

ARUNACHAL WITH NAGALAND TOUR (10 NIGHTS/11 DAYS)

(Tezpur - 1 N/ Dirang - 2 Ns/ Tawang - 2 Ns / Bomdila - 1 N/ Guwahati - 1 N/Dimapur -1 N / Kohima -2 Ns)

Suggested Tour Itinerary

Day Programme

01 ARRIVAL GUWAHATI –TEZPUR (APPROX 183 KM /3 HRS 30 MIN)

Pick up at **Guwahati Airport** and transfer **Tezpur**. On arrival Tezpur check in to the hotel. Evening is free for leisure. **Overnight stay at Tezpur.** (Lunch / Dinner)

02 TEZPUR TO DIRANG (APPROX. 140 KM/ 3 HRS)

After breakfast, check out from the hotel and transfer to Dirang (4,910 ft). On the way visit **Tipi Orchidarium** situated on the banks of the river Bharali, a place over 500 orchids, on display there are some rare species of orchid. Arunachal has largest range of orchids in the country then take a break to visit **Nag Temple**. Continue your drive and do not forget to keep your cameras handy as you cross beautiful waterfalls and get some spectacular views. On arrival Dirang check in to the hotel. After refreshing visit to **Apple orchard & Kiwi Farm (depending upon season), Dirang Monastery and Kalachakra Monastery**. Dirang is also famous for **hot water** springs where people take bath to cure skin ailments. Back to hotel . **Overnight stay at Dirang** (Breakfast/ Lunch / Dinner)

Note: Every Indian tourist visiting Arunachal Pradesh has to obtain ILP (Inner Line Permit) at Bhalukpong border before entering the state against submission of photo identity card and two copies of passport size photographs.

03 DIRANG

After breakfast visit **Sangti valley**- situated about 14 kilometres from Dirang. It is surrounded by the towering ranges of Eastern Himalayas, blessed with pleasant weather round the year with maybe some light snowfall in the winter months, covered with fruit orchards (kiwi fruit, apple, apricot, orange), dotted with pristine forests and meandering fast hill rivers . Later visit **Mandala Top** which is located at an altitude of about 11,000 feet. The 108 Buddhist Stupas located at Mandala Top are inscribed with the sacred Sanskrit Mantra, "**Om Mani Padme Hum**,". Other elements of Buddhist iconography like Vase, Lotus, Conch, etc., are also depicted on the 108 Manes at Mandala Top. **Overnight stay at Dirang** (Breakfast/ Lunch / Dinner)

04 DIRANG TO TAWANG (APPROX. 130 KM/ 7 HRS)

After breakfast check out from the hotel Transfer to Tawang (12000 ft). the Land of Hidden Paradise. On the way enjoy the beauty of **Sela Pass** (13700 Ft) a border line between two districts i.e Tawang & West Kameng Tawang, **Sela Lake a small lake**, which remains frozen for most of the year. Further drive to 10 kms visit **Jaswantgarh War Memorial** - a memorial to the brave soldier who single handily tried to hold off approaching Chinese from the pass during the 1962 Indo-Chinese war. On arrival check in to the hotel. Evening is free for leisure. **Overnight stay at Tawang.** (Breakfast/ Lunch / Dinner)

05 TAWANG

Morning after breakfast transfer to **Bumla Pass** - visit to **Pakang Teng Tso Lake**, majesty of **Nurangng Falls** where scenes from the **Maduri Lake** - SRK-Madhuri Dixit starrer "Koyla" were shot. Return to hotel after lunch visit to **Tawang local sightseeing**

Tawang Monastery world famous seventeenth century Tawang Monastery, also known as **Galden Namgyal Lhatse** which overlooks the wide **Tawang Valley** at a height of 10,000 ft. The monastery is a vast complex of 65 buildings housing Lamas and antique scriptures written in gold letters and ancient scripture, images and has an eight meters high gilded Buddha statue. It is the **largest monastery in the Himalayan region** and the **second oldest monastery in Asia**. Five hundred lamas live in its residential buildings and it is rich in. Later visit Urgeling Gompa, 6th Dalai Lama's birth place who is the only Indian to have risen to such a high position in **Gelupka Sect of Buddhism** so far. Inside the monastery there are several Stupas (Vihar) and people from all walks of life visit this place during Buddhist new year to get the blessing for the coming year. Then proceed to the **War Memorial** which is dedicated to the martyrs of the 1962 Sino-Indian war. The memorial is 40-foot-high and like a stupa in design. It is locally called '**Namgyal Chortan**'. The names of 2420 martyrs imprinted in gold on 32 black granite plaques. You can also visit the craft center in Tawang sells beautiful masks, hand woven carpets, jewellery in silver, coral and amber, 'chubas' the local dress and delightful affordable mementos.

Back to hotel. Evening at leisure. **Overnight stay at Tawang.** (Breakfast/ Lunch / Dinner)

09 TAWANG – BOMDILA (APPROX – 190 KMS /5 HRS)

Morning after breakfast check out from the hotel & transfer to Bomdila (8,200 ft.) – the headquarter of West Kameng District of Arunachal Pradesh and also known for its **Buddhist monasteries**. It has a lot of attractions for the visitors for its cool climate.

