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# EXPLORE INDIA WITH INDIAN BUDDHIST NGO



#### Day: 1. Arrive Lucknow

Arrive Lucknow, capital city of Uttar Pradesh through newly build expressway and on your arrival in Lucknow check-into your pre-booked hotel. Rest of the day free for relaxing. Overnight stay Lucknow

### Day 2. Lucknow to Sravasti

After breakfast, drive to Sravasti and on the way visit other important site on your Indian Buddhist circuit Sravasti which have age-old stupas, huge majestic viharas and several ancient temples near the village of "Sahet-Mahet" which establish Buddha's association with Shravasti. It is said that the Vedic period king, Shravasta, founded this town andit was capital of the ancient kingdom of Kosala, an active centre for Buddhism. On arrival check into and Overnight stay in Sravasti.

### Day :- 3. Sravasti to Lumbini via Kapilavastu

After breakfast, Check out and drive to Birth place of Lord Buddha Lumbini which is located in Nepal. On the way visit Kapilavastu - The childhood home of Lord Gautam Buddha On arrival go for places to visit in Lumbini start with Pillar of Ashoka Brahmi inscription on the pillar is dated back to 3rd-century BCE, Ancient, Ancient Mayadevi Temple (the birth place of Buddha) which is main temple of Lumbini. Stay overnight in Lumbini.



#### Day:-4. Lumbini to Kushinagar

After breakfast, at hotel, check out and go for Kushinagar temple tour Kushinagar (it is place where Lord Gautam Buddha had left this world behind him after offeringa priceless contribution to humanity). Later visit Mahaparinirvana Temple (Place where Buddha took his last breathe) and Rambhar Stupa (cremation site of Lord Buddha). Overnight stay Kushinagar

#### Day:- 5. Kushinagar - Vaishali

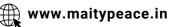
After breakfast,

Drives to Patna On the way go for Vaishali - it is place where Buddha announced the approaching of his Mahaparinirvana Death. After Places to Visit in Vaishali, continue drive to Patna. Later check into hotel and overnight stay at Patna hotel.

### Day:- 6. Patna- Nalanda- Rajgir- Bodhgaya

After breakfast, At hotel drive to Bodhgaya on the way you can see real Indian village cultural, Bodh Gaya is place where Lord Buddha attained enlightenment and which is one of the most sacred pilgrimage places for the Buddhist Pilgrimage in India. En-route go for Nalanda and Rajgir tour package.Nalanda-was great centre of Buddhist learning in Asia and one of the most reputed university citadels of ancient times. Rajgir-it was once the capital of the powerful kingdom of Maghada in ancient times, this tour also called bodhgaya nalanda rajgir tour itinerary. Post Rajgir Nalanda tour drive to Patna which 90kms from Nalanda, on arrival in Bodhgaya night stay in hotel.

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#### Day:- 7. Places to visit in Bodhgaya

After breakfast, At hotel, go for sightseeing of Bodhgaya tourism. Main attraction of Bodh Gaya is UNESCO world Heritage site "Maha Bodhi temple complex", Under the Bodhi Tree here, Siddhartha Gautama attained supreme knowledge to become Buddha, or in other word go the Enlightened one here which changes his life from ordinary person to Lord Buddha and he started Buddhism which become one of the greatest religion of the world. Also don't forget to visit River Nirainana in which the Lord Buddha bathed post attaining enlightenment it flows quietly just outside the tiny hamlet.Post Lunch go for Bodhgaya Temple tour first visit The Great Buddha Statue which is 80 feet in height, Later visit famous and beautiful Buddhist monasteries and temples which have been constructed by the people of buddhist nations like Srilanka, Bhutan, China, Japan, South Korea, Myanmar, Nepal, Sri Lanka, Taiwan, Thailand, Tibet and Vietnam in a huge areas in and around the Mahabodhi Temple. Post best itinerary tour of Bodhgaya, stay overnight in Bodhgaya.

#### Day:- 8. Bodhgaya to Varanasi 🧹

After Breakfast, Check from hotel and drive to Oldest city of the world Varanasi, After long drive Check in to Varanasi hotel and Post relaxing for some time, In the evening time first visit Manikarnika ghat or Burning ghar and later participate in the world famous Ganga Aarti at Dashashwamedh Ghat. After completion of places to visit in Varanasi or best itinerary for Varanasi tour, enjoy your overnight stay in Kashi.



#### Day:- 9. Varanasi Local - Sarnath

Early this morning and go take a Subah-e-Benaras (Sunrise of Varanasi) boat trip to enjoy the mesmerizing sunrise and also see historical ghats of Varanasi. In the boat trip one can understand Tradition and Culture of Kashi, After breakfast check out from hotel & Visit Buddhist Town Sarnath The hallowed spot where Lord Buddha Preached His First Sermon after Enlightenment in Deer Park, contains the most impressive remains, as well as a Modem Temple, The Dharmarajika, Chaukhandi Stupa & Dhamek Stupa are Outstanding, There are Newly Built 80 Feet Lord Buddha Statue is the Also a Alteration, There are also the remains of a Monastery & the Beautifully Polished Lion Capital of Ashoka. Over Night stay Varanasi.

#### Day:- 10. Varanasi Departure

After breakfast Check out from hotel and you will be drop at Varanasi Airport & Railway Station for your destination with sweet memories....



# HOTEL DETAILS

- Lucknow Regnant/Similar 1 Night
- Shravasti- Hotel Sravasti Residecy / Similar-1 Night
- Lumbini- Hotel Buddha Maya by KGH Group/ Similar-1 Night
- Kushinagar- Hotel The Imperial Kushinagar / Similar- 1 Night
- Patna- Hotel Patliputra Exotica/Similar- 1 Night
- Bodhgaya- Hotel Imperial/Simiar-2 Nights
- Varanasi-The Fern Residency-1 Night

# PACKAGE INCLUDES

- All Transfer & sightseeing as per Itinerary Vehicle AC Tempo Traveller.
- Accommodation 7 Room on double & 1 Single sharing.
- Meals as per CPAI (Breakfast Only)
- Boat Ride at Varanasi at River Ganga once.
- Language Interpreter during the Tour.
- Inter State Taxes.
- Driver charge / Bhatta, Toll, Tax, Parking Charge etc.

## PACKAGE EXCLUDES

- Airfare/ Train fare
- Travel Insurance
- GST 5% on Total Bill amount
- Meals Not Mentioned In the Itinerary
- Entry Fees to Monuments and Palaces.
- Anything Not Mentioned In The Inclusions.
- Porterage at Hotels and Airports, Tips, Insurance, Laundry, Liquors, Wine, Etc.
- All Items of Personal Nature.
- Any Cost Arising Due To Natural Calamities like Landslides, Roadblocks, Etc.
- Any Increase In Taxes Or Fuel Leading To An Increase In Surface Transport.

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