

INSIGHT VACATIONS

Classic India with Tiger Reserve Women-Only





KEY

① Central
Hotels + Nights

① Scenic
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● Place Visited

○ Optional Place
Visited

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🚢 Cruise

🚂 Train

✈️ Join/Leave Options

✈️ Included Flights

🏛️ UNESCO
Heritage Site

Day 1 | Welcome to Delhi



Welcome to the vibrant heart of India. Meet your Travel Director and fellow guests this evening for a warm welcome over a traditional Indian dinner at a local restaurant.

Meals: Dinner

Hotel: Le Méridien, New Delhi

Day 2 | Old Delhi Heritage

Begin your day at the grand Jama Masjid, one of India's largest mosques, and take in its imposing Mughal facade. Then, delve into the vibrant heart of Old Delhi aboard a traditional rickshaw, winding through the storied laneways of Chandni Chowk. Pass the imposing Red Fort, a UNESCO World Heritage Site, before meeting a local female chef who will lead you on a guided food walk. Discover her favorite street food spots and hear her personal insights into the city's culinary culture. Later, visit the serene Bangla Sahib Gurdwara and meet volunteers preparing over 10,000 meals daily as an act of seva. End your day at Humayun's Tomb, set in peaceful gardens and renowned for its Persian-inspired design.

Meals: Breakfast

Hotel: Le Méridien, New Delhi

Day 3 | New Delhi and On to Agra



Start your morning exploring Agrasen ki Baoli, a 14th-century stepwell believed to have been reconstructed during the Lodi dynasty. With its precise geometric structure and historic function as a water reservoir, it offers a rare glimpse into Delhi's medieval engineering. Depart the city and travel to Agra, once the seat of the Mughal Empire, where you'll check in and enjoy free time for lunch. Later, take a guided walk through Kachhpura, a riverside village known for its community art and cultural initiatives. See murals inspired by the Ramayana and gain insight into local projects supporting sustainable farming and water conservation. The day concludes at Mehtab Bagh, a Mughal garden perfectly aligned with the Taj Mahal—an iconic highlight of any India trip itinerary—where you'll relax with tea and pakoras while taking in the view.

Meals: Breakfast, Dinner

Hotel: Taj View, Agra

Day 4 | The Taj Mahal at Sunrise

Rise early to witness the Taj Mahal bathed in the soft glow of sunrise, its symmetry and inlaid artistry revealed in exquisite detail. Then step inside Agra Fort, a red sandstone masterpiece and former Mughal stronghold rich with imperial history. Over lunch, enjoy Rajasthani specialties served in a restored royal palace before continuing to Sariska Tiger Reserve. On arrival, meet Ms Priya Panwar, one of the region's pioneering female naturalists, over tea and traditional treats. Hear her inspiring story, from village life to working in wildlife rescue and conservation. Later, settle into your hotel and savor regional cuisine before an evening performance of folk music and dance, celebrating the vibrant cultural traditions of the Aravalli region.

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

Day 5 | On Safari at Sariska Tiger Reserve



Set out on a pre-breakfast game drive through Sariska Tiger Reserve, where cooler conditions encourage movement among species such as sambar deer, leopards and Bengal tigers. Once devoid of its tiger population, the park has seen successful reintroduction efforts and is now home to a growing number of Bengal tigers. With fewer visitors than India's larger reserves, Sariska offers a quieter, more authentic safari experience through dry deciduous forest. Back at the resort, relax in peaceful surroundings before returning to the reserve for a second drive after lunch. Later, enjoy a cooking demonstration led by a local chef, offering a closer look at regional techniques and the ingredients that define Rajasthani cuisine.

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

Hotel: Vanaashrya Resort and Spa Sariska, Tehla

Day 6 | Jaipur, The Pink City



Travel to Jaipur, the capital of Rajasthan and famed for its distinctive pink-hued architecture. Discover the walled city on a MAKE TRAVEL MATTER® Experience with The Pink City Rickshaw Co, an innovative social enterprise empowering local women as trained drivers and equity holders. Ride through historic quarters and past the intricate facade of the Palace of the Winds in a custom-designed e-rickshaw. This evening, dine under the stars at a private estate in the Aravalli Hills, where traditional dishes are served in a setting once favored by Jaipur's nobility for their countryside retreats.