On arrival check in to the hotel. After refreshing visit **Gontse Rabgyaling Monastery (Upper Gonpa)**, **Thub-Chog Gatsel Ling Monastery (Lower Gonpa)**. Bomdila offers wonderfully panoramic view of Himalayan landscapes and snow clad ranges.

Evening you can visit the local market. **Overnight stay at Bomdila.**
(Breakfast/ Lunch / Dinner)

Bomdila is a beautiful small town situated at a height of about 8000 ft. above the sea level from where one can see the brilliant landscape and snow-clad mountains of the Himalayan Range. The Buddhist Monastery of Bomdila is the repository of culture and is among primary attractions of the area. Bomdila is the headquarters of West Kameng district located at the height of 8500 ft above the sea level. Attractions - Apple orchards, artistic people, snow-capped Himalayan peaks and Buddhist Gompas.

07 BOMDILA – GUWAHATI (260 KMS/7-8 HRS)

After breakfast visit **Bomdila Monastery** then leave for Guwahati. On arrival check in at the hotel and **Overnight stay at Guwahati.**

08 GUWAHATI – DIMAPUR (270 KMS/6-7 HRS)

After breakfast, check out from the hotel and we will proceed towards Dimapur passing through Karbi Anglong .On arrival Check in at Hotel and rest. **Overnight stay at Dimapur.**

09 DIMAPUR - KHONOMA - KOHIMA (90 KMS/4-5 HRS)

Morning after breakfast, proceed to visit **Khonoma Village - Asia's first Green Village.** Explore the village by walking around with a local guide - who will explain to you the **unique culture and traditions** of the village. You will be **experiencing the real Naga village life.**

The village is also well known for the legendary leader Angami Zapu Phizo who was the founder of the Naga movement.

Later drive back to kohima and visit the **Kohima Cathedral** - The church is noted for its architecture which incorporates many elements of **traditional Naga houses**, including its facade which resembles that of a Naga house and later on visit **The Kohima War Cemetery**, constructed in the memory of the officers and soldiers who made supreme sacrifices during World War II, the war cemetery attracts hundreds of visitors every year including the relatives of those martyrs. Maintained by the Commonwealth War Graves Commission, the cemetery witnessed more than 2000 graves, on each grave there are beautiful epitaphs carved in bronze. **“When You Go Home, Tell Them Of Us And Say, For Your Tomorrow, We Gave Our Today”**. **Overnight stay at Kohima.** (Breakfast, Lunch & Dinner)

10 KOHIMA SIGHTSEEING.

After breakfast , visit the Hornbill festival site at Kisama . Spend Full day in the festival site enjoying the festivity of the place. **Overnight stay at Kohima.** (Breakfast, Lunch & Dinner)

11 KOHIMA – DIMAPUR (80 KMS/2 HRS)

After breakfast, transfer to Dimapur Airport for your onward journey (Breakfast)

Trip ends with the delightful memories of Arunachal with Nagaland tour.....

❖ **PACKAGE COST : Rs.67,000/- Per person on twin sharing basis. (Min 11-11 pax required)**

❖ **TOUR DATE : 25 Nov / 6 Dec**

❖ **INCLUSIONS:**

- ◆ Accommodation on Double sharing basis
- ◆ Meal Plan : Breakfast, Lunch & Dinner (MAP)
- ◆ Lunch will be arranged en route during sightseeing and travel days.
- ◆ All transfers & sightseeing by dedicated vehicle – **(As per itinerary)**
- ◆ Inner Line Permits (ILP) for both Arunachal Pradesh and Nagaland.
- ◆ Sumo/Maxx/Bolero vehicles for the excursion to Bumla Pass (maximum 6 passengers per vehicle).

- ◆ 01 Tour Guide
- ◆ One 1-Litre Mineral Water Bottle per person per day.

❖ **DOES NOT INCLUDED :**

- ◆ **5% GST on package**
- ◆ Air Ticket /Train Ticket/ Bus Ticket
- ◆ Monuments fee, Entry Fee, Activities charges, Camera fees, River Cruise, Porterage etc
- ◆ Driver Tip, Tour Guide Tip , Boating charges , etc
- ◆ Any other services or food which is not mentioned in the above "Includes" section.
- ◆ Expense of personal nature such as tips, laundry, telephones, beverages
- ◆ Itinerary might be re-arrange as per hotel availability at the time of booking.
- ◆ Hotels - check-in time and check-out time depend on hotel policy.
- ◆ Any personal expenses, Mineral/soft/hard drinks, Extra usage of vehicle, Guide, and anything which is not include in the inclusion.
- ◆ Cost incidental to any change in the itinerary / stay on account of flight cancellation due to bad weather, ill health, and roadblocks and / or any factors beyond control.

❖ **NOTE:**

- ◆ Company /Tour leader reserves the right to change/amend the tour programme For any unforeseen circumstances.
- ◆ **Rates are Not valid during Diwali & New year period.**

CANCELATION POLICY: -No refund at any cost once booked; You can adjust date of travel or you can utilize fund for any of tour organized by Get Set Go Holidays.
