

SRI MAHABALESHWAR TEMPLE

Kumta, Gokarna, Karnataka, India

God

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Goddess

Thamira Gowri is the consort of Lord Shiva, who is an incarnation of Goddess Parvathi.

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 (37°C during the day and 21°C during night) Lowest - October to February (27°C during day and 18°C during night) Monsoon season - August 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 bathe and wear clean clothes before you enter the temple.

Do respect ancient customs and co-piligrims while at temple.

Smoking is strictly prohibited inside the temple premises.

transport connections

Name

Distance

Contact Number

Gokarna Ksrtc Bus Stand

550 MTRS

9449596666

Gokarna Road

2.3 KM

139

Goa International Airport (GOI)

145 KM

0832-2540806

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