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Currently, only one connecting flight operates along the Gaya to Indore route, and it is available only on selected days of the week. It takes approximately 7 hours and 25 minutes to reach Indore and has a layover at New Delhi. It is recommended to book tickets in advance for a smooth journey as flights are not available on all days. To check the availability of flights, book tickets and grab the best air ticket deals, log on to Adani One.

About Indore

Indore is known as Madhya Pradesh's commercial capital. Rao Nandlal Chaudhary, the city's founder, named the city 'Indrapur' after the God of the Indreshwar temple. During the period of Maratha administration, the city was called 'Indur,' which is still used by the local Marathi people. Indore is a significant educational centre. It has both the Indian Institute of Technology (IIT) and the Indian Institute of Management (IIM). The city is located around 190 Km west of the state capital of Bhopal, on the southern edge of the Malwa Plateau.

The city's two most important festivals are Rangpanchami and Ahilya Utsav. The Ahilya Utsav is an annual event commemorating Rani Ahilyabai Holkar. In the city, numerous multi-cuisine restaurants provide Indian, Chinese, and foreign cuisines. Indore is a shoppers' paradise. Sitlamata Bazaar is well-known for its Chanderi and Maheshwari sarees. Indore is best visited between January and March.

Indore, being the state's commercial centre, has a great impact on business, banking, fashion, media, art, research, technology, education, and entertainment. It is one of the first 20 smart cities to be constructed in the country.

Places To Visit In Indore

1. Rajwada

Rajwada has been the place of residence of the Holkar dynasty since 1747 AD. The seven-storey palace is a stunning combination of Maratha, Mughal, and French architectural traditions. The palace's upper floors are constructed from wood, while the lower floors are crafted using stone. The palace's most notable features are its wooden jaalis and sculpted stone, jharokhas, and chattris.

2. Lalbagh Palace

It was previously known as the residence of the emperor of the Holkar Dynasty. This royal residence is now a museum that houses some of the most magnificent antiques from the Holkar Dynasty and the Maratha Empire. The art on display dates from the Mughal period.

3. Khajrana Ganesh Temple

Rani Ahilyabai Holkar built the Khajrana Ganesha Temple. On Wednesdays and Sundays, large crowds flock to this temple to pray. According to local belief, when devotees worship in this temple, all of their requests are granted. This temple's primary festival is Vinayak Chathurthi.

4. Central Museum of Indore

The Holkar Dynasty founded the Indore Central Museum in 1923. The Museum has eight galleries displaying texts, artefacts, and coinage from various historical periods. The most notable architectural relic maintained in the museum is a doorframe elaborately decorated with ornaments and figures. The museum's primary attraction is the 8-metre-tall Lord Ganesh statue.

5. Patalpani Waterfall

Indore's Patalpani Waterfall is a lovely picnic destination. The milky white waterfall, situated in the magnificent hills surrounded by green flora and dense forest, mesmerises guests with its majestic beauty from an elevation of 300 feet. During the monsoons, the water flow is massive, and the region is vulnerable to flash floods. In the summer, though, the waterfall runs virtually dry.

6. Annapurna Temple

The temple is devoted to Annapurna Devi, the Hindu Goddess of Food. It also has temples dedicated to Hanuman, Siva and Kalabhairava. The entryway of the temple is embellished with four huge elephant statues, and the temple's architectural magnificence is a must-see for every tourist. Peshwa Baji Rao I, the Maratha leader, constructed it in 1725. Annakoot and Dhanteras festivals are celebrated at the shrine.

7. Ralamandal Wildlife Sanctuary

This sanctuary, covering around 5 sq. km and established in 1981, is home to various unusual plants and fauna native to the region. Hire a four-wheel drive vehicle and see Black Bucks, Jaraks, Sambhars, Leopards, Chitals, Blue bulls, Barking deers, and Rabbits here.

8. Tincha Falls

Tincha Falls is one of the most stunning waterfalls in the vicinity of Indore. At a seasonal waterfall, the water falls from a height of roughly 300 feet. The waterfall appears to be streams of milk streaming down the mountainside from a distance. The falls also feature a little pond near the bottom.

9. Mandavgad Forts

Mandavgad is well-known for its magnificent fort. It has palace ruins, ornate waterways, baths, pavilions, and so on. It was a significant military station, as evidenced by the length of the battlemented wall. The region is also known for its 'Khusrani Imli' tamarind trees.

