

VENKATESHWARA TEMPLES IN INDIA FROM DIFFERENT STATES

1) Sri Venkateswara Temple, Andhra Pradesh

- The combination of Wealth and Offerings and this temple is known for its immense wealth which is largely contributed by the devotees. Devotees offer various forms of wealth, including gold and other precious items, as a gesture of devotion, also the temple is famous for its Laddu prasadam, a sweet offering distributed to devotees.

2) Sri Tirumala Venkataramana Swamy Temple, Bantwal, Karnataka

- A scenic view of river Netravathi in front of this temple to take photographs and people also here say that Balaji was here from Tirupati.

3) Koodal Azhagar Temple, Tamil Nadu

- Swami here has a unique standing posture where lord vishnu stands on one foot.

4) Badrinath Temple / Badri Vishal, Uttarakhand

- It is one of the Char Dham pilgrimage sites and Hindus offer oblations to their ancestors with the help of priests.

5) Sri Chilukur Balaji temple, Hyderabad, Telangana

- This temple gained a reputation from the 1980s to the date when a group of students claimed to receive it after visiting this temple.

6) Sri Padmanabhaswamy Temple, Kerala

- The Lord Vishnu idol in the temple is in the Anantha Shayana posture and the temple has unique entry rules that only allow Hindus to enter, and they must adhere to a specific dress code

7) Jagdish Temple, Udaipur, Rajasthan

- The main deity in the temple is a large black stone idol of Lord Vishnu in the form of Lord Jagannath

8) Asvakranta Temple in Guwahati, Assam

- This Temple offers a great view of its surroundings

9) Jagannath Temple, Odisha

- The idols of Lord Jagannath, Balabhadra, and Subhadra in the temple have eyes painted on them, and for a significant part of the year, these eyes are kept closed. During the Nabakalebara ceremony, when new idols are crafted, the eyes are revealed, and this moment is considered auspicious and mysterious.

10) Balaji Temple, Pune, Maharashtra

- It is built in the middle of a green landscape with a peaceful environment to meditate.

GANESH TEMPLES IN INDIA FROM DIFFERENT STATES

1) Siddhivinayak Temple, Mumbai

- Interesting right? If you truly wish for something in this temple it will be fulfilled, and celebrities will be visiting this temple from various parts of India.

2) Dagdusheth Halwai Ganpati Temple, Pune

- The Ganesh idol will be fascinating here as it is purely ornamented with gold jewelry.

3) Ganpatipule Temple, Ratnagiri

- Unlike other God who faces east this Ganapati idol faces west and it is naturally evolved.

4) Ganesh Chaturthi in Ucchi Pillayar Temple, Tiruchirappalli

- This temple is meant for well-furnished rock architecture, and it is believed that Ganesha disguised himself as a shepherd boy and convinced Vibhisan to keep the idol of Vishnu and an angry Vibhisan unknowingly hits the Lord. So that mark is there on the idol's head as well.

5) Kanipakam Vinayaka Temple, Chittoor

- The idol in this temple has 3 different colors red, white, and yellow on the head believed that it is dipped in holy water

6) Moti Dungri Ganesh Temple, Jaipur

- One of the oldest temples in Jaipur surrounded by hills and forts

7) Kalamassery Mahaganapathy Temple, Kerala

- In this temple, we can find the idols of Subramanian, navagrahas, lord Rama, Shiva, and Parvati and this place is a roadside where everyone can visit this temple daily.

8) Varasiddhi Vinayagar Temple, Chennai

- We can see the idol of Vinayagar with Sidhi here, this temple has an auditorium where cultural programs are conducted.

9) Ganesh Tok Temple, Gangtok

- Located on a hilltop with glorious views of the Kanchenjunga mountains, this is a beautiful temple in Gangtok. Tourists and pilgrims consider Ganesh Tok a very sacred place. The beautiful greenery and the steep height make the trip good for hikers and trekkers as well.

10) Ranthambore Ganesh Temple, Rajasthan

- It is said that Lord Krishna and his wife Rukmini sought Ganesha blessings in this temple which is why every year this temple receives a wide range of wedding

invitations and gifts.

