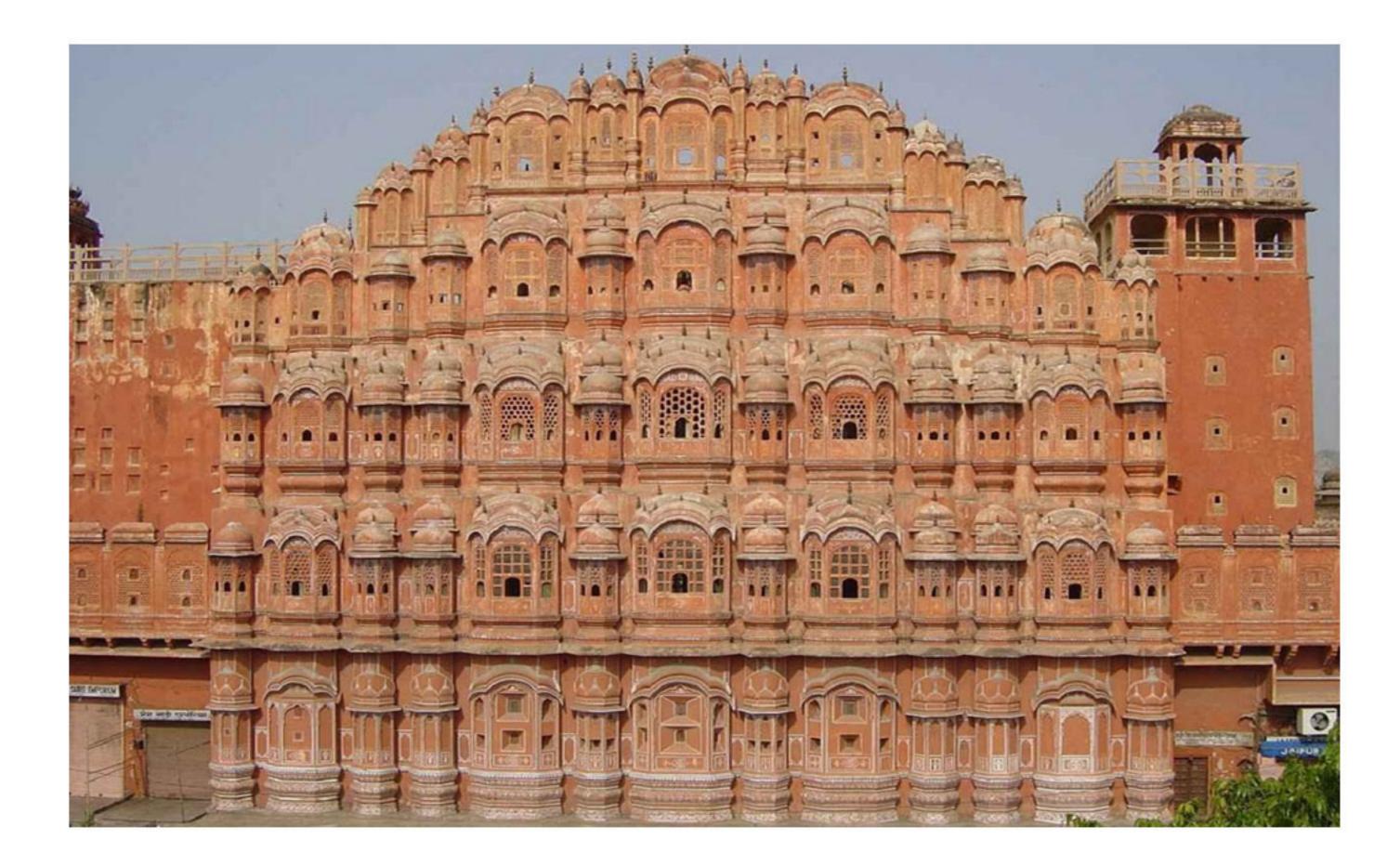
RAJASTHAN FORT & PALACES HOLIDAY

DELHI – MANDAWA – BIKANER – JAISALMER – JODHPUR – RANAKPUR – UDAIPUR – DEOGARH – DELHI 10 NIGHTS / 11 DAYS



Enchanting kingdom - where each street, mansion, fort & palace is shrouded in a history long forgotten. Discover the imposing desert fortresses & opulent palaces of Rajasthan, where life in all its aspects comes emblazoned in the brightest of colors & impressions.



