

Tour Name: Islamic Heritage Monument Tour of India

Tour Duration: 11 Nights/ 12 Days

Tour Map: <https://tinyurl.com/ys5dk2hr>

Tour Overview

Embark on a captivating journey through India's rich Islamic heritage with the "Islamic Heritage Monument Tour of India." This tour starts in Delhi, where you'll explore the grand Jama Masjid, the imposing Red Fort, and the intricate Qutub Minar, showcasing the splendor of Mughal architecture. Continue to Agra to witness the breathtaking Taj Mahal, the formidable Agra Fort, and the elegant Baby Taj. In Jaipur, admire the majestic Amber Fort and the architectural marvels of the City Palace and Hawa Mahal. The tour then takes you to Hyderabad, where the historical Golconda Fort, Charminar, and Mecca Masjid await. Finally, delve into the Deccan's architectural wonders in Gulbarga and Bijapur, exploring grand forts, exquisite mosques, and royal mausoleums. This immersive experience offers a profound glimpse into India's Islamic legacy.

Tour Itinerary

Day 1: Arrival in Delhi

- Upon arrival at Delhi airport, you will be warmly welcomed by our representative who will assist with your transfer to the hotel. After checking in, take some time to relax and rejuvenate in preparation for the upcoming exploration of India's Islamic heritage.

Day 2: Delhi Exploration

- Start your day with breakfast at the hotel before embarking on a comprehensive tour of Delhi.
- Visit the Jama Masjid, a grand mosque built by Mughal Emperor Shah Jahan, known for its massive courtyards and stunning architecture.
- Next, explore the Red Fort, a UNESCO World Heritage site, with its massive walls and historical significance as the former residence of Mughal emperors.
- Pay your respects at Raj Ghat, Mahatma Gandhi's memorial marked by a simple black marble platform.
- Admire the Qutub Minar, a towering minaret that stands as an iconic symbol of Delhi's rich historical tapestry.

- Discover Humayun's Tomb, a UNESCO site celebrated for its Mughal architecture and beautifully landscaped gardens.
- Drive past India Gate, the Parliament House, and the President's House, iconic landmarks representing modern India.
- Conclude your day with a vibrant walk through Chandni Chowk, experiencing the bustling bazaars, local delicacies, and shopping for souvenirs.

Day 3: Delhi to Agra (204kms)

- After breakfast, drive to Agra and check in at your hotel.
- Visit the Taj Mahal, a UNESCO World Heritage site renowned for its stunning white marble architecture and intricate inlay work, built by Emperor Shah Jahan in memory of his wife Mumtaz Mahal.
- Explore the Agra Fort, a formidable red sandstone fortress with impressive ramparts, serving as the main residence of the Mughal emperors before they moved to Delhi.
- End your day with a visit to the Baby Taj or Tomb of Itimad-ud-Daulah, known for its delicate marble inlay work and often considered a precursor to the Taj Mahal.

Day 4: Agra to Jaipur (204kms)

- Start with breakfast at your hotel before driving to Jaipur. En route, visit Fatehpur Sikri, a UNESCO World Heritage site known for its well-preserved Mughal architecture and historical significance as the former capital of the Mughal Empire.
- Stop by Abhaneri to admire the Chand Baori, a stunning stepwell known for its depth and intricately carved steps.
- Upon arrival in Jaipur, take an evening stroll through the local markets, soaking in the vibrant culture and colorful ambiance of the Pink City.

Day 5: Jaipur Sightseeing

- Begin your day with breakfast at the hotel before exploring Jaipur.
- Visit the Amber Fort, perched on a hill, offering breathtaking views and an elephant ride to its entrance, showcasing the grandeur of Rajasthani architecture.
- Drive pass visit to Jal Mahal, a picturesque palace situated in the middle of Man Sagar Lake, offering a tranquil escape from the city.

- Explore the City Palace, a complex of palaces, courtyards, and gardens blending Rajasthani and Mughal architectural styles.
- Admire the unique façade of the Hawa Mahal, a five-story palace with intricately designed windows allowing royal women to observe street life without being seen.
- Discover Jantar Mantar, an astronomical observatory with a collection of 19 architectural astronomical instruments.
- Visit the Birla Temple, a modern architectural marvel dedicated to Lakshmi Narayan, featuring intricately carved marble and serene surroundings.
- Enjoy a leisurely stroll through the Jaipur Marketplaces, such as Johari Bazaar and Tripolia Bazaar, known for their traditional Rajasthani jewelry, textiles, and handicrafts, providing an immersive shopping experience in the heart of Jaipur.

Day 6: Jaipur to Hyderabad (Flight)

- After breakfast, transfer to the airport for a flight to Hyderabad, the "City of Pearls."
- Upon arrival, our representative will assist with your transfer to the hotel. Spend the rest of the day at leisure, exploring local markets renowned for pearls, bangles, and traditional handicrafts.

Day 7: Hyderabad Exploration

- Start your day with breakfast at the hotel before embarking on a city tour of Hyderabad.
- Visit Golconda Fort, known for its acoustics and panoramic views of the city, showcasing its historical significance and impressive architecture.
- Explore the Charminar, an iconic monument and mosque located in the heart of the old city, known for its stunning architecture and bustling surrounding markets.
- Discover the Mecca Masjid, one of the oldest and largest mosques in India, celebrated for its grand structure and historical importance.
- Dive into art and history at the Salar Jung Museum, home to one of the world's largest collections of antiques, including sculptures, manuscripts, and paintings.
- Enjoy a peaceful boat ride on Hussain Sagar Lake, with a stop at the famous Buddha Statue situated on an island in the lake.
- Conclude your day with a leisurely stroll through Lumbini Park, a beautiful urban park located on the banks of the lake, offering a tranquil setting and scenic views.

