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9 NIghts 10 Days South India temple tour package

Tamil Nadu, India | Spiritual Tour

Duration: 9N/10D

Cities: Madurai-Rameswaram-Trichy-KumbakonaM- Pondicherry-Kanchipuram -Chennai

Itinerary
Day 1 - Arrival in Madurai Pick up from Madurai and drive to Rameswaram En route, stop at Pamban Bridge, an iconic engineering marvel connecting the mainland to the island On arrival, check in at the hotel and refresh Afternoon sightseeing in Rameswaram: • Ramanathaswamy Temple – A majestic temple dedicated to Lord Shiva, famous for its long corridors and spiritual significance • Agnitheertham – Holy waters where pilgrims perform sacred rituals • Ramjanmabhoomi / Ramjharoka Temple – Explore this historic site associated with Lord Rama • Overnight stay at the hotel in Rameswaram
Day 2 - Rameswaram – Dhanushkodi & Temple Exploration Breakfast at the hotel Check out and begin sightseeing tour Drive to Dhanushkodi, the scenic coastal town at India’s southeastern tip: • Explore Dhanushkodi Beach, where the Bay of Bengal meets the Indian Ocean • Visit the ruins of old Dhanushkodi, a town washed away by the 1964 cyclone • Return to Rameswaram and visit other prominent temples in the town • Overnight stay at the hotel in Rameswaram
Day 3 - Rameswaram ? Madurai – Temples & Heritage Enjoy breakfast at the hotel and check out Drive back to Madurai

On arrival, proceed for sightseeing in Madurai:

- Meenakshi Amman Temple – Iconic temple dedicated to Goddess Meenakshi, renowned for its towering gopurams and intricate sculptures
- Azhagar Kovil (Alagar Temple) – A beautiful hilltop temple dedicated to Lord Vishnu
- Thirumalai Nayak Palace – Majestic Indo-Saracenic palace famous for its grand domes, arches, and stucco work
- Overnight stay at the hotel in Madurai

Day 4 - Madurai ? Trichy – Temples & Heritage Tour

Enjoy breakfast at the hotel and check out

Drive to Trichy (Tiruchirappalli) and check in at the hotel

After some rest and relaxation, proceed for sightseeing:

- Jambukeshwar Temple – Famous Shiva temple known for its water-themed sanctum and spiritual significance
- Sree Ranganathaswamy Temple (Srirangam Temple) – One of the largest temple complexes in India, dedicated to Lord Vishnu
- Rock Fort Temple – Historic hilltop temple offering panoramic views of Trichy city
- Overnight stay at the hotel in Trichy

Day 5 - Trichy ? Tanjore ? Kumbakonam – Temples & Heritage Trail

Enjoy breakfast at the hotel and check out

Drive to Tanjore (Thanjavur) and explore its cultural and historical landmarks:

- Brihadeshwara Temple – UNESCO World Heritage Site, a grand Chola-era temple dedicated to Lord Shiva
- Thanjai Mamani Koil – A revered temple with rich architectural details
- Vijayanagar Fort of Tanjore – Historic fort showcasing ancient military architecture
- Tanjore Palace & Art Gallery – Explore the royal palace complex and its collection of art, sculptures, and artifacts
- Proceed to Kumbakonam, a town famous for its temples
- Visit the Navagraha Temples, dedicated to the nine celestial bodies in Hindu astrology
- Overnight stay at the hotel in Kumbakonam

Day 6 - Kumbakonam ? Chidambaram ? Pondicherry – Temples & Coastal Charm

Enjoy breakfast at the hotel and check out

- Visit the remaining Navagraha Temples in Kumbakonam
- Drive to Chidambaram, a sacred town dedicated to Lord Nataraja (Shiva as the Cosmic Dancer)
- Explore the Chidambaram Temple, famous for its stunning architecture and spiritual significance
- Discover other temples and attractions in this historic town
- Continue the drive to Pondicherry, the charming coastal town with French heritage
- Check in at the hotel and relax
- Overnight stay at the hotel in Pondicherry

Day 7 - Pondicherry – Spirituality & Auroville Exploration

Enjoy breakfast at the hotel

Begin a city tour of Pondicherry:

