

4 DAYS BEAUTIFUL THIMPHU CITY

Valid Till : Sep 2018

TOUR NO : 04
NAME OF TOUR : BEAUTIFUL THIMPHU CITY
PLACES TO VISIT : THIMPHU (3N)
TOURS HIGHLIGHTS : CULTURE – MONASTERIES– DOCHULA PASS – VALLEYS – VILLAGES

Day 1 Arrive Paro from New Delhi / Kathmandu / Bagdogra & transfer to Thimphu 65 km 1hrs drive -- The most spectacular mountain flights you will ever experience in a life time. Flying in from the heat of the plains of India one can witness from the left side of the aircrafts window a series of the world's highest peaks. Your pilot will announce the names of the peaks if the weather is clear. You will descend into the high mountains and as the plane lowers you will not find any airstrip or any city but instead you will enjoy the view of the approaching valley of Paro, the alpine forests, little monasteries, temples and farm houses. Before the plane touches the runway you will get a glimpse of the fertile valley of Paro, the Paro Dzong and Paro chu(river). Our representative will be at the airport to assist you, meet and greet and transfer to the hotel and transfer to the capital city. Day at leisure. O/n at Thimphu.

Day 2 Thimphu – capital city sightseeing -- Morning transfer to Thimphu and when in Thimphu you got to prepare for surprises where this unique capital has no traffic lights but adopted its own version of the British – Indian colonial times traffic policemen who can startle you and memorize others with his elaborate hand gestures, sometimes he may be signaling stop when it looks like go but don't worry you can observe the flow and notice his smile as you stare at him. Sightseeing includes the Folk Heritage Museum, National Library, Handicrafts Center to view the traditional arts, the indigenous Medicine Hospital, the Painting School and from the road point take a glimpse of Trashichho Dzong. Further drive uphill and visit Takin Zoo where you will find national animal of Bhutan. Afternoon visit National Memorial Chorten a stupa dedicated to the third king of Bhutan and Buddha statue. Evening take a leisure walk to the main city from Clock tower square. O/n at Thimphu.

Day 3 Half day excursion to beautiful Dochula pass 10,000 feet -- Morning take a 45 minutes leisure drive up hill toward Dochula pass and on the way you will stop at Hongtsho village. Here you will come across immigration check point where you will have to show your permit for entering Dochula pass, the immigration will stamp on your permit as entered and while returning will have to deposit the permit at the counter (standard procedure). Just next to the check point you will find small local stalls selling fresh juicy local apples available for sale in plastic bags you could try some. Few kilometers you drive up hill and reach the first mountain pass in the western part of Bhutan. As you reach the pass you find the 108 Druk Wangyal chortens on the top of the pass where the ridges are draped in colorful prayer flags greet you. You could take three rounds and offer prayers, take some best photo shots. If the weather is clear you will be able to see the highest peaks towards the north, Gangar Punsum among others is the highest unclimbed peak (24,000 ft) in the world. If you are hungry you could try some hot tea/coffee and light snacks at Dochula Resort just a few distance below. Return to Thimphu and visit the city for shopping or leisure. O/n at Thimphu

Day 4 Departure -- Morning transfer to Paro International Airport for your next destination.

Tour Cost Per Person (Indian Rupee)

Per Pax in	Luxury			Deluxe			Standard			
	Twin Sharing	CP	MAP	AP	CP	MAP	AP	CP	MAP	AP
2pax	35200	41030	49,200	19050	21600	24700	16950	19400	21600	
4 pax	33750	38650	47,750	17650	20200	23250	15550	17950	20200	
6 pax	33050	38950	47050	16950	19500	22550	14850	17250	19500	
Extra Bed	11800	19750	25350	7850	10400	12750	7150	10100	12200	
Child without Extra Bed	6150	13970	19570	3200	4900	7000	2950	4600	6600	
Child below 5 years	(No charges)									

Cost includes: Accommodation in twin sharing, meals as per plan, all airport transfers, all transportation within Bhutan, all internal permits, English speaking guide, entry fee to museum, internal taxes.

Cost excludes: Air fare, personal travel insurance, laundry, tipping, personal shopping, telephone calls, anything not specified in the “cost includes”.

Hotels & Resorts

Thimphu

Luxury : Hotel Druk <http://www.drukhotels.com>

Deluxe : Hotel Migmar www.hotelmigmar.bt / Hotel Kisa <http://www.hotelkisa.com>

Standard : Peaceful Resort www.bhutanpeacefulresort.com or Wangchuk Hotel www.wangchukhotel.com (inside the city)

Transportation (Non AC vehicles)

1 – 2 pax Hyundai Tucson / Santa Fe

3 – 8 pax Toyota Hi-ace bus 9 seater

9 – 18 pax Toyota Coaster bus 21 seater

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