

Tour Name: Golden Temple with Colonial Hill Dalhousie & Tibetan Refugees Town Dharamsala

Tour Duration: 5 Nights/ 6 Days

Tour Map: <https://tinyurl.com/fpc2dy8e>

Tour Overview

Explore the enchanting blend of spiritual tranquility and Himalayan serenity on Golden Temple with Colonial Hill Dalhousie & Tibetan Refugees Town Dharamsala tour. Begin in Amritsar with the revered Golden Temple, symbolizing Sikh devotion amidst its gleaming architecture and serene waters. Delve into history at Jallianwala Bagh and the Partition Museum, commemorating poignant chapters of India's past. Journey to Dalhousie, where Subhash Baoli's natural springs and St. John's Church's Gothic charm offer peaceful retreats. Discover the scenic allure of Panchpula and Satdhara Falls before venturing to Dharamsala, home to Tibetan Buddhist heritage at the Dalai Lama Temple Complex and artistic splendor at Norbulingka Institute. Experience Chamera Lake's picturesque vistas and the rich cultural tapestry at Bhuri Singh Museum, culminating in a journey that blends cultural exploration with breathtaking mountain landscapes.

Tour Itinerary

Day 1: Arrive Amritsar

- Arrive in Amritsar and settle into your hotel, where you can unwind and prepare for your exploration of Punjab's cultural heart.
- In the late afternoon, experience the electrifying atmosphere at the Bagah Border, where India and Pakistan perform the Wagah Border Ceremony. This spectacle of military showmanship and patriotism marks the closing of the border gates with elaborate drills and flag-lowering ceremonies.

Day 2: Amritsar - Dalhousie (200kms)

- After a hearty breakfast, begin your day at the Golden Temple, also known as Sri Harmandir Sahib. Marvel at its stunning architecture bathed in gold leaf, and witness the serene devotion of pilgrims amidst the soothing waters of the Amrit Sarovar.
- Visit Jallianwala Bagh, a poignant memorial dedicated to the martyrs of the 1919 massacre. See the bullet marks on the walls and the Martyrs' Well, which witnessed tragic events during India's struggle for independence.

- Explore the Partition Museum, housed in Amritsar's historic Town Hall, offering insights into the tumultuous period of India's Partition in 1947 through personal stories, artifacts, and photographs.
- Evening, enjoy a leisurely stroll at Gobindgarh Fort, an imposing structure that once safeguarded the city. Attend the evening light and sound show that narrates the rich history of Punjab, from its royal past to its role in India's freedom struggle.

Day 3: Dalhousie

- Start your day amidst the natural beauty of Subhash Baoli, a tranquil spring named after Subhash Chandra Bose, where he meditated during his exile. Enjoy panoramic views of the surrounding snow-capped peaks and lush greenery.
- Explore St. John's Church, a Victorian-era architectural gem known for its stained-glass windows depicting biblical scenes and its peaceful ambiance.
- Visit Panchpula, a scenic spot where several streams converge to form refreshing waterfalls, ideal for a rejuvenating walk and a picnic amidst nature's splendor.
- In the evening, visit Satdhara Falls, renowned for its seven cascading springs believed to possess therapeutic properties, offering a serene setting to unwind and absorb the natural beauty.

Day 4: Dalhousie - Dharamsala (120kms)

- Depart Dalhousie for Dharamsala, with a stop at Khajjiar, often referred to as the Mini Switzerland of India. Admire its lush meadows surrounded by dense pine and cedar forests, offering a perfect spot for nature lovers and adventure enthusiasts.
- En route, visit Chamera Lake, a serene reservoir offering breathtaking views of the Chamba Valley and opportunities for boating amidst tranquil surroundings.
- Explore the Bhuri Singh Museum in Chamba, housing a remarkable collection of Kangra miniature paintings, ancient artifacts, and sculptures that provide insights into Himachal Pradesh's rich cultural heritage.
- Arrive in Dharamsala and visit the Dalai Lama Temple Complex in McLeod Ganj, home to the spiritual leader of Tibetan Buddhism. Explore the Namgyal Monastery and the Kalachakra Temple, witnessing Tibetan monks engaged in prayer and meditation.

Day 5: Dharamsala

- Begin your day at the Norbulingka Institute, dedicated to preserving Tibetan art, culture, and traditions. Explore workshops where artisans practice Thangka

painting, wood carving, and metal crafts, offering a glimpse into Tibetan craftsmanship.

- Depending on weather conditions, embark on a trek to Triund, a popular hiking trail that rewards adventurers with breathtaking views of the Dhauladhar range and the Kangra Valley below.
- Visit the Namgyal Monastery, the personal monastery of the Dalai Lama, where you can participate in meditation sessions and gain insights into Tibetan Buddhist practices.
- In the evening, visit Dharamsala Cricket Stadium, one of the highest cricket grounds globally, nestled amidst picturesque mountains, offering a unique sporting experience in a serene setting.

Day 6: Dharamsala - Amritsar (210km)

- After breakfast, transfer to Dharamshala airport or drive back to Amritsar. Depending on your departure arrangements, either head to the airport for your onward journey or return to your hotel in Amritsar, concluding your enriching tour of Punjab's cultural heritage and the serene beauty of Himachal Pradesh's hill stations.

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Package Price (USD Per Person Sharing Double/Twin Room)**Valid for Travel: 01 October 2026 – 15 April 2027**

Persons	Solo	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
3★ Standard	1,571	835	727	776	696	671	629	597
4★ Deluxe	1,738	914	806	855	775	751	708	677
5★ Luxury	2,003	1,107	931	980	900	876	833	802

Valid for Travel: 01st April – 30th June, 2027/ 20th December, 2026- 05th January, 2027

Persons	Solo	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
3★ Standard	1,429	756	648	697	617	592	550	518
4★ Deluxe	1,874	975	867	916	836	811	769	737
5★ Luxury	2,321	1,289	1,113	1,162	1,082	1,057	1,015	983

Single Room Supplement

3★ Standard: USD 277 | 4★ Deluxe: USD 364 | 5★ Luxury: USD 504

Triple Sharing Discount (Per Person)

3★ Standard: USD 48 | 4★ Deluxe: USD 40 | 5★ Luxury: USD 63

Price Includes:

- Assistance on arrival at airport.
- 5 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.
- Bottled drinking water in car.
- Government taxes.

Price Does Not Include:

- Assistance on arrival at airport.
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Hotels used or similar for 5 nights' accommodation

3 Star Hotels

- Amritsar x 1 night: Golden Sarovar Portico/ The Fern Residency
- Dalhousie x 2 nights: Fortune Park Dalhousie/ Aamod at Dalhousie
- Dharamsala x 2 nights: Nibaana/ The Divine Hima

4 Star Hotels

- Amritsar x 1 night: Ramada by Wyndham/ Regenta Place
- Dalhousie x 2 nights: Fortune Park Dalhousie/ Aamod at Dalhousie
- Dharamsala x 2 nights: Fortune Park Moksha/ Adivaha

5 Star Hotels

- Amritsar x 1 night: Hyatt Hotel/ Holiday Inn Amritsar Ranjit Avenue
- Dalhousie x 2 nights: Fortune Park Dalhousie/ Aamod at Dalhousie
- Dharamsala x 2 nights: Radisson Blu Resort/ Hyatt Regency Resort

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Payment Policy:

- 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.
- 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

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- **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.