

# Blissful Leh Ladakh Tour Itinerary

#### 8N/9D

#### **ABOUT THE TOUR:**

The "Blissful Leh Ladakh Tour" is designed to provide a serene and immersive experience of the beautiful landscapes, cultural heritage, and unique attractions of Ladakh. Here's a detailed guide to help you plan your Blissful Leh Ladakh tour.

#### **DESTINATIONS:**

MANALI 1N | SARCHU 1N | LEH 4N | NUBRA VALLEY 1N | PANGONG VALLEY 1N |

### DAY 1:- ARRIVAL CHANDIGARH - MANALI (300 KM)

Meet our representative upon arrival in Chandigarh and proceed to your Manali— a popular hill station in Kullu valley and next to Beas River. A staging point for a number of treks and entry gate to Ladakh, via Lahaul and Spiti. After arrival in Manali, check-in at the hotel and spend rest of the day at leisure. Dinner and overnight stay in Manali.

# DAY 2:- MANALI - SARCHU (225 KM)

After breakfast, proceed towards Sarchu through Rohtang Pass to Lahaul valley, along the Chandra River to Keylong(district headquarters of Lahaul & Spiti), experience ever changing landscape which is mesmerizing and spectacular. Enroute visit the Jispa Monastery on the left bank of river Bhaga, built to commemorate the auspicious the 18th KALACHKRA initiation by His Holiness the DALAI LAMA in July 1994. Drive through Darcha, Patsao, Zingzing Bar and over Barlacha-La pass, which is one of the highest passes among other passes on the way to Leh. And, one can see excellent panoramic views of the high rising/sky touching mountains. On the top of Baralacha pass is Suraj Tal (lake), a source of river Bhaga surrounded by CB mountain ranges and gradually descent down through Kalungsarai to Sarchu. Overnight stay in the camps at Sarchu.





#### **DAY 3:- SARCHU - LEH**

Check-out from the camp and start your journey towards Leh. Drive through Gata Loops – 21 winding curves along the road. Adding to the adventurous sojourn, is its high altitude. Once you get here, you do feel like being at 17,000 feet above sea level, given the crispness of the winds and diffused sunlight. As you travel along the hairpin bends and curves, feel the adrenaline rush of being challenged by the terrain. Later drive through high passes – Nakki-La, Lachung-La and Tanglang-La (2nd highest motor-able road in the world). At top of these passes, a tiny temple and a few prayer flags flutter in the strong winds that are peculiar of these passes. After that drive all the way down to Rumptse, an oasis surrounded by barren craggy hills is the first village on the way to Leh, and the last village towards the Manali. Reach Leh by evening and check-in at the hotel for dinner and overnight stay in Leh.

### **DAY 4:- LEH SIGHTSEEING**

After a leisurely breakfast, we drive to visit Hemis Monastery situated 45km west of Leh; Hemis is the largest and the wealthiest monastery in Ladakh. From Hemis, you are driven back taking the same route to visit Thiksey Monastery, located on a hill-lock with formidable views of the Indus valley. Thiksey is especially noteworthy for its gigantic seated statue of the Maitreya and is also known for its (Dukhang) assembly hall which houses hundreds of rectangular prayer books, stacked between wooden covers and bound in silk. After that we continue to drive through series of chortens to visit Shey Palace the former summer palace of the King of Ladakh. 3 Idiots School Campus, SindhuDarshan visit. Dinner and Over Night at the Hotel in Leh.





#### DAY 5:- LEH - NUBRA VALLEY (160 KM)

After early breakfast drive to Nubra valley via Khardongla Pass (18,380ft) the world's highest motorable road and gateway to Siachen Glacier, the views from the top of the pass are amazing. Visit Deskit Monastery (118kms) founded by Lama Sherab Zangpo in 1420 A.D. Check inn at camp or hotel and after that we will visit Hundar village (7kms from Deskit) and Double-Humped Bactrian Camel Safari in sand dunes at Hundar. Dinner and overnight at Hotel/Camp in Nubra.