10. Janapav Hill

It is a popular tourist site with an elevation of 881 metres above sea level. It is a popular destination for outdoor enthusiasts and trekkers from all over the country, especially during the monsoons. The location is revered by Hindus and possesses legendary significance as the birthplace of Lord Parashurama.

About Indore Airport

Devi Ahilyabai Holkar Airport (IATA: IDR, ICAO: VAID) is an international airport in the state of Madhya Pradesh that primarily serves Indore and surrounding areas. It is roughly 8 Km from the city of Indore. Indore Airport operates two terminals. The domestic terminal of the airport is well-equipped to handle heavy volumes of domestic arrivals and departures. The domestic flights connect Indore to major cities in India such as Kolkata, Chennai, Delhi, Mumbai, etc., while the international flights connect the city to Sharjah, Bangkok, and Kuala Lumpur.

The Indore Airport has a restaurant, luggage storage, a coffee shop, a gift shop, baggage wrapping, a car rental, a hotel booking counter, and a bank counter. There are many sorts of shops such as cafes, bakeries, restaurants, jewellery stores, and so on to allow travellers to purchase items at cheap prices. Duty-free shopping is also available.

About Gaya

Gaya, a city of mythological and historical significance, is one of Bihar's key tourist attractions and the state's second-largest city. It is approximately 100 Km from Patna, a prominent pilgrimage site for Buddhists and Hindus and the state capital of Bihar.

The city of Gaya has played an important role in establishing the religious and cultural identities of Bihar and the rest of India, from being the foundation of Buddhism, which is the third largest religion in the world, to sharing deep relations with Hinduism and Jainism. For thousands of years, Gaya was the citadel of many of India's finest historical dynasties, including the Nanda dynasty, the Mauryan Empire, the Magadha Empire, the Sisunaga dynasty, and the Pala Empire.

Mahabodhi Temple is one of Gaya's most significant temples. Gaya might not have its very own distinct music and dance, but Indian classical dances and music have long been a part of its culture.

Places To Visit In Gaya

1. Mahabodhi Temple

Mahabodhi Temple, founded in the 3rd century BC in central Bihar by the Mauryan emperor Ashoka, is one of Buddhism's four most important holy places. This structure is associated with Lord Buddha, his life, and, in particular, his attainment of nirvana. The Mahabodhi Temple was one of the first Buddhist temples built entirely of bricks.

2. Vishnupad Temple

It is a Hindu temple honouring Lord Vishnu. This temple has been visited by several renowned saints, including Ramanujacharya, Madhvacharya, Chaitanya Mahaprabhu, and Sri Ramakrishna. This temple lies beside the River Falgu and is characterised by the footprint of Lord Vishnu, called Dharmasila, carved in the form of a slab of basalt.

3. Dungeshwari Cave Temple

Dungeshwari Cave temples, or the Mahakala Caves, are highly significant in the spiritual sense as Buddha spent many years here before moving to Gaya for enlightenment. This place is excellent for meditation. It is roughly 45 minutes from Bodh Gaya in the state of Bihar.

4. The Barabar Caves

The Barabar Caves were built from 322 BC - 185 BC during the Mauryan era. These are the earliest surviving rock-cut caverns in the world. The caverns are made up of 4 caves, the most remarkable of which are the caves of Lomas Rishi. Its design involves a reminiscent wooden house. Buddhist monks used to live in them.

5. Bodhi Tree

The Bodhi tree, an important figure in Buddhism, is located towards the left of the Mahabodhi Temple which represents the location where Lord Buddha was enlightened. Each year on the 8th of December, Buddhists worldwide observe Bodhi Day, as a commemoration of the enlightenment of Buddha under the Bodhi tree.

6. Chinese Temple and Monastery

The Chinese Temple and Monastery is an ancient Buddhist monastery located near the world-famous Mahabodhi Temple. Buddhist monks built this Chinese monastery in Bodh Gaya. It houses a black statue of Buddha taken from China.

7. Bodhgaya Archaeological Museum

The Archaeological Museum, situated in Bodh Gaya, was founded in 1956 to display old articles relating to Buddhist and Brahmanical beliefs. The museum features multiple exhibits on various Buddha sermons and concepts. This museum contains a variety of relics, educational aids, and scripture from old universities, in addition to materials from Gautam Buddha's time.

