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Dear Sir/Madam,

Greetings from Holidays to Nepal!!

Many thanks for your **Kailash Mansarovar Yatra** inquiry with **Holidays to Nepal (P) Ltd.** We are a government-registered, highly rated, Kathmandu based and experienced Kailash Mansarovar Yatra operator since 2013.

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Please find below complete details of the 11 days **Kailash Mansarovar Yatra by Drive** for Nepali. Due to the quality concern and best possible service offering, we do operate on a small group size of minimum 20 people with limited seats on our scheduled departure dates. So, we request you to let us know your decision as early as possible. Your early confirmation will help us to arrange a trip timely with all needful related arrangements.

Kailash Mansarovar Yatra Facts:

Trip Duration:	10 Nights 11 Days
Travel Type:	Kailash Mansarovar Yatra (KMY) by Overland with Parikarma
Travel Year:	2026
Starting Point:	Kathmandu, Nepal
Finishing Point:	Kathmandu, Nepal
Mt. Kailash Height:	6,638 Meters from Sea Level



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Highest Point on Trek:	Dolma la Pass (5,600 meters)
Tour Operation:	From May to September

Package Cost: 2026

Group Size:	Minimum 20 People
Package Cost Per Person:	NPR 1,70,000/person
Tax and Fees:	All Included.

Kailash Mansarovar Yatra by Drive Dates: 2026

Travel Month	Starting Date from Kathmandu
May	TBA
June	TBA
July	TBA
August	TBA
September	TBA

***TBA - To Be Announced**

Your Trip Itinerary:

Day 01: Drive from Kathmandu to Dhunche or Syabrubesi or Timure.



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At. 08:00 PM: You will meet our vehicle at your designated pickup place and you will start your drive towards **Dhunche (98 KM/5 hrs)** or **Syabrubesi (118 KM/6 hrs)** or **Timure (124 KM/7 hours)**, where you can spend the night depending on how long it takes to get there. On the way to Trishuli bazar, you will stop for lunch at a highway restaurant before continuing your journey. The entire ride takes you along the Trishuli River, which offers stunning scenery.

Meals: Lunch and Dinner Included.

Hotel: Local Guest House.

Day 02: Drive to Kyirong.

At. 08:00 AM: After breakfast, first we need to complete the immigration process (the departure stamp) at the Nepal side in Timure. Then you will walk towards **Rasuwagadhi (Nepal-China Border)**, which is about 1.7 KM from Timure. You need to settle some customs formalities in Nepal before crossing the border into China, where our Tibetan guide will meet you. The guide will assist you to complete the immigration formalities in Tibet. Once the Chinese immigration process is over, start driving towards **Kyirong**. Kyirong is 40 KM from the border and takes around one and a half hours to reach. You will stay the night at the hotel in Kyirong.

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch, and Dinner Included.

Hotel: Local 3 Star Hotel (Available Best).

Distance covered: 41.7 KM.

Altitude: 2850 m.

Day 03: Kyirong Acclimatization.

At. 08:00 AM: Have your breakfast at your hotel prepared by your kitchen crew. Today you can visit the attractions and markets around Kyirong and observe their day-to-day life. You can go outside and walk around, as it will help you adjust to walking at high altitude. Acclimatization is the process in which an individual adjusts to a change in its environment. As it's not compulsory, you can stay in the hotel and have some rest as well.



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Meals: Breakfast, Lunch, and Dinner Included.

Hotel: Local 3 Star Hotel (Available Best).

Altitude: 2850 m.

Day 04: Drive to Saga.

At. 07:30 AM: After breakfast, you will drive 155 kilometers from Kyirong to **Saga**, which will take around 3-4 hours. En route, you will have the opportunity to go to **Ganesh Parbat** and **Lake Peiku Tso**, then eventually cross the bridge built over the **River Brahmaputra** (also called Yarlung Tsangpo in Chinese) in Saga. You will stay the night at the hotel in Saga.

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch, and Dinner Included.

