

## Mesmerizing Meghalaya

Duration - 05 Nights | 06 Days

Destination - Shillong (3N), Cherrapunji (2N), Guwahati (1N Optional)

### Day Wise Itinerary

#### Day 01: Guwahati – Shillong (100 KM | 3 HRS)

Welcome to **Guwahati**. Meet and be assisted by our representative at the airport/Railway Station. Proceed to **Shillong**, also called 'Scotland of the East'. Reach the majestic **Umiam Lake (Barapani)**. You may do the water sports here (Optional). On arrival at **Shillong**, check in at your hotel. Evening you can visit **Police Bazaar** which the biggest local market. Overnight stay in **Shillong**.

#### Day 02: Shillong - Laitlum Canyons -Krang Suri Falls - Shillong

After breakfast we proceed to **Laitlum Canyons** for some breathtaking views. We then visit **Krang Suri Falls**. It is one of the best waterfalls in Meghalaya. You can also swim in a naturally formed pool here. You can also go behind the waterfall and see the water falling in front of you. After Lunch return back to **Shillong**. Visit **Don Bosco Centre for Indigenous Cultures**, **Ward's Lake** where you can enjoy boating, **Cathedral Catholic Church** and **Lady Hydari Park**. Overnight in **Shillong**.

#### Day 03 – Shillong – Mawsynram – Mawphlang Sacred Forest - Shillong

After breakfast visit Mawsynram which as per the new geological reports receives the highest rainfall in the world. The area is known for its many caves. Later visit Mawphlang Sacred Grove. It is one of the biggest Sacred Groves in Meghalaya. It is a well preserved forest by local community. Nothing can be taken out from the forest as this is being protected by the local deities. Visit Khasi model village. Evening return to **Shillong**. Visit **Elephanta Falls** and **Shillong Peak** for some breathtaking views.. Overnight stay in Shillong

#### Day 04: Shillong - Dawki - Mawlynnong Village - Cherrapunji

After breakfast visit **Mawlynnong Village** the cleanest village in India. This cute and colorful little village is known for its cleanliness. It is situated 90 kms. from **Shillong** and besides the picturesque village, offers many interesting sights such as the **Living Root Bridge** and another strange natural phenomenon of a boulder balancing on another rock. Visit **Dawki**, It is along the Indo-Bangladesh border. You can enjoy boating in the crystal clear waters of the **Umngot River**. Evening we will proceed to **Cherrapunji**. Overnight in **Cherrapunji**

#### Day 05: Cherrapunji

Get up early today to enjoy the mesmerizing mornings of **Cherrapunji**. Visit **Eco Park**, **Dainthlen Falls**, **Nohkalikai Falls**, **Nohsngithiang Falls (Seven Sisters Falls)**, **Mawsmi Cave**, **Thangkharang Park**. Overnight stay in **Cherrapunji**.

**Optional -** We proceed for a full day trekking to the **Double Decker Living Root Bridge** at Nongriat Village. We have to trek down 3200 steps approximately each way to the **Double Decker Living Root Bridge**. We can further trek down to the **Rainbow Falls** which take about 60 to 90 minutes from the **Double Decker Living Root Bridge**.

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#### **Day 06: Cherrapunji - Guwahati (160 KM | 4.5 HRS)**

After breakfast today Proceed to **Guwahati** and with everlasting memories transfer to airport/railway station for onward journey.

#### **Optional with Guwahati overnight stay**

#### **Day 06: Cherrapunji - Guwahati (160 KM | 4.5 HRS)**

After breakfast today Proceed to **Guwahati**. Arrive and check in at hotel. Visit **Srimanta Sankardev Kalakshetra** a place where Assamese history and culture is presented through Light and sound show, evening you may take a **River Cruise** (Direct Payment) on the mighty **River Brahmaputra**. You may also visit the local market. **Assam** is famous for **Assam Silk** particularly Golden **Muga Silk**, **Assam Tea**, **Bamboo and Cane Products**. Overnight stay in **Guwahati**.

