

Tour Name: Delhi to Haridwar & Rishikesh by Train

Tour Duration: 2 Nights/ 3 Days

Tour Map: <https://tinyurl.com/mueeb672>

Tour Overview

Embark on the "Delhi to Haridwar & Rishikesh by Train," a journey that blends spiritual exploration with scenic railway vistas. Begin in Delhi, where you board the Dehradun Shatabdi Express, traveling through picturesque landscapes towards the tranquil banks of the Ganges in Haridwar or Rishikesh. Experience the spiritual ambiance with visits to iconic landmarks like Har Ki Pauri ghat and Laxman Jhula, where the river's sacred essence is palpable. Delve into the Beatles Ashram and Kankhal, adding cultural depth to your pilgrimage. Conclude your enriching adventure with a return train journey to Delhi, carrying memories of spiritual rejuvenation and cultural immersion along the sacred Ganges.

Tour Itinerary

Day 1: Delhi - Haridwar/ Rishikesh (by DEHRADUN SHATABDI train no 12017, 0645/1130hr)

- Depart from New Delhi Railway Station aboard the DEHRADUN SHATABDI train, enjoying scenic views as you travel towards the spiritual heartland.
- Arrive in Haridwar or Rishikesh by late morning and transfer to your hotel, where you can relax and unwind after your journey.
- Explore the bustling local markets, where vibrant colors and aromatic scents captivate the senses.
- In the evening, experience the mesmerizing Ganga Aarti ceremony at Har Ki Pauri ghat, a deeply spiritual ritual on the banks of the sacred Ganges.

Day 2: Haridwar/ Rishikesh

- Breakfast at the hotel before embarking on a day of exploration.
- Begin with a visit to Laxman Jhula, a majestic suspension bridge over the Ganges offering panoramic views of the river and surrounding hills.

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- Explore Triveni Ghat, where the convergence of three rivers is believed to cleanse the soul, witnessing devotees performing morning rituals amidst serene surroundings.
- Visit Ram Jhula, another iconic suspension bridge connecting the eastern and western banks of the Ganges, known for its spiritual significance and bustling atmosphere.
- Delve into the tranquil ambiance of Beatles Ashram (Chaurasi Kutia), where The Beatles once sought inspiration through transcendental meditation and music composition.
- Journey to Kankhal, renowned for Daksheshwar Mahadev Temple, a sacred site dedicated to Lord Shiva where devotees seek spiritual solace and blessings.
- Conclude your day with the soul-stirring Ganga Aarti at Parmarth Niketan Ashram or Triveni Ghat, immersed in the chants and offerings that illuminate the evening.

Day 3: Haridwar/ Rishikesh - Delhi (by DEHRADUN SHTBDI train no 12018, 1812/2250hr)

- Enjoy a leisurely breakfast at the hotel, savoring the last moments in the serene environs of Haridwar or Rishikesh.
- Explore local temples like Daksheshwar Mahadev Temple in Haridwar or Bharat Mata Mandir in Rishikesh, each offering unique insights into India's spiritual traditions.
- Transfer to the railway station for your journey back to Delhi aboard the DEHRADUN SHTBDI, reflecting on the profound experiences and memories created during your visit.
- Arrive in Delhi by late evening, concluding your enriching journey to Haridwar and Rishikesh, filled with spiritual awakening and cultural immersion.

Package Price (USD Per Person Sharing Double/Twin Room)

Valid for Travel: Until 20 September 2027

Persons	Solo	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
3★ Standard	625	360	335	326	295	292	275	262
4★ Deluxe	898	497	471	462	431	428	411	398
5★ Luxury	989	644	562	553	522	519	502	489

Single Room Supplement

3★ Standard: USD 76 | 4★ Deluxe: USD 212 | 5★ Luxury: USD 212

Triple Sharing Discount (Per Person)

3★ Standard: USD 11 | 4★ Deluxe: USD 30 | 5★ Luxury: USD 23

Price Includes:

- Assistance on arrival at airport.
- 2 Nights' accommodation in selected price category hotels.
- Daily breakfast at hotels.
- Private AC car/van for airport transfers, sightseeing, and excursions as per the program.
- English speaking tour guide on sightseeing days (local guide in each city), as per program.
- Monument entrances and activities charges mentioned in the itinerary.
- AC Train ticket Delhi - Haridwar/ Rishikesh - Delhi.
- Bottled drinking water in car.
- Government taxes.

Price Does Not Include:

- Any flight tickets.
- Camera charges at monuments if any.
- Meals other than mentioned in the inclusions.
- Expenses of personal nature like liquor, laundry, tips, telephone, fax, internet etc.
- Gratuities and optional activities.
- Anything not mentioned in inclusions.

Hotels used or similar for 2 nights' accommodation

3 Star Hotels

- Rishikesh x 2 nights: Regenta Orko's/ Hotel EllBee Ganga View

4 Star Hotels

- Rishikesh x 2 nights: The Haveli Hari Ganga/ Lemon Tree Premier

5 Star Hotels

- Rishikesh x 2 nights: The Haveli Hari Ganga/ Lemon Tree Premier
- Deposit of 25% of the package cost at the time of booking.
- Deposit of 50% of the package cost, 30 days prior to arrival date
- Deposit of 100% of the package cost, 10 days prior to arrival date

Cancellation policy:

- Note: Written cancellation will be accepted on all working days, except Sundays. Any cancellation sent on Sundays will be considered on the next working day (Monday).
- X-mas and New Year Period (20 Dec to 05 Jan): The payment is non-refundable during this period.
- After Trip Commencement: If you cancel the trip after it has commenced, the refund will be limited to the amount we are able to recover from hoteliers/contractors. We are not responsible for refunds on unused hotel accommodations, chartered transportation, or missed meals.
- 61 days or more before the tour: No cancellation charges.
- Between 60 to 30 days before the tour: Cancellation charges equal to 20% of the full tour booking value.
- Between 30 to 15 days before the tour: Cancellation charges equal to 50% of the full tour booking value.
- Within 5 days before the tour or no show: Cancellation charges equal to 90% of the full tour booking value.

Our Liabilities & Limitations:

- Price Changes: After the finalization of the tour/service cost, if there are any hikes in entrance fees, taxes, fuel costs, or guide charges by the Government of India, these will be charged as extra.
- Role as Agent: Agora Voyages acts only as an agent for hotels, airlines, transporters, railways, and contractors providing services. All receipts, contracts, and tickets issued by us are subject to terms and conditions of the service providers.

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- **Itinerary Changes:** All itineraries are sample itineraries intended to provide a general idea. We reserve the right to change the schedule based on factors such as weather, road conditions, or the physical ability of participants to ensure safety, comfort, and well-being.
- **Rate Modifications:** Our rates are based on negotiated rates with hotels and airlines. If the rates are modified by these service providers, we reserve the right to adjust the quoted rates accordingly. Hotel bookings are based on usual check-in and check-out times, unless otherwise indicated.
- **Liability Disclaimer:** We are not responsible for delays, alterations, or expenses incurred due to natural hazards, flight cancellations, accidents, weather, sickness, political closures, or any unforeseen incidents.
- **Damage, Loss, or Injury:** We are not responsible for any loss, injury, or damage to persons, property, or otherwise, caused by acts of God, fire, accidents, machinery breakdowns, political disturbances, theft, epidemics, or other factors beyond our control.
- **Insurance:** We do not offer insurance for accidents, sickness, theft, or other unforeseen circumstances. We recommend travelers arrange for insurance in their home country. All personal property and baggage are at the client's risk at all times.
- **Unforeseen Circumstances:** We are not responsible for costs arising from landslides, roadblocks, bad weather, or similar unforeseen circumstances.

Tipping

- Tipping is not included in our price. It is optional but often expected in the travel industry. There is no limit on the amount you can tip, though the average guideline is around \$10-15 per day for guides, drivers, and other crew members.

Trip Comments

- After your trip, we would love to hear your experience. Any photos, suggestions, or feedback will be greatly appreciated. While we strive to make every trip perfect, we acknowledge that there is always room for improvement. Your comments, whether positive or constructive, are invaluable to us.