Hotel: Local 3 Star Hotel (Available Best).

Distance covered: 155 KM.

Altitude: 4500 m.

Day 05: Drive from Saga to Lake Mansarovar.

At. 08:00 AM: Enjoy a delicious morning breakfast, and today you will drive towards the holy and beautiful **Lake Mansarovar (4650 m)**. The distance from Saga to Mansarovar is about 450 KM and will take you around 8 to 9 hours. On the way, you will get a glimpse of Mount Kailash as well as the potent Rakshas Tal. Once you arrive at Mansarovar, you will take a rest at the guest house. You will stay the night at the guesthouse in Mansarovar.

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch, and Dinner Included.

Hotel: Mansarovar Lake Side Guest House (very least facility available here).

Distance covered: 450 KM.

Altitude: 4650 m.

Lake Mansarovar, also known as Mapam Yumtso in Tibetan, is one of the world's highest altitude freshwater lakes and is located at an elevation of 4650 m. It is revered as a holy site of purity, attracting



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Hindu pilgrims across the world. It is revered as a sacred lake in Hinduism, Buddhism, Bon, and Jainism. According to Hindu mythology, bathing in the lake can cleanse one's sins and bring good luck.

Day 06: Drive to Darchen.

*Today you can perform **Puja/Havan** at the shore of Lake Manasarovar. After lunch, you will drive to **Darchen**, which is 35 KM from Mansarovar and takes around 1 and a half hours to drive. After reaching Darchen, you can rest your bags and relax. You can stroll around the small market in Darchen town in the late afternoon. Overnight at the guest house.*

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch, and Dinner Included.

Hotel: Local 3 Star Hotel (Available Best).

Distance covered: 35 KM.

Altitude: 4700 m.

***Darchen** is a small village/town located at an altitude of 4700 m, which is a significant gateway to Kailash Yatra. It is the starting and ending point for the pilgrimage circumambulation (Kora) around Mount Kailash. The village itself is a small but important hub for pilgrims and travellers visiting the region. The vibrant market in this town hosts various restaurants serving basic Tibetan fare, hotels and guesthouses for accommodation, and shops selling supplies for the trek.*

Day 07: Drive to Yama Dwar, Trek to Derapuk.

***At. 07:00 AM:** After having your breakfast, drive towards **Yama Dwar (Tarboche)**, which is the starting point of Kailash Parikrama. Once you reach, carry your bags and head towards the gate of Yama Dwar. Passing through the gate of Yamadwar is believed to remove your evil deed from the book of judgement, and you will get a place in heaven.*

*Your 3-day-long trekking journey begins and your stop for today will be at **Derapuk**, which is about a 10-12 KM trek from Yamadwar. You will walk along the beautiful rocky cliffs and waterfalls with some clouds in the clear blue sky, which makes you feel the omnipotence of Lord Shiva with tons of blessings.*



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As you walk on, time and again, the north face of Kailash Parbat will keep appearing. Once you reach your accommodation, you can rest your bags and relax. Overnight at a guest house in Derapuk.

Note: If you are not doing Parikrama, then you will be waiting at Darchen till the group returns from Parikrama, with arrangements for accommodation and meals.

Meals: Breakfast, Packed Lunch, and Dinner Included.

Hotel: Local Guest House (we don't have any choice here).

Distance covered: 12 KM.

Altitude: 5050 m.

Yama Dwar, also known as Tarboche in Tibetan, is a gateway located near Mount Kailash. It literally translates to "Gateway of Death" as "Yam" refers to Yama, the Hindu God of Death, and "Dwar" means gate. It is considered an auspicious place and the main starting point for the spiritual circumambulation (parikrama) around Mount Kailash. Passing through the Yam Dwar signifies leaving behind worldly attachments and joining on a journey of spiritual purification.

Day 08: Trek to Zuthulpuk.

