



MEGHALAYA (Adventure + Offbeat)

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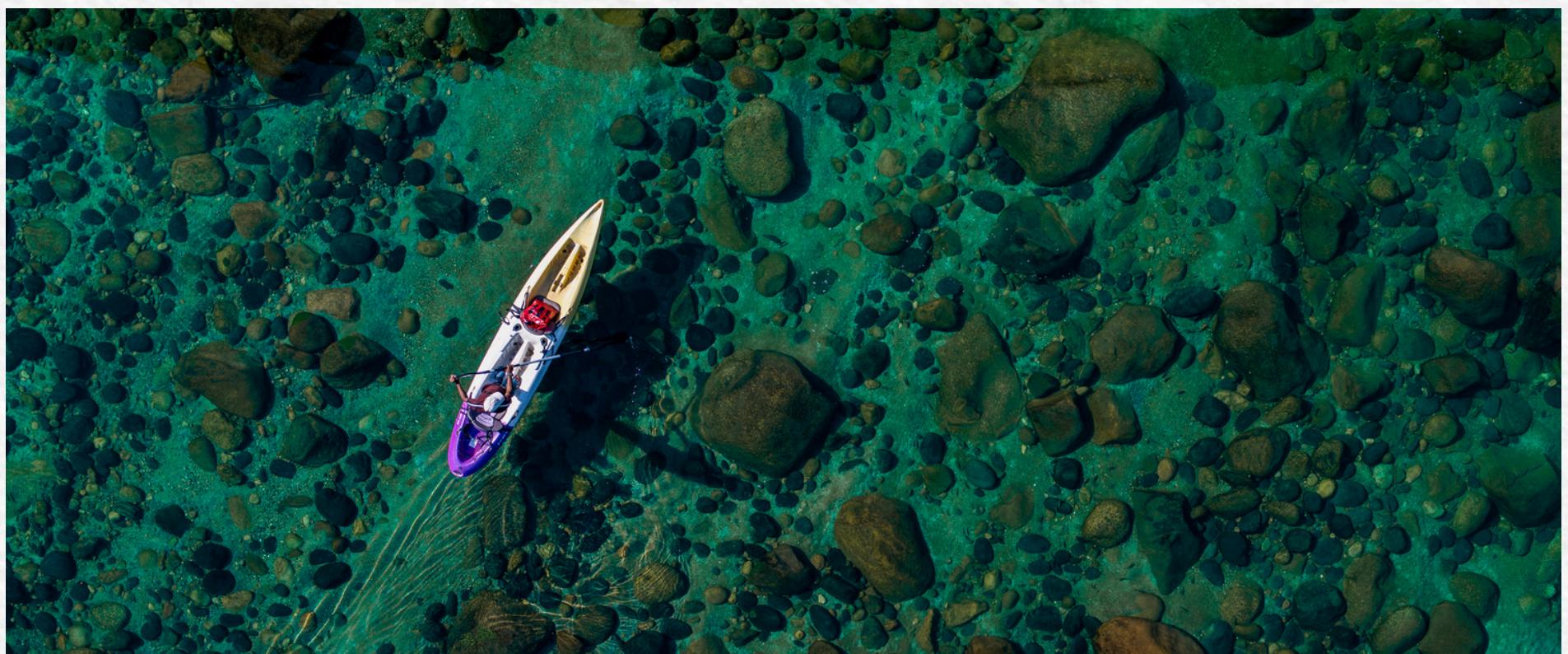
ABOUT US

we are not just a travel company; we are a curator of exclusive experiences. We weave connections between travelers and the undiscovered wonders of Northeast India and Bhutan . Our mission is to unveil the lesser-explored destinations, showcasing the vibrant tapestry of local cultures, traditions, delectable cuisine, and the heartwarming stories of its people. Every journey with us is an odyssey, an opportunity to delve into the soul of Northeast India and Bhutan.



ABOUT THE PLACE

Meghalaya, a gem in Northeast India, offers a plethora of activities ranging from trekking through lush forests, swimming in blue lagoons, to relaxing by serene riversides. Known as the abode of clouds, Meghalaya is a potpourri of beauty and culture, with charming landscapes, vibrant Khasi, Jaintai and Garo cultures, and a photographer's paradise. The best time to visit is during autumn, experiencing the state's moderate climate and vibrant greenery.



