

SRI KAMAKSHI AMMAN TEMPLE Mangadu, Chennai, Tamilnadu, India

Goddess

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Interesting Facts

Sati devi's back had fallen here and the temple is also one of the 18 Maha Shakti Peethas.

Best Season To Visit

The best season to visit this temple is Winter season. The best months to visit are September to February.

Weather

Highest - April to June (38°C during day and 26°C during night)
Average - May (33.7 °C during the day and 21 °C during night)
Lowest - October to February (26 °C during day and 17 °C during night)
Monsoon season - June to September

Dress Code

For men the dress code is Shirt & Trouser, Dhoti or Pyjamas with upper cloth.

For women the preferred dress code is saree or half-saree with blouse or chudidhar with pyjama and upper cloth.

These rules are applicable for foreigners also. Shorts, mini-skirts, middies, sleeveless tops, low-waist jeans and short-length T-shirts are not allowed.

Pilgrims/visitors will not be allowed inside the temple if dress code is not followed.

Do's & Dont's

Do respect ancient customs and co-pilgrims while at Temple.

Do bathe and wear clean clothes before you enter the Temple.

Smoking is strictly prohibited inside the Temple Premises.

transport connections

Name

Distance

Contact Number

Mangadu Bus Stand

55.7 KM

1800 419 4287

Pallavaram railway station

71.9 KM

139

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