

## Ellora Tours & Travels

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*We Explore your Desire...!!!*

**“BHUTAN”**

*A Nation Land of Gross Happiness..!!!*

### **DEPARTURE DATE: APRIL 2019**

#### **Welcome to Bhutan**

Bhutan, a Buddhist kingdom on the Himalayas' eastern edge, is known for its Monasteries, fortresses (or Dzongs) and dramatic landscapes that range from subtropical plains to steep mountains and valleys. It is a tiny Himalayan Kingdom situated in the eastern Himalayas and landlocked between the world's two most populous nations-with China to the North and India to the South. A Buddhist kingdom with a population of about 700,000 people, pristine environment, well preserved culture and a land of Gross National Happiness, is one of the most sought after travel destinations in the world today having ranked the second top travel destinations in the world.

### **ITINERARY 08 DAYS / 07NIGHTS**

#### **Day 01:Arrival in Phuentsholing250m**

- Arrive at **Bagdogra airport**
- Receive the guest
- Drive to Phuentsholing
- Arrival in Phuentsholing
- Our representative will receive guests.
- Complete Immigration formalities( if time permits)
- Check into hotel
- Visit **ZangtogPelriLhakhang** in the heart of the town ( if time permits)
- Overnight stay will be at Phuntsholing  
(Meal: Dinner)



**Day 02: Phuentsholing to Thimphu (6 hrs) 2300m**

- Breakfast in the Hotel
  - Drive to Kharbandi Gonpa
  - Proceed to Thimphu.
  - Enroute drive through picturesque towns of **Gedu, Chukha, and Chuzom**
  - Arrival in Thimphu.
  - Check into the hotel
  - Visit Craft Bazar ( if time permits )
  - Overnight stay will be at Thimphu
- (Meal: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner)**

**Day 03: Thimphu sightseeing**

- Breakfast in the Hotel.
  - View **National Memorial Chorten**
  - Visit **Buddha viewpoint**,
  - Visit **Simply Bhutan – A living Museum**
  - Visit **Changzangkha temple**
  - Visit **Takin Preserve**
  - View **Changlimthang stadium & Archery ground**
  - Visit **Craft Bazar**
  - Leisure in the town
  - Overnight stay will be in Thimphu
- (Meal: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner)**

**Day 04: Thimphu to Punakha (3 Hrs) alt 1350m**

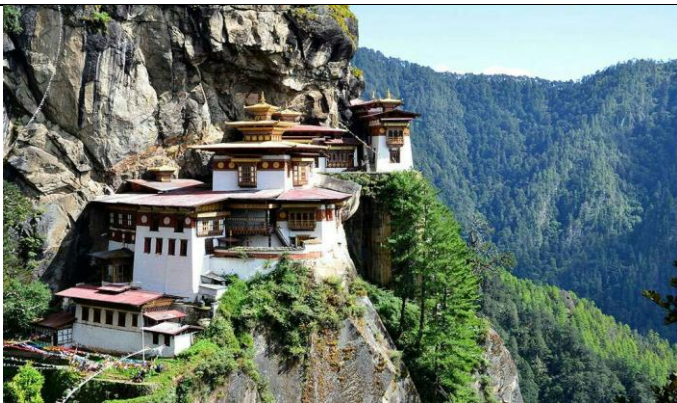


- Breakfast in the hotel
  - Guide will obtain permit for Punakha
  - Drive to **Punakha**
  - Visit **Dochula Pass (3150m.)**
  - Visit **108 Druk Wangyel Chortens**
  - Hike to **Chimmi Lhakang** – temple of fertility
  - Visit **Punakha Dzong**
  - Evening at leisure
  - Overnight stay will be at Punakha
- (Meal: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner)**

**Day 05: Punakha to Paro (4.5 Hrs) altitude 2200m**

- Breakfast in the hotel
  - Visit **Punakha Dzong**
  - Walk on **longest suspension bridge**
  - Drive to Paro
  - Visit **Tachog Monastery**
  - Check in Hotel
  - Visit **Paro Dzong ( Fortress)-17 century (if time permits)**
  - Overnight stay will be at Paro
- (Meal: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner)**





<p><b>Day 06: Paro sightseeing</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Breakfast at hotel</li> <li>• Drive to Ramthangkha</li> <li>• Day <b>Hike to Taksang</b> 5hrs hike</li> <li>• View <b>Drugyel Dzong</b></li> <li>• Evening at Leisure</li> <li>• Overnight stay will be at Paro</li> </ul> <p><b>(Meal: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner)</b></p>	
<p><b>Day 07: Paro sightseeing to Phuntsholing</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Breakfast in the hotel</li> <li>• Visit <b>Kichu Temple</b></li> <li>• Visit <b>Paro Dzong</b></li> <li>• Drive to Phuntsholing</li> <li>• Lunch on the way</li> <li>• Arrive Phuntsholing</li> <li>• Evening at Leisure</li> <li>• Overnight stay will be in Phuntsholing</li> </ul> <p><b>(Meal: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner)</b></p>	
<p><b>Day 08: Departure from Bagdogra Airport</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Breakfast at hotel</li> <li>• Drive to Bagdogra Airport for Departure</li> <li>• Our Representative bids you Farewell</li> </ul> <p>Your tour to land of happiness comes to an end here... <b>(Meal: Breakfast)</b></p>	