#### **Day 07: Guwahati**

After breakfast check out from hotel. Visit **Kamakhya Temple** and other **Temples in Guwahati** namely **Purva Tirupati Shri Balaji Temple**, **Sukreswar Temple**, **Navagraha Temple**, **Umananda Temple** at the **Peacock Island** which is the smallest inhabited River Island in the World. With everlasting memories transfer to **Guwahati** airport/railway station for onward journey.

#### **Proposed Hotels**

##### **Category A**

**Shillong** - **The Heritage Club - Tripura Castle** | **M Crown** | **Heiga** | **Poinisuk** | Similar

**Cherrapunji** - **Pala Resort** | Similar

**Guwahati** - **Kiranshree Grand** | **Kiranshree Portico** | **Shoolin Grand** | Similar

##### **Category B**

**Shillong** - **Majestic** | **Gateway Shillong** | **Ladybird** | Similar

**Cherrapunji** - **Kutmadan Resort** | **San Nael La Resort** | Similar

**Guwahati** - **Mayflower** | **The Kalyaniz** | **D Courtyard** | Similar

##### **Category C**

**Shillong** - **Eldorado Guest House** | **Monsoon** | Similar

**Cherrapunji** - **Sohra Plaza** | Similar

**Guwahati** - **Rialto** | **Ambarish Grand Residency** | Similar

#### **Inclusions**

Rooms on twin/triple sharing basis | Daily Breakfast | Exclusive a/c vehicle at disposal for transfers & sightseeing as per itinerary | Service of an experienced driver for 12 Hours per day up to maximum 08:00 PM | Parking, Toll taxes, Drivers Allowance etc |

#### **Exclusions**

Personal Expenses such as Laundry, telephone, tips, gratuity, Mineral/soft/hard drinks | Additional sightseeing or extra usage of vehicle, other than mentioned in the itinerary | Camera fees, Guide / tour escort charges &

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Entrance Fees | Any cost arising due to natural calamities like, landslides, road blockage, political disturbances, etc (to be borne by the client, which is directly payable on the spot) | Any increase in taxes or fuel price, leading to increase in cost on surface transportation & land arrangements, which may come into effect prior to departure | GST, Insurance | Anything which is not include in the inclusion |

#### **Child Policy**

Child below 5 yrs complimentary | Child 5 -12 yrs with or without extra bed rates as per hotel policy | Child above 12 Years is considered as adult |

#### **Notes on Transportation Used in Our Package.**

**1 – 3 Guests** – Air Conditioned [Suzuki Swift Dzire](#) / [Hyundai Xcent](#) / [Toyota Etios](#)

**4 – 6 Guests** – Air Conditioned [Toyota Innova](#)

Vehicles used are exclusively at the disposal of the guest for the entire tour for 12 Hours every day | There is no change in the vehicle during the entire tour | Our drivers are very well trained with the entire region and would ensure that they take the guest to all the places mentioned in the itinerary | Maximum guests allowed in Innova is 6 including children above 4 years. If the no of guest is more than 6 then they will have to take 1 more vehicle at an extra cost | If there are 5 or more guests then they are advised to travel with very minimum baggage In case if the number of baggage is more than normal then the guest will have to take 1 more vehicle at an extra cost |

#### **Important Information about the Package.**

We allot exclusive tour coordinator for the entire tour. The Guest may contact him / her over phone at any time in case of any emergency, changes in itinerary or any inconvenience which may have happened on account of hotels or transportation | In case the guest requires a tour guide please let us know in advance. The same can be arranged at an extra cost | Package can be extended on Pro-Rata basis | All our packages are inclusive of Breakfast | There will be no refund for any unutilized services |

#### **Please Note**

Above are suggested itineraries. The right is reserved to cancel or alter any itineraries as circumstances may require. Neither Assam Holidays nor the participating suppliers/ hotels should be held responsible for any unforeseen conditions like road block, strike/riots, illness, accidents, 'bandhs' etc.