

## PACKAGE HIGHLIGHTS:

- In Pahalgam, visit Aru valley, betab valley and chandanwari (start point of Amarnath-yatra)
- Mughal Gardens & Shikara Ride in Srinagar
- Gandola Ride in Gulmarg
- Assistance at airport and sightseeing tours by private vehicle
- Visit in Delhi – Jama Masjid, Qutub Minar, Humayun Tomb
- Drive past in Delhi - Red Fort, Rajghat, President House & India Gate
- Services of English-speaking guide during sightseeing tours
- Assistance at airport and sightseeing tours by private air-conditioned vehicle
- Start From Delhi and End in Delhi

## ITINERARY:

### Day 01 Delhi

Meet our representative upon arrival in Delhi and check-in at the hotel. India's capital & a major gateway to the country, Delhi is contemporary and a bustling metropolis which successfully combines in its fold the ancient & the modern. Its strategic location was one of the prime reasons why successive dynasties chose it as their seat of power. New Delhi also reflects the legacy the British left behind. Overnight in Delhi.

### Day 02 Delhi - Srinagar (By Flight)

After breakfast, leave for airport to board your flight for Srinagar. Meet our representative upon arrival in Srinagar and proceed to your houseboat at Dal Lake. This place is famous for its lakes and the charming houseboats, Srinagar is also known for traditional Kashmiri handicrafts. The lake comprises a series of water bodies, including the Nagin Lake. One can take in the panoramic view of the mountains surrounding Srinagar from this lake. Kashmiri boats called Shikara, are used to explore the intricate maze of waterways on this lake. In evening, enjoy a Shikara-ride on Dal Lake. Overnight stay in Srinagar.

### Day 03 Sightseeing of Srinagar

After breakfast, explore Srinagar, the capital of the state of Jammu and Kashmir. Visit the famed Nishat Bagh, Shalimar Gardens and Chashmeshahi Gardens. These well laid out terraced gardens, replete with cascading fountains and beautiful flowering shrubs and trees, were built for the relaxation of the Mughal Emperor and his queens. Proceed to the Hazratbal Mosque, an important Muslim religious place, with its pristine white marble elegance reflected in the waters of Dal Lake. Hazratbal's special significance is derived from the fact that it houses a hair of the prophet Muhammad. Overnight stay in Srinagar houseboat.

### Day 04 Drive from Srinagar to Pahalgam (90 kms / approx. 3.5 hours)

After breakfast, proceed to Pahalgam, also called the Valley of Shepherds. On arrival, check-in at the hotel. Enjoy panoramic views of Pahalgam town and Lidder Valley. Start with Aru Valley which is a small village, 15 km upstream the Lidder River, The route is picturesque with ample campsites. This village is the starting point for treks to the Kolahoi glacier. Later, visit Chandanwari, 16 Km which is the starting point of sacred Amarnath Yatra. Chandanwari is famous for snow sledging on a snow bridge, enroute you can visit Hajan, an idyllic picnic spot and Betaab valley. Overnight stay in Pahalgam.

### Day 05 Drive from Pahalgam – Gulmarg (140 kms / approx. 4.5 hours)

After breakfast, proceed to Gulmarg - 'Meadow of Flowers' situated at an altitude of 2730 meters, with lush green meadows of flowers with a backdrop of the snow-capped mountains. Check-in at the hotel upon arrival and enjoy dinner. Overnight stay in the Gulmarg.

#### **Day 06 Gandola-Ride in Gulmarg**

After breakfast, enjoy local sightseeing of Gulmarg and Gandola-ride (cable car). Rest of the day leisure at the hotel. Overnight stay in Gulmarg.

#### **Day 07 Departure from Srinagar (58 kms / approx. 2.5 hours) Flight to Delhi**

After breakfast, you will be transferred to Srinagar airport for return flight back to Delhi. Meet our representative upon arrival in Delhi and check-in at the hotel. Spend rest of the evening at leisure. Overnight stay in Delhi.

