

Shimla Weekend Escape: Mall Road & Kufri Mini Tour

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Destination
Himachal



Duration
3 Nights 4 Days



Starting from
Rs. 8,500 / person

ITINERARY ROUTE

📍 Shimla · 3N

Overview

Experience the best of Himachal in a compact 3 nights / 4 days Himachal tour package, thoughtfully crafted for families and couples. This Himachal Family tour package blends the colonial charm of Shimla with the scenic adventures of Kufri, making it an ideal Himachal Family package and a perfect option among 3 and 4 Himachal Family tour package choices.

Highlights:

- Mall Road (Shimla) – evening strolls, shopping & cafes
- Kufri Adventure Park – pony rides, short hikes & snow activities (seasonal)
- Jakhu Temple & The Ridge – panoramic views of the Himalayas
- Viceregal Lodge (Indian Institute of Advanced Study) – colonial architecture and gardens

Note: This weekend escape is family-friendly and suitable for travelers seeking a relaxed, heritage-plus-nature experience.

✓ What's Included

- ✓ Accommodation for 3 nights in Shimla on twin/ family sharing basis (as per chosen category)
- ✓ Daily breakfast and 2 dinners
- ✓ Transfers and sightseeing by private vehicle (as per itinerary)
- ✓ Local English-speaking guide for heritage walk and Kufri visit
- ✓ All applicable hotel taxes
- ✓ 24/7 emergency support during the trip
- ✓ This package is marketed as a family-friendly Himachal Family Retreat tour package suitable for small families and couples.

✗ Not Included

- ✗ Travel to/from Shimla (rail/air) to the start point – unless a pick-up is included in your booking
- ✗ Entry fees, parking charges and gratuities
- ✗ Personal expenses like laundry, phone calls, and minibar
- ✗ Meals not specified in inclusions
- ✗ Adventure activities with extra charges (seasonal activities in Kufri may be payable on-site)
- ✗ Travel insurance (recommended)
- ✗ Note: Any optional activities or changes requested on-trip will incur extra costs.

Day-by-Day Itinerary

Day

1

Arrival in Shimla & Evening at Mall Road

Arrive at Shimla (by road/rail/air to nearest) and check into your hotel. After freshening up, head to Mall Road for a leisurely evening – enjoy shopping, local snacks and the vibrant atmosphere. Walk along The Ridge to soak in panoramic views and witness the colonial architecture. Dinner at a cozy restaurant on Mall Road.

Important: Early arrivals can opt for short naps before the evening stroll to adjust to the hill climate.

Day

2

Kufri Excursion & Adventure Activities

After breakfast, take a scenic drive to Kufri (approx. 30–45 minutes). Spend the day at Kufri Adventure Park: enjoy pony rides, short nature trails, and (seasonal) snow activities such as sledging. