

ESSENTIAL LADAKH

LEH – Khardung La – Nubra Valley – Pangong Lake
6 Nights / 7 Days



This is one essential Ladakh itinerary which can act as an introduction to Leh, Ladakh. Besides Leh, visit breath-taking Nubra Valley & Pangong Lake. Customization of the itinerary can be done as per your preference.



PRICE INCLUDES:

- Airport "Meet and Greet" and private Hotel transfers
- 6 nights accommodation
- Daily breakfast.
- Private air-conditioned vehicle for 7 days with English speaking chauffeur
- Local English speaking guide on sightseeing days
- Monument entrance fees
- Applicable taxes & VAT

OPTIONAL ACTIVITIES:

Trekking in Ladakh: Lying amidst greater mountain passes of the Himalayas & the Karakoram, Leh Ladakh is bestowed with high terrains for fantastic trekking opportunities.

River Rafting: Enjoy thrills & chills of Rafting & Kayaking along Indus & Zaskar rivers. Zaskar River, a remote Himalayan tributary of the Indus harbors one of the most spectacular navigable gorges in the world. Hailed as the "Grand Canyon of the Himalayas", a journey down the Zaskar features an excursion through a geologic paradise.

Snow Leopard Trek: This epic adventure takes you to Hemis National Park in Ladakh, India's best-protected area for Snow Leopards and a good place to sight this magnificent cat.

Being whitish-grey in color (tinged with yellow) and patterned with dark grey rosettes and spots, the Snow Leopard exhibits superb camouflage for its mountain environment of bare rocks and snow. It is on account of its reclusive nature that it is often referred to as the Grey Ghost of the Himalayas.



Day 1: Delhi arrival

We meet you on arrival at Delhi airport and drive you to your hotel. In the afternoon, drive past Red Fort & Chandni Chowk Bazaar. Visit Jama Masjid, Raj Ghat, Qutab Minar, Humayun's Tomb, India Gate, & Lotus Temple. Overnight at hotel.

Day 2: Delhi – Leh

Breakfast at hotel & then transfer to airport to board flight for Leh. We meet you on arrival at Leh airport and drive you to your hotel. Take complete rest for the day to acclimatize to the high altitude. Late evening, take a walk around Leh town. Overnight at hotel.

Day 3: Leh Sightseeing

Breakfast at hotel & then sightseeing around upper Leh. Some places to visit: Thiksey Gumpa, Shey Palace & Gumpa, Shanti Stupa, Sankar Gumpa, Namgyal Tsemo, Leh Palace. Overnight at hotel.

Day 4: Leh – Nubra Valley (7 hrs)

Post breakfast, head out to Nubra Valley via the World's Highest Motorable Pass - Khardung La. As you continue towards Nubra, you will drop altitude & reach a region that is the most fertile in Ladakh. Head to Hunder via Diskit marked by sand dunes which is a surprising sight at high altitude. See Bactrian (double-humped) camels – a reminder of the historic Silk Route. Overnight in Tent/ Hotel/ Guest house.

Day 5: Nubra Valley – Leh (5-6 hrs)

Head back to Leh, via Khardung La. Enroute visit Diskit Gumpa, to be part of the prayer sessions. Overnight at hotel.

Day 6: Leh – Pangong Lake (8-9 hrs)

Post breakfast, drive to Pangong Lake taking the road via Karu. You will pass by the beautiful green valley of Shakti as you ascend towards Chang La – the third highest motorable pass in the world. The landscape as you approach Pangong Tso is breathtaking! Spend some time soaking in the beauty of Pangong Tso, have lunch & head back to Leh. Overnight at hotel.

Day 7: Leh departure

Breakfast at hotel & then drop off to airport to catch flight to your onward destination.

POSSIBLE EXTENSIONS:

- 6 nights Kashmir
- 1 night Agra
- 3 nights Agra & Jaipur

OTHER DETAILS:

Delhi – Leh / Srinagar – Delhi flight fare extra

**Map is for representation purposes only and not to scale*

