

Kedarnath Yatra by Helicopter

(1 Day - Same Day Return) - ₹ 75,000 Per Person



Tour Overview

One of the most prime destinations visited by Shiva worshippers, Kedarnath is situated at an astounding elevation of almost 3584 meters above the sea level.

It takes almost 10 hours to cover the distance between **Dehradun** and **Kedarnath** is 10 hours as the two segments are located at a distance of almost 340 km. So, it is a pretty wise decision to cover this divine pilgrimage is to go via helicopter services where you can transform this 10 hours long journey into 1 hour. We have designed this same day return helicopter package by considering ill-health pilgrims, old aged pilgrims, and pilgrims with a very tight schedule. Grab this most customized deal and get the opportunity to cherish your dream in a short time and also enjoy the aerial beauty of the majestic mountains, lush green valleys, dense forests, snow-capped mountain peaks.

Tour Highlights

- ❖ Pick up and drop off service
- ❖ Scenic helicopter ride
- ❖ VIP darshan at Badrinath
- ❖ Additional sightseeing (if any)

- ❖ Stay in a good hotel

Tour Itinerary

Day 1: Kedarnath Dham Darshan

7:00 AM - You will have to start your journey little morning so that you reach there on time. You are requested to report at the helipad little early to complete some flying procedures. At sharp 7 am you will be ready to fly for Kedarnath Shrine.

7:45 AM - After covering the aerial distance of 45 minutes you will reach Phata helipad from where you will board another helicopter to reach Kedarnath helipad. It takes almost 15 minutes to cover the distance between the segments.

8:00 AM - After flying for 1 hour you will reach the helipad from where you will have to cover the walking distance to reach the shrine. The distance between the helipad and the shrine is not more than 500 meters. So, it is easy to cover by walking.

8:15 AM - As the distance is not more than 500 meters so it doesn't take more than 15 minutes to reach the shrine by walking.

9:30 AM - We offer you the facility of VIP Darshan Pass so you do not need to stand in a long queue waiting for your turn. Complete the Puja rituals, pay your homage, and offerings to Lord Shiva. After seeking his blessings for lifelong prosperity and wealth it's time to return to the helipad to board the flight way back home.

9:45 AM- Fly for Phata helipad

10:00 AM - After 15 minutes of flying you will reach Phata helipad from where you will board another helicopter to reach Dehradun helipad.

10:45 AM - Deboard at Sahastradhara helipad in Dehradun and your Kedarnath Temple visit by helicopter journey concludes here.

Tour Inclusion / Exclusion

Inclusion

- ❖ VIP darshan pass
- ❖ Car Services at Kedarnath.
- ❖ Tour representative who will guide you on arrival, departure, and performing puja rituals.
- ❖ Fuel, Toll, driver allowance, and parking charge.
- ❖ All the prevailing taxes charged on the trip.

Exclusion

- ❖ Domestic / international air fare tickets.
- ❖ Any meal or item bought from outside the things mentioned in the itinerary.
- ❖ Anything that is not mentioned in the inclusions section.
- ❖ Entrance fee if any is applicable.
- ❖ Travel insurance and Tipping of nature to driver, helper etc.

Guidelines For Passengers

- ❖ Carrying of AADHAR CARD is must for all Indians, whereas passport is required for foreign nationals.
- ❖ It is advisable for passengers to carry a medical and first aid kit since all these Dham sites are located at an extremely high altitude which may cause illness to some passengers.

- ❖ Passengers are also advised to get a full body checkup done 3-2 months prior to the Yatra in order to assure sound health conditions.
- ❖ It is advised for the passengers to carry a small oxygen bottle in case of emergencies. These bottles are locally available in all medical shops.
- ❖ Although warm and pleasant during the day, Badrinath Dham experiences freezing temperature during night. Ensure you carry some heavy woolen clothing like down jackets, sweaters and shawls and accessories like woolen gloves, socks and mufflers.
- ❖ All passengers undertaking this yatra should be medically and physically fit.
- ❖ Overweight charges would be charged to guests who are above 75kg weight. The reason for the same is that we operate at very high-altitude terrain, where the weight carrying capacity of the aircraft is only 420 kg. Hence, due to overweight passengers, we lose seats in our sharing flights. Overweight charges are applicable at INR 1,500 per Kg. This will be decided on a day before the date of Journey. However, if the overall weight of 6 Passengers does not exceed 420 Kgs, then there will be no extra charge for overweight passengers.
- ❖ Maximum 05 / 06 Passengers will be allowed in 01 Helicopter.
- ❖ The above-mentioned timings are not final. Timings may differ on your date of travel, mentioned timings is tentative just for understanding the operational system & timing. Things can be changed at last moment due to any operational, weather changes, clearance from Air Force & Civil Aviation, VVIP movements, valley flying by Indian Air Force (NOTAM), sudden occurrence of technical snag in helicopter, illness of flying crew & delayed positioning of the guests at the helipads.

