



# **Bhutan Highlights Tour**

Free cancellation up to 60 day(s) prior departure, after which the tour cancellation policy applies.

- Activities:
  - Cultural Walking
  - Temple
  - UNESCO
- Travel Style: Premium
- Guiding Type: Live Guide/Instructor
- Activities:
  - English
- Tour Vibe: Active
- Guiding Type: Live Guide/Instructor
- Recommended For:
  - Couple
  - Family/Kids
  - For Art Lovers
  - Senior
  - Solo
  - Women
  - Youth
- Country:
  - Asia
  - Bhutan
- Routes:
  - Paro International Airport
  - Thimphu
  - Punakha
  - Phobjikha Valley
  - Paro
  - Paro Taktsang
  - Paro International Airport



• Pickup: Airport;

From:12:00 AM To:12:00 AM

• Drop-off: Airport;

From:12:00 AM To:12:00 AM

• Age Range: 2 - 85 (Years Old)

#### • Tour Highlights:

Discover the magic and mystery of Bhutan on this shortest Bhutan Highlights Tour of only 6 days. It will be the moment to be remembered for a lifetime surely. Spectator the local culture and tradition while visiting age-old monasteries and temples that dates back to as early as the 10th century. Fly over the tallest mountains of the world onboard flight to the green valley of Paro. Traverse around Thimphu, the tiny capital of Bhutan and the city renowned in the world as a city with no traffic lights. Visit the old capital- Punakha, the city of monastic bodies and for Buddhism enthusiasts, the place to inquire about ancient Buddhist sacred relics. Another interesting feature of the tour is a visit to the Taktsang Monastery popularly known as 'Tiger's Nest', which is flumped on a vertical cliff. The tour covers visits to Ta-Dzong, Rinpung Dzong, Chime Lhakhang, Kyichu Lhakang, Punakha Dzong, Wangdue Phodrang Dzong and many other historical and religious sites. Bhutan Highlights Tour is designed in such a way to cover the important aspects of Bhutan and to untether the timeless wonder of the Dragon Kingdom.

With unblemished natural beauty, ancient social structures and cultural identity, Asian country gets the name of the Last Shangri-La and becomes a solenoid for travellers. If you are looking for a short trip with the superlative blend of nature, culture, arts, greenery then, Bhutan Highlights Tour is one of the best tour packages. Come and join us for amazing experiences!!!

#### • Tour Introduction:

Get enthralled by the picturesque beauty of Bhutan, the truly fantastic hamlet with splendid mountain vistas and radical culture. Bhutan called itself the land of the thunder dragon, the most mysterious and diverse of all Himalayan kingdoms since the centuries a traditional Buddhist culture has thrived and isolated from the rest of the earth. Don't miss this stunning opportunity that Bhutan Highlights Tours has to offer such amazing places where green forests, valleys, exhilarated monasteries, arts and architectures, and holy mountains unique in the nation can be captured from Paro, Thimphu and Punakha in western Bhutan to Phobjikha in central Bhutan.

#### • Itinerary:

#### • Day 1: Arrival In Paro and drive to Thimpu

Arrive Paro by Bhutan's national carrier, and it's a scenic flight as the plane touch



down the lush green Paro Valley flying past the world's highest mountains. Steeping down from the plane, cool, clean and fresh air welcomes you, the first highlights of Bhutan. After clearing the customs and visa formalities met by the representatives and transfer to Paro for lunch. Afterwards, you will be visiting Paro Rinpung Dzong built in 1646 by Shabdrung Ngawang Namgyal, the first spiritual and temporal ruler of Bhutan; the Dzong continues its age-old function as the seat of the district administration, district court and the monastic body. The southern approach to the Dzong has a traditional roofed cantilever bridge called Nemi Zam. Afterwards, drive to Thimphu which is an hour's drive. Overnight at Hotel.

#### • Day 2: Thimpu to Punakha

Get up and be ready to have breakfast then after, your tour begins with a visit to National Memorial Chorten, the golden spines shining in the sun. See the chiming bells built in honour of the third king of Bhutan, Jigme Dorji Wangchuck. Explore the folk heritage museum, the Bhutanese rural past with its exhibition items and artefacts used for rural households, textile museum. Get a complete glimpse into Bhutan's rural modus vivendi of Bhutanese villages and rural households by organizing demonstrations of rural traditions, skills, habits and customs, instructional programs, analysis and documentation. Then attend visit Traditional Painting faculty, a college wherever students are tutored to create Bhutan's thirteen ancient arts and crafts, like painting, carving, embroidery, statuemaking so on. Lastly visit will be at the national animal – goat antelope in Motithang Takin Preserve, a singular trying animal with the top of sheep and body of cows. After exploration, you will be heading for Punakha through a forest of pine and hemlock, up to cross over the Dochu La Pass (Alt: 10142ft/ three,050 m). From the place, you'll get pleasure from the astonishing views of the majestic range. Enjoy driving on the winding road to the fertile vale of Punakha. Overnight at Hotel.

