration of power, the Taj Mahal monument is described by poet Rabindranath Tagore as "a teardrop on the cheek of time". This magnificent 17th century mausoleum was built by the Mughal Emperor Shah Jahan, as an expression of love for his wife Mumtaz Mahal in the mid-17th century. It is made of milk-white makrana marble and is truly one of the wonders of the world. Though the Taj appears to be amazingly perfect from almost any angle, it is the close-up marble inlay work, which is astounding. Be mesmerized by this outstanding piece of architecture. After your sunset tour we return to the hotel where the rest of your evening is at leisure to rest and relax.

#### **Overnight in Agra at [The Oberoi Amarvilas](#) (Meals included: Breakfast)**

## Day 04 Drive Agra to Jaipur

After breakfast, it's time to check out and begin the drive to Jaipur – around 250km and approximately 5 hours. En route we'll stop to visit Fatehpur Sikri. Listed amongst the UNESCO World Heritage Sites, Fatehpur Sikri is one of the best-preserved examples of Mughal architecture in India. Some of the must visit monuments in Fatehpur Sikri are: Buland Darwaza, Diwan-i-Khas- Hall, Panch Mahal, Tomb of Salim Chisti, the Palace of Jodha Bai and Diwan-i-Aam. Following your visit and time exploring here, we continue the drive to reach Jaipur.

Founded by Maharaja Sawai Jai Singh II in 1727, Jaipur, also known as the Pink City, is planned according to Indian Vastu Shastra. It's the only city in the world symbolising the nine divisions of the Universe through nine rectangular sectors sub-dividing it. The city is steeped in history and culture. The palaces and forts of yesteryear that were witness to royal splendour and processions are now living monuments. Except for the busy traffic of bicycles, cars and buses, little seems to have changed. This fascinating city with its romantic charm takes you back to an epoch of royalty and tradition.

After check-in to your hotel, the rest of your evening is at leisure.

### **Overnight in Jaipur at The Oberoi Rajvilas (Meals included: Breakfast)**

## Day 05 Jaipur

Today is a chance to explore the forts, palaces, museums and markets of Jaipur. After an early breakfast your day begins with a visit to the magnificent hilltop fortress and palace complex at Amber Fort. A jeep will take you up to Amber Fort and once at the top, enjoy a stroll through the sprawling complex of courtyards and halls where your guide will explain more of the intricate designs and history.

This afternoon visit the City Palace, another impressive and overwhelming complex of exquisite palaces, gardens and courtyards, decorative art and carved doorways. After your visit to City Palace, you'll also be able to visit Jaipur's Jantar Mantar, the most famous of five observatories built by Sawai Jai Singh in India. Jai Singh was a great admirer of progress and research made in the fields of science and technology and was passionate about astronomy.

Today you'll also be able to see the 'Palace of Winds', also known as Hawa Mahal as we drive past this beautiful and elaborate façade, extremely intricate in its pink sandstone carving. The rest of your day and evening is free to rest and relax at your hotel.

There are also some additional optional tours you may like to add today.

### **Optional - Nahargarh Water Walk : Water Wisdom and other stories of Rajasthan -- available on request**

Experience the only walking tour of the Water Heritage of Indian culture! Though a desert, Rajasthan is a water civilisation, and water is its cultural repository. Join us on a Nahargarh Water Walk, a unique and first-of-its-kind storytelling tour designed to showcase the real Rajasthan. In this 2-hour curated tour, explore ancient water structures - channels, roman aqueducts and storage reservoirs and learn about their purpose, architecture, and history.



### **Optional - Bazaar, Cuisine & Crafts of Old Jaipur – available on request**

**Duration - 2hrs/30mins Timings – 16:30 to 19:00hrs**

From its creation in 1727 the royal families and nobles of Jaipur were patrons of the craftsmen and artisans of the city. These traditions continue to this day and as a result modern day Jaipur is considered by many as the craft capital of India. Traditional methods are still used to produce many valuable and highly prized items. Using skills passed down through generations, artisans and master craftsmen can be seen in the areas of Ghat Darwaza and Vishveshwar ji. On this fascinating evening walk, you'll mingle and talk with the locals whilst sampling some of the regions culinary delights; try pakoras, aloo tiki, samosa and sweets from some of the city's most popular street food vendors. Observe local artisans in their workshops; jewellers and silversmiths, gold and silver foil makers. The iconic Hawa Mahal also called the Palace of the winds is the meeting point at which this two-and-a-half-hour walk begins.

