

YOUR WANDERLY TRAVEL



DARJEELING - QUEEN OF HILLS (4 DAYS 3 NIGHTS)

DAY 1: ARRVAL AT BAGDOGRA AND TRANSFER TO DARJEELING

Arrival at Bagdogra Airport (IXB) - we will be assisting for the transfer - Darjeeling - Nearly 3.30 - 4 hours drive - At an height of 2123 meters / 70001 feet lies the land of breathtaking beauty, sloping tea gardens with spectacular views of the Mount Everest is the Queen of the hills - It is also home to the famous World Heritage train (UNESCO) - The Darjeeling Himalayan Railway (DHR) - Check into hotel - Evening free to roam around Mall or local Shopping center - Over Night stay at Darjeeling

DAY 2: DARJEELING FULL DAY EXCURSION - LOCAL SIGHTSEEING.

Tiger Hill Sunrise

- Start early morning (around 3:45 AM) for the iconic sunrise view over Mt. Kanchenjunga and, on very clear days, even Mt. Everest.
- The sunrise bathes the Himalayas in golden light—a must-experience moment for any Darjeeling visitor.

Ghoom Monastery (Yiga Choeling)

• Among Darjeeling's oldest monasteries, houses a magnificent statue of Maitreya Buddha. Peaceful and atmospheric, with morning chants and murals that depict the Buddha's life.

Batasia Loop

• Visit on your way back. This spiral railway track is an engineering marvel and offers stunning panoramic views of the town and peaks. The site includes the Gorkha War Memorial amidst beautiful gardens, and you may see the legendary Toy Train negotiating its 360° turn.

Back to Hotel for breakfast – After breakfast rest for half an hour.

Japanese Peace Pagoda & Japanese Temple

- Begin your post-breakfast sightseeing with a visit to these serene landmarks, symbolizing peace and offering sweeping views, tranquil gardens, and unique cultural significance. Himalayan Mountaineering Institute (HMI)
- Founded in honor of Tenzing Norgay, HMI is both a museum and an active training facility for mountaineers. It features Everest memorabilia and inspiring exhibits.

Padmaja Naidu Himalayan Zoological Park

 Next to HMI, this high-altitude zoo is home to red pandas, snow leopards, and other Himalayan fauna.

Happy Valley Tea Estate

• Experience Darjeeling's legendary tea culture up close! Walk through lush plantations, observe tea processing, and savor fresh brews with spectacular valley views.

Observatory Hill and Mahakal Temple

 Near Chowrasta and The Mall, this spot provides panoramic views of Darjeeling and the Himalayas. It's significant for both Hindus and Buddhists and famous for the vibrant, prayer-flagdraped walkways to its temple.

Post Sightseeing:

After completing the day's sightseeing, we will return to the hotel.

Evening Options:

- Visit **Chowrasta & The Mall Road** Enjoy a leisurely walk along Darjeeling's iconic promenade, explore local markets, or admire the charming colonial architecture.
- Alternatively, you may choose to relax and stay at the hotel.

Map of Stops(Sightseeing).

- 1. Tiger Hill
- 2. Ghoom Monastery
- 3. Batasia Loop
- 4. Japanese Peace Pagoda & Temple
- 5. Himalayan Mountaineering Institute
- 6. HMI & Zoo
- 7. Happy Valley Tea Estate
- 8. Observatory Hill & Chowrasta/The Mall

This itinerary offers a perfect balance—capturing Darjeeling's mountain sunrises, spiritual heritage, natural wonders, and cultural charm in a single unforgettable day

DAY 3: DARJEELING TOMIRIK

- Sumendu Lake (Mirik Lake): Heart of Mirik; offers boating and horse riding, surrounded by pine forests and gardens with an iconic footbridge.
- Bokar Monastery: Largest monastery in the region and renowned for its peaceful atmosphere and vistas.
- Pashupati Market: Famous Indo-Nepal border market for shopping imported goods.
- Tea Estate Tours: Visit Gopaldhara, Sourenee, Tingling, and Okayti estates for fresh Darjeeling tea tastings and hill views.
- Orange Orchards and Orchid Farms Explore local agriculture and sample fresh produce.
- Simana and Tingling View Points, Rameetay Dara: Panoramic stops for Himalayan vistas and photographs.
- Don Bosco Church: For architectural interest and serenity.



DAY 4- Transfer to IXB Airport (75 kms / 3 hrs)

After breakfast Check-out from hotel and take the departure transfer to IXB Airport for your onward journey.

Tips:

- Start Early: To see the sunrise at Tiger Hill.
- **Toy Train Ride:** If time permits, add a short Joy Ride between Darjeeling and Ghoom.
- **Local Lunch:** Try momos or thukpa at a local eatery.
- Weather: Bring a jacket and check for possible fog, especially early and late in the day.

INCLUSIONS

Accommodation:

- Stay in well-appointed, comfortable, and conveniently located hotels throughout the tour.
- All accommodations are selected to ensure a pleasant and relaxing experience, with attention to cleanliness and guest comfort.
- Hotel categories and room types are provided as per the itinerary and package inclusions.
- Meals: Breakfast and dinner as specified in the itinerary.

Transportation:

- Vehicle provided as per group size and specific requirements (sedan or similar category).
- Available for pick-up, drop, and all travel as per the itinerary.
- Includes driver's allowances, fuel, tolls, parking, and necessary permits.
- Sightseeing: All sightseeing as detailed in the itinerary.
- **Permits and Fees:** Inclusive of permits, tolls, parking, driver's allowances, and fuel charges.

EXCLUSIONS

- Airfare / Train Fare and Lunch.
- Adventure Activities: Charges for rafting, ropeway, paragliding, etc.
- Entry Fees: Entry to monasteries, monuments, museums, etc.
- **Personal Expenses:** Soft drinks, laundry, local taxi fares, boating, Horse riding, etc.
- Medical & Emergency Expenses: Costs arising due to illness, accidents, or natural calamities.

Terms & Conditions

Booking Process:

A 30% advance payment is required to confirm the booking. Confirmation documents/invoice will be shared within 24 hours of receiving the payment.

Payment Terms:

The remaining balance must be paid on the day of arrival, either in cash or through online payment. The invoice will be provided within 24 hours.

Cancellation & Refund:

- 70% of the advance amount will be refunded if the booking is cancelled on or before 30 days from the trip date. This policy applies only if 30% of the trip amount has been paid in advance.
- For cancellations made within 15 days before the trip date:
 - The advance deposit will be retained as company credits.
 - Refunds will depend on hotel and transportation cancellation charges, which may vary depending on the season.

Changes & Amendments

- Hotels mentioned in the itinerary are subject to availability and may be replaced with similar alternatives.
- Your Wanderly Travel reserves the right to make changes to the itinerary, travel dates, hotels, or transportation due to unforeseen circumstances such as weather conditions, flight rescheduling, political situations, or other events beyond our control.
- In such cases, we will provide suitable alternatives and keep you informed at every step, ensuring the overall experience is not compromised.

Responsibility of Guests

- Guests are advised not to leave their personal belongings unattended.
- Your Wanderly Travel will not be responsible for any loss or damage to personal items during the trip.

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