

## Remnants of the Raj - 3 Nights / 4 Days - CALCUTTA / DARJEELING

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<b>Day - 01</b>	<b>Bengaluru / Kolkata</b>	<b>By air</b>
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After breakfast transfer from hotel to airport airport to catch flight for Kolkata 9W 2452 – 0915 / 1145 hrs.

Arrive Calcutta. Transfer and check-in at hotel.

Afternoon proceed for half day city tour of Kolkata

The largest metropolis in India, Kolkata is a vibrant city on the move, volatile and unpredictable. The Gateway to India, till 1912, and the capital of the Raj in India, it still bears the Victorian imprint on its streets and structures. The city is a hub of fervent activity in the realms of music, theater, arts, and sports.

A walk along Chowringhee Road sets the pace as you set out to unravel the rare beauty of this city. Across the road sweeps a huge, lush green, open parkland called the **Maidan**, centering around **Fort William**, the massive and impregnable British Citadel built in 1773. The fort is still in use and retains its well guarded grandeur. Visitors are allowed in with special permission only.



Along St George's Gate Road, on the southern fringe of the Maidan, your sight is arrested by a splendid monument in white Makrana marble. Built in Italian Renaissance cum Saracenic style, **Victoria Memorial** was planned by Lord Curzon and opened by the Prince of Wales in 1921. This British attempt at building a second Taj Mahal, is dedicated to Queen Victoria and houses a fantastic collection of rare memorabilia from colonial days.

Afternoon proceed for half day city tour of Calcutta.

### OVERNIGHT AT HOTEL.

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<b>Day - 02</b>	<b>Kolkata / Bagdogra / Darjeeling</b>	<b>By air / By Surface</b>
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Morning in time transfer to Calcutta airport to board flight for Bagdogra (9W 617 – 1110/1210). Arrive at Bagdogra airport and drive to Darjeeling (96 kms / 3 hrs).

Darjeeling is popularly known as the **"Queen of the Hills"** and produces the famous Darjeeling Tea, one of the world's finest teas. It is also home to the Darjeeling Himalayan Railway, a World Heritage Site.

Darjeeling with its natural beauty provides a wide variety of activities from liesurely scenic walks to more gruelling activities

Arrive Darjeeling. Check-in at hotel.



### OVERNIGHT AT HOTEL.

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<b>Day - 03</b>	<b>Darjeeling</b>
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After breakfast proceed for full day sight-seeing of Darjeeling visiting **Tiger hill** - The highest spot in the area at 2590m, Tiger Hill is near Ghoom, about 11km from Darjeeling. The hill is famous for its magnificent dawn views over Kanchenjunga and other eastern Himalayan peaks. On a clear day even **Mount Everest** is visible.

**Himalayan Mountaineering institute** - The HMI runs courses to train mountaineers, and maintains a couple of interesting museums. The Mountaineering Museum contains a collection of historic mountaineering equipment, specimens of Himalayan flora and fauna and a relief model of the Himalaya. The Everest Museum next door traces the history of attempts on the great peak. **Tibetan Refugee Center** - A 20 to 30 minutes walk from Chowrasta through leafy glades and tea plantations, brings you down to the Tibetan Refugee Centre . Established in 1959, the centre comprises a home for the aged, and orphanage, school, hospital and craft workshops that produce carpets of pure ladakhi wool, woodcarving, leather work and wool items. The weaving and dyeing shops and the wood carving shop are particularly interesting. Last but not the least Tea gardens.

**OVERNIGHT AT HOTEL.**

<b>Day - 04</b>	<b>Darjeeling / Bagdogra / Kolkata</b>	<b>By Surface / By Air</b>
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Breakfast at hotel. Later drive to Bagdogra to catch flight for Kolkata. 9W 618 – 1355 / 1455 hrs

Upon arrival in Calcutta connect flight for onward Journey.

\*\*\*\*\*END OF SERVICES\*\*\*\*\*

**Tour Cost in INR ( Indian Rupee)**

Number of Persons traveling together	Twin Sharing (Per person)	Single Room (Supplement)
Minimum 22 Pax	15500	8100

**Airfare Supplement**

Sector	Class	Airfare (per person)
Bengaluru / Kolkata Kolkata / Bagdogra Bagdogra / Kolkata	Economy	15400

**Hotels envisaged :**

City	Hotel	Room Type	Meal Plan
Kolkata	The Park	Deluxe	Breakfast
Darjeeling	Sinclairs	Deluxe	Breakfast

**Tour cost includes**

- Accommodation at Kolkata (01 night) and Darjeeling (02 nights) total 03 nights on bed, breakfast and taxes basis
- All transportation, sightseeing and excursions as per itinerary using exclusive Air-conditioned deluxe coach.
- Services of a Government approved local English speaking guide during sight seeing
- Assistance at airports and hotels from local representatives
- Entrance tickets to monuments as per itinerary

**Tour cost does not includes**

- Any items of personal nature like tips, laundry, telephone, room service, portage etc.
- Meals, other than breakfast
- Airfare (wherever required) is specified extra. Current fares have been listed that are subject to change / revision at the time of booking.
- Movie camera ticket etc., wherever applicable is extra and payable directly

**Note:**

- Shopping opportunity for local handicrafts will be provided during sight seeing tours.