

Coorg Travel Itinerary

Coorg was called the Scotland of India by the British during their visit in the 19th century. Once you enter this quaint town in Karnataka, you'll quickly realize why. Coorg is known for the surreal beauty of nature, with the mist-covered hills of the Western Ghats and pleasant weather. To enjoy the best views, visit Raja's Seat – a garden with a view of the majestic hills. Mandalpatti Viewpoint also offers stunning views and a chance to trek amid the lush greenery of Coorg.

Budget-Friendly Stays

- Hotels:
- Coorg Lotus Villa
- **▶** Green View Homestay
- ▶ Ikyam
- ▶ Misty Coorg Greens
- Pool Villa

• Hostels/Homestays:

- > The Hosteller
- ▶ GoStop Coorg
- > Zostel Homes
- ▶ Grand Misty Heaven

Day-to-Day Schedule

- Day 1:
- 1. Explore the rolling hills of Coorg, including Talacauvery (the source of the Cauvery River) and the stunning Abbey Falls.
- 2. In the afternoon, visit the Bhagamandala Temple and learn about the rich culture and history of Coorg.
- 3. End the day with a delicious meal at a local restaurant.

• Day 2:

- 1. Head out on a scenic hike to explore Coorg's lush green forests, taking in the stunning views and relaxing in nature's peace.
- 2. In the evening, experience a traditional Yakshagana dance performance.

• Day 3:

- 1. Visit the bustling market in Madikeri and sample some delicious local food.
- 2. Spend the afternoon exploring nearby coffee and spice plantations, learning about the production process and tasting the famous Coorg coffee.

Tourist Places

- ▶ Abbey Falls
- Raja's Seat
- Dubare Elephant Camp
- Coffee Plantation Tour
- Talacauvery
- Namdroling Monastery
- Madikeri Fort
- > Tadiandamol Peak
- Nagarhole National Park

Offbeat Places

- > Chiklihole Dam
- > Iruppu Falls
- ▶ Golden Temple
- Glanrola Tea Estate
- ▶ Pappy's Glass Bridge

Adventurous Activities

- Early morning hike to Doda Peta Peak
- > Trek to Pushpagiri Peak
- Trek to Mandalpatti Peak
- ▶ Mandalpatti Jeep Ride
- River Rafting at Dubare
- Sunset Picnic at Plateau

Local & Instagram-Famous Cafés

- > Taste of Coorg
- Coorg Cuisine
- Raintree Restaurant
- > The East End Restaurant
- Ainmane Café
- Capitol Village
- The Wildlife Coorg Ethnic Food
- Thaliya (Traditional Kodava Restaurant)

Secret Tips

- Visit the hidden waterfall inside the tea plantation: Chelavara Falls.
- Visit an organic farm: Magnolia Mist Farm.
- Most places close by 6 PM.
- · Madikeri Fort remains closed on Mondays.
- Abbey Falls timings: 9 AM to 5 PM, Entry: ₹10
- Golden Temple timings: 9 AM to 6 PM
- Dubare Elephant Camp timings: 9 AM to 11 AM & 4:30 PM to 5:30 PM, Entry: ₹30
- Coorg Hanging Bridge is open all day.
- Pappy's Glass Bridge timings: 8:30 AM to 6:30 PM, Entry: ₹200
- Raja's Seat timings: 9 AM to 8 PM, Entry: ₹20

Best Time to Visit

1. Post-monsoon is the best time to visit.

Must-Pack Essentials

- 1. Gloves, woolen socks, windcheaters, scarves, sunscreen
- 2. Medicines and toiletries

Phone Connectivity

- Airtel, Vodafone & Jio work well in this area.
- Connectivity can be patchy in remote areas.

Roadmap

