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8 Days 6 Nights Scenic India Himachal

Enjoy the Exhilarating Packages with Pinnacle Travel!



Day 1: Depart for New Delhi (MOB)

Arrive in New Delhi airport, you will be met and transferred for hotel check in.

Day 2: New Delhi – Chandigarh – Shimla (B, L, D)

Breakfast is at the hotel, and transfer to Delhi Railway station to board the train to Chandigarh. Upon arrival, you will be met and transferred to Shimla for check-in at the hotel. **Shimla**: it was the Summer capital of India under British rule. Presently, it is the state capital of Himachal Pradesh, with its population around 1.6 lacs (Shimla town only). Shimla has seen many important historical events such as the famous Shimla Pact between India & Pakistan which was signed here. The place is also famous for its natural beauty, architectural buildings, wooden crafts and apples. The most prominent sites to visit are **Viceregal Lodge**, once the seat of the power, possesses one of the most commanding positions in Shimla. The imposing six-storied building, with nice manicured gardens is today an institute for advanced studies. The style of architecture is English Renaissance, the masonry of the walling is light blue limestone and the wrought stonework is done in sandstone in a beautiful light gray tint. Also visit **Institute of Advanced Studies** and The Mall.

Day 3: Shimla – Manali (B, L, D)

Today, after breakfast will be transferred to Manali (257km/approx.07hours). On arrival, check-in to your hotel. **Manali** is Situated at the northern end of the Kullu Valley, Manali has spectacular views of snowcapped peaks and wooded slopes. The Beas rushes along its rocky course amid grassy meadows carpeted with wild flowers and wagtails hop along from stone to stone along the stream's edge. There are marvellous walks too, through dappled orchards and fairy-tale forests of deodar. Rest of the day is free for own leisure.

Day 4: Manali (B, L, D)

After breakfast, first stop will be visited **Hadimba** or **Dhungiri** temple. This four-story pagoda wooden temple is located in the middle of a forest called the **Dhungiri Van Vihar**. Winding paths through forests and glades of whispering Deodars form the setting for the majestic wooden temple of Hidimba Devi in Manali. The motorable road is shaded by Chestnuts, Chinars and tall deciduous Deodars. These forested backdrops enthrall one's spirit and refresh one's mind all along the uphill path. From Hidimba temple you will be driven to main down – town to visit the Tibetan Monasteries. The Tibetans living around these Monasteries offers a wide range of Tibetan Handicrafts and Carpets to the visitors to buy. From monasteries you will be driven to Old Manali to visit the Temple of **Manu Rishi**. It is believed that this is the only temple of Manu Rishi in India- who is believed the creator of human race on the earth. Later you will be driven to **Vashist Hot Water Springs** and Temple - a small village located on the left bank of River Beas.



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Day 5: Manali (B, L, D)

After breakfast, you will be taken a full day excursion to **Solang Valley, Snow Pont (Subject to Weather & Snow Level)**. Solang valley, located about 13 kms northwest of Manali at an altitude of around 8000 feet, is one of the most spectacular ski slopes in the western Himalayas. Popularly known as 'snow point', the valley has an extensive view of glaciers and snowcapped mountains and peaks. For the beginners, Solang is an ideal skiing spot with introductory slopes and ski lifts. Its ski slopes, a paradise for skiers offers unexpected excitement with smooth-curved ridges and gentle gradients. Cross- country skiing is also practiced here. The best season for skiing here is from January to March. The winter temperatures usually remain between 2° C and 15° C. *Skiing is subject to Snow level & Professional availability.*

Day 6: Manali – Chandigarh (B, L, D)

After breakfast, proceed to Chandigarh (315km/approx.09hours).

Day 7: Chandigarh – Delhi. Depart from NewDelhi (B, L, D)

In the morning you will be transferred to railway station to connect the train for Delhi. On arrival at Delhi you will be met assistance and transfer sightseeing tour of Delhi. The discovery of New Delhi starts with a visit to **Humayun's tomb** - the magnificent structure in red sandstone and white marble, one of the finest examples of the garden tomb and a precursor to the Taj Mahal. Visit **Qutab Minar** which is Delhi's Eiffel Tower, its Statue of Liberty and Nelson's Column. Drive to one of the most colonial part of New Delhi called **Raisina Hill**. Drive past the Viceroy's House, now the residence of the President of India and Lutyen's magnum opus; the India Gate, a war memorial arch. After dinner, transfer to Airport to catch your onward flight.

Day 8: Arrival at Home

Home Sweet Home!

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Note:

1. Minimum number of 2 adults required for FIT packages.
2. All passengers are required to have comprehensive travel insurance coverage prior to the departure of the tour for the best interest of the passengers' themselves.
3. The above itinerary, specified meals and hotel accommodation may be subjected to change in accordance with the land operator's final arrangement.
4. In case of specified hotels are full, we will change to similar or better hotel without surcharge.
5. All passengers must hold valid travel documents with the least 6 months validity date before expiry in accordance with the departure date of the tour.
6. All passengers must have valid entry visa to the country they intended to visit, No refund will be make shall the passenger be refused to enter the country. For clarification. Please consult our company travel consultants.
7. Tour Tipping (wholotrip) for local tour guide & driver totally: USD21 (7Days) (Applicable to all passengers including adults and children 2 years or above)



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