

# Queen of the Hills

05 Nights/ 06 Days Tour  
Gangtok-3, Darjeeling-2

## Day 1

Bagdogra Airport/NJP Station>> Gangtok (130 KMS / 5 HRS)



Pick-up from Bagdogra airport/NJP railway station to be taken to **Gangtok (5500 ft)** -the Land of the Pristine and unspoilt natural beauty of Sikkim, with alpine landscapes and thick luxuriant forests, rivers in torrent and peaceful lakes, a journey 130kms & takes 5hrs to reach Gangtok, arrive at the hotel & check-in. Relax & refresh yourself & then walk to the mall which is just 5 minutes away & overnight stay at Gangtok.

## Day 2

Gangtok>> Tsomgo Lake>> Gangtok



After breakfast, proceed to **Tsomgo Lake (12,313 ft)**, a 40kms drive which takes 2.5 hrs. This lake is located very close to Nathula Pass which is the entry point to China termed as the "Silk Route & remains frozen for most parts of the year. Legend has it that the Lamas use to forecast the future by studying the colour of the lakes waters. Enjoy the surroundings, majestic snowy peaks which feed the lake and the clean fresh air, back to Gangtok by 3 pm for a late lunch. Evening free for leisure or go shopping for Sikkimese traditional handicrafts & overnight stay at Gangtok.

## Day 3

Gangtok (Full day local ss)



After breakfast, visit to **Tashi View Point** to view Mt. Khangchendzonga. Situated 8kms from the town, this point offers a breathtaking view of the majestic peak & surrounding hills. Also can be seen are the monasteries at Phodong & Labrang. On the return visit **Hanuman Tok (7200 Ft)**, temple devoted to Hanuman. From the temple you can also get a bird's eye view of the Selep waterworks which supplies drinking water to the Gangtok town. Near this temple which is maintained by the Army, is Lukshyama- the royal cremation grounds of the erstwhile royal family of Sikkim. Then go to **Ganesh Tok (6500Ft)**, a temple dedicated to Lord Ganesha which is so small in size that it can hardly accommodate one person & one has to crawl to get inside, **The Handicraft & Handloom Showroom**, which promotes traditional arts & crafts, a veritable storehouse of exquisite carpets, blankets, shawls in "Lepcha" weaves; **The Flower Show**, which contains over 200 species of orchids set amidst a beautiful landscape; **Do-Drul Chorten (Stupa)** which is one of the most important stupas of Sikkim, built by the head of the Nyingma order- Trullshi Rimpoche in 1945. It contains rare details of Dorji Phupa, Holy Books, Mantras and is encircled by 108 prayer wheels; **The Namgyal Institute of Tibetology** built in 1958 in traditional style, a renowned worldwide centre for the study of the Mahayana

Buddhist philosophy & religion, a treasure house of rare "Thankas", statues, over 200 Buddhist icons and prized objects of art & finally **Ban Jhakhri Waterfalls**, back to the hotel by late afternoon, Overnight stay at Gangtok.

Evening free for leisure or go shopping for Sikkimese traditional handicrafts & overnight stay at Gangtok.

#### **Day 4**

#### **Gangtok>> Darjeeling (96 kms/ 3.5 hrs)**



After breakfast, depart for 96 kms & 3hr 30mins journey to reach **Darjeeling (7100 ft)**, the "Queen of the hill stations", its name derived from "Dorje-Line" which means the place of "Dorje", the mystic thunderbolt. After a very scenic drive thru the mountains, tea gardens etc. It is an experience of unforgettable beauty. Reach Darjeeling & check-in at hotel.

Spend the evening lazing around or walk up to the mall area & overnight stay at Darjeeling.

#### **Day 5**

#### **Darjeeling (Full day local ss)**



Start the day at 4 am with an early morning trip to **Tiger Hill (7800 Ft)** to catch the sunrise from behind the majestic Kanchenjunga range. On the way back visit the **Ghoom Monastery & Batasia Loop**, back to the hotel for breakfast.

**(09:00 AM TO 03:00 PM)** After breakfast, proceed for a half day Darjeeling local sightseeing of the **Himalayan Mountaineering Institute, Ropeway, Zoo, Tenzing Rock, Tibetan Refugees Self Help Centre, Tea Garden** (outer view) & **Japanese Temple**. Back to the hotel by evening; take a walk to "Chowrasta" the centre point of the Mall area. You can do some window shopping & overnight stay at Darjeeling.

#### **Day 6**

#### **Darjeeling>> Bagdogra/NJP drop (72 kms/3.5 hrs)**



After breakfast, checkout from the hotel & proceed to Bagdogra Airport/NJP Railway Station for onwards destination.

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# Damages

Grade	A1+	A1	A	B	C	D	E	F	G
02 PAX	43093	32706	30426	29092	21813	20815	20166	17983	17707
04 PAX	38314	27927	25647	24313	17034	16036	15387	13204	12928
06 PAX	36269	25882	23602	22267	14989	13991	13342	11159	10883
08 PAX	35246	24859	22579	21245	13966	12968	12319	10136	9860
EXT BED	21844	11420	9850	9850	5440	5020	5860	4300	3700
CWB	15170	11420	9850	9850	5440	5020	5860	4300	3400
CNB	11721	6600	7230	7150	3320	2900	4280	3580	1900

