

## **KAILASA TEMPLE**

**Ellora, Aurangabad, Maharashtra, India**

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### **Interesting Facts**

The Kailasa Temple (Cave 16) is one of the 34 Cave temples and monasteries known collectively as the Ellora Caves.

The Kailasa temple in Ellora caves (the whole area) is carved out of a single rock and the temple was carved from top to bottom.

### **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 - March to May (39°C during day and 22°C during night)  
Average - May (35°C during the day and 25°C during night)  
Lowest - December to February (34°C during day and 16°C during night)  
Monsoon season - June to September

## Dress Code

For men the dress code is Trouser, Dhoti or Pyjamas.

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

**Ellora Bus Stand**

**2.1 KM**  
**0240-2242165**

**Potul Railway Station**

**15.9 KM**  
**139**

**Aurangabad Airport**

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**0240-2476147**

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