SUBRAMANYA SWAMY TEMPLES IN INDIA FROM DIFFERENT STATES

1) Sri Subrahmanya swamy Temple, Skandha Giri, Secunderabad, Telangana

- The temple's location on a hill adds to the spiritual ambiance and provides panoramic views of the surrounding area.

2) Srikalahasti Sri Subrahmanya Swamy Temple – Located in Andhra Pradesh

- This temple is famous for Rahu-Ketu navagraha puja for removing ill effects on individual

3) Palani Dandayudhapani Swamy Temple, TamilNadu

- The prominence of this temple is Murugan idol was consecrated by a siddhar which consists of navapashanam i.e. 9 poisonous herbs but it forms a medicine when mixed in good ratio few people who have access to the deity used to rub off chemicals.

4) Haripad Sree Subrahmanya Swamy temple, Haripad, Kerala

- The appearance of Swamy Murugan in this temple is four armed with a vel.

5) Lord Kartikeya (Murugan) temple highway - Dehu road, Maharashtra

- This temple is situated on a hill where people can take their darshans without disturbance.

6) Uttara Swami Malai Temple R. K. Puram, New Delhi

- The specialty of this temple has adopted a peacock as its pet which can be seen and found among the trees.

7) Lord Kartik Swami (Subramanya Swamy) Temple, Rudraprayag, Uttarakhand

- This temple's scenic view is awesome because the temple remains hidden by the cotton-type clouds.

8) Kukke Subramanya Temple, On the banks of river Kumaradhara, Karnataka.

- This temple is covered with hills and was built on the banks of Kumaradhara.

9) Thiruchembur Murugan Temple, Mumbai, Maharashtra

- This temple is called a mini madras because many god-loving people from the south have been involved in the development of this temple

10) Arulmigu Balamurugan Temple (Ratnagiri, Tamil Nadu)

- The miracle that happened here is that the ordinary sand structure of Murugan was converted into stone.

SARASWATHI DEVI TEMPLES IN INDIA FROM DIFFERENT STATES

1) Sri Sharada Devi (Maihar Devi), Maihar

- The temple is located on a hillock and pilgrims must climb 1063 steps to reach it. Ropeway is available for the differently abled and the elderly.

2) Saraswati Temple, Pushkar, Rajasthan

- Pushkar is the only place in the world where a temple dedicated to Lord Brahma is located, it is obvious that his celestial wife, Saraswati has a residence by his side.

3) Shringeri Sharadamba Temple, Karnataka

- Sharadha devi idol in this temple is simple and made of sandalwood consecrated on Sri chakra by Acharyas.

4) Panachikkadu Temple, Kottayam

- The aspect of this holy residence is the invisible presence of Yaskshi a Female vampire.

5) Gnana Saraswati Temple, Basar

- many pilgrims come here to perform their children's akshara bhyasam before they start their education and sages like Veda Vyasa and Vishwamitra stay on the banks of Godavari River.

6) Sharada (Saraswati Devi Sakthipeeth) Peeth, Jammu & Kashmir

- This is one of the 18 Shakti peethas and the spiritual location because Goddess Sati's fallen right hand is here.

7) Koothanur Saraswathi Temple, Tamil Nadu

- This is the only temple with Saraswati devi as the main deity and a famous poet ottakoothar built this temple.

8) Vidya Saraswati Temple, Wargal

- This temple is being maintained kanchi Shankar Mutt and also vedha paatashala was started by Sri Shankara Vijaya Saraswathi of Kanchi Petam and is also maintained here with rules and regulations.

9) Nil Saraswati Temple, Belwa, Katihar, Bihar

- It is said that the famous poet Kalidas was here and gained knowledge and his in-laws resided here.

10) Saraswati temple at BITS Pilani campus

- This temple displays eye-catching, designs and figures of philosophers, saints, and scientists. It is a fusion of the religious and the spiritual spheres with the scientific and modern world.

SAI BABA TEMPLES IN INDIA FROM DIFFERENT STATES

1) Shirdi Sai Baba Temple: (Maharashtra)Samadhi Mandir:

- The Samadhi Mandir in Shirdi is the main shrine dedicated to Sai Baba.

2) Sai Baba Temple, Hyderabad

- This temple is in the Dilsukhnagar in Telangana same as Shirdi the Marathi poojas and Marathi are performed every day in the mornings and evenings.

