Best Of Arunachal Pradesh | November 24 -December 1`2026`Ex. Guwahati



Destination Introduction

A Journey Through the Best of Arunachal Pradesh

From lush valleys and serene monasteries to snow-covered mountain passes, sacred Buddhist landmarks, pristine lakes, and inspiring stories of courage — experience the spectacular beauty, spirituality, and culture of Arunachal Pradesh in one unforgettable journey.

TOUR HIGHLIGHTS

? **Bhalukpong – Gateway to Arunachal Pradesh:** Begin your journey through the enchanting Northeast at Bhalukpong, a scenic gateway nestled along the Kameng River and surrounded by lush forests and serene Himalayan landscapes.

? **Dirang Valley:** Discover the picturesque charm of Dirang, a peaceful Himalayan valley dotted with apple orchards, hot water springs, traditional villages, stunning landscapes, and the rich heritage of the Monpa community.

? **Sangti Valley:** Escape into the tranquil beauty of Sangti Valley, where majestic mountains, flowing rivers, kiwi plantations, apple orchards, and charming village life create a perfect Himalayan retreat.

? **Mandala Top & 108 Buddhist Stupas:** Experience breathtaking Himalayan panoramas from Mandala Top and discover the spiritual beauty of the beautifully arranged 108 Buddhist stupas, surrounded by prayer flags and magnificent mountain scenery.

? **Sela Pass & Sela Lake:** Journey through one of the most spectacular high-altitude mountain passes in India, surrounded by dramatic snow-covered peaks and the stunning turquoise waters of Sela Lake.

? **Nuranang Waterfall:** Witness the spectacular Nuranang Waterfall cascading through the Himalayan wilderness, creating one of the most beautiful and memorable natural landscapes of the region.

? **Jaswant Garh War Memorial:** Pay tribute to the courage and sacrifice of Rifleman Jaswant Singh Rawat at this historic war memorial, a moving reminder of India’s military heritage.

? **Tawang Monastery:** Explore the magnificent Tawang Monastery, one of India’s most important centres of Tibetan Buddhist culture, renowned for its spiritual atmosphere, beautiful architecture, ancient scriptures, and panoramic valley views.

? **Bum La Pass Excursion:** Embark on an unforgettable high-altitude excursion towards the Indo-China border at Bum La Pass, surrounded by dramatic Himalayan terrain and spectacular mountain vistas.

? **Sungester (Madhuri) Lake:** Admire the surreal beauty of this high-altitude lake, surrounded by rugged mountains and peaceful landscapes, made famous for its breathtaking natural setting.

? **Tawang War Memorial – Light & Sound Show:** Experience an inspiring evening presentation that brings alive stories of bravery, sacrifice, and patriotism associated with the Indian Army.

? **Sela Tunnel Drive:** Experience the remarkable Sela Tunnel, an impressive engineering achievement beneath the Eastern Himalayas, while enjoying spectacular mountain scenery along the journey.

? **Maa Kamakhya Temple Darshan:** Seek blessings at the revered Maa Kamakhya Temple in Guwahati, one of India’s most significant Shakti Peethas, beautifully situated on Nilachal Hill.

Detailed Itinerary

Day 01: Arrival at Guwahati – Transfer to Tejpur Distance: Approx. 240 Km | Drive Time: 6-7 Hours

Welcome to Northeast India!

Upon arrival at Guwahati Airport, our representative will warmly receive you and assist you for your onward journey to Arunachal Pradesh.

Guests are requested to arrive before 11:00 AM, as the journey towards Bhalukpong begins by **12:00 Noon**. Maximum waiting time at the airport will be **30 minutes**.

Drive through the lush green plains of Assam, passing charming villages, tea gardens, and scenic countryside before reaching **Tejpur**

Upon arrival, check into your hotel/resort. Spend the evening at leisure,

Overnight Stay: Tejpur

Meals: Dinner

Day 02 - Bhalukpong to Dirang Distance: Approx. 180 Km | Drive Time: 6-7 Hours

After breakfast, begin your spectacular drive towards Dirang.

As you ascend into the Eastern Himalayas, witness dramatic changes in landscape—from dense forests and winding mountain roads to sparkling streams, waterfalls, and traditional tribal settlements.

The journey itself is an unforgettable experience filled with breathtaking Himalayan views and pristine natural beauty.

Upon arrival in **Dirang**, check into your hotel. Nestled amidst mountains and valleys, Dirang is known for its pleasant weather, apple orchards, kiwi farms, and serene atmosphere.

Enjoy the evening at leisure.

Overnight Stay: Dirang

Day 03 - Sangti Valley & Mandala Top Excursion | Distance: Approx. 80 Km | Duration: Full Day Excursion

After breakfast, proceed to the enchanting **Sangti Valley**, one of Arunachal Pradesh's most scenic

hidden gems.

Surrounded by majestic mountains and traversed by the sparkling Sangti River, the valley is famous for its lush meadows, apple orchards, kiwi plantations, traditional Monpa villages, and mesmerizing landscapes.

Enjoy nature walks, photography opportunities, and the refreshing mountain air.