### **Hotels Offered:**

### **OPTION 1: 3\***

**Package Cost: Rs.48,999/- per person only**

DESTINATIONS	HOTELS	NIGHTS
THIMPHU	Kuenphen Rabten Resort/ Hotel Galingkha/ Khamsum Inn	2 nights
PUNAKHA	Hotel Pema Karpo/ Hotel Vara/ Similar	1 night
PARO	Dewachen Resort/ Hotel Khamsum/ Rema Resort/ similar	2 nights
PHUNTOSHOLING	Hotel Park/ Hotel Damchen/ Orchid	2 nights

## OPTION 2: 5\*

**Package Cost: Rs.78,999/- per person only**

DESTINATIONS	HOTELS	NIGHTS
THIMPHU	Le Meridian	2nights
PUNAKHA	RKPO Green Resort	1night
PARO	Le Meridian/ Zhiwaling	2 nights
PHUNTOSHLING	Hotel Druk	2nights

### **Cost Includes:**

- ❖ All Accommodation double/twin sharing rooms
- ❖ BOM-IXB-BOM return Economy airfare (*subject to change at the time of confirmation*)
- ❖ All buffet breakfast, Lunch and Dinner
- ❖ All sightseeing as per the Itinerary
- ❖ Vehicle – Toyota Coaster Bus
- ❖ All internal taxes
- ❖ Mineral water throughout your day tour ( 1 btl per person per day )
- ❖ One tourist sim card
- ❖ Hidden cost like parking fee
- ❖ Emergency Aid
- ❖ GST and other charges
- ❖ Full time Licensed tourist guide ( Bhutan )
- ❖ Witness cultural Program at Echo farm house
- ❖ Try national attire

### **Cost Excludes:**

- ❖ Extras of personal nature such as personal tips, laundry charges, additional tour charges.
- ❖ Does not include any&Evening Tea/snacks
- ❖ Insurance, Medical & Emergency rescue costs.
- ❖ Does not include Hard drinks, liquor, mineral water in Hotel, or soft drinks/juices.
- ❖ Does not include Entrance Fees at Monasteries / Monuments / Museums etc.

1. Cancelled trips may be postponed without inviting any charges provided no refund is transacted.
2. Cancelled trip within 30 days or more prior to arrival - 20% cancellation charges from total amount applies.
3. Cancelled trip within 29 prior to arrival -50% cancellation charges from total amount applies.
4. Cancelled trip less than 15 prior to arrival -100% cancellation charges from total amount applies.
5. No refund for No Shows or Early Departures.
6. Company shall not be liable for any additional charges arising from any natural calamities like road blocks, flood, etc.
7. Unavoidable cancellations, no refund shall be made, will be kept as deposit for future trips.

## Travel Arrangements

Travel between cities will be by Toyota Coaster Bus

### Documents to be carried during your travel:

1. Valid Passport/ Voter id (original )
2. Printed copies
3. Child below 11 can carry birth certificate if there is no passport but birth certificate should be in English
4. 2 passport size photos

### Tour Booking Policy:

- For Confirmation of tour Pay 50% of Package Cost as advance.
- Balance 50% of the tour value to be credited to Ellora Tours account 30 days prior to the tour commencement date
- For instant tours full amount to be collected in advance

### Cancellation policy:-

- 30% cancellation charges, if cancelled 30 days before the tour departure date.
- 40% cancellation charges, if cancelled 30-15 days before the tour departure date.
- 85% Cancellation charges, if cancelled 15-01 days before the tour departure date.
- No refund for after starting or middle of the tour.
- Flight Cancellation as per Airlines Terms and Conditions.

### BANK DETAILS:-

Name	Bank	A/C No	Type	Branch	IFSC
Ellora Tours and Travels	ICICI BANK	004405009647	Current	MAIN, Aurangabad	ICIC0000044

### Terms and Conditions:-

- All information given in this brochure is based on the information available at the time of publication. We reserve the right to change any brochure information before or after your booking the tour due to any events beyond our control. In case we are aware of any changes sufficiently in advance, we will notify you at the time of booking, otherwise our Tour Manager or Local representative will inform you of the changes.
- The company shall not accept any liability or responsibility for any damages, loss of baggage, loss, injury, accident, death, breakdown or irregularity, which may occur in carrying out the tour arrangements due to weather conditions, strikes, war, and threat of war, quarantine or any other cause whatsoever and all such loss or expenses must be borne by the passengers.
- The management reserves the right to claim any additional expenses incurred due to delay or changes in schedules of train, airplane, bus, ship or any other services.

***Tashi Delek...!!!***