

Experience Incredible India!

World Heritage Triangle

Sanchi - Bhimbetka - Khajuraho Tour (4N/5D)



World Heritage Sites in Madhya Pradesh

What makes our trips so unique and different? Truly, it isn't just one thing. Insider access, unparalleled service and inspired trip planning are just some of the differences that help create the magical trip you are awaiting.

THE FIRST-HAND EXPERIENCE

Heritage is our legacy from the past. Our cultural and natural heritages are both irreplaceable sources of life and inspiration. World Heritage sites belong to all the peoples of the world, irrespective of the territory on which they are located. Witness the World Heritage and help in protection and conservation of these sites.

A STARTLING FEAST FOR BODY AND SOUL

Whether you are an adventure enthusiast or a leisure traveler, a student or a professional, an avid photographer or a historian this trip has a lot to offer for everyone.

THE ONLY TRIP OF ITS KIND

We know that a journey to India is more than visiting its major sites and cities, so we take you to smaller towns and villages through the scenic routes. We set the stage for an unforgettable journey - an intoxicating mix of luxury, intensity and tradition.

above & beyond

RESPONSIVENESS

We will do everything we can to make sure you do not get over your head in whatever activity you are doing. We can stop; we can turn around or take a different route. We respond to you, to make sure you are safe, and happy.

REGIONAL EXPERTISE

We've lived and spent years getting to know these regions inside out. Our guides have extensive experience and training understanding the issues confronting this region.

ADAPTABILITY

If you don't see exactly what you'd like to do from our activities list, please ask. We can and will adapt to whatever you would like to try and accomplish. We understand the need to be flexible in our offerings to insure you have a positive experience.

SAFETY AND SECURITY

Your personal safety is the key to our success. Our experience allows you the opportunity to appreciate and enjoy your chosen activity without the worry. Our effort is to get you there and back, safely.

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The Journey

Bhopal - Sanchi - Bhimbetka - Khajuraho (4 Nights/5 Days)

Day 1: Bhopal

Tour starts from Bhopal, the city of lakes. You will be picked up from the location of your choice in Bhopal and transferred to the hotel.

A half-day site seen is arranged in Bhopal. Bhopal city is also referred to as the City of Lakes because of the two beautiful lakes. The city has immense archaeological, historical and political importance attached to it. The origin of the city dates back to the eleventh century when Raja Bhoj founded the Bhojpal City. However the Bhopal of today was built during the eighteenth century by Dost Mohammed.

The site seen in Bhopal includes the visit to Indira Gandhi Rashtriya Manav Sangrahalaya (National Museum of Mankind) and Gauhar Mahal

Indira Gandhi Rashtriya Manav Sangrahalaya (National Museum of Mankind) is a unique museum situated on a prehistoric site and the only museum in the world scattered with numerous prehistoric painted rock shelters. The cultural diversity and religion of India's tribes is highlighted in the museum. Tribal Habitat is an open-air exhibit; an entire fishing village has been replicated featuring Coastal Village with a Kerala snake boat, Desert Village from Rajasthan as well as a Himalayan Village. The museum is created in about 80 hectares of undulating land on the bank of upper lake of Bhopal.



In the evening you will be visiting Gauhar Mahal, one of the first buildings built by the nawabs of Bhopal in 1816. The Mahal is a magnificent expression of the fusion of Hindu and Mughal architecture. Gauhar Mahal is situated behind Shaukat Mahal on the banks of the Upper Lake. It is an architectural gem built by Kudsia Begum, also known as Gohar Begum.



Later in the evening, you may also opt to visit Chowk bazaar. In the heart of the city, the Chowk is lined with old mosques and havelis are reminders of a bygone era. The shops in its narrow alleys are treasure troves of traditional Bhopal crafts: silver jewelry, exquisitely fashioned beadwork, embroidered and sequined velvet fashioned purses and cushions.

You will be staying in Bhopal tonight.

Day 2: Sanchi and Bhimbetka (World Heritage Sites)

This morning you will be visiting the Bhimbetka and Sanchi. After breakfast, we will be driving to Bhimbetka.

