

## **SREE UCHCHI PILLAIYAR ROCKFORT TEMPLE**

### **Tiruchirappalli, Tamilnadu, India**

#### **God**

Ucchi Pillayar Temple - This temple is dedicated to Lord Vinayaka. The temple complex has three shrines, two of which are dedicated to Lord Ganesha, one at the foot and the Ucchi Pillayar Temple at the top and the Thayumanavar Temple between them.

Thayumanaswami Temple - The Shiva temple is the bigger one, housing a massive stone statue of Shiva in the form of Linga along with a separate sanctum for goddess Parvati. The Sivalinga here is huge and around 6 feet high.

#### **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 (38°C during day and 26°C during night) Average - May (39°C during the day and 26°C during night) Lowest - December to February (30°C during day and 21°C during night) Monsoon season – July 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.

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

Tiruchirappalli Bus Stand

5.3 KM  
04365-249275

Tiruchirappalli Railway Station

5.1 KM  
139

Chennai International Airport

302 KM  
044-22560551

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