

**Golden Triangle and Ranthambore**

07 Nights / 08 Days

2N Delhi – 1N Agra – 2N Ranthambore – 2N Jaipur

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**PACKAGE HIGHLIGHTS**

**ROUTE MAP**

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| |  | | --- | | * Visit in Delhi – Jama Masjid, Qutub Minar, Humayun Tomb | | * Drive past in Delhi - Red Fort, Rajghat, President House & India Gate | | * Rickshaw ride in Chandni Chowk | | * Visit in Agra – Taj Mahal, Agra Fort & Fateh-pur Sikri * Visit in Jaipur – Amber Fort, City Palace, Jantar Mantar Observatory & Hawa Mahal | | * Elephant ride at Amber Fort | | * Jungle Safari in Ranthambore National Park (Operational till 15th June) * Sightseeing tours by private air-conditioned vehicle * Start and End in Delhi | |  | |  | |  | |  | |  |

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**Day 01 – Arrival in Delhi**

Meet our representative upon arrival in Delhi and check-in at the hotel. India's capital & a major gateway to the country, Delhi is contemporary and a bustling metropolis which successfully combines in its fold the ancient & the modern. Its strategic location was one of the prime reasons why successive dynasties chose it as their seat of power. New Delhi also reflects the legacy the British left behind. Overnight in Delhi*.*

**Day 02 – Sightseeing in Delhi**

After breakfast, proceed for a full-day tour of Old and New Delhi. This fascinating city has been in existence since the 6th century BC and has seen ups and downs from the rule of the Pandavas right up to the British Raj. Visit Jama Masjid, which is the largest mosque in India, commissioned by Emperor Shah Jahan. The courtyard of the mosque can hold about 25,000 worshippers. Enjoy a rickshaw ride in Chandni Chowk, the busiest market in Old Delhi…noisy, chaotic and uniquely Indian. You will then drive past from the Red Fort, which was constructed during the rule of Emperor Shah Jahan and served as the residence for the Mughal royal family. It continues to be significant till date, as every Independence Day, the Prime Minister makes a speech from its ramparts as the Indian flag is hoisted. Later, drive past President House and several other government buildings in Edwin Lutyen’s Delhi before you head toward Rajghat, the memorial to Mahatma Gandhi. This simple memorial marks the spot where Mahatma Gandhi was cremated in 1948. Thereafter, visit Humayun’s Tomb, commissioned by Humayun’s wife Hamida Banu Begum in 1562. It was the first garden tomb built in the Indian sub-continent where the Persian architect used red sandstone on a large scale. Later in the evening visit the Qutab Minar, which is the tallest brick minaret in the world; it was commissioned by Qutbuddin Aibak, the first Muslim ruler of Delhi. Overnight in Delhi.

**Day 03 – Delhi – Agra (210 kms / approx. 4 hours)**

On arrival in Agra, check-in into your Hotel. Later proceed for Half Day City Tour of Agra. Visit the Red Fort, which was commissioned in 1565 by The Mughal Emperor, Akbar. The beautiful yet forbidding structure is a handsome example of Mughal architecture. Later, visit the Taj Mahal … a mausoleum built as a symbol of Emperor Shah Jahan’s devotion to his beloved queen Mumtaz Mahal. Considered an architectural marvel, its construction took thousands of workers over 21 years to complete. Overnight in Agra.

**Day 04 – Agra – Ranthambore (230 kms / approx. 5 hours)**

After breakfast you will leave to Ranthambore. On the way, you will visit Abhaneri and Fatehpur Sikri.

**Abhaneri** – Abhaneri is a village in the Dausa district of Rajasthan state in India. The place is popular for the Chand Baori step well and Harshat Mata Temple.

**Fatehpur Sikri**- It is believed to be one of the first carefully planned cities of the Mughals. It was built by Emperor Akbar in the 16th century AD. Its name basically means the ‘City of Victory.’

Arrive Ranthambore and check-in to your hotel. Overnight in Ranthambore.

**Day 05 – Ranthambore**

Today experience early morning and evening game drive in the Ranthambore National Park. Ranthambore Tiger Reserve lies on the junction of Aravali and Vindhyas. It sprawls over a varying and undulating landscape. The scenery changes dramatically from gentle and steep slopes of the Vindhyas to the sharp and conical hills of the Aravali. The tiger is not the only attraction at Ranthambore. A variety of birds including owlets, the ubiquitous langur (monkey), leopard, caracal, hyena, jackal, jungle cat, marsh crocodiles, wild boar, bears and various species of deer are the other attractions. Overnight in Ranthambore.

**Day 06 – Ranthambore – Jaipur (150 kms / approx. 3 hours)**

After breakfast, drive to Jaipur - the gateway to the magnificent and vibrant state of Rajasthan. Arrive Jaipur and check-in to your hotel. Evening free for Leisure or Jaipur offers various options from Fabric to Gems for shopaholic. Overnight in Jaipur.

