

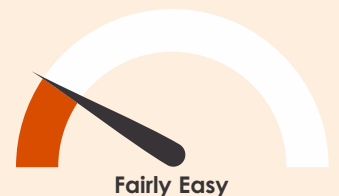


Explore Gujarat

A 16-Day Journey Through Cultural Marvels and Natural Wonders



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TAILOR-MADE
ADVENTURES



Fairly Easy

TOUR INFORMATION

ACTIVITY: DISCOVERY

TOUR DURATION: 16 DAYS

MIN AGE FOR TRIPS: 18+

INCLUSIONS

- 14 NIGHTS HOTEL
- 14 BREAKFASTS
- 2 DINNERS
- FULLY SUPPORTED TOUR

This information should answer some of your questions about the trip and give you a better idea of what we do day-to-day. It doesn't hope to answer everything. If you have any questions please get in touch.

Overview

Embark on a 16-day journey through Gujarat, a captivating region steeped in diverse cultures and rich traditions. From its vibrant festivals and folk dances to its stunning natural landscapes, Gujarat offers a tapestry of experiences that reflect its captivating history, geography, and people. Indulge in the state's renowned vegetarian cuisine, influenced by Jainism and Hinduism, which adds to its cultural allure.

Highlights

- Visit Mahatma Gandhi's home in Ahmedabad
- Ancient step well of Rani ki Vav
- See the magnificent Sun Temple at Modhera
- Asiatic lions in Gir National Park

Itinerary

This itinerary is flexible and should be seen as a guide only. Local conditions, weather or fitness could lead to changes in our daily plans. All times and distances are approximate. **(B,L,D)** refers to meals included in the trip cost, i.e. **Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner**.

Day 1: Arrival in Ahmedabad

Arrive in Ahmedabad and transfer to your hotel. Enjoy the rest of the day at leisure. Overnight at the hotel.

Day 2: Exploring Ahmedabad

After breakfast, embark on a sightseeing tour of Ahmedabad. Visit iconic landmarks such as the Hutheesing Jain Temple, Sidi Saiyyed Mosque, Bhadra Fort, and more. In the evening, explore the serene Sabarmati Ashram, once home to Mahatma Gandhi. Overnight at the hotel. **(B)**



Day 3: Journey to Mount Abu

Begin your day with a visit to Sabarmati Gandhi Ashram before driving to Mount Abu, a picturesque hill station nestled in the Aravalli Range. Overnight at the hotel. (B)

Day 4: Enroute to Poshina

Drive to Poshina, stopping en route to admire the magnificent Jain Dilwara Temple and Guru Shikhar. Explore Achalgarh Fort before continuing to Poshina. Overnight at the hotel. (B)

Day 5: Discovering Poshina

Explore the tribal village of Poshina, renowned for its vibrant crafts and ancient Lord Vishnu temple. Overnight at the hotel. (B)

Day 6: Journey to Palanpur

Drive to Palanpur, known as the "Diamond Hub of Gujarat." Explore its historic landmarks and immerse yourself in its rich Jain heritage. Overnight at the hotel. (B)

Day 7: Venture to Dasada

Drive to Dasada via Patan, where you'll visit the charming old town and the magnificent Sun Temple at Modhera. Experience the unique birdlife of the Rann of Kutch before reaching Dasada. Overnight at the hotel. (B)

**Day 8: Explore Bhuj**

Embark on a safari to discover the diverse birdlife of the Rann of Kutch before driving to Bhuj. Immerse yourself in the city's medieval charm and vibrant bazaars. Overnight at the hotel. (B)

Day 9: Journey to Rajkot via Wankaner

Drive to Rajkot via Wankaner, known for its architectural marvels and craft heritage. Overnight at the hotel. (B, D)

Day 10: Discover Gondal

Explore Gondal's rich cultural heritage and visionary architecture, including its palaces and public buildings. Overnight at the hotel. (B)

Day 11: Safari in Sasan Gir

Embark on a thrilling safari in Sasan Gir National Park, home to the majestic Asiatic Lions. Overnight at the hotel. (B, D)

**Day 12: Drive to Diu**

Enjoy a jungle safari in Gir National Park before driving to Diu, known for its Portuguese colonial history. Overnight at the hotel. (B)

Day 13: Relax in Diu

Explore Diu's landmarks, including St. Paul's Church, Naida caves, and Diu Fort, before unwinding on its pristine beaches. Overnight at the hotel. (B)

Day 14: Journey to Bhavnagar

Drive to Bhavnagar and experience the magical atmosphere of Neelam Bagh Palace hotel. Overnight at the hotel. (B)

Day 15: Return to Ahmedabad

Drive back to Ahmedabad, stopping at the ancient ruins of Lothal along the way. Transfer to the airport for your departure. (B)

Day 16: Journey Home

Arrive home, carrying cherished memories of your enchanting journey through Gujarat.

What's included

- Accommodation
- Meals (Breakfast during tour)
- Guide (Local English-speaking High Places guide)
- Transfers (All transfers and sightseeing as per the itinerary)

What's not included

- Indian Visa Charges
- Insurances
- Tips for the local staff

India Visas

A full passport is required to apply for the Indian visa, with a validity of at least 6 months beyond the intended duration of stay in the country. It is the client's responsibility to complete all the application procedures and obtain their visas before the intended date of departure. A simplified facility of applying for an eVisa is now available to British passport holders, this will entitle the applicants to a 60 day tourist visa, for more details please log on to the official website of Indian Government <https://indianvisaonline.gov.in/> Alternatively UK passport holders can apply themselves for Indian Visa through India High Commissions Visa service VFS by logging on to <http://in.vfsglobal.co.uk/>. Current visa fee for British passport holders