#### • Day 3: Punakha To Phobjikha

Proceed for a full-day tour to Punakha (Approx 85km/ 3 Hours From Thimphu). Today, you will make your way to Punakha Dzong, sitting in an exceedingly sultry, fertile and exquisite natural depression between Pho Chhu (Male River) and Mo Chhu (female river). With white-brilliant walls, red roofs and therefore the close charming nature, Punakha Dzong is praised because of the most stunning one in Bhutan's twenty-one Dzong. once the spring comes, the encircling lilac rosewood tree trees in blossom build Punakha Dzong additional beautiful. Punakha is the capital of the Punakha Dzongkhag district of Bhutan. Punakha was the capital of Bhutan till 1955. Wangdue Phodrang is a town and capital (dzongkhag thromde) of Wangdue Phodrang District in central Bhutan. Enroute Dochu la Pass. The pass is popular among tourists because of its 360-degree panoramic view of the Himalayan range. The place is worth going on clear winter days with a magnificent view of snowcapped mountains and mountain passes. Later on, heading towards Phobjikha with a scenic drive on reaching you'll get chance to observe lush forest, stunning meadows and crystalline streams encounter with some peaceful native villages and farms, that could be a nice chance to induce getting ready to our Mother Nature and perceive ancient livelihood of the folks living there. Overnight at Hotel.



#### • Day 4: Phobjikha To Paro

The journey again takes place back to Paro after breakfast with a striking drive. Upon reaching, you will have to visit two popular sites Rinpung Dzong and Bhutan National Museum. Rinpung Dzong is known as Paro Dzong because of the finest example of Bhutanese dzong. Perching on the aspect of the Paro depression Wall, Explore a vital bastion for the dominion of Bhutan nation against invasion from the north. At present, it homes the Monastic Body and government offices and is the spiritual, military, body, and social centres of their district. Bhutan National Museum is housed in Rinpung Dzong's tower, keeping the made culture and history of Bhutan nation. Witness the splendid collections displayed in its 5 galleries, together with ancient thangkas, pageant masks, spiritual statues, fascinating carvings, etc. The day will surely be amazing by the fascinating architecture, arts, cultures, monasteries. Overnight at Hotel.

#### • Day 5: Hiking in Tiger Nest Monastry

Have your breakfast, then the short and sweet adventure begins about 2 -3 hours to Taktsang (Tiger's Nest) Monastery, Bhutan's most famous monastery situated at 3,180 meters. Guru Rinpoche (spiritual master) is said to have flown on the back of a tigress to meditate in a cave where Taktsang Monastery now stands. Allying blue pines and blue air, the religious residence perches miraculously on a drop-off nearly a pair of,700 feet higher than Paro's depression floor. Take some breaks for tea and snacks in a tiny tea house, and therefore the read of each Taktsang religious residence and Paro depression is monumental. After having explored the monastery, hike down to the valley floor and return to Paro. Overnight at Hotel.

#### • Day 6: Paro Departure

After breakfast, transfer to the airport to catch the onward flight. Bid farewell to the remote and legendary Dragon Kingdom disappearing again behind its guardian mountains.

### WHAT'S INCLUDED

Nights

Location

Туре

Property Name Rating

Occupancy

- Pickup & Drop-Off
  - Airport Transfer
- Guide
- Meals
- Transport

### WHAT'S EXCLUDED



- Flights
- Insurance
- Transport
- Other Excluded:
  - Meals not specified in the 'Meal Inclusions' in the itinerary"
  - International flights to/from Bhutan
  - Nepal entry and re-entry visa fee
  - Personal shopping, internet/Phone bill, and laundry
  - Pony service and porter for Hike to Tiger Nest Monastery
  - Tips for tour guide and driver

## **Covid Safety**

All Staff Members Are Vaccinated

## **Tour Cancellation Policy**

Free cancellation up to 60 day(s) prior departure, Or traveler will pay 50 % of the tour amount

After 60 Days, No refund

### **Good To Know**

FAQs