QUICK INFO



- **Duration:** 5N|6D.
- **Route:** Guwahati-Shillong -Cherrapunjee-Shnongpdeng-Shillong-Guwahati.
- **Cab type :**SUV/Sedan or Tempo Traveler (as per group size)
- **Maximum Altitude :**Laitlum Grand Canyon is approximately 1,800 meters (5,906 feet)
- **Accommodation:** Hotel/Homestay .
- **Start Point/ End Point:**
- **Group Size :**Max 20 pax
- **Best Time to visit :** Jan to May and September to Dec.
- **Nearest Railway Station:** Guwahati Railway Station (GHY)
- **Nearest Airport:** Lokpriya Gopinath Bordoloi International Airport (GAU)
- **ATM:** You can withdraw money at Shillong
- **Pick up & drop Timming:**
- **Permit Requirement:** Yes



TRIP HIGHLIGHTS

- **Umiam Lake:** Visit the largest man-made reservoir.
- **Laitlum Grand Canyons:** Explore the majestic canyons.
- **Waterfalls:** Witness Elephant Falls, Nohkalikai Falls, Seven Sisters Falls, Phe Phe Falls, and Rainbow Falls.
- **Caves:** Discover the wonders of Mawsmai Cave , Arwah Caves and Garden of Caves.
- **Trekking:** Trek to the Double-Decker Living Root Bridge in Nongriat village or embark on the Mawryngkhang bamboo trek in Wahkhen village.
- **Mawlynnong Village:** Visit the cleanest village in Asia and explore its root bridges.
- **Dawki River:** Enjoy a boat ride in the cleanest river.
- **Camping:** Experience camping, music, and bonfire by the riverside at Shnongpdeng.
- **Krang Suri and Phe Phe Waterfalls:** Explore these magical waterfalls with turquoise blue waters.

Main Attractions of the Tour:

Elephant Falls ,Mawkdok Valley, Wakaba Falls ,Nohkalikai Falls ,Seven Sisters Fal Dainthlen Falls ,Mawsmai Caves ,Arwah Caves ,Garden of Caves,uimaim Lake Double decker Living Root bridge ,Rainbow Waterfalls ,Mawlynnong Village ,DAwki,Shnongpdeng,Krang suri waterfalls ,Phe Phe Waterfalls and Laitlum Grand Canyon



BRIEF ITINERARY

DAY	Activities	KM
DAY 1	Arrival in Guwahati, travel to Shillong, visit Umiam Lake, overnight in Shillong.	106 km
DAY 2	Travel to Cherrapunjee, visit Elephant Falls, Mawkdok Valley, Wakaba Falls, Nohkalikai Falls, Seven Sisters Falls, Dainthlen Falls, Mawsmai & Arwah Caves, and Garden of Caves, overnight in Cherrapunjee.	-
DAY 3	Trek to Double-Decker Living Root Bridge in Nongriat, visit Rainbow Waterfalls, overnight in Cherrapunjee.	-
DAY 4	Visit Mawlynnong Village, proceed to Dawki, enjoy boat ride and camping in Shnongpdeng, overnight in Shnongpdeng.	-
DAY 5	Visit Krang Suri Falls and Phe Phe Falls, travel back to Shillong, overnight in Shillong.	-
DAY 6	Visit Laitlum Grand Canyon, departure from Guwahati.	-



DAY 001

Arrival in Guwahati, travel to Shillong, visit Umiam Lake, overnight in Shillong.

- Arrive at **Guwahati Airport/Junction** where our representative will greet you.
- Enjoy a scenic drive to Shillong, the capital city of Meghalaya.
- Enroute, stop by **Umiam Lake**, also known as **Barapani**, the largest man-made reservoir in Northeast India.
- Arrive in Shillong, check-in to your hotel, and relax.
- Overnight at a comfortable hotel in Shillong.



