

Tour Name: Incredible Monuments, Temples & Goa Beach Tour from Hyderabad

Tour Duration: 13 Nights/ 14 Days

Tour Map: <https://tinyurl.com/ycx8crvf>

Tour Overview

Incredible Monuments, Temples & Goa Beach Tour from Hyderabad offers a captivating journey through South India's rich historical and cultural heritage, seamlessly blending with the relaxing beauty of Goa's beaches. Starting in Hyderabad, explore the architectural splendor of Golconda Fort and the historical charm of the Qutub Shahi Tombs before venturing to Warangal's ancient temples. Continue to Bangalore's green spaces and Mysore's regal palaces, then witness the spiritual grandeur of Shravanabelagola and the intricate temples of Belur and Halebidu. Discover the mesmerizing ruins of Hampi, Badami's rock-cut temples, and the architectural marvels of Aihole and Pattadakal. Conclude with the coastal delights of Goa, where pristine beaches and vibrant local culture await, making for a truly unforgettable South Indian adventure.

Tour Itinerary

Day 1: Arrive Hyderabad

- Upon your arrival at Hyderabad airport, our representative will meet you and assist with your transfer to the hotel. After check-in, you can relax and unwind.

Day 2: Hyderabad Sightseeing

- Begin with breakfast at the hotel before embarking on a full-day sightseeing tour of Hyderabad.
- Explore the Golconda Fort Complex, renowned for its impressive architecture, ancient acoustic system, and evening sound and light show.
- Visit the Qutub Shahi Tombs, the ornate mausoleums of the Qutub Shahi dynasty, showcasing intricate Persian and Indian architectural styles.
- Discover the Charminar, a 16th-century monument and symbol of Hyderabad, famous for its four grand arches and vibrant local bazaar.
- Explore the Mecca Mosque, one of the oldest and largest mosques in India, constructed with bricks from Mecca.
- Visit the Salarjung Museum, which houses a vast collection of art and artifacts from across the world, including a famous marble statue of Veiled Rebecca.

- Conclude your tour with a visit to Chowmahalla Palace, the opulent former seat of the Nizams, featuring exquisite courtyards and lush gardens.

Day 3: Hyderabad - Warangal - Ramappa Temple - Hyderabad (450kms round)

- Begin with breakfast at the hotel before embarking on a day trip to Warangal, a UNESCO World Heritage Site.
- Visit the Thousand Pillar Temple, an architectural masterpiece with intricately carved pillars and a large, intricately sculpted central deity.
- Explore Warangal Fort, a historic fortress with impressive ruins, including its massive outer walls and ancient gateways.
- Admire the serene Bhadrakali Temple, set beside a picturesque lake with stunning views.
- Continue to the renowned Ramappa Temple, famous for its exquisite sculptures and the unique floating bricks used in its construction.
- Return to Hyderabad in the evening.

Day 4: Hyderabad - Bangalore (Flight) - Bangalore Sightseeing

- Start with breakfast at the hotel before catching a flight to Bangalore, the "Garden City" of India.
- Upon arrival, check in to your hotel and begin a city tour.
- Visit Lal Bagh Botanical Garden, known for its extensive collection of tropical plants, a glasshouse modeled after London's Crystal Palace, and a 240-year-old tree.
- Explore Cubbon Park, a lush green space in the heart of Bangalore, offering a tranquil escape with its diverse flora and historic monuments.
- Discover Bangalore Fort, originally built in the 16th century, and Tippu Sultan's Summer Palace, noted for its ornate wooden pillars and arches.
- Visit the Bull Temple, dedicated to Nandi, the sacred bull, and known for its colossal bull statue carved from a single piece of granite.
- Drive past Vidhana Soudha, an impressive legislative building known for its Neo-Dravidian architecture, and the Secretariat.

Day 5: Bangalore - Mysore (140kms)

- Begin with breakfast at the hotel before embarking on a scenic drive to Mysore.