8. Muchalinda Lake

Muchalinda, the king of snakes, guarded Buddha during his meditation. The temple located here has a figure of Buddha as well as the serpent protecting the divinity. This Muchalinda lake is a delight for nature enthusiasts, as it is bordered by thick greenery.

9. Thai Temple And Monastery

The magnificent building with a sloping curved roof is a visual joy for anyone having an architectural sense. The tranquil ambience within the temple as well as around the monastery takes you to a whole new world. A bronze Buddha statue is found in the temple.

10. Royal Bhutan Monastery

The Royal Bhutan Monastery depicts significant events from Gautam Buddha's life through clay carvings, attracting millions of Buddhists from around the world. This monastery will fascinate you with its magnificent architecture, peacefulness, and the seven-foot-tall statue of Buddha within.

About Gaya Airport

Gaya Airport (IATA: GAY, ICAO: VEGY) is also known as Bodhgaya Airport. It has one integrated terminal that serves both domestic and international flights. This airport is located around 5 Km from Bodhgaya. As the gateway to the world's most sacred Buddhist pilgrimage site, Bodh Gaya, the airport operates occasional pilgrimage flights from Myanmar, Thailand, Bhutan, and Sri Lanka. The airport terminal can accommodate 250 arriving and 250

leaving passengers. Direct flights are available only to Delhi from this airport. Other destinations connected with Gaya include Nagpur and Kolkata.

The Gaya Airport provides many amenities such as baggage services and special assistance to senior citizens and the physically challenged.

There are also places to shop and eat within the airport premises where one can find snacks and food. The airport also has duty-free shops where one can purchase imported cigarettes, liquors, fashion apparel, cosmetics, and personal care products.

Gaya Airport Authority that comes under the Airport Authority of India (AAI) manages and controls the Gaya Airport.

FAQs

1. Which animals can I see at the Ralamandal Wildlife Sanctuary?

Ralamandal Wildlife Sanctuary, one of the oldest of its kind in Madhya Pradesh, is home to numerous species of animals like blackbuck, barking deer, panther, sambhar, blue bull, chital, jarak etc.

2. What is the best time to visit Indore?

The months of October to March are ideal for visiting Indore because the weather stays generally pleasant enough for travelling and outdoor activities.

3. How far is Ujjain from Indore?

The road distance between Indore and Ujjain is around 55 Km, and can be covered in approximately 1 hour and 10 minutes.

4. What are the aarti timings for Khajrana Ganesh Temple?

Morning aarti is done at the temple between 8.30 am to 9.30 am, while evening aarti is held from 8:00 pm to 8.40 pm. Darshan takes longer during aarti since there will be more people in the temple.

5. What is the significance of the Bodhi Tree?

It represents the location of the original Bodhi tree, under which Lord Buddha attained enlightenment. It reflects everyone's ability to follow in the footsteps of the Buddha and achieve enlightenment.

6. What is the best time to visit Bodh Gaya?

The best time to visit Bodh Gaya is somewhere between October and March when the climate is suitable for exploring the town's various attractions.

7. What are the best places to stay in Indore?

Some of the best places to stay in Indore are Hotel Konark Inn, Ginger Indore, The Park Indore, Marriott Hotel, the Grand Shaurya Hotel etc.

8. Are there any duty-free shops at Gaya Airport?

Yes, there are duty-free shops where one can purchase imported cigarettes, liquors, fashion apparel, cosmetics, and personal care products.

9. Are cell phones allowed inside the temple in Gaya?

Visitors are urged to dress conservatively and keep their phones in locker rooms at the temple's entrance.

10. Are there any customised sightseeing packages available for Gaya?

Yes, there are a variety of packages available to choose from while visiting Gaya.

11. What time does the Bodhgaya Archaeological Museum open for visitors and are there any entry charges?

The Bodhgaya Archaeological Museum is open from 6:00 am to 6:00 pm. Every visitor, regardless of nationality, must pay a fee of INR 10.

12. What is Gaya's most famous dish?

Gaya is well known for its sweets. The primary sweets here include Tilkut, Enursa, Lai, Khaja, and Kesariya peda, as well as other Bihari delicacies.

13. What is Indore famous for?

Indore is well-known for its cotton handloom industry, majestic monuments and street food, temples, night markets, and other attractions.

14. Why is Indore called Food city?

Indore is well-known for its food stall hubs such as Sarafa Bazar and Chhappan Dukan, which serve everything from Bhutte ka kees to Poha, Jalebi, and Malpua.



