

Magical Nepal



**03 Nights Kathmandu
01 Night Chandragiri
02 Nights Pokhara
&
01 Night Chitwan**

Day wise itinerary

Day- 01 Arrival- Kathmandu

Meeting at airport upon arrival by Office Personnel and welcome by Khada. Kathmandu is the capital of Nepal and the Kathmandu Valley is the political and cultural heart of the Kingdom.

The urban sprawl that makes up modern Kathmandu is in fact two cities, Patan and Kathmandu.

Day free for relaxation.

Day- 02 Kathmandu – Chandragiri Hills (Taking a cable car from base to top) - Kathmandu

Early morning option of doing the Mountain flight.



After lunch you will be taken for **Chandragiri Hills**, 17 kilometres approx from city center, lies on the South-West of Kathmandu Valley and is 2551 metres from sea level. Soaring peaks and breath taking views of whole Kathmandu Valley covered with lush green blanket of flora makes Chandragiri truly a great bountiful and pristine landscape. The panoramic views of Kathmandu Valley & Himalayan ranges from Annapurna to Everest makes any one feel like seeing whole Nepal from this hill.

Drive from your hotel to Thankot and then take a **cable car** to Chandragiri Hills. **Chandragiri Cable Car** is a gondola lift transportation system located in Kathmandu, Nepal. Opened on 2016, the Chandragiri Cable Car runs from Thankot

to Chandragiri hills. The 2.4 km (9,095 ft) line has two stations. Over night at Chandragiri.



Day- 03 Chandragiri- Kathmandu

Drive back Kathmandu and transfer to hotel.

After short relaxation, you will be taken take you for a visit to **Patan**. Also known as Lalitpur, the city of beauty is separated from Kathmandu only by the Bagmati River and is the second largest town in the valley. Lalitpur is fragmented from other cities due to its substantive architectural ancient masterpieces. Patan's central Durbar Square is absolutely packed with temples: Its an architectural center point with a far greater concentration of temples per sq. meter than in Kathmandu or Bhaktapur. Within the city also lies the Tibetan refugee center, home to most of the valley's Tibetan population. While technically refugees, the Tibetans are some of the wealthiest people in the valley because of the carpet industry they operate. For those looking to bring home a fine Tibetan carpet, this is the place to shop. You will then go to **Swayambhunath** the golden spire of the 5th-century Swayambhustupa is adorned with a colorful fluttering of prayer flags; it crowns a hill overlooking the Kathmandu Valley and offers fantastic views over the city of Kathmandu. Swayambhunath is one of the most recognizable symbols in Nepal and the painted eyes of Buddha watch all who ascend the worn stone steps.



Day- 04 Kathmandu - Pokhara

Drive to Pokhara. Pokhara is 210 Km & is a 06 hours drive from Kathmandu. From Pokhara town (2,352 feet) the 25,000+ peaks of the Annapurna and Dhaulagiri ranges rise a scant 20 miles away with no intervening ridges to spoil the view. On the way you have an option at an extra cost of doing the river rafting or visit the Manakamna Temple “ Goddess of Fulfilling Wishes” where you are taken by a cable ride of 10 mins . Overnight at hotel.

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Day- 05 Pokhara

This morning you will go for an excursion trip to **Sarangkot**. Sarangkot is the most popular tourist destination from where the tourist can enjoy the great view of the Pokhara Valley and the magnificent view of the mountains. Sarangkot is only 13 kms from Lake Side, Pokhara. Sarangkot is the highest view point for a sunrise and it is just 1592m high. Sarangkot is cooler than Pokhara. Sarangkot can be reached easily by 45 to 60 minutes by a car ride to the top from Pokhara. Many tourists come to Sarangkot for sunrise view and go back.

From Sarangkot, on the northern direction we can see Dhaulagiri in the far west. Annapurna range is visible when the weather is clear on the same side. On the southern direction the village overlooks the city of Pokhara and its lake on the north-western outskirts of the city.

This afternoon you will visit **Bindebasini Temple**. This is one of the oldest temples in Pokhara was a part of Kaski Kingdom, the main deity of the temple, Goddess Durga, was brought from India. Apart from the peace and tranquility that can be felt in this region, the premises of the temple offers a good view of the Himalaya on a clear day. The temple is in the area of the bazaar, hence, a journey of the old bazaar can be combined with a visit to the temple. Sightseeing to **Devi's fall**, also known as Patale Chango is an awesome waterfall lying 2 km southwest of Pokhara. During summer and rainy season, the waterfall takes its real form, with gushing water splashing and making its way through the rocks. Just opposite of Devi's fall, on the other side of the road, there is **Gupteshwor Cave**. This cave is popular for the different natural forms made from limestone deposits. Photography is strictly prohibited inside the cave.

In the evening enjoy boating at the **FewaLake**.
Overnight in Pokhara

OPTIONAL- One has an option of doing the Kalikasthan trek.

Today proceed on an interesting and exciting mountain trek in the mountains over-looking the Pokhara Valley. You will first be taken to the Begnas Lake (18 kms, 45 mins)
Here, we will continue trekking till Kalikhasthan, right up in the mountains up to Kalikhasthan .
{The medium trekkers could just do the segment from Ban Pokari till the base of Kalikhasthan}. Finally, arrive at Kalikhasthan and then climb the final 15 mins to the picnic spot from where we get an absolutely breathtaking view of the Himalayas. The trek is 3 hours uphill and 30 mins down hill from where the vehicle can pick you up.

Overnight at hotel.





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Day- 06 Pokhara-Chitwan

Drive to Chitwan. Chitwan is 180 Km from Pokhara & a 05 hours drive. Chitwan is one of Asia's premier wildlife reserves. Its 360 square miles of tall grasslands and forests are home to a wide variety of mammals and birds, including several endangered species.

Later enjoy Jungle observation at Chitwan National park. The highlight being the **Elephant Safari** in the jungles. Also experience walking through the forests with naturalists and watch the Native folk dances of the Terais.
Overnight in Chitwan

Day- 07 Chitwan – Kathmandu

Fly to Kathmandu and transfer to hotel.

After short relaxation, you will be taken for a visit of the Hindu culture in Nepal, **Pashupatinath**. This is the place where holy siddhus pray and cremations on the Bagmati River are carried out. Also interact with the Sadhus in Pashupatinath. We then continue to the holiest shrine for the Buddhist culture in Nepal, **Boudhanath**, with its large stupa, this is the place where all devout Buddhists come for a pilgrimage. Interaction with the Lamas in Boudhanth.



Day-08 Kathmandu- Departure

Morning will be comparatively free and closer to the time of your flight you will be transferred to the airport in time to board your flight for onward journey.

