

## **KEDARNATH TEMPLE**

**Kedarnath, Rudraprayag, Uttarakhand, India**

God

Kedarnath is the main deity of this temple, who is an incarnation of Lord Shiva. It comprises the irregular shaped lingam with a cylindrical pedestal of 3.6mts/12ft circumference and 3.6mts/12ft height.

### **Interesting Facts**

Kedarnath temple is one amongst the Panch Kedar and one among the Chardham Yatra.

The Kedarnath Temple standing at an impressive height of almost 3583m, is the highest of all Jyotirlingas in India.

### **Best Season To Visit**

The best season to visit the temple is Summer season. The best months to visit are May to July and September to October.

### **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.

Shorts, mini-skirts, middies, sleeveless tops, low-waist jeans and short-length T-shirts are not allowed.

The weather is cold throughout the year. Rainfalls and snowfalls often occur there. one should wear proper winter clothes with mufflers and gloves. An umbrella is also a must to carry.

## **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

Gaurikund Bus Stand

200 MTRS

Rishikesh Railway Station

216 KM

139

Kedarnath Helipad

350 MTRS

0135-2412052

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