

## **NALANDA GEDIGE**

**Matale, Eastern Province, Sri Lanka**

God

The main deity of this temple is Lord Buddha.

### **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 (34°C during day and 21°C during night)  
Average - May (30°C during the day and 22°C during night)  
Lowest - December to February (28°C during day and 26°C during night)  
Monsoon season - August to October

### **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**

**Naula Main Bus Station**

**12 KM**

**9421222281**

**Matale Railway Station**

**24 KM**

**9421222271**

Bandaranaike International Airport

125 KM  
94112264444

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12 KM

94212222281

## Railway Stations

Railway Station Name

Distance

Contact Number

Matale Railway Station

24 KM

94212222271

## Airports

Airport Name

Distance

Contact Number

Bandaranaike International Airport

125 KM

94112264444