3) Sai Baba Temple, Delhi – Located in Lodhi Colony

- This Temple is famous for its modern style infrastructure.

4) Sai Baba Temple, Bangalore suburb of Mahalakshmi Layout

- This temple has a special holy place for Lord Sai Baba within the premises of the Main deity lord Srikanteshwara.

5) Sai Baba Temple, Chennai Mylapore

- Calm Temple and systematic in maintaining queues even on Busy Thursdays.

6) Dhakshin Shirdi Saibaba temple Thiruvilwamala, Kerala.

- As already Thiruvilwamala is a scenic hilly village when water scarcity was there while constructing this temple Baba's Udi was spread over that place and started constructing a dug, miraculously water gushed out and it was named 'Sai Ganga'.

7) Shirdi Sai Temple in Bhubaneswar ,Baragarh, Odisha, Tankapani Road.

- The prominence of this temple is the meditation hall which is well maintained.

8) Sai Dham, Faridabad, Haryana

- This temple is famous for its charity among people.

9) Shirdi Sai Dhyana Mandir Machilipatnam, Andhra Pradesh.

- A Neem tree is grown in the temple and a snake idol has been built there daily a snake visits that place it is believed that sai baba comes in the form of the snake daily.

10) Sri Shirdi Sai Baba Temple, opposite Surat airport

- This temple infrastructure will be like the main temple Shirdi and every day free annadhanam is offered here.

HANUMAN TEMPLES IN INDIA FROM DIFFERENT STATES

1) Shri Hanuman Mandir, Connaught Place, Delhi

- This temple is famous for its continuous 24-hour chanting of the Hanuman Chalisa.

2) Sankat Mochan Hanuman Temple, Varanasi, Uttar Pradesh

- It was founded by the revered saint Tulasidas, founder of Ramacharitamanas.

3) Salasar Balaji Temple, Salasar, Rajasthan

- This temple has the unique display of lord Hanuman manifested as Balaji.

4) Hampi Hanuman Temple, Karnataka

- This temple has a beautiful landscape, an eye-catching serene view of its surroundings.

5) Mehandipur Balaji Temple, Rajasthan

- Devotees believe here that this deity has the power to cure mental illness and evil powers.

6) Namakkal Anjaneyar Temple, Tamil Nadu

- Deity statue was carved out on a single stone 18 feet Hanuman statue where people come from across the state to offer prayers.

7) Kashi Vishwanath Hanuman Temple, Varanasi, Uttar Pradesh

- This temple stands near the famous Kashi Vishwanath temple which is why pilgrims seek Hanuman Ji's blessings before they visit Kashi Vishweshwara Swamy.

8) Shri Hanuman Temple, Jamnagar, Gujarat

- The temple holds a special place in the hearts of the local community. Many devotees recount their experiences receiving divine blessings and solutions to their problems after visiting this temple. Efforts are made by the government to preserve the temple's architecture and historical significance.

9) Chitrakoot Hanuman Dhara, Chitrakoot, Madhya Pradesh

- Chitrakoot Hanuman Dhara is situated in the picturesque town of Chitrakoot, which is believed to be the place where Lord Rama, Sita, and Lakshmana spent a significant part of their exile. The temple offers breathtaking views of the Chitrakoot Falls.

10) Hanuman Temple, Shimla, Himachal Pradesh

- The Hanuman Temple in Shimla is in the lush greenery of the Himalayan foothills. Visitors here seek blessings and enjoy the panoramic views of the surrounding hills and valleys.

RAM TEMPLES IN INDIA FROM DIFFERENT STATES

1) Ayodhya Ram Mandir, Uttar Pradesh.

- Being Ayodhya the Birthplace of Lord Ram one of the important pilgrimage sites for Hindus, the temple will be open for devotees in 2024.

2) Ram Raja Temple, Orchha Madhya Pradesh.

- Queen of Orchha was a devotee of lord sri ram on he visits to Ayodhya she prayed to her diety to bring back her home in the form of a small boy Lord Rama agreed to come with her to Orchha but with a condition that he would not move from one temple to another but will stay where she would initially house him. Lord Rama Temple was built in Orchha but Rama refused to come there due to his condition. So,
- The Queen Palace became Raja Rama Temple, and he even gets a Gun Salute!