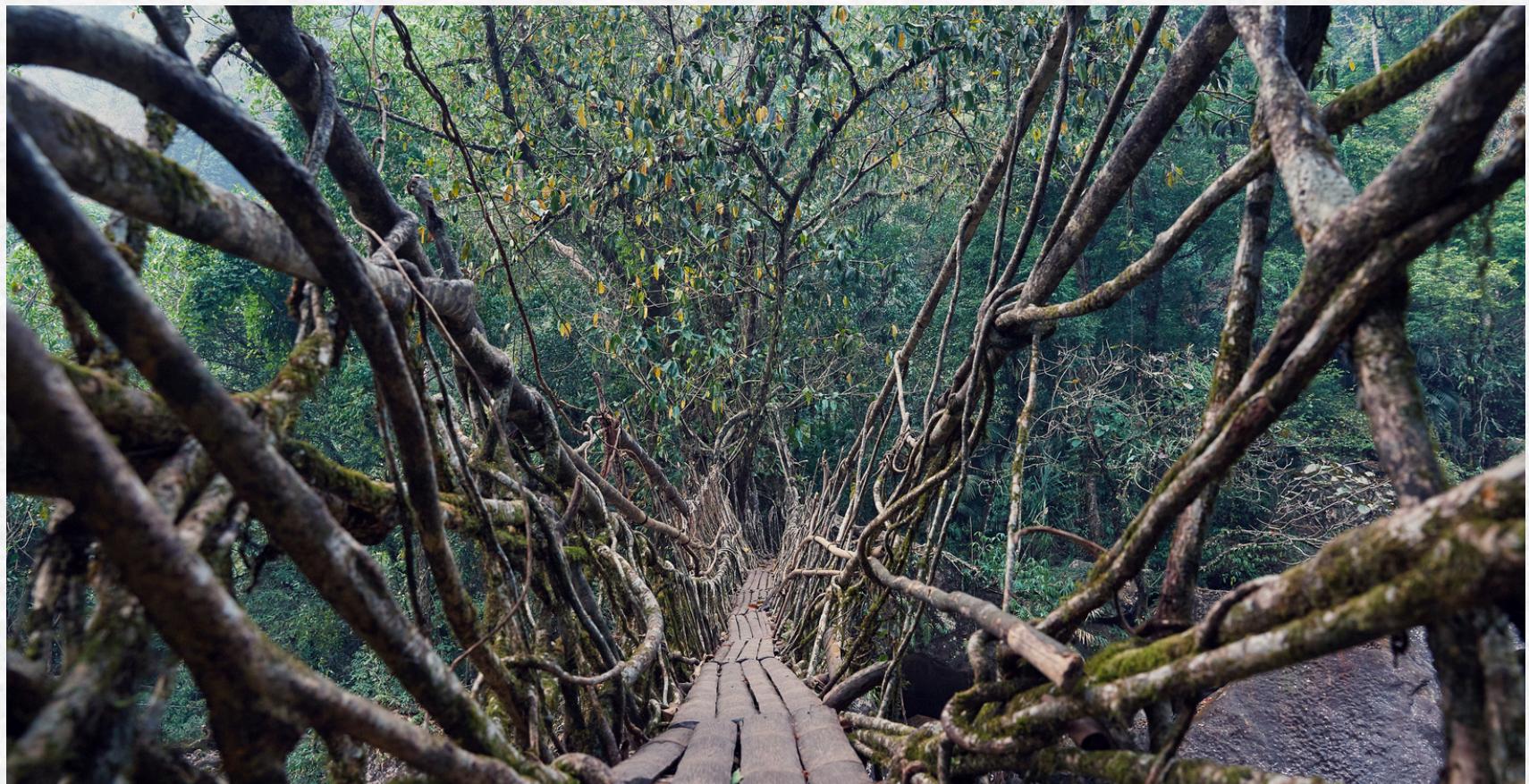
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DAY 002

Shillong to Cherrapunjee | Enroute Waterfalls & Caves | Overnight at Cherrapunjee

