

9D8N · BHUTAN

Discover Happiness

NJP Train Station · IXB Airport · Phuentsholing · Thimphu · Punakha · Gangtey

Scan to view package

www.peopleholidays.in/packages/discover-happiness

DURATION	DESTINATION	MEALS	STARTING FROM
9 Days / 8 Nights	**Bhutan**	**As per itinerary**	**INR 52,499 /PP**

These rates are indicative and may change without prior notice. Please reconfirm the latest price with us before booking.

Highlights

This 9-day Bhutan package takes you through the beautiful landscapes and cultural hubs of Phuentsholing, Thimphu, Punakha, Gangtey (Phobjikha), and Paro. You'll explore iconic attractions like Tashichhoe Dzong, Buddha Dordenma, Dochu-La-Pass, Punakha Dzong, Taktsang Monastery (Tiger's Nest), and Gangtey Valley while immersing in Bhutan's traditions and spiritual essence. The journey begins and ends at NJP Train Station or IXB Airport, ensuring a smooth and enjoyable drive-in and drive-out experience.

Day-by-day itinerary

Day 1

NJP Train Station / IXB Airport – Phuentsholing

Distance: 170 km | Driving Time: 5 hrs | Altitude: 293 m. Meet and greet upon arrival. Transfer to Phuentsholing. Complete immigration formalities and check-in at the hotel. Overnight stay: Phuentsholing.

Day 2

Phuentsholing – Thimphu

Distance: 176 km | Driving Time: 6 hrs | Altitude: 2248 m. After breakfast, transfer to Thimphu. Evening visit to Tashichhoe Dzong (Outer View). Overnight stay: Thimphu.

Day 3

Thimphu Sightseeing

Visit Kuensel Phodrang (Buddha Statue), Hindu Temple, National Memorial Chorten, and Wagdi Tse Lhakhang (40-minute hike). Afternoon: Nunnery, BBS Tower, National Library, Centenary Farmer Market, and Craft Bazaar. Overnight stay at Thimphu.

Day 4

Thimphu – Punakha/Wangdue Sightseeing

Distance: 77 km | Driving Time: 3 hrs | Altitude: 1200 m. Drive to Punakha via Dochu-La-Pass (3150 m). Visit Punakha Dzong, Chimi Lhakhang Temple, and Suspension Bridge. Overnight stay: Punakha.

Day 5

Excursion to Gangtey (Phobjikha)

Distance: 78 km (One way) | Driving Time: 3 hrs. Full-day excursion to Gangtey Valley, home to the Black-Necked Crane. Visit Gangtey Gompa and return to Punakha. Overnight stay: Punakha.

Day 6

Punakha – Paro Sightseeing

Distance: 141 km | Driving Time: 5 hrs. Visit Ta Dzong (National Museum), Rinpung Dzong, and Museum of Lights. Evening at leisure. Overnight stay: Paro.

Day 7

Paro Sightseeing

Option 1: Visit Taktsang Monastery (Tiger's Nest) and Drukgyel Dzong. Option 2: Sangchen Chokor Monastery and Paro Valley View. Evening: Try Bhutanese traditional dress and shop. Overnight stay: Paro.

Day 8

Paro – Phuentsholing

Distance: 141 km | Driving Time: 5 hrs. Transfer back to Phuentsholing. Overnight stay: Phuentsholing.

Day 9

Phuentsholing – NJP Train Station / IXB Airport

Distance: 170 km | Driving Time: 5 hrs. Transfer to NJP/IXB for departure.

Inclusions

- ✓ Accommodation on twin-sharing basis.
- ✓ Meal Plan: MAP (Breakfast & Dinner).
- ✓ Transfers and sightseeing by exclusive non-AC vehicle.
- ✓ Permit assistance and a guide in Bhutan.
- ✓ Daily surcharge of INR 1200 per night.
- ✓ 500ml water bottle per day.

Exclusions

- ✗ Lunch.
- ✗ Attraction entrance fees, camera fees, and activity costs.
- ✗ Personal expenses (laundry, beverages, tips, etc.).
- ✗ Additional sightseeing or extra vehicle usage beyond the itinerary.
- ✗ Costs due to natural calamities, political disturbances, or other unforeseen events.
- ✗ Anything not mentioned in inclusions.

Cancellation Policy

- More than 30 days before departure: 90% refund of the total package cost.
- 15-29 days before departure: 50% refund of the total package cost.
- Less than 15 days before departure: No refund.
- No refund for unused services, early check-out, or cancellations made after the trip has commenced.
- In case of natural calamities, political unrest, or unforeseen events: The company will not be held liable, and any costs arising will be borne by the client.

Payment Policy

- Booking Amount: 50% of the total cost is required to confirm the booking.
- Balance Payment: Remaining balance must be paid 7 days prior to departure.
- Payments can be made via bank transfer, credit card, or UPI.

Refund Policy

- Cancellation 30+ days before the trip: Full refund minus INR 1000 processing fee.
- Cancellation 15–29 days before the trip: 50% refund.
- Cancellation less than 15 days before the trip: No refund.
- Refunds will be processed within 7–10 working days.

Terms & Conditions

- The itinerary is subject to change based on local conditions, weather, and unforeseen events.
- Guests are responsible for carrying valid ID proof (Passport/Voter ID for adults, Passport/Birth Certificate for children).
- Hotel check-in/check-out times follow local policies.
- The company is not liable for delays caused by road conditions, strikes, or natural calamities.
- Any additional costs due to itinerary changes will be borne by the client.

Additional Information

- Ensure your Passport/Voter ID has 6 months validity.
- COVID vaccination certificate is mandatory.
- Submit required documents for permits at least 7 days prior to the trip.
- Pack comfortable walking shoes for monastery visits and hikes.
- Bhutan follows a plastic-free policy; kindly adhere to local environmental guidelines.

Book this trip with People Holidays

WhatsApp: +91 93244 55999

Call: +91 98203 89595

Email: plan@peopleholidays.in

Online: www.peopleholidays.in/packages/discover-happiness

Prices, hotels and timings are subject to availability at the time of booking. Every itinerary can be customised, tell us what you'd like to change.