

Tour Name: Tiger Reserve & Tribal Villages

Tour Duration: 8 Nights/ 9 Days

Tour Map: <https://tinyurl.com/mv4ecuvw>

Tour Overview

Embark on a captivating journey through the diverse landscapes and cultures of Northeast India with our "Tiger Reserve & Tribal Villages" tour. Begin in the vibrant city of Guwahati before venturing to the wildlife haven of Kaziranga National Park, home to the majestic one-horned rhinoceros. Cross the mighty Brahmaputra River to explore Majuli, the world's largest river island rich in Assamese culture. Continue to the picturesque village of Benreu in Nagaland, where you'll immerse yourself in the traditions of the local tribes. Experience the untouched beauty of Dzuleke and the sustainable practices of Khonoma, India's first green village. This tour offers an unforgettable blend of natural wonders and cultural heritage, providing a deep insight into the unique charms of Assam and Nagaland.

Tour Itinerary

Day 1: Arrive Guwahati

- Upon arrival at Guwahati, you will be greeted by our representative and transferred to your hotel.
- After check-in, enjoy a breathtaking sunset cruise on the Brahmaputra River.
- This serene experience allows you to admire the picturesque views of the river and surrounding hills as the sun sets. The cruise often features traditional Assamese snacks, adding to the experience.

Day 2: Guwahati - Kaziranga National Park (200kms)

- Begin the day with breakfast at the hotel before embarking on a city tour of Guwahati.
- Visit Kamakhya Temple, a revered pilgrimage site dedicated to the goddess Kamakhya, showcasing intricate architecture and spiritual significance.
- This temple is especially known for the Ambubachi Mela, attracting thousands of devotees.
- Explore Umananda Temple, situated on an island in the Brahmaputra, accessible by ferry.

- The temple, dedicated to Lord Shiva, offers stunning views and a tranquil environment.
- Discover the Assam State Museum, which features a rich collection of artifacts, showcasing the region's diverse culture and history.
- Highlights include traditional masks, textiles, and historical manuscripts.
- Later, drive to Kaziranga National Park and check in at your hotel, setting the stage for an exciting wildlife adventure.

Day 3: Kaziranga National Park

- Start your day with breakfast before embarking on two thrilling safaris in Kaziranga National Park.
- Kaziranga is renowned for its biodiversity and conservation efforts, particularly the famous one-horned rhinoceros.
- You will have opportunities to see these majestic creatures up close, along with many other species.
- Explore the park's stunning landscapes, including tall grasslands, marshlands, and dense forests while spotting tigers, elephants, and a variety of bird species.
- Keep an eye out for the park's rich birdlife, including the great Indian hornbill and various migratory birds.
- Visit the Kaziranga Orchid Park, where you can learn about the region's unique flora and fauna, and see beautiful orchids native to the area.

Day 4: Kaziranga - Majuli (150kms)

- After breakfast, drive to Nimathi Ghat and take a ferry across the Brahmaputra River to Kamalabari Ghat.
- From Kamalabari, proceed to Majuli, the world's largest river island and a vibrant center of Assamese culture.
- Majuli is known for its lush landscapes and rich biodiversity, home to many rare birds and aquatic life.
- Spend the day exploring the island's unique monasteries, including the Satras, where you can engage with local monks and learn about their traditions.
- Visit Auniati Satra, known for its traditional dance forms and cultural performances.

- Explore local artisans to discover traditional crafts, such as mask-making, and the cultural significance behind their creations.

Day 5: Majuli - Benreu (260kms)

- Transfer back to Kamalabari Ghat for the ferry to Nimathi Ghat.
- From Nimathi, drive to Benreu, a picturesque village nestled in the mountains of Nagaland.
- The journey offers breathtaking views of the lush countryside and terraced fields.
- Immerse yourself in local culture by interacting with villagers and participating in traditional activities, such as weaving and pottery.
- Enjoy a hike to Mt. Pauna, where you can take in breathtaking views of the surrounding landscape and rich biodiversity.
- The hike also provides a glimpse into the local flora and fauna.