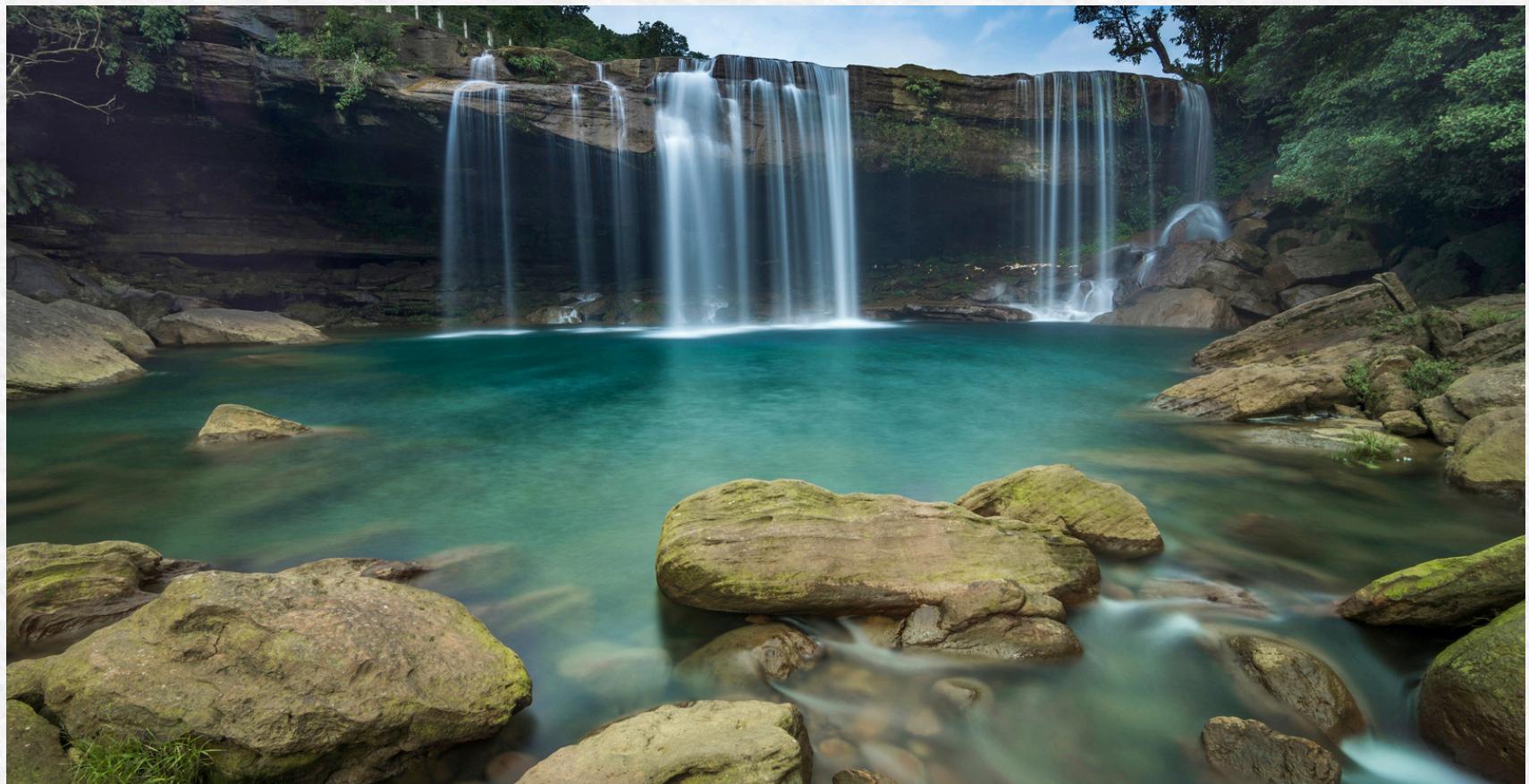
- After breakfast, start your journey towards Cherrapunjee, one of the wettest places on Earth. Visit **Elephant Falls**, named for an elephant-shaped rock at its base.
- Stop at **Mawkdok Valley**, also known as Maggie Point. Visit the **Garden of Caves**, a picturesque spot featuring waterfalls, caves, and lush greenery.
- Visit **Nohkalikai Falls**, the tallest plunge waterfall in India. Explore **Seven Sisters Falls**, a mesmerizing seven-segmented waterfall.
- Explore **Mawsmai Cave**, famous for its limestone formations, and **Arwah Cave**, known for its fossils and narrow passages.
- Arrive in Cherrapunjee, check-in to your hotel, and enjoy a relaxed evening.
- Overnight at a comfortable hotel in Cherrapunjee.