**Day 07 – Sightseeing in Jaipur**

Proceed for full-day sightseeing trip of Jaipur, also known as the ‘Pink City’. The city of Jaipur is capital to the state of Rajasthan, famous for its colorful culture, forts, palaces, and lakes. Jaipur owes its name to the founder of the city, warrior king Sawai Jai Singh II. Visit the Amber Fort. The best way to explore the fort is to ride up to it on Elephant back. Prominent structures inside the fort are the Diwan-i-Aam, adorned with latticed galleries, the Ganesh Pol, with a beautiful painted image of Lord Ganesh, and the stunning Sheesh Mahal, a hall decorated with thousands of tiny mirrors. Later, stop to photograph the beautiful Hawa Mahal, also known as the “Palace of the Winds.” This beautiful façade with its ornately carved latticework windows was designed so the ladies of the palace could look out onto the streets unobserved. Later you will visit the City Palace… again, a synthesis of Rajasthani and Mughal styles. The museums here showcase rare and ancient manuscripts, arms dating back to the 15th century, and costumes of erstwhile royalty. Later, visit the Jantar Mantar Observatory, comprising geometric devices for measuring time, and tracking stars in their orbits. Overnight in Jaipur.

**Day 08 – Jaipur – Delhi (250 kms / approx. 5 hours)**

After breakfast, you will be transferred to Delhi and meet assistance at airport for return flight back home.

**End of Services**

**HOTELS OFFERED OR SIMILAR**

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| **City** | **Nights** | **Category A** | **Category B** | **Category C** | **Meal Plan** |
| Delhi | 2 | The Grand | WelcomHotel Dwarka | SK Premium Park | Breakfast |
| Agra | 1 | Crystal Sarovar Premiere | Howard Plaza The Fern | Taj Vilas | Breakfast |
| Ranthambore | 2 | The Tigress | The Fern Ranthambore Forest Resort | The Fern Ranthambore Forest Resort | All Meals |
| Jaipur | 2 | Holiday Inn City Centre | Royal Orchid Central | Vesta Maurya Palace | Breakfast |

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| **PACKAGE COST IN CAD** | **Category A** | **Category B** | **Category C** |
| Cost Per Person when 2 Pax Travelling | CAD 800 | CAD 650 | CAD 590 |

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| * 7 night accommodation in well-appointed rooms   as mentioned above hotels or equivalent   * Elephant / Jeep ride at Amber * Meal plan as mentioned above * Sightseeing as per itinerary by private tourist vehicle * 2 Sanctuary Drive by Deluxe Canter (Sharing basis) * Driver’s allowances, toll taxes and Govt. Service Tax.   **NOTES** | * Air tickets and airport taxes * Services of English-speaking guide during sightseeing tours * Rickshaw ride in Chandni Chowk * Entry Fee at the Monuments * Items of personal nature like laundry, phone calls, tips to guides / drivers etc. * Camera / Video camera fees applicable at monuments |

* Check Inn & Check out time as per Hotel Policy
* Package cost will not be valid during public holidays, festivals, exhibitions and long-weekends
* A surcharge will be levied and will be advised at the time of booking
* All tourist places are open and state body reserves right to close any places if found necessary.
* Medium vehicle will be provided for 1-3 travellers and Crysta will be provided for 4 travellers
* MONUMENTS CLOSED ON
* **Delhi -** Red fort is closed on every Monday
* **Agra** - Taj Mahal on every Friday
* **Jaipur** – Elephant ride at Amber Fort will not be operational during Eid /Navrataras Festivals
* Ranthambore Sanctuary closed from Mid June till September

**Safari Booking systems & Procedures for Jeep and Canter**

* Please note game drives can be book before to 90 days in advance of the date of safari.it is now 100% online booking .In order to make an advance booking. Safari bookings at Ranthambhore National Park are controlled by the Department of Forest. As per the current policy, 20 gypsies and 20 canters are allowed to enter the park per time (morning and afternoon). All charges for jeep and canter bookings are paid; in full, in advance, on a “first-come-first-served” basis, against a non-refundable, 100% deposit basis only. Vehicle allocation takes place on the day of the safari.
* Online booking including all guest names, passport numbers & nationality details is required at least 90 days in advance. Dates of drives (including morning and afternoon information), along with the type of vehicle required i.e. GYPSY/CANTER.All vehicles will remain subject to availability, until the drive. To book an exclusive jeep, pax entry and jeep charges for full occupancy (06 pax) will be charged. Under occupancy rates are equal to foreign national entrance rates. To book an exclusive canter, pax entry and seat charges for full occupancy (20 Pax) will be charged. Under occupancy rates are equal to foreign national rates.
* Cancellation / Amendment Policy Where safari bookings have been made in advance a cancellation/amendment fee (equal to 100% of the full charges for confirmed jeep or canter safaris) will be charged for any cancellation or amendment to the safari programme. If the slightest discrepancy will result in the vehicle not being released and the safari may be cancelled. Zone numbers are allotted on a random basis will assigned the forest dep’t and all the Zones are the most picturesque zones with lakes and great birdlife.
* If guests arrive late and miss the safari, refuse to go or choose alternate excursion a cancellation fee (equal to 100% of the pax & vehicle entrance fees plus seat charges and naturalist fees) will be charged



**This package is valid from 1st April 2023 till 30th September 2023**