Day 1: Delhi - Mandawa (250 kms/05 hrs)

Arrive Delhi & drive to Mandawa (Shekhawati) check-in at the hotel. The entire region of Shekawathi is known for its exquisite frescoes & popularly called the 'open art gallery'. Afternoon visit the Fort of Mandawa. Overnight at Hotel.

Day 2: Mandawa - Bikaner (185 kms / 04 hrs)

Morning after breakfast, drive to Bikaner. On arrival, check-in at the hotel. In afternoon visit the Junagarh Fort & Lalgarh Palace & Bhanda Sar Temple. The wealth of its architectural heritage lies in its forts & palaces. Also visit the famous temple of Karni Matha at Deshnok, where the humble rats are also venerated. Rest of the day at leisure. Overnight at Hotel.

Day 3: Bikaner - Jaisalmer (330 kms / 6 hrs)

Morning after breakfast, drive to Jaisalmer. The approach across the barren Thar Desert is magical, as the city shimmers like a mirage. With the golden sandstone town walls & narrow streets lined with exquisitely carved buildings, you get a medieval feel. On arrival check-in at the hotel. Rest of the day at leisure. Overnight at hotel.

Day 4: Jaisalmer

Morning after breakfast, sightseeing in Jaisalmer – a medieval city of elaborately carved mansions (havelis) in yellow sandstone. Evening camel ride at Sam Sand dunes in the Thar desert, watching the sunset. Overnight at hotel.

Day 5: Jaisalmer - Jodhpur (272 kms / 5 hrs)

Morning after breakfast drive to Jodhpur, second city of Rajasthan. On arrival, check-in at the hotel. Rest of the day at leisure. Overnight at hotel.

Day 6: Jodhpur

Breakfast at hotel, visit Mehrangarh Fort, one of the most impressive & formidable structures that looks down from a height of 125m. Proceed to visit Jaswant Thanda. Rest of the day at leisure. Overnight at hotel.

PRICE INCLUDES:

- Airport "Meet and Greet" and private Hotel transfers
- 10 nights accommodation
- Daily breakfast
- Private air-conditioned vehicle for 16 days with English speaking chauffeur
- Local English speaking guide on sightseeing days
- Monument entrance fees
- One elephant ride at Amber fort in Jaipur
- One camel safari in Jaisalmer
- · One boat cruise on Lake Pichola in Udaipur
- Applicable taxes & VAT.

Day 7: Jodhpur – Ranakpur – Udaipur (250 kms / 5 hrs approx)

Morning after breakfast, drive to Udaipur - enroute visit the 15th century temple complex in Ranakpur. This is one of the five holy places for the Jain community. Overnight at hotel.

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Day 8: Udaipur

Morning after breakfast visit Udaipur city, set in Girwa valley amidst the Aravalli hills of south Rajasthan, and regarded as one of the most romantic places in India. Later excursion to visit Eklinji & Nagda Temples. Evening boat cruise at Pichola Lake. Overnight at hotel.

Day 9: Udaipur - Deogarh (135 kms / 3 hrs)

Morning after breakfast, drive to Deogarh, check-in at the hotel. Rest of the day at leisure. Overnight at hotel.

Day 10: Deogarh – Delhi (550 kms / 8 hrs) [Option of taking a flight back to Delhi from Udaipur]

After breakfast, drive back to Delhi & check-in at the hotel. Overnight at hotel.

Day 11: Delhi

Breakfast at hotel, rest of the day at leisure. Later transfer to international airport to board flight for your home country.