DAY 003

Cherrapunjee | Double-Decker Living Root Bridge Trek | Overnight at Cherrapunjee

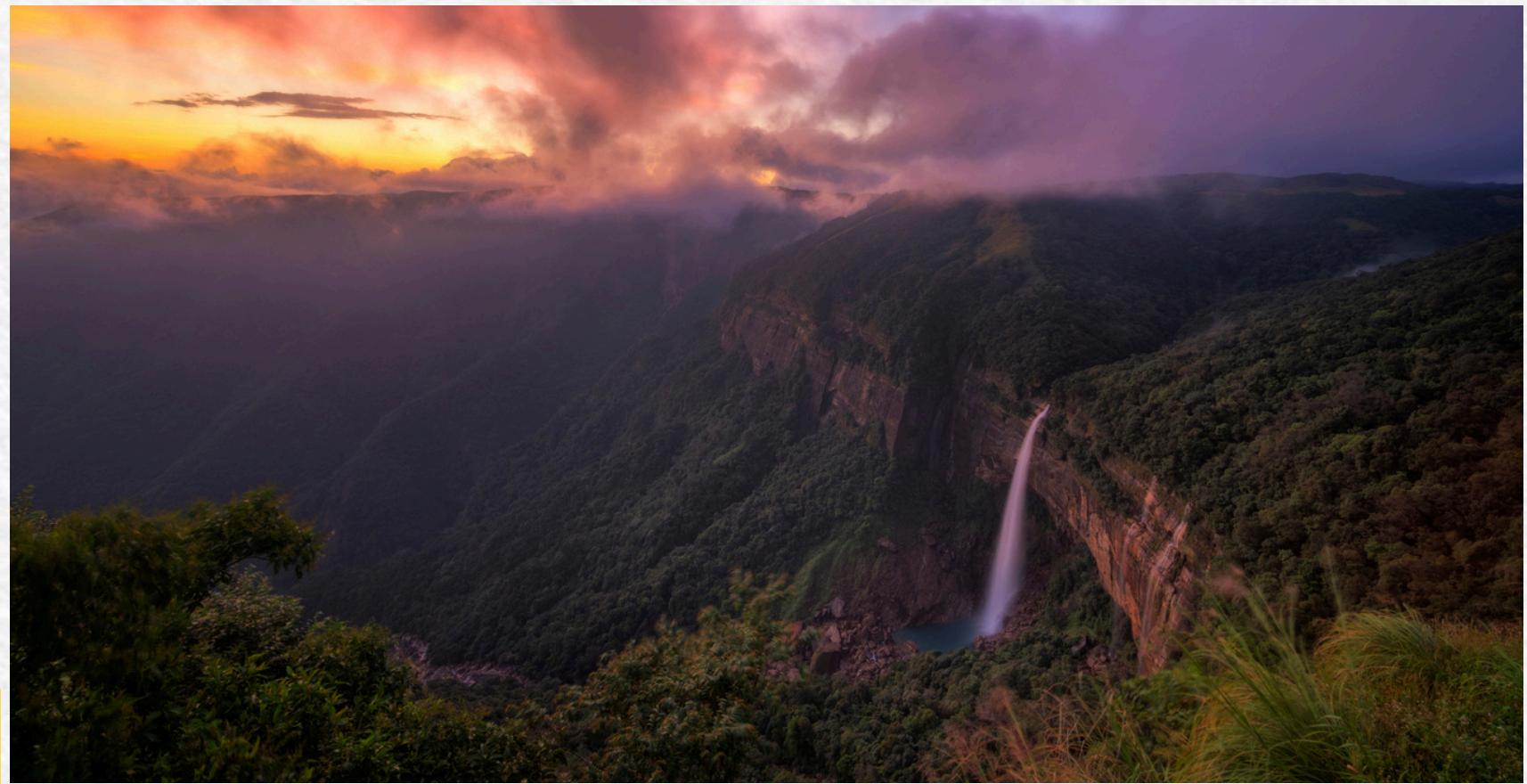
- Begin your day early with a hearty breakfast.
- Trek down 3500 steps with a local guide to reach the **Double-Decker Living Root Bridge** in Nongriat, a marvel of bioengineering.
- Optionally, extend your trek to visit the stunning **Rainbow Waterfalls**, known for their vibrant hues.
- Ascend back to Cherrapunjee after an exhilarating trek.
- Spend the evening at leisure, enjoying the serene surroundings. Overnight at a comfortable hotel in Cherrapunjee.



DAY 004

Cherrapunjee | Mawlynnong Village | Dawki | Shnongpdeng | Overnight at Shnongpdeng Campsite

- Post breakfast, drive towards **Mawlynnong Village**.
- Explore this immaculate village and its community, known as the cleanest village in Asia. Walk across the natural bridges formed by intertwining roots.
- Optionally, embark on the **Mawryngkhang bamboo trek in Wahkhen village**, time permitting.
- Continue to **Dawki**, renowned for the crystal-clear waters of the **Umngot River**. Enjoy a serene boat ride and visit the India-Bangladesh border for a unique experience.
- Settle into the riverside campsite at Shnongpdeng, where you can enjoy leisure time, camping, and a bonfire by the riverside. Overnight in Alpine/Dome Tents at **Shnongpdeng**.



