

Dharamshala Travel Itinerary



Located high in the mountains of Himachal Pradesh, Dharamshala is an ideal destination for those seeking calm and serenity amidst awe-inspiring landscapes. While its monasteries and bustling bazaars attract many tourists, there is much more to discover for those who venture deeper. Imagine walking through small communities, exploring pristine lakes, and trekking along secluded trails in Dharamshala—places untouched by mass tourism. This beautiful city offers a diverse range of experiences that can fulfill every traveler's imagination.

Budget-Friendly Stays

- Evolve Dharamkot
- Young Monk Hostel
- The Hostel Story
- The Hosteller
- Live Free Hostel
- Mitra Hostel
- Zostel Mcleod Ganj
- Alt Life
- Backpackers
- Himalayan Trekkers

Day-to-Day Schedule

- **Day 1:**

Arrive and check in. Explore Mcleod Ganj and visit the Dalai Lama Temple. Enjoy dinner at a local café.

- **Day 2:**

Start your day by visiting Bhagsunag Temple and Waterfall. Explore the market and try Tibetan cuisine.

- **Day 3:**

Take a shared taxi from Mcleod Ganj for a full-day tour of Dharamshala's tourist spots, including Kangra Fort, sunset at Naddi View Point, and shopping at local markets.

Adventurous Activities

- Trekking: Triund, Indrahar Pass, Kareri Lake
- Paragliding
- Rock Climbing
- Waterfall Rappelling at Bhagsu
- Cooking & Pottery Classes
- Jewelry & Craft Workshops: Silver, Gold, Macramé, and Dream Catchers
- Trek to Shiva Café
- Trek to Sunset Viewpoint
- Reiki Classes

Tourist Places

- Kangra Fort
- Dharamshala War Memorial
- Tea Gardens
- Bhagsunath Temple
- Namgyal Monastery
- Tibetan Museum
- Gyuto Monastery
- St. John's Church
- Norbulingka Monastery
- Dalai Lama Temple

Local & Instagram-Famous Cafés

- Lhasa Café
- 4 Seasons Café
- Kalipong
- Cool Talk Café
- Jimmy's Italian Kitchen
- Food Safari
- Doljim Kitchen
- Morgan's Place
- Monu Punjabi Dhaba
- Shiva Café

Must-Visit Place

- Local Market
- Mcleod Ganj
- Dharamkot
- Naddi Village
- Kangra Valley
- Dharamkot Meditation Point

Nightlife

- Visit Upper Dharamkot or Upper Bhagsu for a relaxed nightlife experience.

Secret Tips

- Try momos from 4 Seasons Café.
- Enjoy the best Tibetan cuisine at Lhasa Café.
- Explore the hidden lanes of Upper Bhagsu.
- Book accommodations in Dharamkot for a peaceful stay.
- Trek to the Snowline for breathtaking views.
- Walk through Nature Park between Old and New Mcleod Ganj for a scenic experience.
- Booking Tips
 1. Flights: Skyscanner
 2. Stays: Booking.com
 3. Buses: Goibibo

Best Time to Visit

- Autumn (September to November) is the best time to visit, with pleasant weather and clear skies.

Phone Connectivity

- 4G connectivity is available in most areas.

Must-Pack Essentials

1. Lightweight jacket & warm clothing
2. Umbrella
3. Comfortable walking shoes
4. Sunscreen & sunglasses

Roadmap

