

## **SRI BIRAJA DEVI TEMPLE**

**Jajpur, Odisha, India**

Goddess

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### **Interesting Facts**

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

### **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 (24°C during day and 20°C during night) Average - May (28°C

during the day and 22°C during night)Lowest - December to February (20°C during day and 16°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

Jajpur Bus Stand

2.6 KM

9937878984

Baitarani Railway Station

26.3 KM

139

Biju Patnaik International Airport

103 KM

0674-2596322

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