### **DAY 6:- NUBRA VALLEY - PANGONG LAKE (275 KM)**

After breakfast at hotel we drive to next destination Pangong Lake via Shyok and onto Tang Tse and Spangmik (Pangong). It's a short cut and it's a beautiful route. The road follows the Shyok River, and climbs up a mountain before finally descending into Shayok village. It took us less than an hour to reach Shayok, and we were delighted at the sight of the rather big village surrounded by barren mountains, the entire setting being very picturesque. Afternoon we reach at Pangong Lake and enjoy your day at Pangong Lake. Overnight stay at Pangong Lake.

### DAY 7:- PANGONG LAKE - LEH (225 KM)

After breakfast drive to Leh. Dinner and Overnight stay in Leh.

# **DAY 8:- LEH SIGHTSEEING**

After breakfast proceed to the Indus & Zanskar river Sangam, drive along the Indus river visiting, Pathar Sahib Gurdwara and Magnetic Hill (where the cars defy gravity further on to Leh Hall of Fame (which has a museum of the Kargil War memorabilia) Dinner and Over Night at the Hotel in Leh.

# **DAY 9:- DEPARTURE LEH**

After breakfast, check out from the hotel and Transfer to Leh airport for your onward destination with sweet memories...





#### **INCLUSION**

- 3 or 4Star Hotel Accommodations.
- Meet and Greet at Airport/Railway Station
- Daily Breakfast & Dinner
- All Tours and Transfers via Private car/Tempo Traveller
- Sightseeing as per Itinerary
- Water Bottles and Hot Water as per hotel policies
- Customer Support 24 X7
- All Applicable Taxes including GST
- All charges- Driver Allowance, State Permits, Parking Charges

# **EXCLUSION**

- Air Fares, Train Fares and Bus Fares
- Lunch or any other extra meals
- Personal Expenses
- RT-PCR Test
- Early Check In And Late Check Out
- Entry Tickets
- Extra Sightseeing
- Boat Rides
- Darshan Tickets
- Tips For Guides And Drivers
- Room Heater
- Anything other than mentioned in above inclusions

# **ACCOMODATION:**





DESTINATION	HOTEL CATEGORY	INCLUSION	DURATION
LEH	3star/4star	Breakfast & Dinner Veg-Non veg	4N
MANALI	3star/4star	Breakfast & Dinner Veg-Non veg	1N
SARCHU	3star/4star	Breakfast & Dinner Veg-Non veg	1N
NUBRA	3star/4star	Breakfast & Dinner Veg-Non veg	1N
PANGONG LAKE	3star/4star	Breakfast & Dinner Veg-Non veg	1N

# **HIGHLIGHTS:**

- Sun set famous Shanti Stupa
- Indus & Zanskar river Sangam
- Jispa Monastery
- Darcha, Patsao, Zingzing Bar, Barlacha-La pass
- Rohtang Pass, Lahaul valley, Chandra River
- Pathar Sahib Gurdwara and Magnetic Hill, Hall of Fame
- Khardongla Pass, Deskit Monastery
- Hundar village, Double-Humped Bactrian Camel Safari
- Pangong Lake, 3 Idiots School Campus
- Hemis Monastery, Thiksey Monastery, Shey Palace

### NOTE:



#### Warm reminder to all of those who wish to pay by Bank Transfer -

Please be informed that for any payments made through bank transfer, you will need to inform our office by email. We cannot register your payments as bookings, in the absence of this mail.

Before train / bus / flight booking kindly contact our offices as the timings are subject to change depending on the season.

#### **CANCELLATION POLICIES:**

10 days or less before departure, 100% of the tour cost

11 - 15 days before departure, 50% of the tour cost

16 - 21 days before departure, 25% of the tour cost

22 - 30 days before departure, No cancellation charges

Note: 100% cancellation fee applies, if the tour has already commenced.

### **BOOKING PROCEDURE:**

50% of the tour cost at the time of booking.

50% of the tour cost 15days prior to the departure date.