

KATARMAL SUN TEMPLE

Adheli Sunar, Almora, Uttarakhand, India

God

Vriddhaditya is the main deity of this temple, who is an incarnation of Lord Surya.

Interesting Facts

Katarmal Sun Temple is considered as the second most important sun temple in India after Konark Sun Temple (Orissa). It is believed to be the only sun temple located in the hills. What awaits the visitor is the brilliantly made architectural wonder perched at 2,116 metres above sea level.

Best Season To Visit

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

Weather

Highest - April to June (21°C during day and 19°C during night)
Average - May (24°C during the day and 20°C during night)
Lowest - December to February (14°C during day and 8°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

Dharanaula Bus Stand

15.5 KM

0596-2230046

Dharanaula Railway Station

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Pantnagar Airport

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