Later, visit the spectacular **Mandala Top**, renowned for its panoramic Himalayan views and the magnificent arrangement of **108 Buddhist Stupas**, symbolizing peace, spirituality, and harmony.

The stunning viewpoints offer unforgettable vistas of the surrounding mountain ranges.

Note: Mandala Top sightseeing is subject to road conditions and local clearance.

Return to Dirang by evening.

Overnight Stay: Dirang

Meals : Breakfast & Dinner

Day 04: Dirang to Tawang via Sela Pass Distance: Approx. 150 Km | Drive Time: 7-8 Hours

After breakfast, check out and proceed towards the beautiful town of Tawang.

Today’s journey is among the most scenic drives in Northeast India.

Enroute Highlights:

Sela Pass (13,700 Ft.)

One of India’s most spectacular high-altitude mountain passes, surrounded by snow-covered peaks and pristine alpine lakes.

Sela Lake

A breathtaking glacial lake reflecting the beauty of the surrounding Himalayan landscape.

Jaswant Garh War Memorial

A moving tribute to the bravery and sacrifice of Rifleman Jaswant Singh Rawat during the 1962 Indo-China War.

Nuranang Waterfall (Jung Falls)

A magnificent waterfall cascading through dense mountain forests, creating a picture-perfect setting.

Arrive in Tawang by evening and check into your hotel.

Overnight Stay: Tawang

Meals: Breakfast & Dinner

Day 05: Tawang High-Altitude Excursion Distance: Approx. 100 Km | Duration: Full Day

After breakfast, embark on a memorable excursion to some of the most stunning high-altitude attractions near Tawang.

Sungester Lake (Madhuri Lake)

A mesmerizing lake surrounded by snow-capped mountains and scenic landscapes. Its pristine beauty made it famous after its appearance in the Bollywood movie *Koyla*.

Bum La Pass

Situated at an altitude of over 15,000 feet near the Indo-China border, Bum La Pass offers breathtaking views and a rare opportunity to visit one of India's most significant frontier locations.

Enroute High-Altitude Lakes

Explore several picturesque lakes and viewpoints, each offering spectacular Himalayan scenery.

Afternoon Sightseeing:

· Tawang War Memorial

· Urgelling Monastery (Birthplace of the 6th Dalai Lama)

Evening Highlight:

Attend the inspiring **Light & Sound Show** at the Tawang War Memorial, showcasing stories of courage, sacrifice, and patriotism.

Important Information:

· Bum La Pass visit is subject to weather conditions, permit approval, and army clearance.

· Local Union Taxi charges are included.

· Original Aadhaar Card, Passport, or Voter ID is mandatory.

Overnight Stay: Tawang

Meals : Breakfast & Dinner

Day 06: Tawang to Bomdila via Sela Tunnel Distance: Approx. 190 Km | Drive

Time: 7-8 Hours

After breakfast, visit the magnificent **Tawang Monastery**, the largest monastery in India and the second-largest monastery in the world.

Founded in 1680, this revered monastery is perched at an altitude of nearly 10,000 feet and offers panoramic views of the Tawang Valley. Explore its beautiful prayer halls, ancient scriptures, vibrant murals, sacred relics, and the majestic golden Buddha statue.

Later, begin your scenic drive towards Bomdila via the modern **Sela Tunnel**, an engineering marvel that enhances connectivity through the Himalayan mountains.

Enjoy spectacular views of rugged peaks, alpine valleys, waterfalls, and charming mountain villages along the way.

Arrive in Bomdila by evening and check into your hotel.

The remainder of the day is free to relax and soak in the peaceful mountain atmosphere.

Overnight Stay: Bomdila

Meals: Breakfast & Dinner

Day 07: Bomdila to Guwahati Distance: Approx. 350 Km | Drive Time: 8-9 Hours

After an early breakfast, begin your return journey towards Guwahati.

Descend from the Himalayan foothills through scenic mountain roads before entering the lush plains of Assam. Enjoy the changing landscapes and beautiful countryside views along the route.

Upon arrival, check into your hotel in Guwahati (if applicable) and enjoy the evening at leisure.

Overnight Stay: Guwahati

Meals: Breakfast & Dinner

Day 08: Maa Kamakhya Temple Darshan & Airport Drop

Begin your day with the divine blessings of **Maa Kamakhya Temple**, one of the most sacred and revered Shakti Peethas in India.

Situated atop Nilachal Hill, the temple attracts devotees from across the world and offers a spiritually uplifting experience along with panoramic views of Guwahati city and the mighty Brahmaputra River.

After darshan, proceed towards Guwahati Airport for your onward journey with unforgettable memories of Arunachal Pradesh.

Flight Advisory:

✅ Guests opting for Maa Kamakhya Temple Darshan are advised to book flights departing **after 4:00 PM**.

✅ Guests not opting for the temple visit may book flights departing **after 12:00 Noon**.

Important Note for Maa Kamakhya Temple Darshan:

Advance booking for **Maa Kamakhya Temple Darshan** is now mandatory. Guests are requested to complete the online booking process directly or contact **Sunrays Holiday** for assistance with the booking procedure.

