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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 and 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 Helicopter** for Indians. Due to the quality concern and best possible service offering, we do operate on a small group size (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 Helicopter
Travel year:	2026
Starting point:	Kathmandu, Nepal
Finishing point:	Kathmandu, Nepal
Mt. Kailash height:	6,638 meters from sea level
Highest point on trek:	Dolmala Pass (5,600 meters)







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Tour Operation:	From May to September
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### Package Cost: 2026

Group Size:	20 People (Luxury Package)
Package Cost:	INR 2,80,000/person
Optional Mt. Everest Flight:	INR 10,500.00 (Including Transportation)
Tax and Fees:	All Included

### Kailash Mansarovar Yatra by Helicopter for Indians Dates: 2026

Travel Month	Kathmandu Arrival
May	TBA
June	TBA
July	TBA
August	TBA
September	TBA

<sup>\*</sup>TBA = To Be Announced

### **Your Trip Itinerary:**

### Day 01: Kathmandu Arrival, Welcome to Nepal!!

**Your Arrival Time** Our office representative will meet and greet you at **Kathmandu airport** and transfer to your hotel.







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**At. 06:00 PM**: We will meet for a trip briefing about your tour program. If you are arriving late (after 4 PM) then we will have a briefing next morning at 09:00 AM. You can ask all your related questions during the trip briefing meeting.

**Note:** The visa application procedure is to be completed in Delhi beforehand. We will ask you for the necessary documents to apply for the visa.

**Meal:** Dinner Included.

Hotel: Hotel Malla or Similar (5 Star).

### Day 02: Kathmandu Sightseeing, Fly to Nepalgunj.

**At. 10:00 AM:** After your breakfast at the hotel, you will participate in a full day of sightseeing of Kathmandu Valley. Your transportation will arrive at the hotel to pick you up for sightseeing.

Firstly, you will start with **Pashupatinath Temple**, a sacred Hindu pilgrimage site dedicated to **Lord Shiva**. You will wander through the maze of the temple, surrounded by small shrines, each with its own religious significance. You will also visit the **Guhyeshwari temple** near Pashupatinath, which is one of the Sakti Peethas. Here, you can observe the beautiful architecture of the temple and also witness other religious ceremonies. Then, you will drive towards **Jal Narayan Temple**. Take your time to appreciate the intricate details of the reclining statue of Lord Vishnu, its size, and the open-air settings. You can have your lunch in between the sightseeing, according to your timing and nearby places of interest.

Later in the afternoon, your next exploration will be at **Patan Durbar Square**, one of the three Durbar squares, where you will travel through the historical lane. After that, the final destination today will be **Shree Banglamukhi Temple**, which is about 600 m from Patan Dhoka and a few minutes of walking from there. You can learn more about the temple's history and significance while you observe the rituals and offerings made by the devotees.

**At. 05:00 PM:** Once your sightseeing is complete, your transportation will drop you off at the hotel for you to prepare for your flight to **Nepalgunj**. You will be taken to the Kathmandu Airport and fly to Nepalgunj, which is about 1 hour of flight time. Our vehicle will pick you up from the Nepalgunj airport and drive you to the hotel.

Meals: Breakfast and Dinner Included.





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Pashupatinath temple is the largest and holiest shrine for Hindus. This temple, situated on the bank of Bagmati river was built in the 5th century There are around 492 temples, 15 Shivalayas (shrines of Lord Shiva) and 12 Jyotirlingas (phallic shrines) to explore. No entrance fee is charged for SAARC nationals to enter the temple. Although only Hindus are allowed to enter the temple, visitors can clearly see the temple and the activities performed in the temple premises from the eastern bank of the Bagmati river. The Jal Narayan Temple, also known as Budhanilkantha Temple, is a famous Hindu temple dedicated to Lord Vishnu. It is around 8 km north of Kathmandu at the base of Shivapuri Hill. The temple is famous for its large, reclining statue of Lord Vishnu resting on a bed of stone serpents in a pool of water. The temple is religiously significant for both Hindus and Buddhists. Unlike other Hindu temples, Budhanilkantha is an open-air shrine offering a unique and serene atmosphere.

**Patan Durbar Square** is 5 km southeast of Kathmandu. Major temples are Krishna Temple, Taleju Temple and Bhimsen Temple. Some places to explore there are Patan Museum, Mahaboudha, Kumbeshwor, Keshave Naryan, Vishwanath, Chyasin Dewal and Sundari Chowk.

