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**Day Excursion Cost: 1500/- per person**

Incl:  
Village Homestay Lunch  
Village Activities: Minimum Two  
Cycling, Trekking Trails walk, Local Games performance, Local famous dance or Farm to Plate.  
Evening High - Tea

**Entrance Fee :**

Sanchi Stupa: INR 50 (Indian) & INR 600 (Foreigner)  
Udyagiri Caves: INR 20 (Indian) & INR 250 (Foreigner)

**Transportation cost:** As per vehicle selected

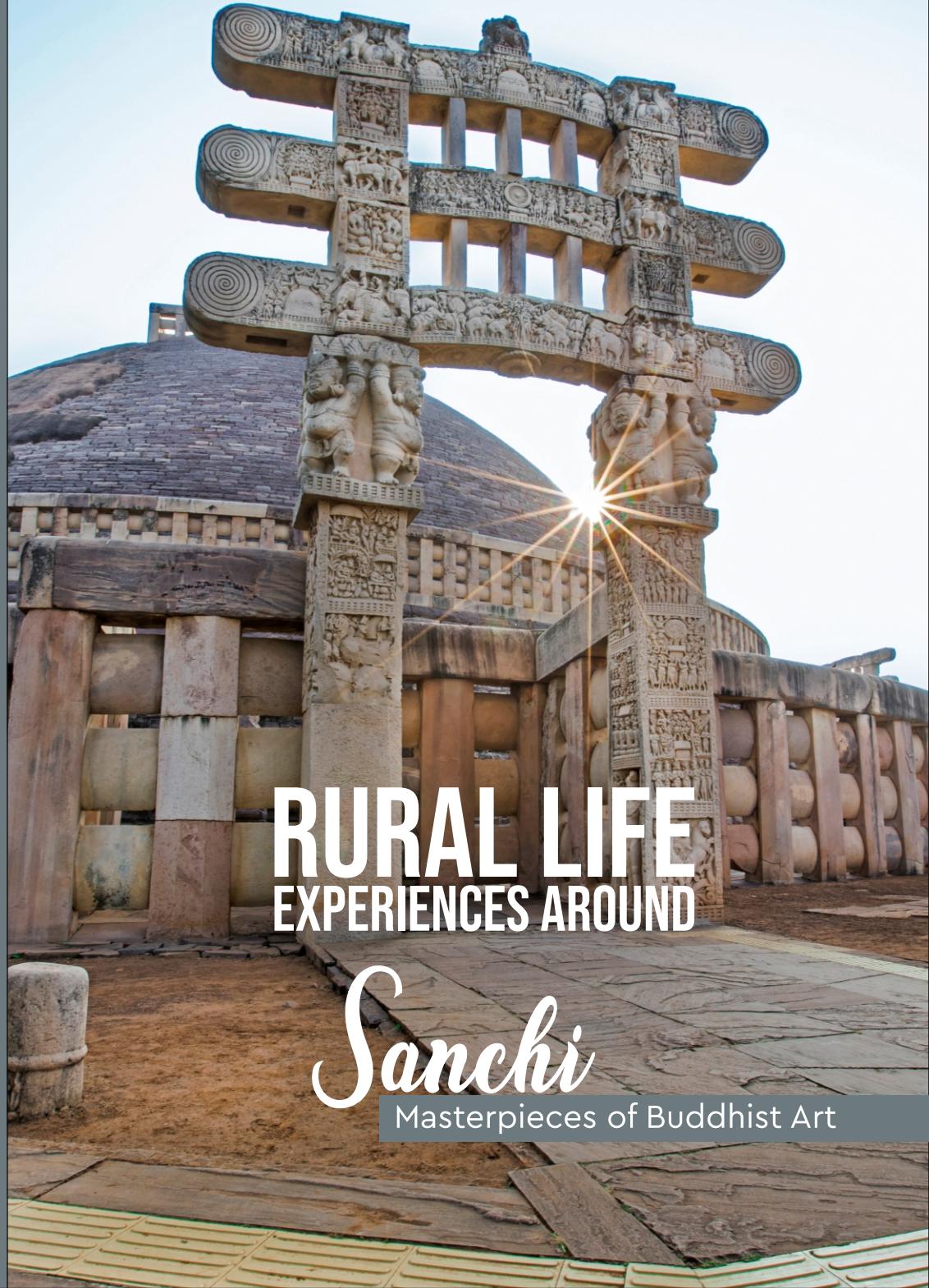


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## VILLAGE TOURISM



Sanchi is a Buddhist complex, famous for its Great Stupa, on a hilltop at Sanchi Town in Raisen District of the State of Madhya Pradesh, India. It is located, 46 kilometers north-east of Bhopal, capital of Madhya Pradesh. It is one of the oldest Buddhist monuments in the country and the largest stupa at the site. The Great Stupa and Sanchi's other Buddhist monuments were collectively designated a UNESCO World Heritage site in 1989.

