

TOUR PRICE
CAD \$7500 / USD \$6500

INCREDIBLE INDIA

MUMBAI | KOLKATA | NEW DELHI | AGRA | JAIPUR | KOCHI | GOA

YOUR TOUR INCLUDES:

Air Fare: International airfare | Internal flights between cities as outlined in the itinerary.
Canada/Mumbai/ Mumbai / Canada – Return economy Airfare.

Accommodation: Stay in 4-star hotels (Twin-bedded rooms with 2 people sharing)

Meals: Buffet breakfast, Lunches and Dinners

Tour Management: An English-speaking tour manager will accompany you throughout the entire journey to ensure a smooth and enriching experience.
You will have a **local guide** for all the scheduled tours, offering in-depth knowledge of each destination.

Entrance Fees: All entrance fees for the sites and attractions listed in your itinerary are included, so you can enjoy each location without any additional costs.

Transportation: Travel comfortably by deluxe AC/Air-Cooled coach during all surface transport.

Tipping: A tip of USD 180 per person is required for the entire tour. This includes tips for bus drivers, tourist taxes, guides, and restaurants during the tour. The tip is typically calculated per person per day.

YOUR TOUR EXCLUSIONS:

Personal Expenses: Any personal items or purchases, such as souvenirs, personal hygiene products, Porterage, laundry, mini-bar, telephone calls, and other incidental personal expenses are not included

Wines & Beverages: Wines and beverages are not included

Any Items Not Specifically Mentioned in Inclusions This refers to anything not listed in the "What your Tour Price Includes" section.

Visas to countries: Travelers are responsible for obtaining the necessary visas for the countries.

Meals not included in the itinerary (those outside the regular menus provided by the tour). Meals are pre-set with no option for a choice of menu. Special dietary requests may be accommodated with prior notice.

Change of Travel Dates: Any deviation from the original group travel dates may result in additional airfare and taxes.

Airport Transfers for Land-Only Passengers (If a traveler is not taking a group flight and is arriving by land only, they are responsible for arranging their own airport transfer, either by taxi or bus. However, if they arrive at the same time as the rest of the group, transfers may be arranged for them)

Payment methods : You can pay by Cheque / E-transfer / Credit card payments will incur an additional service fee of 2.5% of the tour price.

Baggage Charges Not Included in Trip Cost:

Any charges for baggage exceeding weight limits or size limits set by airlines will be the responsibility of the traveler.

CANCELLATION

All services such as airline seats / hotel accommodation / ground transportation are pre-booked well in advance. We are liable to pay penalties to all our suppliers/ vendors if these services are released within the mentioned period.

If cancellation is made Royale Orchid Tours & Holidays Inc. will retain:

Nonrefundable deposit of \$500 paid at time of registration

120-90 days - 25% retained and remainder refunded less Deposit

91-60 days - 50% retained and remainder refunded less Deposit

60 days or less - - 100% retained of your tour price



Day 1: BEGIN YOUR INDIA TOUR

We will be flying from Vancouver international airport to Mumbai / Delhi. Meet at the airport for the flight: all information will be provided at the pre-departure meeting to begin your divine tour for India. You will be bussed from YVR to Seattle airport.

DAY 2: IN AIR FLYING

DAY 3 ARRIVE IN MUMBAI Check in into hotel. Tour of Mumbai.

DAY 4: DAY in KOLKATA

Fly to Kolkata in the morning. After our lunch, proceed for a Missionaries of Charity. We will also visit the Mother Theresa House. We will do a Visit the Dalhousie Square that covers sites such as Raj Bhavan, St. Johns church, GPO, Town Hall, Writer's Building and other colonial buildings. We continue to these amazing places, visit the Flower market, Victoria Memorial (Closed on Mondays and National Holidays), St. Paul's Church. Lunch in Local Restaurant. Return to your hotel for a comfortable overnight stay in Kolkata.

DAY 5: KOLKATA SIGHT SEEING

Visit the Mother House, the bedroom where she lived, and a small museum dedicated to showcasing her life. It displays items such as her handwritten letters, spiritual exhortations, and personal belongings including saris, sandals, and crucifix. The Mother House is a place of silence and contemplation. Many people choose to meditate there while visiting because of its serene, uplifting energy. Opening hours are 8 a.m. until noon and 3 p.m. until 6 p.m. daily except Thursday, August 22, Easter Monday, and December 26.

DAY 6: DEPART FOR NEW DELHI

After Breakfast we will leave for the airport. Upon your arrival in Delhi, get transferred to the hotel. Later, visit Raj Ghat, and Red Fort, and finally visit Qutub Minar and Lotus Temple. After all the sightseeing, return to your hotel for a comfortable overnight stay. Over night in Delhi.

DAY 7: DELHI

After breakfast, we will go to visit the city. While visiting the city, we will visit the Qutub Minar. The Qutb Minar, also spelled Qutub Minar and Qutab Minar, is a minaret and "victory tower" that forms part of the Qutb complex, which lies at the site of Delhi's oldest fortified city, Lal Kot, founded by the Tomar Rajputs. It is a UNESCO World Heritage Site in the Mehrauli area of South Delhi, India. It is one of the most visited tourist spots in the city, mostly built between 1199 and 1220.

