

## SHRI NAGESHWAR TEMPLE

**Darukavanam, Dwarka, Gujarat, India**

God

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### Interesting Facts

Nageshwar Jyotirlinga is one of the 12 Jyotirlinga.

The shrine is also mentioned in the Shiva Purana. Nageshwar Jyotirlinga is in 'Darukavana', which is an ancient name of a forest in India.

This temple is unique in the sense that the Shiva Lingam faces to the south and the Gomugam faces towards the east.

### 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 (45°C during day and 35°C during night) Average - May (35°C during the day and 25°C during night) Lowest - December to February (26°C during day and 21°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.

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-pilgrims while at temple.

Smoking is strictly prohibited inside the temple premises.

### transport connections

Name

Distance

Contact Number

Dwarka Bus Stand

5 KM

02892-234204

Dwarka Railway Station

15 KM

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Porbandar Airport

116 KM

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