Any charges applicable for **VIP Darshan, Special Darshan, or General Darshan tickets** will be payable directly by the guest and are not included in the package cost.

Package Inclusions

Please Check Package Inclusions Carefully,

- Private Dedicated Vehicle from Guwahati Airport to Guwahati Airport for the entire tour.
- Services of an Experienced Tour Manager throughout the journey.
- 07 Nights' Accommodation in Carefully Selected Hotels
- Daily Breakfast & Dinner as per the itinerary.
- Complimentary 02 Bottles of Packaged Drinking Water (500 ml each) per person per day during road journeys.
- Union Taxi Charges for Bum La Pass & Madhuri Lake Excursion Included.
- Entry Tickets for Sightseeing Attractions (where applicable as per itinerary).
- Price is valid for INDIAN NATIONALS only
- 24x7 On-Tour Assistance from Team Sunrays Holiday
- All Tips - Driver | Guide Restaurants included

Package Exclusions

Please Read Package Exclusions List Carefully.

Air Tickets | Bus Tickets | Train Tickets Govt Tax of 5% over and above the Tour Cost mentionedAny increase in tax, fuel surcharge etc.Any increase in Govt Taxes, Fuel Surcharges and any applicability of new taxes from GovtAny up gradation in vehicle class or hotel room categoryAny extra expense such as route change, Airline change, Date change, Accommodation facilities, etc. incurred due to the unforeseen, unavoidable forced majeure circumstances during the tourPorterage, laundry, telephone charges, shopping, wines & alcoholic beverages, items of personal nature and food or drink which is not part of a set group menuAny extra cost incurred on behalf of an individual due to illness, accident, hospitalization, or any personal emergencyCost of insuranceAny services or activity charges other than those included in the group tour itineraryLunchAnything specifically not mentioned in the ‘tour price includes’ column.

Additional Information / Notes

Mandatory Documents

- 2 passport size photos.
  Adult – Original + photocopy of any of the ID proof i.e. Driving Licence / Voters ID / Passport.
- Child – Original + photocopy of any of the ID proof i.e. School ID / Passport.
  Infant – Birth certificate.
- NRI / Foregin nationals Manadatory Passport + Valid Indian visa / OCI card / PIO card.
- Carry Heavy woolen & Thermal wear on tour.
  NRI & Foreigner guest : Permit need to be done from Home Department, Delhi & respective country's embassy. (It takes approx. 2-3 month to get the permit).

Packing List

- A light-weighted Haversack or Backpack, and a smaller day pack
- Good pair of trekking shoes and a pair of flip-flops
- Thermal Inners
  Fleece Jackets
  Windcheater/ponch
- Head Torch – Necessary for Caving
- Personal clothing
  Track pants, shorts napkins, etc.
- Cap, sunglasses, etc.
- Camera, binoculars, etc. (Optional)
- Toiletries – Sunscreen, Moisturizer, Lip balm, Wet wipes, Toothbrush, Toothpaste, Hand Sanitizer, etc.
- Extra Polythene Bags (To segregate clothes).)
- Any medicines that you consume normally, post consulting a doctor.
- Mosquito repellent.
- Snacks & Biscuits To munch.
- Enerzyl or Glucon D powder.

Health & Medications

- Basic Medicine like Vicks,
- Tablets like Avomine, Metacin sariron etc.
- Your Regular Medication (If Any).

Do's & Don'ts

Do's

- Respect the local culture and traditions,
- Dress modestly, especially when visiting temples and sacred sites,

- Remove your shoes before entering someone’s home or a place of worship,
- Greet people with a traditional Indian greeting, such as “namaste”,
- Ask permission before taking photographs of people

Don’ts

- Do not touch someone with your feet, as this is considered disrespectful
- Do not eat with your left hand, as the left hand is traditionally used for cleaning oneself after using the toilet
- Do not point with your finger or use your fingers to beckon someone, as this is considered impolite
- Do not publicly display affection, as this is not accepted in Indian culture
- Do not criticize or make fun of local customs or beliefs.

It is always a good idea to be mindful of local customs and to respect the traditions and culture of the place you are visiting.

Important Note for Foreign Nationals:

Foreign Nationals are required to obtain a **Restricted Area Permit (RAP)** to enter Arunachal Pradesh. The applicable permit charges and processing fees are **not included in the package cost** and will be payable additionally by the guest.

· Please note that, as per prevailing Government and Defence regulations, foreign nationals are generally **not permitted to visit Bum La Pass and Sungester (Madhuri) Lake**, even with a valid RAP.

· In such cases, alternative sightseeing options may be suggested locally, subject to availability and permissions. Guests may utilize the time at leisure or opt for additional sightseeing through a **separate taxi arrangement (at an additional cost)**.

Tour Pricing

Cost Per Head

INR: 45999 + Taxes

Ex. Guwahati (GAU) Airport 7N & 8D

Partial Payment

INR: 25000

100 % Payment Required If Booked Within 30 Days Of Travel Date.