CHENNAI, THIS PONGAL

THE HILLS ARE CALLING

and we're going

ONLY 20 GUESTS

DARJEELING • GANGTOK • NATHULA

Nathula Pass is subject to permit approval and weather

13–17 JANUARY 2027

4 NIGHTS / 5 DAYS • EX-CHENNAI

AIRFARE • ALL MEALS • TOY TRAIN • NATHULA

A PONGAL HOLIDAY CURATED FOR CHENNAI

TRADITIONAL PONGAL BREAKFAST & FESTIVE DINNER

DETAILED ITINERARY

DAY 1 · WEDNESDAY, 13 JANUARY 2027

Chennai – Bagdogra – Darjeeling

- Board the scheduled flight from Chennai to Bagdogra.
- Meet our representative at Bagdogra Airport.
- Transfer to Darjeeling through the Himalayan foothills.
- Check in at the hotel and relax.
- Dinner and overnight stay in Darjeeling.

Bagdogra to Darjeeling: approximately 70 km | 3.5 to 4 hours





DAY 2 · THURSDAY, 14 JANUARY 2027

Darjeeling Sightseeing and Toy Train

- Early morning visit to Tiger Hill, subject to weather conditions.
- Visit Batasia Loop and Ghoom Monastery.
- Return to the hotel for breakfast.
- Visit the Himalayan Mountaineering Institute, Himalayan Zoo, Japanese Temple and Peace Pagoda.
- Lunch at the hotel.
- Enjoy the Darjeeling Himalayan Railway Toy Train Joy Ride.
- Dinner and overnight stay in Darjeeling.

> Toy Train timings and availability are subject to Indian Railways operations and final ticket confirmation.

DETAILED ITINERARY (CONTINUED)

DAY 3 · FRIDAY, 15 JANUARY 2027

Pongal Celebration and Darjeeling – Gangtok

- Begin the day with a traditional Pongal breakfast at the hotel.
- Enjoy a simple Pongal celebration with kolam decoration and festive touches.
- Check out and drive to Gangtok through the scenic Himalayan foothills.
- Arrive in Gangtok and check in at the hotel.
- Lunch will be provided at the hotel or en route, depending on the final movement schedule.
- Evening free to explore MG Marg independently.
- Special Pongal dinner and overnight stay in Gangtok.

Darjeeling to Gangtok: approximately 100 km | 4.5 to 5 hours

DAY 4 · SATURDAY, 16 JANUARY 2027

Tsomgo Lake, Baba Mandir and Nathula Pass

- After breakfast, proceed for the high-altitude excursion.
- Visit Tsomgo Lake, Baba Mandir and Nathula Pass.
- Packed lunch will be provided during the excursion.
- Return to Gangtok in the evening.
- Free time at MG Marg, subject to the return time.
- Dinner and overnight stay in Gangtok.

> Nathula Pass, Tsomgo Lake and Baba Mandir are subject to permit approval, road conditions, weather and government regulations. Alternative local sightseeing will be arranged if the route remains closed. No refund will be applicable for a closure caused by weather, permit restrictions or government orders.

ACCOMMODATION, FLIGHTS AND PACKAGE COST





Nathula Pass

DAY 5 · SUNDAY, 17 JANUARY 2027

Gangtok – Bagdogra – Chennai

- Breakfast at the hotel.
- Check out and transfer to Bagdogra Airport.
- Lunch will be provided en route, depending on the flight schedule.
- Board the return flight to Chennai.

Gangtok to Bagdogra: approximately 125 km | 4.5 to 5 hours

Accommodation

Destination	Hotel	Duration
Darjeeling	Tenzing's Glory or similar	2 Nights
Gangtok	Delisso Abode or similar	2 Nights

The above hotels are proposed properties. Final hotel names will be confirmed subject to availability at the time of group booking. A similar-category property may be provided if required.

Flight details

Return economy-class group airfare from Chennai is included. Final airline, flight number, departure time and arrival time will be shared after the group airfare is blocked and confirmed.

Flight schedules are subject to airline operational changes.

Package cost · per person

Category	Price
Adult, Single Occupancy	**₹81,999**
Adult, Double Occupancy	**₹54,999**
Adult, Triple Occupancy	**₹51,999**
Child With Bed (CWB), 8 to 11 years	**₹35,999**
Child Without Bed (CNB), 2 to below 8 years	**₹31,999**

CWB = Child With Bed · CNB = Child Without Bed. Child age will be calculated as of 13 January 2027.

Rates for infants below two years are not included in the above table and will be advised based on the applicable airline and service charges.