DAY 005

Shnongpdeng | Jowai (Jaintia Hills) | Krang Suri Waterfall | Phe Phe Waterfall .

- Witness the breathtaking morning view of the river.
- Post breakfast, drive towards Jowai and visit **Krang Suri Falls**, a magical waterfall known for its turquoise blue waters. Hike to **Phe Phe Falls** and swim in the stunning natural blue pools.
- After an exhilarating day, drive back to Shillong. Arrive in Shillong, check-in to your hotel, and relax.
- Overnight at a comfortable hotel in Shillong.



DAY 006

Shillong | Laitlum Grand Canyon | Guwahati Departure

- After breakfast, check out from the hotel.
- Visit the majestic **Laitlum Grand Canyons**, known for its panoramic views and serene environment.
- Continue your journey back to Guwahati. Drop-off at Guwahati Airport or Railway Station for your onward journey.
- Trip ends with beautiful memories.



INCLUSIONS

- Accommodation in standard Hotels/Homestays or Guesthouses/Tents (sharing basis)
- Transportation in an AC vehicle: SUV/Sedan or Tempo Traveler (as per group size)
- Pick & Drop to location (sharing basis)
- Complimentary Breakfast and Dinner
- All permits, hotel taxes & parking charges
- All tolls & driver charges
- Local guide charges if any
- Bonfire (if weather permits)
- Medical kit for emergency conditions
- Team Captain throughout the trip

EXCLUSIONS

- ✗ GST (5%) is applicable extra.
- ✗ Any other food or beverage charges that are not included in the package.
- ✗ Any other costing involved due to any kind of natural calamity, forced circumstances, which are out of our control.
- ✗ Any other expense not mentioned in the inclusion column.
- ✗ Any personal expenses like a tip to the drivers, entry to monuments/monasteries, camera/video camera charges, laundry, telephone bills, tips, etc
- ✗ Pony Rides are not included
- ✗ Any other adventure activities which is not mentioned in the inclusions
- ✗ Any adventure activities such as river rafting, boating, kayaking, etc.

THINGS TO KNOW



- ID proof is mandatory for each individual guest at the time of booking, and also upon arrival.
- In some regions, it is mandatory to turn off the AC in the vehicle (especially in eco-sensitive areas and hilly regions).
- Pack sturdy hiking shoes while going for the **Nogriat Trek as the pathway is steep and slippery.**
- Any breakage or damage of any items will be charged at actuals.
- Always carry an umbrella and warm clothes to avoid unexpected rainfall and temperature drops.
- Check the latest permit regulations and obtain necessary permits in advance if planning to visit restricted areas.

MANDATORY DOCUMENTS

Government Photo Identity Card:

- VOTER CARD/PASSPORT /DRIVING LICENCE (Any one)
- PASSPORT SIZE PHOTOGRAPHS (Recent)

TRAVEL TIPS FOR NORTHEAST INDIA

- 1. Permits:** Travel to some areas in Northeast India may require special permits. Ensure you have the necessary documentation before your trip.
- 2. Languages:** English and Hindi are commonly used languages across the region, though local languages vary widely.
- 3. Mobile Network:** Mobile network is generally available in most destinations, although it could be patchy in certain remote regions.
- 4. Road Conditions:** Road conditions in some stretches can be bumpy, particularly in hilly areas.
Plan for slower travel times between destinations.
- 5. Weather:** The weather in hilly regions can be unpredictable in any season. Make the most of good weather when it comes your way.
- 6. Cold Regions:** Some mountain passes and destinations can get very cold. Carry warm clothes, including jackets with hoodies, socks, shawls, thermals, and a poncho.
- 7. Daylight Hours:** Try to leave early for your day's excursions as the sun sets as early as 4:30/5 PM in winters and 5:30/6 PM in summers across most parts of Northeast India.
- 8. Homestays:** Some homestays may restrict loud noise or activities after dinner. Respect their sentiments and protocols during your stay.
- 9. Cultural Respect:** Many local lifestyles and traditions have been in existence for centuries. Kindly do not show any form of disrespect even if you disagree with them.
- 10. Environmental Consciousness:** Some rural areas and nature trails have fragile ecosystems.
Avoid doing anything that might disturb them.
- 11. Accommodation:** While every effort is made to provide the best accommodation available, some may not meet city or established tourist destination standards. Your understanding and cooperation are appreciated.
- 12. Traffic Regulations:** Be aware of specific traffic regulations, particularly for vehicles like the Sumo Bolero in certain areas.
 - Pickup Restriction: Vehicles are prohibited from picking up passengers from market areas after 8 AM.
 - Evening Access Restriction: Entry into market areas or hotel drop-offs are only permitted after 6 PM.