### Best Time to Visit

The best time to visit Sanchi is from September to March

Sanchi Stupa Timings: One can visit the Sanchi Stupa from sunrise to sunset.

### How To Reach?

As Sanchi Stupa is located near Bhopal (46km), Traveller prefers to take a cab from Bhopal to the Stupa complex. The nearest Airport to Sanchi is the Raja Bhoj Airport in, Bhopal. Sanchi Railway Station which is about 1.5 kilometers to Stupa.



### Garderkhedi Tourism Village

Homestay Unit: 03

Block Panchayat: Sanchi, District Raisen

### Village Background:

Crossed the Tropical of cancer line there is Gararkhedi is near to village Murlikhedi which is about 5 km from Satdhara stupa and Vihar group. Satdhara is located 9 km west of Sanchi, Madhya Pradesh. All basic necessary resources are present sufficiently. Smooth running Gaushala and Halali river canal are closely. There's Naroda Forest picnic spot is just 5kms from main road where camping can be done. Roads are way to approach by road vehicle.

### Main Tourist Attractions: from Garderkhedi

Feature of the Site	Venue Name	Home stay distance
Stupa & Vihar	Satdhara	5 km
Stupa	Sanchi	9 km
Picnic Spot	Chota Pachmarhi	18 km
Caves	Udayagiri	10 km
Stupa	Sonari	11 km



Sonari



Udaygiri

### Accessibility to the Village:

From Sanchi - Nearest Railways Station (17Km)

From Bhopal - Nearest Airport (46Km)

### Activities in this Village:

- Farm to Plate
- Cycling
- Local Games: Kabaddi, the games of Marbles, Kho – Kho, Tossing the stones
- Village Walks
- Trekking facilities at Satdhara Jungle camp

## Bhartipur, Tourism Village

VILLAGE: Bhartipur

Homestay Unit: 02

Gram Panchayat: Shahpur, District Raisen

Bhartipur situated in village Panchayati Shahpur which is on the atmosphere of Sonari Stupa group. This village is about 4 kms before the Sonari Stupa group. The Site is situated on a hill, about 10km southwest of Sanchi, Madhya Pradesh, India.

### Accessibility to the Village:

From Sanchi	-	Nearest Railways Station (23Km)
From Salamatpur	-	Nearest Bus Stand (8km)
From Bhopal	-	Nearest Airport (46Km)

### Main Tourist Attraction in this Village:

- **Sonari Buddha Stupas** is an archaeological site of an ancient monastic complex of Buddhist stupas in Madhya Pradesh. Positioned on a hill, it is one of the must include places in the Buddhist Circuit of Central India, and among the top places to visit near Sanchi. (4 kms from Homestay)
- **Gilgo Water Fall:** This waterfall flows 365 days, one can find shiva temple which is established by the local community. (2 kms from homestay)
- **Iconic Waterfall:** One can enjoy this waterfall during monsoon season. (7 kms from homestay)

### Activities in this Village:

- Farm to Plate
- Bamboo Artifact Making
- Swimming
- Outdoor Gym
- Camping
- Cycling
- Local Games -Kabaddi, Kite flying, Chau par , The games of Marbles, Tossing the stones , Pancha kone , Gilli Danada, Kho-Kho
- Cultural Programmes – Lehgi & Rai Dance, Bhajan Mandali
- Bonfire



### Excursions to Visit:

- **Sanchi** - UNESCO world heritage site 'Mahastupa' (great stupa) stands here. The town of Sanchi is synonymous with Buddhist Stupas - hemispherical structures typically containing relics of the Buddha or his followers. The Stupas of Sanchi were constructed on the orders of Emperor Ashoka to preserve and spread the Buddhist philosophy. (17 kms from Bhartipur)
- **Satdhara Stupa:** Satdhara is an archaeological site of an ancient monastic complex of Buddhist stupas in Madhya Pradesh. Overlooking Halali River, it is one of the must include places in the Buddhist Circuit of Central India, and among the top places to visit near Sanchi. (10 kms from Bhartipur)
- **Raisen Fort** is a substantial historical edifice placed atop a hill enthraling a vast water reservoir, palaces and a few temples within the fort. Located in the city of Bhopal, the 800-year-old fort has nine gateways, fortifications, domes and the remains of several buildings from the early medieval period. (27 kms from Bhartipur)