At. 07:00 AM: After breakfast, we trek to the east face of **Dolma La Pass (5600 m)** and then descend gradually to **Zuthulpuk (4800 m)**, witnessing the **Gauri Kunda** on the way. By late afternoon, you will arrive in Zuthulpuk, the cave of miracles. The great ascetic Milerappa is supposed to have performed miracles here. Overnight at the guest house in Zuthulpuk.

Meals: Breakfast, Packed Lunch, and Dinner Included.

Hotel: Local Guest House (we don't have any choice here).

Distance covered: 22 KM.

Altitude: 4800 m.

Gauri Kunda is a sacred lake located at the foot of Mount Kailash in Tibet at an altitude of approximately 5600 m. It is a revered place in Hinduism and Buddhism where Goddess Parvati used to bathe. It is believed that the waters of the kund are purified by her touch and thus possess immense spiritual power. It can be seen on the way down towards Zuthulpuk.



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Day 09: Zuthulpuk to Saga.

At. 07:00 AM: Today you will walk about 8 KM and drive towards today's final destination, **Saga**. Have your breakfast and go to the ending point near Darchen, where you will meet our vehicle and drive to Darchen, merge with the group who didn't go for parikrama, and then drive towards Saga together.

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch, and Dinner Included.

Hotel: Local 3 Star Hotel (Available Best).

Distance covered: 480 KM.

Altitude: 4500 m.

Day 10: Drive back to Kyirong.

At. 09:00 AM: Enjoy your breakfast early in the morning. Today, you will return to Kyirong following the same route back, which will cover around 155 KM and takes about 2-3 hours. As you will reach there in the afternoon, you can take a rest or walk around the town and refresh yourself. You will stay the night at the hotel in Kyirong.

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch, and Dinner Included.

Hotel: Local 3 Star Hotel (Available Best).

Distance covered: 155 KM.

Altitude: 2850 m.

Day 11: Drive to Kathmandu.

At 07:30 AM: Have breakfast at your hotel and get ready to drive from Kyirong to the border, which is 40 KM and approximately takes 1 hour. Upon arrival at the border, complete the immigration formalities, and drive back to **Kathmandu**, which is 152 km and approximately 7-8 hours. Upon arrival at Kathmandu, a certificate of completion will be provided to you.

Meals: Breakfast and Lunch Included.

Distance covered: 170 KM.



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Altitude: 1400 m.

Package Cost Includes:

1. *Tibetan visa and road permit.*
2. *All (10 nights) accommodations on a sharing basis at the best available hotel/guest house/tea house.*
3. *Meals as mentioned in the itinerary. (Pure Veg Meal)*
4. *Transportation in Nepal side with A/C during your land travel to and from Nepal-China border.*
5. *Transportation in Tibet by A/C coach. (from Kyirong to Kyirong)*
6. *An English-speaking Tibetan guide from Kyirong to Kyirong.*
7. *All necessary travel and trekking permits as per our itinerary.*
8. *Nepali team leader, kitchen staff, and supporting team.*
9. *Required supporting trucks to carry kitchen equipment.*
10. *A free duffel bag and small backpack to carry your stuff.*
11. *Yak for the Kailash parikrama to carry kitchen equipment and utensils only.*
12. *First aid kit, Gamow bag, and oxygen cylinder.*
13. *Kailash yatra completion certificate. (at the end in Kathmandu)*

Package Cost Excludes:

1. *Personal expenses.*
2. *Meals not mentioned.*
3. *Food and transport in case of any delay due to weather or unforeseen reason.*
4. *Poni/Horse Hire/Porter hire cost (Approx 3500-4000 Yuan) during Parikrama at Mt. Kailash.*
5. *If pilgrims leave the group early from the Tibet side for non – disease reasons, then USD 100 per person per day has to be paid as a penalty to the Tibet side – T.A.R. Foreign Exchange Center (FEC). (Visa splitting charge, accommodation, transportation charges will be extra)*
6. *Emergency evacuation cost. (If needed)*



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7. Travel insurance. *(Highly Recommended)*
8. Service that isn't mentioned above.

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