3) Sita Ramachandraswamy Temple, Bhadrachalam, Telangana.

- The name badrachalam is derived from the word bhadragiri. It is well-known because the idols of Lord Rama, Sita, and Lakshmana are Self-Manifested.

4) Ramaswamy Temple, Kumbhakonam, Tamil Nadu.

- It is the heart of Kumbhakonam main attraction of this temple is lord Rama is in a seated position with Sita Devi Next to him.

5) Kalaram Temple, Nashik, Maharashtra.

- The temple is built in a way that Lord Rama's idol is visible from Hanuman's idol, this temple has 84 pillars which represent 84 lakh species individuals have to go to get human birth.

6) Thriprayar Sri Rama Temple, Kerala.

- The lord Sriram idol was immersed in the sea after the swargarohana of Srikrishna, the idol was found in the sea by some fishermen then later a temple was constructed in Thriprayar by the Local Ruler.

7) Ram Mandir, Bhubaneswar, Odisha.

- One of the main aspects of this temple is its visible from many parts of the city and temple architecture will be fascinating.

8) Shri Ram Tirath Temple, Amritsar,

- It is said that it was the ashram of Sage Valmiki where Sita took shelter when her husband lord Sri Ram abandoned her.

9) Raghunath Temple, Jammu

- This temple was built by Raja Jagat Singh to correct his major mistake that was done by him.

10) kodandarama temple karnataka

- Unlike other temples, the main attraction in this temple is where the Sugriva bows in front of lord Rama.

KRISHNA TEMPLES IN INDIA FROM DIFFERENT STATES

1. Dwarkadhish Temple Dwarka city of Gujarat

- It is said that Krishna arrived at Dwarka to build it, and Lord Krishna Grandson established this Dwarka temple, and it was renovated several times.

2) Jagannath Temple Bali Sahi, Puri, Odisha

- It is said here that Lord Krishna's heart was here and the material that it is made from damages the heart, so they must change it every twelve years.

3) Guruvayur Temple Kerala

- The attraction of this temple is the four-armed Vishnu and architectural beauty was the main attraction of this temple.

4) Prem Mandir Vrindavan

- The interiors of this temple depict the scenes of lord Krishna raising Govardhan hill and this temple symbolizes his pure love for Radha.

5) Udupi Sri Krishna Matha, Udupi Karnataka

- It is very interesting here that the idol of Lord Krishna is characterized as a small boy and people here worship Krishna through silver plated 9 holes.

6) ISKCON Temple Delhi

- The temple here is built to continue the practices of Vaishnavas and to bring the spiritual culture to India.

7) Jugal Kishore Temple, Mathura

- The center of attraction is this temple was constructed on the banks of Yamuna which is a scenic view for everyone.

8) Shrinathji Temple, Nathdwara Rajasthan

- The idol in this temple is self-manifested.

9) Sri Vidhya Rajagopalaswamy temple mannargudi tamil nadu

- it is considered as abhimana kshetram because of the Vaishnava practices

10) Birla Mandir, Kurukshetra, Haryana

- The temple has beautiful Nagara-style architecture.

LORD SHIVA TEMPLES IN INDIA FROM DIFFERENT STATES

1) Kashi Vishwanath Temple, Varanasi.

- The Main Attraction of this temple is Ganga Aarthi daily Devotees and tourists gather to witness this elaborate and visually stunning ceremony performed by priests on the ghats of the Ganges.

2) Mallikarjuna Swamy Temple, Srisailam

- The Srisailam Dam, located near the temple, adds to the scenic beauty of the surroundings. Pilgrims visiting the Mallikarjuna Swamy Temple often also explore the natural beauty of the region.

3) Ramanathaswamy Temple, Rameswaram

- The temple complex has 22 wells, each with water of a different taste. Pilgrims believe that taking a bath in these wells will cleanse them of sins.

4) Mahakaleshwar Jyotirlinga Temple - Ujjain

- The lingam (iconic representation of Lord Shiva) in the Mahakaleshwar Temple is believed to be "swayambhu," meaning self-formed. It is said to have emerged naturally in the shape of a Shiva Lingam.