Day 8: Hyderabad to Gulbarga (260kms)

- After breakfast, travel to Gulbarga, a city rich in history and culture.
- Visit Gulbarga Fort, an imposing structure with significant historical importance and a remarkable architectural design.
- Explore the Jama Masjid, noted for its grand architecture blending Persian and Indian styles, and its serene ambiance.
- Discover the Sharana Basaveshwara Temple, dedicated to the 12th-century saint and philosopher, adding a spiritual dimension to your visit.

Day 9: Gulbarga to Bijapur (170kms)

- Start with breakfast before embarking on a scenic drive to Bijapur.
- Visit the Bijapur Fort, a colossal structure housing several palaces, mosques, and gardens, reflecting the grandeur of the Adil Shahi dynasty.
- Marvel at the Gol Gumbaz, known for its massive dome and whispering gallery, showcasing engineering genius and intricate carvings.
- Explore other significant landmarks like Ibrahim Rauza, an elegant mausoleum known for its exquisite architecture and serene environment, Gagan Mahal, and Bara Kaman.

Day 10: Bijapur Exploration

- Begin your day with breakfast before diving deeper into Bijapur's heritage.
- Visit Malik-e-Maidan, a massive cannon weighing over 55 tons, renowned for its size and historical use.
- Explore Asar Mahal, a royal palace known for its exquisite frescoes and Persian influence, reflecting the artistic achievements of the Adil Shahi dynasty.
- Discover the elegant Gagan Mahal, a palace that showcases the grandeur of the era.
- Conclude with a visit to Ibrahim Roza, a mausoleum known for its exquisite architecture and tranquil surroundings.

Day 11: Bijapur to Hyderabad (385kms)

- After breakfast, embark on a scenic drive back to Hyderabad.
- Upon arrival, check in at your hotel and spend the day at leisure, shopping for traditional crafts or savoring the local cuisine.

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Day 12: Departure from Hyderabad

- Enjoy a leisurely breakfast at your hotel. Depending on your flight schedule, we will arrange a timely transfer to the airport. Depart from Hyderabad with cherished memories of India's rich Islamic heritage, architectural wonders, and vibrant cultural tapestry.

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	3,330	1,828	1,596	1,638	1,477	1,451	1,363	1,297
4★ Deluxe	3,832	2,098	1,866	1,908	1,747	1,721	1,633	1,567
5★ Luxury	4,846	2,787	2,406	2,448	2,287	2,261	2,172	2,106

Valid for Travel: 16 April 2027 to 20 September 2027

Persons	Solo	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
3★ Standard	3,188	1,746	1,514	1,556	1,395	1,369	1,281	1,215
4★ Deluxe	3,430	1,886	1,654	1,696	1,535	1,509	1,421	1,355
5★ Luxury	4,233	2,411	2,029	2,071	1,910	1,884	1,796	1,730

Single Room Supplement

3★ Standard: USD 507 | 4★ Deluxe: USD 739 | 5★ Luxury: USD 1,213

Triple Sharing Discount (Per Person)

3★ Standard: USD 59 | 4★ Deluxe: USD 90 | 5★ Luxury: USD 213

Price Includes:

- Assistance on arrival at airport.
- 11 Nights' accommodation in selected price category hotels.
- Daily breakfast at hotels.

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- 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:

- Jaipur - Hyderabad flight fare approx INR 9, 500 per person in economy class.
- 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 11 nights' accommodation

3 Star Hotels

- Delhi x 2 nights: Dee Marks Hotel & Resorts/ Emerald Hotel
- Agra x 1 night: Howard Plaza the Fern/ Hotel Atulyaa Taj
- Jaipur x 2 nights: ZONE By THE Park/ The Fern Residency
- Hyderabad x 3 nights: Hotel Abode/ Aditya Park
- Gulbarga x 1 night: Kyriad Hotel Gulbarga by OTHPL/ Mastiff Select
- Bijapur x 2 nights: The Fern Residency/ Kyriad Hotel Vijayapura by OTHPL

4 Star Hotels

- Delhi x 2 nights: The Hans/ The Royal Plaza
- Agra x 1 night: Radisson Hotel/ Holiday Inn

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- Jaipur x 2 nights: Lemon Tree Premier/ The Fern An Ecotel Hotel
- Hyderabad x 3 nights: The Golkonda Hotel/ Lemon Tree Hotel
- Gulbarga x 1 night: Kyriad Hotel Gulbarga by OTHPL/ Mastiff Select
- Bijapur x 2 nights: The Fern Residency/ Kyriad Hotel Vijayapura by OTHPL

5 Star Hotels

- Delhi x 2 nights: Le Meridien/ The Grand New Delhi
- Agra x 1 night: Courtyard by Marriott/ Trident Hotel
- Jaipur x 2 nights: Hilton Jaipur/ Radisson City Center
- Hyderabad x 3 nights: ITC Kakatiya, a Luxury Collection/ Trident Hotel
- Gulbarga x 1 night: Kyriad Hotel Gulbarga by OTHPL/ Mastiff Select
- Bijapur x 2 nights: The Fern Residency/ Kyriad Hotel Vijayapura by OTHPL

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.

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- 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 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.

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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.