Day 6: Benreu

- In Benreu, visit the traditional morung, an informal institute where history, traditions, and culture are passed down through generations.
- The morung serves as a cultural hub for the village, where stories and skills are shared among the youth.
- Meet local wild animal hunters and listen to their fascinating stories about their lifestyles and experiences in the wilderness.
- Their narratives often include lessons on sustainability and respect for nature.
- Embark on a challenging hike to Mt. Pauna, enjoying stunning vistas and the beauty of nature along the way.
- The trek is rewarding, with panoramic views that are perfect for photography.
- In the evening, participate in cooking dinner with your host, learning about local culinary traditions and authentic recipes.
- This hands-on experience allows you to engage deeply with the local culture.

Day 7: Benreu - Poilwa - Dzuleke

- After breakfast, take a short walk through the village before meeting your vehicle for the drive to Poilwa village.

- From Poilwa, hike through the lush jungle to reach Dzuleke village.
- This hike showcases the region's rich biodiversity and scenic beauty, with opportunities to spot various flora and fauna.
- Upon arrival, get acquainted with your host and enjoy the warm hospitality of the local community.
- Experience the local way of life, including farming practices and community gatherings.
- Indulge in traditional cuisine, savoring authentic flavors unique to the region.
- Local dishes often include rice, bamboo shoot, and meat cooked in traditional ways.

Day 8: Dzuleke - Khonoma

- Start your day with breakfast before embarking on a walk to Khonoma village, known as the first green village of India.
- Explore the village's sustainable practices, such as terraced farming and community conservation efforts.
- Khonoma is a model for environmental sustainability in India, preserving its natural resources.
- Learn about the unique traditions and customs of the Angami tribe, including their festivals and rituals.
- Engage with locals to understand their connection to the land and nature.
- Enjoy the serene surroundings and take in the beautiful landscapes, interacting with friendly locals to gain insight into their daily lives.
- This interaction often leads to meaningful exchanges about culture and heritage.

Day 9: Khonoma - Dimapur (95kms)

- After breakfast, check out and drive to Dimapur airport to catch your flight to Kolkata, marking the end of your enriching tour.
- Reflect on the incredible experiences you've had, from exploring national parks to immersing in vibrant tribal cultures, as you depart with unforgettable memories.
- The tour provides a unique blend of nature, culture, and adventure, leaving you with lasting impressions of Assam and Nagaland.

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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	3,277	1,751	1,468	1,548	1,363	1,352	1,248	1,170
4★ Deluxe	3,469	1,877	1,595	1,675	1,490	1,479	1,375	1,296
5★ Luxury	4,368	2,561	2,138	2,219	2,033	2,023	1,919	1,840

Single Room Supplement**3★ Standard: USD 398 | 4★ Deluxe: USD 463 | 5★ Luxury: USD 818****Triple Sharing Discount (Per Person)****3★ Standard: USD 1 | 4★ Deluxe: USD 43 | 5★ Luxury: USD 121****Price Includes:**

- Assistance on arrival at airport.
- 8 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.
- 3-Time shared Gypsy safari in Kaziranga National Parks with naturalist.
- Bottled drinking water in car.
- Government taxes.

Price Does Not Include:

- Dimapur - Kolkata flight fare approx INR 5500 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 8 nights' accommodation

3 Star Hotels

- Guwahati x 1 night: Landmark Hotel/ Hotel Lily
- Kaziranga NP x 2 nights: Infinity Resorts/ Wild Grass Lodge
- Majuli x 1 night: Jonki Panoi Bamboo Cottages by WCH/ Enchanting Majuli
- Benreu x 2 nights: Homestay/ Community Cottage
- Dzuleke x 1 night: Homestay/ Community Cottage
- Khonoma x 1 night: Guesthouse/ Homestay

4 Star Hotels

- Guwahati x 1 night: The Guwahati Address by Centre Point/ Hotel Dynasty
- Kaziranga NP x 2 nights: Borgos Resort/ Hotel Ivora
- Majuli x 1 night: Jonki Panoi Bamboo Cottages by WCH/ Enchanting Majuli
- Benreu x 2 nights: Homestay/ Community Cottage
- Dzuleke x 1 night: Homestay/ Community Cottage
- Khonoma x 1 night: Guesthouse/ Homestay

5 Star Hotels

- Guwahati x 1 night: Vivanta Guwahati/ Radisson Blu Guwahati
- Kaziranga NP x 2 nights: Diphlu River Lodge
- Majuli x 1 night: Jonki Panoi Bamboo Cottages by WCH/ Enchanting Majuli
- Benreu x 2 nights: Homestay/ Community Cottage

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- Khonoma x 1 night: Guesthouse/ Homestay

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

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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.