

# TOUCH KAILASH TRAVELS & TOURS P. L. Thamel, Kathmandu

## PILGRIMAGE INDIA TOUR ITINERARY

## DAY 01- FLY FROM KATHMANDU TO THIRUVANANTHPURAM (via Delhi)

Arrival in Thiruvananthpuram. Transfer to Hotel for dinner and overnight stay.

# DAY 02- KANYAKUMARI – RAMESWARAM (5 hours Approx.)

Early morning drive to Kanyakumari for Darshan in Kanyakumari temple (Kumari Amman Temple) This is one of the most gorgeous temples in Kanyakumari and is renowned for its mystical aura and intriguing history. Popular as Devi Kumari Mandir, Kumari Amman Temple, and Bhagavathy Amman Temple, the glorious architecture of this temple was shaped by the Pandayas and renovated by the Nayaks. Commemorating the passionate love and tragic faith of Goddess Parvati, the temple worships the reincarnation of the goddess as Kanya Kumari. Local sightseeing. After sightseeing drive to Rameswaram. Dinner and overnight stay.

## DAY 03- FULL DAY RAMESWARAM SIGHTSEEING

After breakfast visit famous places in Rameswaram Sri Panch Mukhi Hanuman Temple, Gandhamadhana Parvatham Jatayu Theertham, Villundi Theertham, Ramar Patham, Sita Theertham, Lakshman Theertham, Dhanuskodi, Agni Theertham, Ramanatha Swamy Temple. Visit Ramanatha Swamy Temple. Drive back to hotel for dinner and overnight stay.

## DAY 04- RAMESWARAM – KOLKATA (via Bangalore)

Early morning proceeds to Madurai Airport to fly for Kolkata via Bangalore. Dinner and Overnight stay in Kolkata.

### DAY 05- KOLKATA – BHUBANESWAR

After Breakfast Darshan in Gangasagar. Holy dip in the sagar beach. Sightseeing nearby famous places. After sightseen, depart to Bhubaneswar (fly or by train) overnight stay there.

#### DAY 06-JAGANNATHPURI FULL DAY SIGHTSEEING

Early Morning drive to Jagannathpuri Temple. Shree Jagannath Temple Puri is a highly venerated pilgrimage destination consisting of one main temple and thirty smaller surrounding ones. The temple houses the deity Jagannath, who is believed to be an incarnation of Vishnu.

There are about 30 temples within the Puri temple enclosure. Situated inside Lord Jagannath Temple and in front of Vimala Temple is the Rohini Kunda. The water of this kunda is known as

Karana water and is sprinkled on devotees for purification. After pooja return to hotel and overnight stay.

## DAY 07- JAGANNATH PURI TO RAJKOT (via Mumbai)

After breakfast fly to Rajkot via Mumbai.

Overnight stay in Rajkot.

### DAY 08- DWARKA FULL DAY SIGHTSEEING

Early Morning drive to Dwarka. Visit Dwarkadhish Temple. The puja or offerings are given to Lord Krishna in the temple of Dwarkadhish temple. There are lot of statues and paintings carved on the temple. The designs depict some sort of dance forms and deities, probably depicting the life of people during the time of construction. From there we moved to Gopi talav, which is a small pond where lord Krishna is believed to do pranks with Gopis. After local sightseeing in Dwarka, Drive back to hotel for dinner and overnight stay.

#### **DAY 09- SOMNATH SIGHTSEEING**

Early morning drive to Somnath. This is one of the twelve Jyotirlinga shrines of Lord. It was reconstructed many times. The temple is located at the coast adjacent to the Somnath Beach. The temple appears to be made out of sandalwood and the designs carved on it are intriguing and marvelous.

Overnight Stay in Somnath/Rajkot.

#### **DAY 10- DEPARTURE**

Fly Back to Kathmandu via Mumbai/ Delhi for further Destinations.

This journey will be so peaceful, it will definitely have a special place in our hearts.