- En route, visit the Shri Ranganathaswamy Temple in Srirangapatna, a grand temple complex renowned for its detailed architecture and vibrant history.
- In Mysore, visit the Mysore Palace, known for its opulent interiors, grand architecture, and historical significance as the residence of the Wodeyar dynasty.
- Explore the Chamundeshwari Temple atop Chamundi Hill, offering panoramic views of Mysore and a glimpse into the city's religious heritage.
- Visit the Nandi Bull Temple, famous for its imposing bull statue and tranquil setting.
- Conclude with a visit to St. Philomena's Church, an architectural marvel with stunning stained-glass windows and Neo-Gothic design.

Day 6: Mysore - Shravanabelagola - Hassan (150kms)

- Begin with breakfast at the hotel before heading to Shravanabelagola, a key Jain pilgrimage site renowned for the colossal statue of Lord Bahubali, standing at 57 feet and carved from a single rock.
- Admire the architectural marvel of the Chennakesava Temple in Somanathapura, known for its exquisite Hoysala carvings depicting scenes from Hindu epics and intricate geometric patterns.
- En route to Hassan, visit the Hoysaleswara Temple, a remarkable example of Hoysala architecture with its richly sculpted walls and intricate details.
- Drive to Hassan and check in to your hotel.

Day 7: Hassan - Hampi (330kms)

- Start with breakfast at the hotel before driving to Hampi, a UNESCO World Heritage Site and the ancient capital of the Vijayanagara Empire.
- En route, visit the temples of Belur, renowned for their Hoysala architectural style, with elaborate sculptures depicting mythological figures and intricate carvings.
- Explore Halebidu, famous for its stunning temples like the Hoysaleswara Temple, which features detailed carvings of deities, animals, and scenes from epics on its walls.
- Arrive in Hampi, a city of ruins that once flourished with grand palaces and temples, and check in to your hotel.

Day 8: Hampi Sightseeing

- Begin with breakfast at the hotel before exploring Hampi's UNESCO World Heritage Site.
- Visit the Vittala Temple complex, renowned for its iconic stone chariot and musical pillars that produce melodic sounds when struck. The temple's intricate mandapas and carvings highlight the architectural brilliance of the Vijayanagara period.
- Explore the Virupaksha Temple, one of the oldest functioning temples in India, dedicated to Lord Shiva, featuring grand architecture and vibrant murals. Stroll through the bustling Hampi Bazaar, lined with ancient ruins and local shops.
- Discover the Royal Enclosure, which houses the Hazara Rama Temple, known for its bas-reliefs depicting the Ramayana, the Lotus Mahal with its unique lotus-shaped dome, and the Elephant Stables where royal elephants were once housed.
- Marvel at the impressive ruins scattered across the landscape, including the monumental stone structures and intricate carvings that illustrate the grandeur of the Vijayanagara Empire.

Day 9: Hampi - Badami (300kms)

- Start with breakfast at the hotel before driving to Badami, with stops at Lakkundi and Gadag.
- Explore the ancient temples of Lakkundi, known for their exquisite architecture, detailed carvings, and ancient stepwells such as the Mahakuteshwara Temple, which features impressive sculptures and a large, beautifully adorned tank.
- Visit Gadag to admire the Veeranarayana Temple, known for its ornate carvings depicting Hindu deities and mythological scenes, as well as the Triakuteshwara Temple, which showcases classic Chalukyan temple architecture.
- Arrive in Badami and check in to your hotel, preparing for the next day's exploration of the region's historical treasures.

Day 10: Badami, Aihole & Pattadakal (200kms)

- Begin with breakfast at the hotel before embarking on an excursion to Badami, Aihole, and Pattadakal.
- Explore the rock-cut cave temples of Badami, including the famous Badami Cave Temples, which feature stunning carvings of Hindu deities such as Shiva and Vishnu, and showcase various styles from different periods.

- Visit Aihole, known as the "Cradle of Hindu Temple Architecture," with over 100 ancient temples, including the Durga Temple, characterized by its intricate carvings and unique apsidal plan.
- Continue to Pattadakal, a UNESCO World Heritage Site renowned for its Chalukyan architecture and intricately carved temples such as the Virupaksha Temple, which boasts detailed sculptures and grand pillars, and the Jain Narayana Temple with its elaborate carvings and historical significance.