5) Somnath Jyotirlinga Temple Veraval in Gujarat, India.

- The term "Somnath" is often translated as "The Shrine Eternal" about the temple's resilience and the belief that it has been reconstructed multiple times after being destroyed.

6) Lingaraja Temple, Bhubaneswar

- The temple complex includes a hall of offering (Bhoga Mandapa) and a dancing hall (Natya Mandapa), which are notable for their architectural features and artistic embellishments.

7) Pashupatinath Temple Kathmandu

- The temple is located on the banks of the Bagmati River, and pilgrims often take ritual baths in the holy river as part of their religious observances.

8) jyotirlinga, Kedarnath temple, Uttarakhand

- Kedarnath is part of the Panch Kedar pilgrimage circuit, which includes five temples dedicated to Lord Shiva. The other temples in this circuit are Tungnath, Rudranath, Madhyamaheshwar, and Kalpeshwar. Pilgrims undertake this sacred journey to seek the blessings of Lord Shiva in different forms.

9) Murudeshwar temple, Karnataka

- One of the most iconic features of the Murudeshwar Temple is the towering Shiva statue. The temple complex is home to a massive 123-foot (37-meter) tall statue of Lord Shiva in a meditative pose, which is one of the tallest Shiva statues in the world. The statue is set against the backdrop of the Arabian Sea, adding to its visual appeal.

10) Triambhakeshwar Nashik Maharashtra

- Trimbakeshwar is situated near the origin of the Godavari River, one of the major rivers in India. The temple holds significance as the source of the Godavari, and pilgrims often perform rituals and take holy dips in the Godavari as part of their religious observances.

PARVATHI DEVI TEMPLES IN INDIA FROM DIFFERENT STATES

1) Shree Kshetra Kolhapur Mahalakshmi Temple, Maharashtra

- It is believed here that the amma is a seat of wealth the attire of the Mahalakshmi devi idol will be changed every 2 minutes.

2) Meenakshi Temple, Tamil Nadu

- one of the oldest temples with paintings and sculptures and Lord Shiva with his incarnation Sundareshwar married to Meenakshi Amman called Thirukalyanam. incarnation of Parvathi Devi it is believed that they protect this temple, and this temple is constructed on the banks of Vaigai River.

3) Kamakhya Temple, Assam

- The mother goddess here is very powerful because as humans she undergoes fertility, and the temple is closed on these 3 days and the 4th day temple deities celebrate this auspicious occasion.

4) Vaishno Devi Temple, Jammu and Kashmir.

- Interesting right? Pilgrims must undergo 12 12-kilometre trekking on mountains for the darshan of Maa Vaishno Devi.

5) Mookambika Temple, Karnataka, color

- Goddess Parvathi Devi came down to earth to demonstrate the demon Kamasura and Thanking Goddess localities here worshipped Parvati Devi and a temple was formed here.

6) Danteshwari Temple, Chhattisgarh

- The goddess here is considered as an incarnation of goddess Shakti and the temple is surrounded by scenic views.

7) Ambaji Temple, Gujarat

- This is the place where the heart of the Goddess fell after her body separated into 50 pieces after the tandav dance of Lord Shiva.

8) Shantadurga Temple, Goa

- Shree Shantadurga is one of the forms of Goddess Adimaya Durga. It is believed that once there was a fierce war between Lord Shiva and Lord Vishnu due to which the entire world was distressed.
- Hence Lord Bramhadeva prayed and beseeched Goddess Adimaya Durga to intervene and stop the war. The Goddess held Lord Shiva in one hand and Lord Vishnu in the other hand and brought about reconciliation among them this stopped the war and
- in the Garbhagruha (sanctum sanctorum) of the temple, on either side of the beautiful murti (idol) of Shree Shantadurga with four hands, there are small six-inch idols of Lord Shiva and Lord Vishnu.

9) jwalamukhi temple, Himachal Pradesh

- The Mystery of this temple is that it is believed that Devi's tongue fell on jwalamukhi. Small flames will be there on Jwalamukhi Rock.

10) Vindhyavasini Devi Temple Uttar Pradesh

- It is one of the Shakti Peetham temples and Goddess Vindhyasini Devi chose this city after she slayed the demon Mahishasura.