### **Overnight in Jaipur at [The Oberoi Rajvilas](#) (Meals included: Breakfast)**

#### Day 06 Jaipur to Udaipur, via Ranakpur Temple

After breakfast, it's time to begin the drive of around 395km, taking 7 to 8 hours. Udaipur is also known as the 'City of Lakes' and considered as one of the most romantic cities of India. It's a long drive but we'll stop en route at Ranakpur to see the beautiful and elaborately carved white marble temples. Guides are not allowed inside the temple premises so you'll be provided with an audio guide to accompany you.

Ranakpur is the largest Jain temple complex in India and dates to the 15th century. The main temple is dedicated to Adinath, the first Tirthankar. Intricate carvings detail mythological figures, patterns and motifs on the walls, pillars and domes. There are 1444 ornately carved marble pillars in the complex and none of them are similar. The beautiful lace-like interiors of the domes are a superb example of western Indian temple style. Surya temple and other Jain temples are side attractions. *Please Note: Temples open only at 1200 hrs. Leather belts, footwear, bare legs and black clothing are not allowed.*

After your visit to Ranakpur we continue on to Udaipur. Udaipur is a fascinating blend of sights, sounds and experiences. The city is based around the water lakes, hemmed in by the lush hills of the Aravalis. Regarded as one of the most romantic cities in India, it is often called the "Venice of the East" or the "Lake City". The kaleidoscope of fairy-tale palaces, lakes, temples, gardens and narrow lanes strewn with stalls, carry the flavour of a heroic past, epitomizing valour and chivalry. Udaipur is also a centre for performing arts, crafts and its famed miniature paintings.

Arriving into Udaipur you will be assisted by our representative for your check-in at the hotel with the rest of your evening at leisure to rest and relax.

### **Overnight in Udaipur at [The Oberoi Udaivilas](#) (Meals included: Breakfast)**

## Day 07 Udaipur

Get ready to explore one of the most scenic cities of Rajasthan. Begin your visit with the City Palace and Museum. The largest palace complex in India, it's a wonderful blend of Mughal and Rajput influences. The City Palace houses a crystal gallery, which boasts of royal artifacts and the world's largest private collection of crystals. Today you'll also visit the 17th century Jagdish temple, enjoy a scenic drive around Fatehsagar Lake, and visit the Sahelion ki Bari (the Garden for the Maids of Honour), an ornamental pleasure garden with fountains and marble kiosks.

This evening enjoy a shared boat ride on the 4 km long and 3 km wide Lake Pichola, a beautiful lake fringed with hills, palaces, havelis, ghats, embankments and temples, with spectacular views of the city from the lake.

**Overnight in Udaipur at [The Oberoi Udaivilas](#) (Meals included: Breakfast)**

## Day 08 Udaipur – at leisure

Today is a full day at leisure to rest and relax and enjoy the facilities at the hotel or perhaps to take a stroll to explore locally.

**Overnight in Udaipur at [The Oberoi Udaivilas](#) (Meals included: Breakfast)**

## Day 09 Fly Udaipur to Mumbai

Today you'll be transferred to Udaipur airport to connect with the short flight to Mumbai – departing 1440 arriving at 1555. On arrival to Mumbai you'll be met and assisted with the transfer and check in to your hotel. The rest of your afternoon and evening is at leisure to rest and relax.

**Overnight in Mumbai at [The Oberoi](#) (Meals included: Breakfast)**

## Day 10 Mumbai

**Optional tour - Mumbai By Dawn – available on request** Get up at the crack of dawn for an exclusive peek into the underbelly of the city, and insights into what makes this magnificent city tick. The tour starts with the newspaper vendor-distribution network. Next, men and women bargain with the wholesale fruit and vegetable vendors to pick up fresh produce for the day ahead. Visit Sassoon docks to see how 10 to 20 tonnes of fish arrive in the city every day. Finally see the glimpses of daily lives that most visitors never get to see - bread-boys carrying fresh bread, the milkman riding past with milk canisters, the flower market, and green fresh vegetable market. It may be an early start but well worth it.