It can be compared to the 62-metre all-brick Minaret of Jam in Afghanistan, of c. 1190, which was constructed a decade or so before the probable start of the Delhi tower. The surfaces of both are elaborately decorated with inscriptions and geometric patterns. The Qutab Minar has a shaft that is fluted with "superb stalactite bracketing under the balconies" at the top of each stage. In general, minarets were slow to be used in India and are often detached from the main mosque where they exist.



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DAY 8: AGRA



Early in the morning, after breakfast we will leave for Agra. On your way, visit Fatehpur Sikri (Mughal Emperor Akbar's majestic capital city that contains many wonderful monuments and relics of the past). visit Sikandar - the Mausoleum of Emperor Akbar. Afterwards, visit Taj Mahal, a white-marble monument built by the Mughal Emperor Shahjahan in 1630 AD for his beloved queen, Mumtaz Mahal. Enjoy a comfortable overnight stay at the hotel in Agra.

DAY 8: DEPART FOR JAIPUR

We will be driving from Agra to Jaipur. We will have a city tour. Dinner and overnight in Jaipur.

DAY 10: JAIPUR



The intricate facade of the Hawa Mahal (Wind Palace) is possibly Jaipur's most photographed building. Maharaja Sawai Pratap Singh constructed it in 1799 as an extension of the women's quarters of the City Palace, to enable the royal women to look out over the main street below without being observed. Wind used to flow through the shutters, giving the palace its name. However, most are now sealed closed to help preserve them. Maharaja Sawai Jai Singh II built Jaigarh Fort in 1726 to protect Amber Fort. This fort holds great appeal for military lovers, as it contains the world's largest cannon on wheels. The cannon has never been fired though, and neither has the fort been captured. As a result, it has remained impressively intact over its long life. In fact, the fort is one of the best-preserved military structures of medieval India.

DAY 11: DEPART FOR KOCHI

We will depart from Jaipur to Kochi. Upon reaching Kochi, we will relax at the hotel.

DAY 12: KOCHI



After Breakfast proceed to local sightseeing of Kochi., Take a photo stop at St. Francis Church, Visit to Jewish Synagogue and Dutch Palace (Subject to operation), see the Chinese Fishing Nets. Free time for shopping. Enjoy get-together with your travel companions in the evening.

DAY 13: KOCHI (backwaters- Alleppy by Fairy) House boat



Houseboat provides you with a fine way to discover the journey on the house boat in Kerala backwaters. We proffer you the best way to explore the beauty of Kerala through the enchanting backwaters. A leisure trip to the Vembanad lake will give you an incredibly different experience of enjoying both traditional living together with modern luxury on the boat.

The boat is designed using the traditional thatched roofs, the interiors are super modern. We provide you spacious a/c rooms with en-suite bathrooms, tasty regional cuisine, Wi-Fi facilities, 24 hrs power backup, security, professionally trained crew, well hygienic atmosphere and privacy. We offer fully glass covered spacious luxury air-conditioned houseboat ideal for solo travellers, couples, small and large groups. A backwater ride with Grand Villa will give you an unforgettable experience to explore the beauty of Kerala with a unique travel experience along with best quality services.

DAY 14: KOCHI TO GOA

We will be flying from Kochi to Goa. We will explore few spice gardens in Ponda area. There are two well known spice gardens in Goa, one is Tropical Spice Plantation and other is Sahakari Spice Farm. Both spice gardens are very similar and I had more or less the same experience. As we entered in the main area, they welcomed us with a flower garland and put vermilion on our head. Another one is Spice plantation, where they served a Ginger Lemongrass tea with some spices. This drink is made by boiling different spices and its medicinal properties are good for the stomach.



DAY 15: GOA

We will visit few beaches in Goa. Panaji should occupy a place in your list of visiting places in Goa, not just because it's the capital city, but because there are so many places that make for an incredible sightseeing tour. From taking a heritage walk in Fontana's – the Latin Quarters to spending a day at the Miramar Beach, this city promises you a quality time. Ornithologists and bird lovers can also visit the Dr. Salim Ali Bird Sanctuary, situated just 7 kilometers from here & home to migratory birds as well as common & uncommon species of marsh dwelling birds.



Day 16: GOA Fort Agueda and Basilica of Bom Jesus

Today after breakfast we head out to Fort Agueda, constructed in 1612 to protect Goa from enemy attacks. The fort and its lighthouse, would be an ideal place to click beautiful pictures. You can also spend the day visiting Goa's two most famous churches - Basilica of Bom Jesus and Lady of Immaculate Conception. Lunch in local restaurant. Dinner and overnight at the hotel.



Day 17 GOA- MUMBAI - VANCOUVER

We will depart from Goa to Mumbai in the afternoon for our flight to Vancouver later that night.