Traditional South Indian meal served on banana leaf

PACKAGE INCLUSIONS AND EXCLUSIONS

Package inclusions

- Return economy-class airfare from Chennai
- Four nights' accommodation
- APAI meal plan, including breakfast, lunch and dinner
- Traditional Pongal breakfast and festive dinner
- Darjeeling Himalayan Railway Toy Train Joy Ride
- Nathula Pass permit charges
- Room heater charges at the hotels
- Tsomgo Lake and Baba Mandir excursion
- Private group transfers and sightseeing as per the itinerary
- Local authorised vehicles wherever required
- Entry tickets for sightseeing specifically included in the itinerary
- Services of an experienced tour escort
- Hotel taxes and applicable service charges

Package exclusions

- Personal expenses such as laundry, telephone calls, room service and shopping
- Travel insurance
- Camera and video camera fees
- Porterage and tips
- Meals or services not specifically mentioned
- Additional or optional sightseeing
- Expenses caused by flight disruption, road closure, bad weather, permit restrictions, natural calamities or other circumstances beyond the organiser's control
- Any increase in airfare, airport taxes, fuel surcharge or government levy before ticket issuance
- Any service not listed under Package Inclusions

PAYMENT AND PASSENGER DETAILS

Payment policy

- An initial confirmation deposit of ₹25,000 per person must be paid at the time of booking.
- The balance payment must be cleared on or before 15 November 2026.
- Air tickets will be issued only after receipt of the required payment and complete passenger details.
- A booking will be treated as confirmed only after the confirmation deposit has been received.
- Any increase in airfare, airport taxes, fuel surcharge or government levy before ticket issuance will be charged additionally.
- Failure to make the balance payment by the due date may result in cancellation of the booking, with the applicable cancellation charges.

Airline passenger-name policy

- Full passenger names must be submitted exactly as printed on a valid government-issued photo identity document.
- Passenger details must be submitted on or before 15 November 2026.
- Spelling errors, incomplete names or differences between the ticket and identity document may lead to denial of boarding.
- Name changes after ticket issuance are subject to airline rules, availability and additional charges.
- Some group-fare tickets may not permit a name change.
- Every passenger must carry an original, valid government-issued photo identity document during the journey.

CANCELLATION POLICY

Cancellation policy

Cancellation period	Applicable charges
More than 45 days before departure	₹10,000 per person
45 to 30 days before departure	50% of the total package cost
29 to 21 days before departure	75% of the total package cost
20 days or less before departure	100% of the total package cost
No-show, late arrival or early departure	100% of the total package cost

- The airfare component becomes non-refundable once the tickets have been issued.
- Airline cancellation and name-change charges will apply separately according to the airline's rules.
- No refund will be given for any unused accommodation, meal, transfer, sightseeing or other service.
- Cancellation requests must be submitted in writing.
- The cancellation date will be calculated from the date on which the written request is received.
- Refunds, where applicable, will be processed after deducting airline, hotel, supplier, administrative and cancellation charges.

CHILD AND ROOMING POLICY

Child policy

- Child With Bed pricing applies to children aged 8 years to below 12 years as of 13 January 2027.
- Child Without Bed pricing applies to children aged 2 years to below 8 years as of 13 January 2027.
- A Child Without Bed booking does not include a separate bed, mattress or rollaway bed.
- A child booked under the Child Without Bed category must share the existing bed with the accompanying parents or guardians.
- A child requiring a separate bed must be booked under the Child With Bed category, regardless of age, subject to hotel policy.
- Children aged 12 years and above will be charged the applicable adult rate.
- Infant charges for children below two years will be advised separately.
- A valid government-issued age proof must be carried for every child.
- If the child's age declared at booking differs from the age shown on the identity document, the applicable fare difference must be paid before travel or directly at the destination.
- Hotel and airline child-age policies may differ. Where a supplier's policy results in an additional charge, the difference will be payable by the guest.

Rooming and triple-occupancy policy

- Double occupancy means two guests sharing one room.
- Triple occupancy means three guests sharing one room.
- Triple occupancy may include one double bed with an additional mattress or rollaway bed.
- A full-sized third bed is not guaranteed.
- Room size, bed configuration and availability of extra beds vary between hotels.
- Child Without Bed does not include a separate mattress or extra bed.
- Adjoining rooms, interconnected rooms, specific floors and specific views are subject to availability and cannot be guaranteed.
- Standard hotel check-in and check-out timings will apply.
- Early check-in and late check-out are subject to availability and additional charges.

IMPORTANT NOTES AND FORCE MAJEURE

Important notes

- The departure is planned for a group of 20 guests.
- The tour will operate subject to the required minimum number of paying participants.
- The order of sightseeing may change for operational reasons without reducing the overall inclusions.
- Nathula Pass is subject to permit approval and cannot be guaranteed.

- Guests must provide the documents required for permits within the prescribed deadline.
- Tsomgo Lake, Baba Mandir and Nathula Pass may be inaccessible because of snow, road closure, weather, security restrictions or government orders.
- Snowfall or snow cover is a natural occurrence and is not guaranteed.
- Tiger Hill sunrise visibility depends entirely on weather conditions.
- Toy Train tickets are subject to Indian Railways availability and operations.
- Flight timings and schedules are subject to airline changes.
- Winter weather, fog and road conditions may result in delays or itinerary adjustments.
- Room heater charges are included; heater availability remains subject to the hotel.
- Guests should carry adequate winter clothing, comfortable walking shoes and personal medication.
- The organiser reserves the right to replace a hotel, vehicle or service with a similar alternative when operationally necessary.
- No refund will apply when an included sightseeing point cannot be visited because of circumstances beyond the organiser's control and a reasonable alternative is provided.

Force Majeure

The organiser will not be responsible for delays, changes, additional expenses or service cancellations caused by weather, snowfall, landslides, roadblocks, flight disruption, natural calamities, political disturbance, government restrictions, permit denial, strikes or other circumstances beyond its reasonable control. Any additional expense arising from such circumstances will be payable by the guest.