If you decide not to opt for the Mumbai by Dawn optional experience, your morning begins after breakfast with a great half day sightseeing tour of Mumbai including visiting the Gateway of India. This was the monument that visitors arriving by boat would have first seen in the city of Bombay. Its design is a combination of both Hindu and Muslim architectural styles with the arch in Muslim style while the decorations are Hindu style. Later we'll drive past the exclusive Malabar Hills area. The colonial bungalows that peppered the hillside in the 18th century have now been replaced by the apartment blocks of Mumbai and Victoria Terminus. You'll also visit the Mani Bhavan today – the old Mumbai residence of Mahatma Gandhi. It's a pretty, two-storied structure that now houses a reference library with over 2000 books, a photo exhibition of the Mahatma's life, and well-preserved memorabilia,

including an old charkha or spinning wheel that Gandhi used to use. Another interesting site is the Dhobi Ghat [open laundry] and a chance to visit the Dabbawallas [tiffin delivery people – not operational on Sundays, 2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Saturdays of the month & any State and National holiday]. The Dabbawallas constitute a unique lunchbox delivery and return system that delivers hot lunches from homes and restaurants to people at work.

**Overnight in Mumbai at [The Oberoi](#) (Meals included: Breakfast)**

Day 11 Fly Mumbai to Goa

This morning you'll be met and transferred to Mumbai Airport to board your flight to Goa. You'll be met on arrival with assistance for the transfer and check in to your hotel.

**Overnight in Goa at [Taj Exotica](#) (Meals included: Breakfast)**

Day 12 & 13 Goa – at leisure

Over the next two days enjoy time to rest and relax at your hotel and enjoy the local area.

**Overnight in Goa at [Taj Exotica](#) (Meals included: Breakfast)**

Day 14 Depart Goa

This morning you'll be picked up for the transfer drive to Goa Airport in time for your flight home or on to your next destination.

**(Meals included: Breakfast)**

## Our trip grading system & what to expect

### Easy

This trip is graded easy. It's a luxury tour with some easy walking involved and plenty of time to rest and relax. There are a few longer drives which include rest breaks and stops to visit key sites en route.

### What's included in the price?

One Himalaya aims to offer the best value for money and aim to ensure all the key elements of your holiday are included. In some places such as Delhi, Jaipur and Jodhpur, where there is a wide range of local restaurants, cafes and bars, we include breakfast only options in your hotel stay to allow you to choose from the variety of options available in your hotel or local area. During days on safari at Ranthambore and others as noted in the Service Includes and Day to Day itinerary information, all meals are included, sometimes with a packed lunch provided where few or no local facilities are available.

- ❖ Airport greeting and transfer on arrival and departure
- ❖ 13 nights' accommodation using double or twin share rooms, on bed & breakfast basis at the hotels mentioned below and in the itinerary above
- ❖ All transfers & sightseeing using a private air conditioned Innova car
- ❖ Single entry to the monuments visited as per the itinerary
- ❖ Services of a local English-speaking guide as per the itinerary
- ❖ Rickshaw ride in Old Delhi
- ❖ Jeep ride in Jaipur to Amber Fort
- ❖ Shared boat ride on Lake Pichola in Udaipur
- ❖ Assisted arrival & departure transfers by local representatives as per the itinerary
- ❖ Mineral Water and other amenities in the vehicle throughout the tour