HOTEL USED :	HERITAGE (A1+)	ROYAL (A1)	UPMARKET (A)	AT THE MALL (B)	ENCHANTING (C)
DARJEELING	ELGIN-premium (MAP)	RAMADA (MAP)	PINE TREE RESORT / THE RETREAT - royal dlx / JAI HOTEL -1 <sup>st</sup> Flush (MAP)	VICEROY HOTEL / JAI HOTEL -2 <sup>nd</sup> flush / MONTANA RESORT (pure veg) / DEKELING RESORT (pure veg) (MAP)	THE HIMALAYAN RETREAT-luxury / SUMI YASHSHREE / VILLA EVEREST (CP)
GANGTOK	NORKHILL (MAP)	LEMON TREE-superior (MAP)	DENZONG SHANGRILA-superior / SUMMIT DENZONG HOTEL N SPA - dlx / WOODBERRY HOTEL & SPA - premium (pure veg) (MAP)	MOUNT HIMALAYAN / SUMMIT GOLDEN CRESCENT / SUMMIT NAMNANG / DENZONG SHANGRILA- superior / KEEPSA RESIDENCY (pure veg) (MAP)	NEW ORCHID-std / SONAM DELEK- sup dlx / HOTEL BLUEBERRY / VATIKA HIMALAYAN RESORT / SHANGRILA SUITES N SPA (CP)

HOTEL USED :	JUST ARRIVED!! (D)	VALUE FOR MONEY!! (E)	ECONOMY (F)	BUDGET (G)
DARJEELING	THE HIMALAYAN RETREAT-luxury / SUMI YASHSHREE / VILLA EVEREST (CP)	WONDER WOODS BOUTIUE-premium / SILVER STAR BOUTIUE- premium / RODHI RESORT / HOTEL YUMA -luxury (CP)	MARVEL INTL / NORTH STAR / YUMA - luxury (CP)	MEGHMA HOTEL / CHAAS RIDHI SIDDHI (CP)
GANGTOK	HIMALAYAN HEIGHTS - sup dlx / SONAM DELEK - dlx / RENDEZVOUS- dlx (CP)	SIKKIM RETREAT-lux / JUNIPER TREE-dlx / ALPINE HILLS / RENDEZVOUS - std (CP)	COMFORT INN CINERARIA / HOTEL MISTY OAK / SIKKIM RETREAT-lux (CP)	COMFORT INN (CP)

<b>HERITAGE</b>	<i>These are all 4-Star heritage hotels</i>
<b>ROYALE</b>	<i>These are all 4 star hotels</i>
UPMARKET	<i>These are all 4-Star equivalent hotels</i>
AT THE MALL	<i>Good 3-Star + equivalent hotels at prime locations</i>
<b>ENCHANTING</b>	<i>Exquisite boutique hotels at all locations with a fleeting touch of class</i>
JUST ARRIVED	<i>Oriental hotels with big rooms in the 3-Star+ category</i>
VALUE FOR MONEY	<i>Spend &amp; experience 3- star+ hotels</i>
ECONOMY	<i>3-star hotels to suit your budget</i>

**BUDGET***Neat n clean 2-star+ hotels for those with limited budgets***Meal Plan definitions:**

- **CP** – Breakfast only.... **MAP** – Breakfast & Lunch OR Dinner.

<b>Rates</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• All rates above are valid from <b>1<sup>ST</sup> OCT 2020 TO 5<sup>TH</sup> JAN 2021.</b></li> <li>• <b>All rates above are on per person twin sharing basis.</b></li> </ul>
<b>Includes</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Meals as per plan shown above in <b>RED</b>, all hotel taxes.</li> <li>• All transfers &amp; sightseeing by <b>01 NAC Wagon R/NAC Sumo/similar</b> Ex Bagdogra/NJP which is not on disposal, but point-to-point basis.</li> <li>• Gangtok local sightseeing would be by 01 NAC Wagon R for (02 Pax) &amp; 02 NAC Wagon R for (04 Pax &amp; above).</li> <li>• GST included on hotel part ONLY.</li> </ul>
<b>Child Rates</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Children 12 years &amp; above are charged as adults.</li> <li>• Children of 05 to -12 years will be charged as per CWB/CNB.</li> <li>• Below 05 years, complimentary.</li> </ul>
<b>Validity</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• This package is valid for Indian passport holders only.</li> </ul>
<b>Does not Includes</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Entrance/Guide/Camera fees/Parking etc.</li> <li>• <b>GST EXTRA ON TRANSPORT @ Rs. 950 TOTAL.</b></li> <li>• <b>ANY SUPPLEMENT FOR CHRISTMAS &amp; NEW YEAR'S EVE (IF ANY)</b></li> <li>• Visit to Nathula Pass (India -China border) @ Rs. 6800 +5% /- per vehicle extra on the total cost.</li> <li>• Joy ride on the toy train in Darjeeling @ Rs. 680/- per person ticket + Rs. 600+5% per vehicle extra on the total cost.</li> <li>• En-route visit to Chardham (Namchi) @ Rs. 2800+5% /- per vehicle extra on the total cost..</li> <li>• En-route visit to Mirik @ Rs. 1200+5% /- per vehicle extra on the total cost.</li> <li>• Any difference arising due to increase in fuel price or change in taxes levied by the government.</li> <li>• Difference in cost arising due to mishaps, bandhs/strikes, natural calamities like landslides, road blockages etc. In such a case, the extra cost would have to be paid on the spot by the guest directly.</li> </ul>

- **In case upgrade vehicle to a mix of 01 AC Innova/Xylo/Scorpio for all Transfers & Sightseeing, add Rs. 5200 + 5% GST to the total cost.**