

ARUNACHAL [Itanagar - 70 pax]

Itinerary:

D-1 - On 20.12.14 : GUWAHATI-BHALUKPONG (250km/5hrs)

Meet & greet on arrival at Guwahati Railway station @ 1730 hrs.. Transfer Bhalukpong, en route dinner & overnight stay at Hotel in Bhalukpong.

D-2 - On 21.12.14 : BHALUKPONG-DIRANG (185 Kms/6 ½hrs)

After breakfast, drive to Dirang. Enroute visit Tippi Orchid Center. Check in Hotel. Half day local orientation of Sheep Farm house at Dirang. Lunch, dinner & Overnight stay at Hotel in Dirang.

D-3 – On 22.12.2014: DIRANG – VILLAGE TOUR – DIRANG

After breakfast full day at Local Village Tour [Monpa Stone village] of Dirang. Lunch en route or in village, Dinner and overnight stay in Hotel.

D-4 - On 23.12.14: DIRANG-TAWANG (155Kms/6 hrs) Village experience Flora and Fauna

Morning drive to Tawang. Enroute witness the Snowcapped Sella Pass at 14000 ft and Jaswant Garh War Memorial. (Legend has it that Jaswant (Mahavir Chakra Awardee (Posthumous) of 4th Battalion Garhwal Rifles), fought a lone battle against the invading Chinese during the 1962 war. His spirit is still believed to protect the place).Overnight stay at hotel in Tawang. Focus on history and borders/ Indo. China Relation.

D-5 - On 24.12.14: TAWANG

Tawang-The beautiful land of the Monpa tribes with the “GALDEN NAMGYEL LHATSE” Monastery - one of the largest Lamaseries of Mahayana sect in Asia. The birth place of the 6th Dalai Lama, the Monastery is 400 years old and is adorned with the 18 feet high statue of Lord Buddha. The ‘Land of Dawn-lit Mountains’ at 3500 mts gives you unparallel purity of nature. Visit the monastery and the War Memorial. Evening free for shopping. Overnight stay at Hotel in Tawang.

D-6 - On 25.12.14 : TAWANG-BOMDILA (180Kms/6hrs) History, Culture

After breakfast drive to Bomdila. Evening free at leisure. Overnight stay at Hotel in Bomdila.

D-7 - On 26.12.14 : BOMDILA - GUWAHATI (340Kms/9 hrs)

After breakfast, drive to Guwahati. Check in Hotel. Overnight stay at Hotel in Guwahati.

D-8 - On 27.12.14 : GUWAHATI RAILWAY STATION DEPARTURE

After morning breakfast , transfer to Guwahati Railway station to board the train at 1100 hrs.

NOTE

1. Arunachal Pradesh is very remote place, so all hotels in this region are basic to very very basic.
2. Road conditions from Bhalukpong to Tawang are very bad.
3. To visit Arunachal Pradesh, Indian national requires Inner Line Permits. Permits are issued in Guwahati which takes 2-3 working days.
4. Documents required: 2 passport size photographs, 1 Photo identity, 1 Address proof.

Meeting Local people, NGOs & other voluntary organizations/ self help groups.

Permits to be arrange for this place.