### What's not included in the price?

- ❖ India visa
- ❖ International flights – available on request, please ask us for details and quotes
- ❖ Travel Insurance – please note it is a condition of booking all trips that you have appropriate travel insurance in place. Visit our website <https://one-himalaya.com/travel-insurance.html> for more information
- ❖ Meals other than those specified in the itinerary
- ❖ Additional or optional accommodation, activities, tours, excursions or transport not included in the itinerary or before/after the dates specified (available on request)
- ❖ Expenses incurred as a result of flight delays/cancellation, strikes, weather conditions or other events outside of our control
- ❖ Personal expenses such as soft and alcoholic beverages, laundry, phone calls, tips snacks and souvenirs, camera/video camera fee at monuments
- ❖ Anything not mentioned in the above inclusions or itinerary

## Airport transfers

The cost of a transfer to/from the airport is included in the price of your holiday. All airport transfers required as part of your itinerary are also included in the price of your trip. When you arrive at Delhi someone will be waiting to greet you and assist with the transfer to your hotel. Similarly for the domestic flights and for your departure flight at the end of the tour, you will have assistance from our local representatives. Please contact us if you require any further information.

## Your accommodation

We work with a wide range of hotels and other accommodation options across India, Nepal, Tibet and Bhutan. Where a specific hotel is named in the itinerary, we will aim to secure that hotel, however all hotels and accommodation are subject to availability at the time of booking. If the first choice or named hotel is not available, we will book a suitable alternative of a similar standard and will always confirm the hotel with you at or shortly after confirmation.

Date	City	Hotel	Room Category	Meal Plan
Day 01 – 03	Delhi	The Oberoi	Premier Room	Bed & Breakfast
Day 03 – 04	Agra	The Oberoi Amarvilas	Premier Room	Bed & Breakfast
Day 04 – 06	Jaipur	The Oberoi Rajvilas	Premier Room	Bed & Breakfast
Day 06 – 09	Udaipur	The Oberoi Udaivilas	Premier Room	Bed & Breakfast
Day 09 – 11	Mumbai	The Oberoi	Premier Ocean View Room	Bed & Breakfast
Day 11-14	Goa	Taj Exotica	Villa Room Garden View	Bed & Breakfast

Hotel check-in 1400 hrs / Check-out time 1200 hrs.

## Please note

- ❖ Hotel check in times are usually 1400 hrs and check-out time 1200 hrs
- ❖ Train bookings in India open 120 days in advance and will be confirmed as soon as possible
- ❖ To place Air / Train / Safari bookings, we require your full passport details
- ❖ The names of hotels mentioned above only indicate that our rates have been based on usage of these hotels. All hotels are subject to availability at the time of confirmation of your trip. If for any reason they are not available we will book alternative accommodation at a similar or next best level and shall pass on the difference in rates (supplement or reduction) as applicable, to you.
- ❖ In case of any major or unexpected currency fluctuations or amendment in local Government taxes, or any fuel hike, we reserve the right to adjust the tour price accordingly and will advise and discuss this with you should that occur.

## Flight arrangements

We work with a wide range of airlines to offer the widest choice of departure flights from the UK. The 'Flight from' price is based on the best fare available at the time of printing. Airfares are subject to change and availability, and this should be used only as a guide price. If you would like us to help with your flight booking, we will always aim at the time of booking, to get the best possible price for the flights you need. We advise booking as early as you can, for the best chance of getting the best fares, particularly during the Spring and Autumn peak travel times.

Flights booked through One Himalaya are protected through our ATOL licence number 12415.

Please call us on +44 (0)28207 68975 for flight options including from regional UK airports, Business Class options, airport hotels and stopovers.

## Additional information

When we receive your booking confirmation, we send you a full Trip Dossier which contains details of any visas and vaccinations required, a suggested gear and clothing list and other useful information. If you have queries at any point or would like to discuss anything about your trip, please call us on +44 (0)28207 68975 and we will be pleased to offer advice and suggestions.

## Trip extensions

### Extending your holiday

A popular option is to add a few days extension to a main holiday – for example spending a few days on safari, or trek or visiting neighbouring regions such as Nepal or Bhutan. If you'd like more inspiration, please visit our website at <https://one-himalaya.com/category/extensions.html> or call us on +44 (0)28207 68975 and we'll be happy to share suggestions.