THINGS TO CARRY

- **Sunglasses:** Ensure you have a high-quality pair to shield your eyes from UV rays.
- **Towel:** A compact, quick-drying towel is ideal for travel.
- **Water Bottle and Thermos Flask:** Stay hydrated and keep your beverages at the desired temperature.
- **Umbrella:** A sturdy, travel-friendly umbrella for sudden rain showers.
- **Raincoat, Poncho, and Windcheater Jackets:** Layer up with waterproof and windproof gear to stay dry and warm in varying weather conditions.
- **Hiking Shoes:** Invest in a durable, comfortable pair suitable for long walks and uneven terrain.
- **Socks and Gloves:** Carry at least two pairs of each for warmth and comfort.
- **Fleece and Thermal Pants:** Essential for insulation against the cold.
- **T-Shirts:** Bring a mix of lightweight and thermal options to accommodate different climates.
- **Sunscreen and Moisturizer:** Protect your skin from harsh sun and dry air.
- **Medications:** Pack personal medications, including those for common issues like gas and headaches.
- **Toiletries:** Include all necessary items for personal hygiene.
- **Dry Fruits:** A healthy, energy-boosting snack that is easy to carry.
- **Protein Bars:** Convenient and nutritious options to keep your energy levels up during activities.

GENERAL TERMS AND CONDITION OF THE TRIP

- Full payment of the trip cost must be made before the trip begins. Pending payments may eventually lead to the cancellation of the trip.
- The IDs shall all be verified before boarding. No boarding shall be entertained without a valid Govt. ID.
- Transfer of bookings is not permitted. Only the names mentioned at the time of confirmation shall be allowed to travel.
- No refunds shall be made towards any inclusion(s) not availed by the client - Travelers must take care of their luggage & belongings. The management shall not be responsible for any damage or any missing items along the tour.
- Offbeat Sikkim reserve the right to alter itinerary due to weather-related closure, Landslides , or heavy snowfall for the safety of our Travelers.
- **In the event of natural disasters or government-issued route diversions, any additional costs incurred due to such circumstances will be the responsibility of the guest.**
- The Air Conditioning will be switched off in the hills. Also, during the trip it shall be the
- Driver undefined discretion to put off the AC as & when required, considering the travelers undefined safety & ease of travel along uneven & dangerous routes.
- No act of misconduct or indiscipline shall be tolerated on the tours. We are a cordial travel community and we aspire to bring to you a hassle-free and memorable experience. We reserves the right to take appropriate action, which may include but is not limited to verbal warnings, mediation with a trip captain, or even removal from the tour at the traveler's own expense.
- We do not provide any insurance policy to cover for the expenditure on sickness or accidents or losses incurred due to theft or other reasons.

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BOOKING PROCESS

Double/Triple Sharing

INR 24,999/- Per head

(Note- Single occupancy accommodation is available for an additional cost)

For the booking confirmation, **kindly make INR 5000/-per head advance payment of the total amount** and make the remaining payment two days before the trip.

BATCHES

BATCH	DATE
BATCH 1	13th OCT-18TH OCT
BATCH 2	18TH NOV-23RD NOV
BATCH 3	9TH DEC-14TH DEC

[Note: If you are a group of 5 or more people then the dates can be customized]

PAYMENT PROCESS

Following mode of payments are available:

1) ACCOUNT TRANSFER

Name: Offbeatsikkim Travel Pvt .Ltd

Account Number: 531501010035344.

IFSC Code: UBIN0553158.

Account Type: Current.

2) BY UPI

UPI ID: 8597669309@ibl

3) Gpay -

4) PhonePe-

CONFIRMATION PROCESS

- The customer receives a confirmation voucher via email within 24 hours of successful booking.
- In case the preferred slots are unavailable, an alternate schedule of the customer's preference will be arranged and a new confirmation voucher will be sent via email.
- Alternatively, the customer may choose to cancel their booking before confirmation and a full refund will be processed.



Cancellation

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