Term and Conditions

- ❖ There is no provision of concession to children or senior citizens.
- ❖ We reserve the right to postpone the timings of flying subjected to weather, operational or technical issue.
- ❖ Weighing at the time of boarding the helicopter is a must, since the company shall not allow boarding in case the total weight exceeds the weight limitation of the helicopter. And, due to the same reason, in case of more than 01 available aircraft, we reserve the right to shuffle passengers between different groups to manage the right weight of helicopters for safe flying in the hills.
- ❖ While changing the helicopter at Kedarnath or Guptkashi/Phata/sitapur the waiting time is between 10 mins to 3 hrs. depending on Shuttle slots / weather conditions or technical reasons or ground situations.
- ❖ Rescheduling of booking to a next date will be done subject to availability and on payment of 10% of the cost. This will be permitted only if applied 7 days before journey date. In case the rescheduling is requested with less than 7 days to the journey then booking will be treated as cancelled and a fresh booking will be given subject to availability.
- ❖ If due to any reasons beyond our control like bad weather conditions, flood, Pandemic, riots, political unrest, bandhs, or any other natural or man-made misfortunes, program will have needed to be changed or extended. The additional expenditure for the same will have to be borne by the passengers directly.
- ❖ In case of charter getting cancelled due to bad weather or any other reasons on the date of your travel, the booking will not be revalidated for the next day. Refund as per the refunds/cancellations policy, with no further obligation of Company whatsoever. Any kind of inconvenience caused because of cancellation of flights is beyond the control of the operator. No compensation, reimbursement or arrangements shall be offered in the event of cancellation of a flight.
- ❖ Our company shall not be liable for any medical emergency on the ground to the party. Therefore, in your own interest, guests are hereby advised to kindly consult a doctor and get medical check-up done, before commencing the yatra. Medical check-up is mainly required if a guest has any medical suffering/condition.
- ❖ In case the journey is not finished within the stipulated time and passengers are not able to visit one or more Dhams due to bad weather conditions/technical reasons then the company will try to visit all places within the stipulated time. Although if this is not possible then the liability of the company will be limited to refund of unutilised sector/s.

- ❖ 100% refund shall be applicable in case the entire tour gets cancelled due to any Force Majeure reason, minus flight preparation charges of INR 2,500 Per Person Per Sector and any additional services provided to guests.
 - ❖ Where bad weather, technical snags or any force majeure reason beyond company control results in the cancellation of the flight being delayed or cancelled, Company will not be liable in any way for the cancelled or delayed flight. However, refund will be given to clients as per the refunds policy. Any kind of inconvenience caused because of cancellation of flights is beyond the control of the operator. No compensation or reimbursement for accommodation, transportation, meals or any other travel expenses done by the guests shall be offered in the event of cancellation of a flight.
 - ❖ The Company reserves the right, without assigning any reason, to cancel, advance, reschedule, over-fly or delay the commencement or continuance of the flight. Without incurring any liability in damages or otherwise to the passengers or any other person on any ground whatsoever. The Company reserves the right to refuse to carry any person whom it considers unfit for travel or what in the opinion of the company may constitute risk to the aircraft or to the persons on board.
- Disputes**, if any, are to be settled by Courts in Dehradun who will have the Jurisdiction in this regard

Cancellation Policies

- ❖ If passengers wish to cancel their booking, then they will have to pay following cancellation charges.
- ❖ Upto 15 Days before journey – **25 % Cancellation charges and 75% Refund.**
- ❖ Upto 10 Days before journey – **50 % Cancellation charges and 50 % Refund**
- ❖ Upto 7 Days before journey – **75 % Cancellation charges and 25% Refund**
- ❖ Less than 7 Days before journey – **no refund**
- ❖ No show by passenger – **no refund**
- ❖ Be sure to clarify about the refund and cancellation policies of the company beforehand with your tour operator to avoid confusion and clear out your doubts.



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