Day 11: Badami - Goa (300kms)

- Begin with breakfast at the hotel before driving to Goa, renowned for its beautiful beaches and vibrant culture.
- Check in to your hotel and enjoy the rest of the day at leisure.
- Relax on the sandy shores, explore local markets, or indulge in Goan cuisine.

Day 12: Goa Sightseeing

- Start with breakfast at the hotel before embarking on a full-day city tour of Goa.
- Visit the Basilica of Bom Jesus, a UNESCO World Heritage Site housing the tomb of St. Francis Xavier, and renowned for its Baroque architecture.
- Explore Se Cathedral, one of the largest churches in Asia, known for its grandeur and historical significance.
- Discover the picturesque Dona Paula viewpoint, offering panoramic views of the Arabian Sea and surrounding coastline.
- Visit the bustling markets of Panjim, where you can experience the vibrant local culture and shop for souvenirs.

Day 13: Goa Free Day

- Spend the day at leisure to relax and explore Goa at your own pace.
- Enjoy the sun, sand, and sea at one of the beautiful beaches.
- Engage in water sports activities, visit local villages, or simply unwind and soak up the laid-back atmosphere of Goa.

Day 14: Goa - Departure

- Begin with breakfast at the hotel before being transferred to the airport for your departure flight.

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- Bid farewell to the incredible monuments, caves, and beaches of India, carrying cherished memories of this enchanting journey.

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	4,058	2,188	1,868	1,962	1,745	1,629	1,521	1,441
4★ Deluxe	4,991	2,678	2,358	2,452	2,236	2,119	2,012	1,931
5★ Luxury	7,600	4,147	3,652	3,747	3,530	3,413	3,306	3,225

Single Room Supplement

3★ Standard: USD 561 | 4★ Deluxe: USD 1,003 | 5★ Luxury: USD 2,318

Triple Sharing Discount (Per Person)

3★ Standard: USD 80 | 4★ Deluxe: USD 134 | 5★ Luxury: USD 407

Price Includes:

- Assistance on arrival at airport.
- 13 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:

- Hyderabad - Bangalore flight fare approx ₹5000 per person in economy class.
- Camera charges at monuments if any.

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- Meals other than mentioned in 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 13 nights' accommodation

3 Star Hotels

- Hyderabad x 3 nights: Hotel Abode/ Aditya Park
- Bangalore x 1 night: Royal Orchid Central/ Ramada Bangalore
- Mysore x 1 night: Sandesh the Prince/ Regenta Central Herald by Royal Orchid Hotels
- Hassan x 1 night: The Ashhok/ Pearl Hotel
- Hampi x 2 nights: Malligi Hotel/ Clarks Inn
- Badami x 2 nights: Badami Court/ Clarks Inn
- Goa x 3 nights: The Fern Residency Miramar/ Zone Connect Hotel Parra

4 Star Hotels

- Hyderabad x 3 nights: The Golkonda Hotel/ Lemon Tree Hotel
- Bangalore x 1 night: Lemon Tree Premier/ Gokulam Grand Hotel & Spa
- Mysore x 1 night: Fortune Park JP Palace/ Royal Orchid Brindavan Garden
- Hassan x 1 night: Hosyala Village Resort/ Rosetta by Ferns – Sakleshpur
- Hampi x 2 nights: Heritage Resort/ Royal Orchid Central Keerti
- Badami x 2 nights: Morpho Banashree Resort/ WADA1
- Goa x 3 nights: Lemon Tree Hotel Candolim/ The Chances Resort & Casino

5 Star Hotels

- Hyderabad x 3 nights: ITC Kakatiya, a Luxury Collection/ Trident Hotel
- Bangalore x 1 night: ITC Gardenia, a Luxury Collection/ Vivanta Bengaluru, Residency Road

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- Mysore x 1 night: Radisson Blu Plaza Hotel
- Hassan x 1 night: Hosyala Village Resort/ Rosetta by Ferns – Sakleshpur
- Hampi x 2 nights: Evolve Back, Hampi
- Badami x 2 nights: Morpho Banashree Resort/ WADA1
- Goa x 3 nights: Alila Diwa Goa/ Kenilworth Resort & Spa, Utorda Beach

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.

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- **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 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.