

## Echoes of Odisha !!

ODISHA



PRICE

**\$0**

DURATION

**8 Days / 7Nights**

TOUR INCLUDES



### DAY 1- Arrive Bhubaneswar :

- **Arrival:** Arrive at Bhubaneswar Airport. Check in to the hotel.
- Freshen up and visit the **Jain Caves** on the twin hills of Khandagiri and Udayagiri.
- Learn about their construction during the **Chedi dynasty** (2nd century BC – 1st century AD).
- Admire the magnificent artwork of the Jain Caves.
- If time permits, visit ancient temples: **Lingaraj, Rajarani & Mukteswar**.
- Optional: Visit the **Tribal Museum** and the **State Museum**.
- Explore nearby markets and **Ekamra Haat**.
- Return to your hotel for an overnight stay.

### DAY 2-Bhubaneswar - Puri :

- **Morning:** After breakfast, get ready to visit **Dhuli** (the place where the great Kalinga War was fought).
- Visit the **Peace Pagoda Temple** or **Shanti Stupa** built by Japanese monks.
- See the **Ashokan Rock Edict** – the first of its kind.
- Drive to **Konark Sun Temple**, built in the 13th century and designed as a huge chariot of Lord Surya with 12 pairs of wheels and 7 horses.
- Visit the sacred **Jagannath Temple**.
- If time permits, relax at the **sunny beach of Puri**, considered one of the finest beaches in the world.
- Return to the **hotel** for an overnight stay.

### DAY 3- Puri - Gopalpur :

- **Post breakfast:** Drive to Gopalpur on Sea en-route **Chilika Lake**.
- Visit Chilika Lake, divided into an outer channel with a narrow neck that leads into the sea.
- The main body of the lake has a muddy bottom, rich in organic matter.
- Watch the **Siberian migratory birds** at the lake.
- Proceed towards **Gopalpur on Sea**, one of the magnificent beaches of Orissa.
- Check in at the hotel, freshen up and take a little rest.
- Explore the nearby lanes, interact with locals, and enjoy street food.
- Return to the hotel for an overnight stay.

### DAY 4-Gopalpur- Raygada :

- Drive to Raygada in the morning.
- On arrival, check in at your hotel, freshen up and take a little rest.
- Excursion to popular temples such as:
  - Laxminarayan Temple
  - Maa Markama Temple
  - Maa Majhighariani Temple
- Optional visits for nature lovers: Chatikona and Minajhola.
- Explore Desia Kondh villages to witness tribal culture and activities.
- Participate in customs, traditions, and enjoy the hospitality of villagers.
- Return to hotel for dinner and overnight stay in Raygada.

### **DAY 5-Rayguda-Jeypore :**

- In the morning, visit the Chhatikona Dongariya Kondh market.
- Explore traditional artifacts and purchase them as souvenirs.
- Later, proceed to Jeypore.
- Jeypore is an ideal destination for nature lovers, offering attractions such as:
  - Waterfalls
  - Thick forests
  - Exotic wildlife
- Reach your hotel, check in, freshen up and take a little rest.
- If time permits, interact with locals and enjoy gradual walks down the streets.
- Return to the hotel for overnight stay in Jeypore.

### **DAY 6-Jeypore :**

This day is dedicated for exploring the tribal markets and life of Orissa. Post breakfast, drive to Onukudelli. Here you may explore some of the interesting markets of Bonda, Gadaba and Didayee. These markets are very popular for showcasing handmade commodities. You may purchase the handicrafts as souvenirs.

Thereafter, in the evening, visit the Ollar Gadaba village, while driving back to the hotel. Enjoy the warmth of hospitality extended by the inhabitants of this tribal village. Later, proceed to the hotel, have dinner and halt for an overnight stay.

### **DAY 7-Jeypore - Vizag :**

Early morning, get ready to visit Kunduli Market, en route to Vishakhapatnam. This is a big weekly market, where you may find the beautiful Sana Parja and Mali Tribes. Mean time also talk to the local people, enjoy street food. Reached at Vishakhapatnam, Check in hotel. Overnight at Vizag.

### **DAY 8-Vizag Local & Departure :**

After breakfast check out and visit local sightseeing of Vizag local site seeing places Rushikonda, Kailashgiri, R.K Beach, Fishing Harbor, Submarine Museum, Visakha Museum and fishing at evening drive to drop at for onward journey.

## **INCLUSIONS**

**Bhubaneswar (1N) →Puri (1N) →Gopalpur (1N) →Rayagada (1N) → Jeypore(2N) →Vizag (1N)**

**On Arrival Flower Bouquet.**

**Guide Service (Hindi & English speaking only)**

**Welcome Drink.**

**Welcome Snacks Kit in Vehicle on pickup time.**

**Buffet/fixed menu Breakfast & Dinner at the hotel.**

**Daily 500ml water bottle in Vehicle during sightseeing.**

**Accommodation on double sharing basis on base category room.**

**All transfers and sightseeing by AC Vehicle.**

**All toll taxes, parking charges, driver allowances.**

**Government Service Tax @ 5% (GST) as applicable**

## EXCLUSIONS

**Any Air or Rail fare.**

**Boating charges.**

**No Entry Fees.**

**Any other meal not mentioned in price includes.**

**Any expenses of personal nature.**

**Panda arrangements in the Jagannath temple in Puri (As per your requirement )**

## NOTE

**These rates are not valid during Durga Puja & Holi, Ratha Yatra, New Year time, Christmas time, Independence & Republic day, Medical or other Conference time.**