## Why book with One Himalaya?

- We specialise in tailor made, luxury and adventure travel in the Himalayas, a region we're passionate about promoting and sharing. We also have extensive knowledge and contacts across all the regions where we operate and our team have over 20 years' first hand knowledge and experience of planning and operating the very best Himalayan travel experiences for our worldwide clients.
- Designed for you – the majority of our trips are tailor made (in addition to a few small group trips each year), based on your interests, time and budget with guidance and suggestions from us to make your trip extra special. All the example itineraries and classic trips on our website can be booked and we hope they provide useful inspiration for your travel plans. Each of those can be customised and we also offer a full tailor-made travel service to custom design a travel itinerary just for you, to meet your personal travel requirements and interests.
- We offer an extensive range of trip itineraries from classic tours and treks, to challenging expeditions, exhilarating wildlife safaris and birdwatching trips, relaxing houseboat tours and plantation stays, off the beaten track adventures, specialist interest tours and much more. The trips on our website are for inspiration and represent just a fraction of the types of trips we offer. We also regularly introduce new experiences and itineraries.
- We work closely with our local teams and partners so our knowledge of each region is always up to date, and we can share the latest news and experiences with you. If we don't know the answer to your question, we'll definitely know someone who does!
- We offer 100% financial security for your booking. We're members of the [Travel Trust Association](#) in the UK (member number X0951), which is part of The Travel Network Group. As part of our membership, we operate a Trust Account for all bookings. This means that any payment you make to us is automatically paid into the Trust Account where it is 100% financially protected at all times and is only ever used for your travel booking, providing you with complete financial security when you book with us. Booking with us really does mean 100% financial protection for your booking and peace of mind for you.
- If you're travelling from the UK or elsewhere, we offer great international flight options and fares. We work with a wide range of quality airlines to find you the best routes and airfares to match your travel plans.
- We hold [ATOL licence](#) 12415 which means that all international flight bookings from the UK are fully ATOL protected, giving you complete security when you book with us.
- We offer no cost, no obligation provisional bookings so if you're interested in a trip but not quite sure you're ready to book, simply contact us and we'll hold a provisional booking for a limited time. Once you're ready to book, most of our trips only require a small deposit to confirm, with the balance payable later, closer to your time of travel.
- We offer a No Surcharge Guarantee – once you book with us, we guarantee the price of your holiday will not change.
- When you travel with us, local people really do benefit through creating and supporting local employment opportunities, support for small local organisations and local spend. We passionately believe in travel as a force for good and we work closely with our fantastic local teams and partners to promote sustainable, small-scale travel that enriches the lives of travellers and also benefits local people in the communities and places we travel to.

## One Himalaya – About Us

- We're a small team of travel experts with over twenty years' experience of exploring and promoting the wonderful Himalayan regions of Nepal, India, Bhutan and Tibet. We're passionate about travel and have a special love for the Himalayan regions.
- We're an independent travel company and online tour operator, based on the beautiful Causeway Coast in Northern Ireland, from where we provide bespoke travel services to our clients from the UK, Europe and worldwide.
- We firmly believe in sustainable travel, that respects and protects local people, landscapes, culture, wildlife and habitats. We believe that travel can and should be a force for good, creating positive impact and change for everyone. As part of that ethos, we support a range of small projects and initiatives in the destinations where we operate, that help bring positive benefits and real change to local people's lives.
- We work closely with local communities and partners across the Himalaya and beyond, working together to provide you with the most enjoyable and memorable travel experiences and adventures in Nepal, India, Bhutan and Tibet.
- We focus on providing high quality, personalised service and experiences for our clients, using good quality accommodation and equipment and working with professional, well trained and fairly paid local guides and crews.
- We offer Loyalty Discounts if you've travelled previously with us, on future trip bookings.
- We make it easy to book your holiday – you can book online, call or email us. We offer no obligation hold options on trips and flights and we guarantee no surcharges once you've booked.
- When we receive your booking confirmation, we'll send you a detailed trip dossier with all the information about your trip including visa information, vaccinations required, suggested gear and clothing and lots more useful information to ensure you're fully prepared and have a wonderful experience – and we're always available if you have any questions or would like to discuss anything – we love questions, especially if they're about travel!