Meals: Breakfast, Dinner

Hotel: Hilton Jaipur

Day 7 | Forts and Palaces of Jaipur



Begin at Amber Fort, the 16th-century UNESCO-listed stronghold of the Kachhwaha Rajputs, reached by Jeep. Explore mirrored halls and painted chambers, and take part in a special blessing rooted in local tradition. Visit the City Palace, a living complex still home to the royal family and featuring a museum of courtly artifacts. After free time for lunch, enjoy your pick of Insight Choice: either visit the Albert Hall Museum, Rajasthan's oldest public museum, or Jantar Mantar, an 18th-century astronomical observatory. Later, step into the historic Dera Mandawa haveli where Smt. Usha Kumari shares the secrets of Rajasthani cuisine during an engaging hands-on Cooking Demonstration.

Meals: Breakfast, Dinner

Hotel: Hilton Jaipur

Day 8 | Through Rural Rajasthan to Deogarh Mahal

Enjoy a Relaxed Start before traveling to Bijay Niwas Palace, a former royal estate surrounded by orchards and gardens. Here, you'll savor a Farm-to-Table lunch of Rajasthani dishes, made with ingredients grown on the estate's own organic farm. Continue to Deogarh, a town rich in noble heritage. Your home tonight is Deogarh Mahal, a 17th-century hilltop residence. In the afternoon, join the wife or daughter of the owning family for a guided walk through the palace's audience halls, frescoed rooms and intimate courtyards. As you explore, learn how the family has preserved its architectural treasures and centuries-old Marwar stories for future generations.

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

Hotel: Deogarh Mahal, Deogarh

Day 9 | To Udaipur and Lake Pichola

Start the day with an Optional Experience of yoga at Deogarh Mahal, guided by a trained instructor in a calm and atmospheric setting. Travel to Udaipur, a city founded in the 16th-century by Maharana Udai Singh II and known for its palaces and lakeside views. On arrival, take to the waters of Lake Pichola, a freshwater reservoir created in 1362 and later shaped by the Mewar dynasty. The boat cruise offers views of the City Palace, Jag Mandir and shoreline mansions, set against the dramatic backdrop of the Aravalli Hills.

Meals: Breakfast

Hotel: Aurika

OPTIONAL EXPERIENCES:

Sunrise Yoga at Deogarh - Begin the day with a yoga session, suitable for all levels whether you're experienced or trying it for the first time. Led by a trained instructor, the session combines gentle movement and breathing techniques rooted in India's ancient wellness traditions. It's a calming way to engage with the spiritual heritage of the region.

Adult: 40.00 USD

Day 10 | Udaipur, The City of Lakes

Take a closer look at Udaipur's royal and cultural landmarks with a visit to the City Palace, home to generations of the royal family and a remarkable fusion of Rajput and Mughal architecture. Afterwards, visit the studio of Vijay Laxmi Ji, an internationally recognized folk dancer and puppeteer. Join her for a folk dance demonstration, try traditional Rajasthani steps and enjoy tea in her beautifully curated studio. Then stroll past the 17th-century Jagdish Temple and continue to Saheliyon-ki-Bari, the Garden of the Maidens, designed as a leisure space for royal women. End the morning in the bustling local bazaar. The afternoon is at leisure to relax at the hotel or return to the market for a final souvenir. In the evening, join your Travel Director and fellow guests for dinner overlooking Lake Pichola and raise a toast to your journey through Rajasthan.

Meals: Breakfast, Dinner

Hotel: Aurika

Day 11 | Farewell India

Enjoy a Relaxed Start with the morning free to soak up the final moments of your time in Rajasthan. Later, board your flight to Delhi, where your journey concludes and your onward travel begins. Please ensure your onward flights from Delhi are scheduled for departure after 20:00.

Meals: Breakfast

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