## TOUR ITINERARY OPTIONS

### Options 1

#### Highlights:

- Satdhara Stupa @ 930am
- Garderkhedi Homestay @ 10:30am
- Udyagiri Caves @11am
- Lunch at homestay @ 1:30pm
- Sanchi Stupa @ 2:30pm
- High Tea at MPT Gateway Retreat or Aaram baagh Heritage @ 5pm
- Departure @ 5:45pm

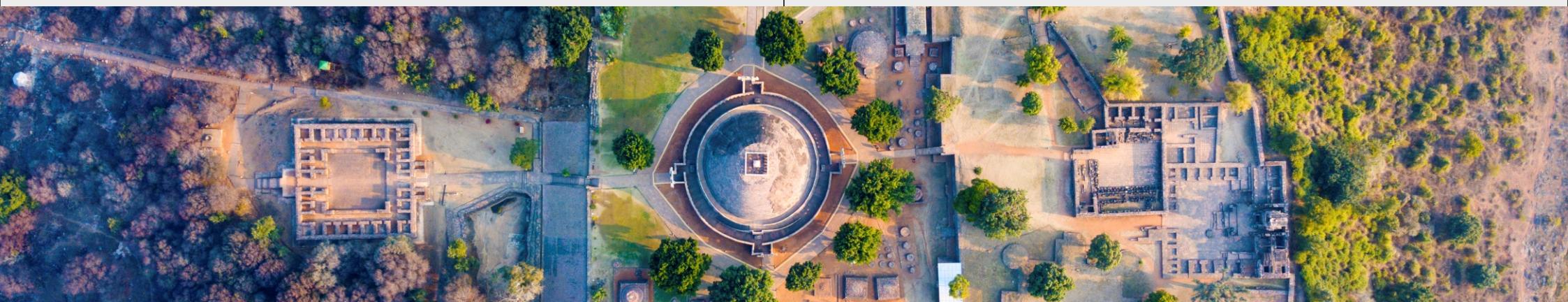
Morning at 8am proceed to Satdhara Bouddha Smarak which is about 42km away from Bhopal. Satdhara is an archaeological site of an ancient monastic complex of Buddhist stupas in Madhya Pradesh. Overlooking Halali River, it is one of the must include places in the Buddhist Circuit of Central India, and among the top places to visit near Sanchi.

Garderkhedi Village which is about 5 Kms away from Satdhara to visit homestay and village activities. Later proceed to Udyagiri caves those are twenty rock-cut caves near Vidisha, Madhya Pradesh from the early years of the 5th century CE. They contain some of the oldest surviving Hindu and Jain temples and iconography in India.

Lunch at Homestay.

After Lunch proceed to Sanchi Stupa, UNESCO world heritage site 'Mahastupa' (great stupa) stands here. The town of Sanchi is synonymous with Buddhist Stupas - hemispherical structures typically containing relics of the Buddha or his followers. The Stupas of Sanchi were constructed on the orders of Emperor Ashoka to preserve and spread the Buddhist philosophy.

In Evening proceed to MPT Gateway Retreat for High-Tea and Snacks. Further depart to your return journey to Bhopal.



### Options 2

#### Highlights:

- Sanchi Stupa @ 09:30am
- Bhartipur Village Home stay and Village activities @ 11:30am
- Sonari Stupa @ 12:30am
- Gilgo Falls & Iconic Falls
- Lunch at Homestay @ 1:30pm
- High Tea at MPT Gateway Retreat or Aaram Bhagh Heritage @ 4pm
- Satdhara Stupa @ 5pm
- Departure @ 6pm

This Morning at 8am proceed to Sanchi Stupa which is about 46 Kms away from Bhopal, UNESCO world heritage site 'Mahastupa' (great stupa) stands here. The town of Sanchi is synonymous with Buddhist Stupas - hemispherical structures typically containing relics of the Buddha or his followers. The Stupas of Sanchi were constructed on the orders of Emperor Ashoka to preserve and spread the Buddhist philosophy.

After Sanchi Stupa proceed to Bhartipur Village which is about 17 Kms away from Sanchi to visit homestay and village activities. In Bhartipur we will visit Sonari Buddha Smarak, Gilgo Falls, Iconic Falls, Roo Nagar Dam. A traditional local lunch will be served at homestay.

In Evening proceed for evening High-Tea at MPT retreat or Aaram Bhagh a Heritage property, Aaram Baagh by Pachar Group.

Further proceed to Satdhara Bouddha Smarak, Satdhara is an archaeological site of an ancient monastic complex of Buddhist stupas in Madhya Pradesh. Overlooking Halali River, it is one of the must include places in the Buddhist Circuit of Central India, and among the top places to visit near Sanchi. Further depart to your return journey to Bhopal.