Bhimbetka is a World Heritage Site and is situated south of Bhopal. This is the site of the second oldest cave paintings in the World. The location is beautiful, along the Satpura range of mountains. The area around the caves is forested, which adds to the natural beauty. The Bhimbetka rock shelters exhibit the earliest traces of human life in India; its Stone Age rock paintings are approximately 9,000 years old, making them among the worlds oldest.

On the way, we will stop over to see Bhojpur temple. The tiny village of Bhojpur is situated on the bank of river Betwa. Bhojpur is famous for remains of magnificent Shiva Temple and Cyclopean dam dated 1010-53 A.D.

This afternoon you will be visiting the Sanchi stupas. Sanchi is 46 kms north east of Bhopal. It is unique for having the most perfect and well preserved Buddhist stupas. The remains of Buddhist saints Sariputra and Mahamodgilya are also preserved here. The holy relics are displayed once a year, particularly, on the last Sunday of November during the annual Chetiyagiri Vihar festival.

We will come back to Bhopal in the evening. You will be staying in Bhopal tonight.

Day 3: Bhopal - Khajuraho (World Heritage Site)

After breakfast we will start 410 kms journey towards Khajuraho.

Khajuraho is a fascinating village with a quaint rural ambience and a rich cultural heritage. The fascinating temples of Khajuraho, are India's unique gift of love to the world, represent the expression of a highly matured civilization. Khajuraho temples were constructed between 950 and 1050 A.D. during the reign of Chandel Empire.

You will be staying in Khajuraho tonight.

Day 4: Khajuraho (World Heritage Site)

This morning visit western and eastern group of temples.

The Western group of temples is the best known, because it is to this group that the largest and most typical Khajuraho temple belongs. Kandariya Mahadeo, Chaunsat Yogini, Chitragupta Temple, Vishwanath Temple and Lakshamana Temple belong to the western group.

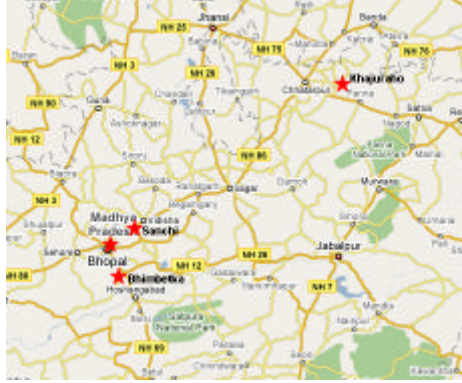
In the eastern group, the temples are the Brahma temple, which has a four-faced lingam, The Vamana temple which is embellished with images of ravishing apsaras at their alluring best; and finally the Javari temple, with its ornate gateway and lavish carvings.

You will be staying in Khajuraho tonight.

Day 5: Khajuraho - Bhopal

After breakfast, we will start journey towards Bhopal. You will be arriving Bhopal in the evening. Tour concluded in Bhopal.

The Details



CONTACT TRAVEL ADVISOR TO:

- Ask any questions we haven't answered in this package
- Book a trip

IF YOU'D LIKE YOUR TRIP TAILORMADE:

- Private trips made to fit. Choose your own dates, travel companions and itinerary
- Call our dedicated team

TOUR CODE
P0073

DATES
Choose your own dates

DURATION
4 Nights/5 Days

START
Bhopal 12:00 PM

FINISH
Bhopal 06:00 PM

GROUP SIZE
Max 4, Avg. 4

TRANSPORT
A/c vehicle (Qualis or Tevera)

TOUR NAME
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LEVEL OF ACTIVITY
We rate this trip as easygoing.

HOTELS
Bhopal - 2 Nights (Noor-a-Sabha, Jehanuma Palace or Arch Manor)
Khajuraho – 2 Nights (Hotel Redison, Usha Bundela or Hotel Clark)

WHAT'S INCLUDED

- Accommodation
- Vegetarian breakfast from specified menu
- Transport for airport/railway station pick up and drop off, site seen
- All taxes

WHAT'S EXCLUDED

- Meals, Water, drinks and beverages
- Gratuities, tips
- Monuments/park entry fees, camera charges, guide charges
- Laundry, phone calls and all personal expenses
- Visa fees, Air Fare
- Travel Insurance
- Medical cost

TERMS AND CONDITIONS
Please read the Terms and Conditions.

BRIEF ITINERARY

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