#### **Day 08 Sightseeing in Delhi**

After breakfast, proceed for a full-day tour of Old and New Delhi. This fascinating city has been in existence since the 6th century BC and has seen ups and downs from the rule of the Pandavas right up to the British Raj. Visit Jama Masjid, which is the largest mosque in India, commissioned by Emperor Shah Jahan. The courtyard of the mosque can hold about 25,000 worshippers. Enjoy a rickshaw ride in Chandni Chowk, the busiest market in Old Delhi...noisy, chaotic and uniquely Indian. You will then visit the Red Fort, which was constructed during the rule of Emperor Shah Jahan and served as the residence for the Mughal royal family. It continues to be significant till date, as every Independence Day, the Prime Minister makes a speech from its ramparts as the Indian flag is hoisted. Later, drive past President House and several other government buildings in Edwin Lutyen's Delhi before you head toward Rajghat, the memorial to Mahatma Gandhi. This simple memorial marks the spot where Mahatma Gandhi was cremated in 1948. Thereafter, visit Humayun's Tomb, commissioned by Humayun's wife Hamida Banu Begum in 1562. It was the first garden tomb built in the Indian sub-continent where the Persian architect used red sandstone on a large scale. Later in the evening visit the Qutab Minar, which is the tallest brick minaret in the world; it was commissioned by Qutbuddin Aibak, the first Muslim ruler of Delhi. Overnight in Delhi.

#### **Day 09 Departure from Delhi**

After breakfast, you will be transferred to Delhi airport for return flight back home.

End of Services.

#### **HOTELS OFFERED:**

City	Nights	Category A	Category B	Category C	Meal Plan
Delhi	3	Holiday Inn Mayur Vihar	Park Inn By Radisson	Surya International	Breakfast
Srinagar	2	Wangnoo Heritage on Nageen Lake	Deluxe Houseboat on Nageen Lake.	Deluxe House Boat on Dal Lake	Breakfast & Dinner
Pahalgam	1	Pine Spring	Forest Hill Resort	Highland	Breakfast & Dinner
Gulmarg	2	Pine Spring	Royal Park	Affarwat	Breakfast & Dinner

PACKAGE COST	Category A	Category B	Category C
Cost Per Person when 2 Pax Travelling	INR 44680	INR 38130	INR 32470
Cost Per Person when 4 Pax Travelling	INR 37240	INR 30800	INR 24920
Cost for Extra Adult / Child with Bed	INR 20202	INR 15765	INR 11545

#### **PACKAGE INCLUSIONS:**

- 8 night accommodation in well-appointed rooms as mentioned above hotels or equivalent
- Assistance at the airport
- 1 session of Shikara-ride

- Rickshaw ride in Chandni Chowk
- Entry Fee at the Monuments
- Sightseeing as per itinerary by private tourist AC vehicle
- Drivers allowances, toll taxes and Govt. Service Tax

**PACAKAGE EXCLUSIONS:**

- Air tickets and airport taxes
- Gondola Ride
- Items of personal nature like laundry, phone calls, tips to guides / drivers etc.
- Camera / Video camera fees applicable at monuments

**NOTE:**

- Issued Boarding Passes for Gandola ride in Gulmarg are valid for the period of 03 Hours only, Visitors boarding between Gulmarg to Kungdoori (Phase 1) from 1400 Hrs. to 1600 Hrs. can stay at G2 Station till 1700 HRS Only and Visitors boarding between Kungdoori (Phase 1) to Apparwath (Phase 2) from 1400 Hrs. to 1500 Hrs. can stay at Apparwath (Phase 2) - G4 Station till 1600 HRS Only.
- Medium vehicle will be provided for 1-3 travelers and Innova will be provided for 4-5 travelers.
- Hotel Check in 1400hrs and check out 1200hrs
- In case of Snowfall at Gulmarg no outside vehicle is allowed to operate from Tangmarg to Gulmarg i.e., only local vehicle with chains are allowed to operate from Tangmarg to Gulmarg or Gulmarg to Tangmarg, in that case there will be additional cost for to and fro journey

Rooms are subject to availability

Package Valid from 1<sup>st</sup> April to 30<sup>th</sup> September