

# Kanchenjunga, Ilam and sandakpur tours

DURATION: 10 DAYS

## Trip Facts



**Group Size** 1-8 Persons



**Trip Grade** Moderate



**Accommodation** Hotel



**Max Height** 2100 Metres



**Start From** Kathmandu



**End At** Kathmandu



**Transportation** Car-Flight



**Duration** 10 Days



**Meals included** Breakfast-Lunch-Dinner Days



## Best season:

All

## Trip Overview

**Explore tour options for Kanchenjunga, Ilam, and Sandakpur in Nepal.** Kanchenjunga is the world's third-highest mountain and is known for its natural beauty, diverse landscapes, and unique culture. Ilam, a district in eastern Nepal, is known for its picturesque tea gardens and serene atmosphere. [Sandakpur, a hilltop in West Bengal, India](#), offers spectacular sunrise views over the Himalayan mountain range. To find the right tour, research tour operators, choose an itinerary, choose between group or private tours, compare costs and inclusions, ensure safety and experience, and make reservations in advance. Additionally, it is important to consider the duration of the tour and any specific activities or attractions that you would like to include. Some tours may offer opportunities for hiking, wildlife spotting, or cultural immersion, so it's essential to align your preferences with the tour offerings. Lastly, don't forget to check reviews and testimonials from previous travelers to ensure a reputable and enjoyable experience. This three-day Nepal itinerary includes a guided city tour of Kathmandu, visiting UNESCO World Heritage Sites, exploring Thamel's vibrant streets, and enjoying local cuisine. It also includes a scenic flight to Bhadrapur, Ilam, Sandakpur Base Camp, and a return flight to Kathmandu. Prioritizing safety and well-being is crucial.

**Ilam and Sandakpur are beautiful** destinations offering unique experiences for travelers. Ilam, located in eastern Nepal, is known for its lush tea gardens, picturesque landscapes, and pleasant weather. Visitors can explore the tea plantations, Mai Pokhari Lake, Antu Danda, and local culture and cuisine. To explore Ilam, hire a local guide or join a tour group. Sandakpur, located in West Bengal, is renowned for its magnificent sunrise views over the Himalayas. To reach Sandakpur, consider the Sandakphu Trek, Singalila National Park, and sunrise and sunset views. Join a guided trekking group for experienced guides, accommodations, and permits.

## Trip Itinerary



Day 1: Arrival in Kathmandu, Nepal

 4  Breakfast-Lunch  Hotel  Private Car  1400 m

- Arrive in Kathmandu, the capital city of Nepal.
- Check into your hotel and rest after your journey.
- Use this day to explore the local markets and get acquainted with Nepali culture.

## Day 2: Kathmandu Sightseeing

 4-6  Breakfast-Lunch  Hotel  Private Car  1345 m

- Take a guided city tour of Kathmandu.
- Visit UNESCO World Heritage Sites like Swayambhunath Stupa, Boudhanath Stupa, and Pashupatinath Temple.
- Explore the vibrant streets of Thamel and enjoy local cuisine.

## Day 3: Fly to Bhadrapur and Drive to Ilam

 4-6  Breakfast-Lunch-Dinner  Hotel  Private Car  1627 m

- Take a scenic flight from Kathmandu to Bhadrapur.
- From Bhadrapur, drive to Ilam, enjoying picturesque views along the way.

- Check into your accommodation in Ilam and relax.

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#### Day 4: Ilam Tea Garden Tour

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 5-6    Breakfast-Lunch-Dinner    Hotel    Private Car-Jeep    1630 m

- Embark on a guided tour of the tea gardens in Ilam.
- Learn about the tea production process and enjoy the serene surroundings.
- Visit the famous Mai Pokhari Lake and enjoy birdwatching.

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#### Day 5: Drive to Sandakpur Base Camp

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 5-6    Breakfast-Lunch-Dinner    Hotel    Private Car -Jeep    3636 m

- Leave Ilam and drive to the starting point of the Sandakphu Trek, usually from Manebhanjyang in Darjeeling district, India.
- Begin the trek towards Sandakphu Base Camp.



## Day 6: Trek to Sandakpur Summit

4-5 Breakfast-Lunch-Dinner Hotel Jeep 3640 m

- Continue the trek from Sandakphu Base Camp to reach the summit of Sandakpur.
- Witness the breathtaking sunrise views over the Himalayas, including Mount Everest and Kanchenjunga.



## Day 7: Trek Back to Sandakphu Base Camp and Drive to Darjeeling

6-7 Breakfast-Lunch Hotel Jeep-Car 2100 m

- Trek back to the Sandakphu Base Camp.
- From there, drive to Darjeeling, a famous hill station in India.
- Check into your hotel and rest.



## Day 8: Explore Darjeeling

 6-7  Breakfast-Lunch  Hotel  Private-Jeep  2100 m

- Enjoy a day of sightseeing in Darjeeling.
- Visit attractions like Tiger Hill, Himalayan Mountaineering Institute, Darjeeling Zoo, and the iconic Darjeeling Himalayan Railway (Toy Train).

### Day 9: Fly from Bhadrapur to Kathmandu

 6-7  Breakfast-Lunch  Hotel  Private Car  1400 m

- Drive back to Bhadrapur from Darjeeling.
- Take a flight back to Kathmandu.
- Spend your last evening in Kathmandu exploring more of the city or shopping for souvenirs.

### Day 10: Final Departure

 1-2  Breakfast  Hotel  Private Car  1340 m

- Depending on your flight schedule, you may have some free time to explore Kathmandu before your departure.
- Bid farewell to Nepal and return home with beautiful memories.

## Cost Includes

- ✓ All taxes, fees and handling charges
- ✓ Lunch
- ✓ Transport
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- ✓ Lunch
- ✓ Transport by private vehicle
- ✓ Professional guide
- ✓ Hotel pickup and drop-off
- ✓ Entry/Admission - Shivapuri Nagarjun National Park
- ✓ private vehicle
- ✓ Professional guide
- ✓ Hotel pickup and drop-off
- ✓ All taxes, fees and handling charges
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**MOUNT**  
ADVENTURE HOLIDAYS

- ✓ Hotel pickup and drop-off

## Cost Excludes

- ✗ Beverage bills, bar bills, telephone bills, and Personal expenses.
- ✗ Tips for the Guide and the Driver.

## Trip Map