**Banglamukhi** is one of the famous temples of Devi (the goddess) in Kathmandu. The temple of Baglamukhi is situated in Patan (Lalitpur). There are various other small temples inside the Baglamukhi temple premises. People visit this temple mainly on Thursdays, as it is considered the day of Bhagwati.

Day 03: Fly to Simikot.

**At. 06:00 AM:** Early morning after breakfast, our vehicle will pick you up from the hotel to take you to **Nepalgunj Airport** to catch a morning flight to **Simikot**. The flight time is about 1 hour. Simikot (2971 m) is the district headquarters of Humla, a mountain district of Nepal. At Simikot, you will walk up to your hotel. Once you reach there, you will spend the rest of the day acclimatizing, and if you have a little more time, you will do a short hike around Simikot.

*Meals:* Breakfast, Lunch, and Dinner Included.

**Hotel:** Local Guest House.

*Altitude*: 2971 m.





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Day 04: Heli to Hilsa, Drive to Taklakot.

**At. 08:00 AM:** After breakfast, you will walk from your hotel to **Simikot Airport** and take a helicopter to **Hilsa**. It takes 20 minutes of flight time to reach Hilsa. You will see the scenic view of green hills and snow-capped mountains along with the deep river gorge of the River Karnali from the helicopter.

Once you reach Hilsa, after a 30-minute walk from there, you will reach the immigration office and complete your immigration procedures. Our vehicle will be waiting for you on the Tibet side. Then, a 30-minute drive from the border will take you to your accommodation at **Taklakot/Purang (3880 m)**.

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch and Dinner Included.

Hotel: Local 3 Star Hotel (Available Best).

Distance covered: 26 KM.

Altitude: 3880 m.

Day 05: Acclimatization Day at Taklakot.

This day is designed for rest and acclimatization to adjust to the high altitude, ensuring you are physically prepared for the upcoming trek. **Taklakot**, also known as **Purang town**, at an altitude of 3880 m, serves as a great acclimatizing point in this yatra for you. Enjoy a warm breakfast and you can take a leisurely stroll around the Taklakot market. After lunch, you can also walk around nearby areas to familiarize your body with the altitude.

*Meals:* Breakfast, Lunch, and Dinner Included.

Hotel: Local 3 Star Hotel (Available Best).

Altitude: 3880 m.

Day 06: Drive to Lake Mansarovar.

**At. 07:00 AM:** After breakfast, you'll drive from Taklakot to the sacred **Lake Mansarovar (4650 m)**, covering approximately 80 KM through the breathtaking Tibetan landscapes. In about 30-45 minutes of ride, you slowly approach Lake Mansarovar, where you will also notice **Rakshas Taal** on the other side.







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Upon arrival, marvel at the pristine blue waters of the lake, revered across multiple spiritual traditions, with the majestic Mount Kailash in the backdrop. Overnight at a local guest house.

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch, and Dinner Included.

Hotel: Mansarovar Lakeside Guest House (We have no choice here).

Distance covered: 80 KM.

Altitude: 4650 m.

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

**At. 07:00 AM:** Today you can perform Puja/Havan at the shore of Lake Manasarovar. After breakfast, drive through Darchen to get to Yama Dwara. **Darchen**, which is 35 KM from Mansarovar, takes around 1 hour to drive. After reaching Darchen, you will further 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 it is believed to remove your evil deed from the book of judgment, 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. 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, Lunch, and Dinner Included.

Hotel: Local 3 Star Hotel (Available Best).

Distance covered: 47 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







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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.

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 Zuthulphuk.

**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)**. 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:* 5600 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.

#### Day 09: Zutulpuk to Hilsa or Simikot.

**At. 07:00 AM:** After early morning breakfast, you will walk 3 hours to catch the vehicle near **Darchen**, which will take you to the Nepal border. Our staff will prepare lunch in Darchen (on the way to Hilsa). After lunch, you will continue to drive to the Nepal border. After completing the immigration procedures to exit Tibet, you will have a short walk towards **Hilsa** from the border. If you reach early, you'll be able to catch a helicopter to Simikot; otherwise, you will need to stay in Hilsa overnight.





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Meals: Breakfast, Lunch, and Dinner Included.