- Visit Sri Aurobindo Ashram, a serene spiritual retreat and center for meditation
- Explore Auroville – the “City of Dawn”, an experimental township designed by French architect Roger Anger, showcasing a unique approach to education, urban living, and sustainable community life
- Return to the hotel for overnight stay in Pondicherry

Day 8 - Pondicherry ? Mahabalipuram ? Kanchipuram – Heritage & Temples

Breakfast at the hotel and check out

Drive to Mahabalipuram and visit:

- Tiger Cave – Rock-cut temple with carvings
- Shore Temple – UNESCO World Heritage site on the coast
- Arjuna’s Penance – Open-air rock relief from Mahabharata
- Pancha Pandava Rathas – Five monolithic temple chariots
- Krishna’s Butter Ball – Famous balancing rock
- Lighthouse & Beach – Scenic coastal views
- Drive to Kanchipuram, city of a thousand temples: Kamakshi Amman Temple, Varadharaja Perumal Temple ,Devarajaswami Temple, Ekambaranatha Temple,Vaikunda Perumal Temple
- Overnight stay in Kanchipuram

Day 9 - Kanchipuram ? Chennai – Temples & City Highlights

Pick up from Kanchipuram and drive to Chennai

Check in at the hotel and freshen up

Proceed for Chennai city sightseeing:

- Kapaleeshwarar Temple – Iconic Dravidian-style temple dedicated to Lord Shiva
- Parthasarathi Temple – Ancient temple dedicated to Lord Krishna
- Government Museum – Explore rich collections of art, archaeology, and history
- Marina Beach – Enjoy a leisurely stroll along one of the longest urban beaches in the world
- Overnight stay at the hotel in Chennai

Day 10 - Chennai – Departure

Enjoy breakfast at the hotel

- Check out and transfer to Chennai Airport / Railway Station for your onward journey
- Depart with wonderful memories of your South India tour

Package Description

Take a trip across Tamil Nadu, a land where the ancient traditions of the past, magnificent temples, and a rich colonial past blend seamlessly. Begin your journey with Chennai which is a lively capital city on the coast with its historical Fort St. George and the sanctified Kapaleeshwarar Temple reflect the city's long-standing tradition and spirituality. Continue on to Pondicherry, which is a charming town that is famous by it's French architecture, tranquil beaches, and the tranquil Aurobindo Ashram.

The next step is to take a look at Trichy located in between Kaveri as well as the Kollidam rivers, the home of the well-known Srirangam along with the Jambukeswarar temples. Continue on towards Kumbakonam famous for its old temples and rich artistic heritage. Explore Madurai Madurai, the city of culture and heritage in Tamil Nadu, where the stunning Meenakshi Amman Temple and the vibrant Chithirai Festival bring the city to life.

Enjoy the tranquility of Rameswaram The city of peace is an island city with the famous Ramanathaswamy Temple, Agni Theertham, and stunning panoramas at Gandamadana Parvatham. Then, you can end your trip with a visit to Kanchipuram which is known as the "City of a Thousand Temples," is awed by the stunning Kailasanathar and Ulagalanda Perumal Temples that showcase the timeless Dravidian artistic talent.

Inclusions

- Pickup from Madurai Railway Station/Airport and drop at Chennai Railway Station/Airport
- 02 Standard Room on Double occupancy
- 09 Nights at Hotel (01 Night Stay in Madurai, 02 Nights Stay in Rameswaram, 01 Night Stay in Trichy, 01 Night Stay in Kumbakonam, 02 Nights Stay in Pondicherry, 01 Night Stay in Kanchipuram & 01 Night Stay in Chennai)
- 09 Breakfast Per Person
- Tours/ Sightseeing
- Tours and Transfer on Private Basis
- Assistance from Company end

Exclusion

- Flight Ticket
- Visa (If Applicable)
- Meals (Other Than specified in Inclusion)
- Travel Insurance (Recommended)
- Cost of any other services not specifically mentioned in inclusions
- Personal and incidental expenses
- Entrance ticket (Other Than specified in Inclusion)
- Transfers other than specified in the inclusions
- Early Check-In & Late Check-Out

Cancellation Policy

-Amendments are not allowed once booking is confirmed and non-refundable

-No Shows are non refundable