

## **VEERATTESWARAR TEMPLE**

**Thiruvirkudi, Thiruvarur, Tamilnadu, India**

God

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### **Interesting Facts**

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### **Best Season To Visit**

The best season to visit the 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 (39°C during the day and 26°C during night)  
Lowest - December to February (30°C during day and 21°C during night)  
Monsoon season – July 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.

Shorts, mini-skirts, middies, sleeveless tops, low-waist jeans and short-length T-shirts are not allowed.

## Do's & Dont's

**Do bathe and wear clean clothes before you enter the temple.**

**Do respect ancient customs and co-pilgrims while at temple.**

**Smoking and drinking is prohibited in this temple.**

**Chewing betel leaves, tobacco, gutka and spitting inside temple is strictly prohibited.**

**transport connections**

**Name**

**Distance**

**Contact Number**

**Vazhkudi Nagore Bus Stop**

**3.7 KM**

**04365-249275**

Mayiladuturai Junction

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