

**ANANDESWAR SHIV MANDIR**  
**Chakapada, Kandhamal, Odisha, India**  
God

The main deity of this temple is Lord Anandeswar, who is an incarnation of Lord Shiva.

**Interesting Facts**

This is the only temple where King Ravan do puja of Lord Shiva.

**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 (45°C during day and 35°C during night)  
Average - May (35°C during the day and 25°C during night)  
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Monsoon season - August to October

**Dress Code**

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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

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Do respect ancient customs and co-pilgrims while at temple.

Smoking and drinking is prohibited in this temple.

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transport connections

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18004194287

Boinda Railway Station

155 KM

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