**Hotel:** Local Guest House. **Altitude (Hilsa):** 3640 m.

### Day 10: Fly to Kathmandu via Nepalgunj.

**At. 07:00 AM:** Today, if you stayed in Hilsa, then you have to take an early morning **Heli flight to Simikot**. Instantly, you will catch another **flight to Nepalgunj**. Our representative will pick you up from Nepalgunj airport and take you to the hotel in Nepalgunj, where you will have lunch and take a rest for a while.

**At. 04:00 PM:** Later in the evening, proceed to Nepalgunj airport and then catch a **flight to Kathmandu**. Our local representative will pick you up from Kathmandu airport and drop you at the hotel. You can visit the Pashupatinath temple on the way back for evening aarti if you're interested.

**Meals:** Breakfast and Dinner Included.

Hotel: Hotel Malla or Similar (5 Star).

### Day 11: Transfer to Airport.

As you enjoy your last breakfast at the hotel, the time to go back is already here. You can have some time of your own or add some additional activities until your flight time. Our company representative will escort you to the Kathmandu airport 3 hours before your flight. We hope you have enjoyed the holy tour and will be back for another tour in Nepal. **Have a safe journey back!** It will be our pleasure to be part of your journey if you want to extend your stay in Nepal.

**Optional Activity:** You can also take part in the thrilling Everest Mountain Flight. It is a sightseeing adventure flight that departs at 06:30 AM from Kathmandu airport to Kathmandu airport, a 1 hour flight that takes you to the stunning aerial view of Mt. Everest (8848 m) and several other mountains such as Lhotse (8516 m), Kanchenjunga (8586 m), Shishapangma (8027 m), Nuptse (7881 m), Ganesh (7422 m), and Chamlang (7319 m).

Meal: Breakfast Included.







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### Package Cost Includes:

- 1. All necessary airport transfers in Kathmandu and Nepalgunj.
- 2. All (2 Nights) accommodation in Kathmandu and (1 night) Nepalgunj on a twin/double/triple sharing basis. (5 star hotels)
- 3. Best available local hotels/guest house/tea house accommodation during Kailash Yatra on the Tibet side. (On twin/triple/quad/dormitory sharing basis)
- 4. Pilgrimage sightseeing tour in Kathmandu.
- 5. Humla restriction area entry permit.
- 6. Domestic flights from Kathmandu to Nepalgunj and from Nepalgunj to Simikot. (Two way)
- 7. Simikot to Hilsa and Hilsa to Simikot transfer by helicopter.
- 8. Tibetan visa and road permit.
- 9. Transportation by luxury A/C coach from Hilsa to Hilsa. (Tibet Side)
- 10. Meals as mentioned in the itinerary. (Pure Veg Meal)
- 11. A support truck to carry kitchen equipment and baggage.
- 12. An English speaking Tibetan guide from Hilsa to Hilsa.
- 13. A Nepali tour leader (English and Hindi speaking), kitchen staff, and supporting team.
- 14. Oxygen cylinders and Gamow bags for emergency use and well-equipped medical kit bags.
- 15. Yak for the Kailash parikrama to carry kitchen equipment and utensils only.
- 16. One duffle bag and one backpack to carry your stuff.
- 17. All applicable taxes and service charges.
- 18. Kailash yatra completion certificate. (at the end in Kathmandu)

**Note:** Single rooms can be provided only in Kathmandu and Nepalgunj with additional charges.

#### Package Cost Excludes:

- 1. Any International Flight Tickets.
- 2. Personal expenses.
- 3. Meals not mentioned.
- 4. Cost for extra/additional night accommodation in Kathmandu.







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- 5. Food and transport in case of any delay due to weather or unforeseen reason.
- 6. If pilgrims want to leave the group early from the Tibet side for non disease reasons then USD 100 per person per day has to be paid as penalty to the Tibet side T.A.R. Foreign Exchange Center (FEC). (Visa splitting charge, accommodation, transportation charges will be extra)
- 7. Pony/Horse or Porter hire cost (Approx 3500 to 4000 Yuan) during the Kailash Parikrama.
- 8. Emergency evacuation cost. (If needed)
- 9. Travel insurance. (highly recommended)
- 10. Service that isn't mentioned above.

Holidays to Nepal wishes you a happy and comfortable journey !!!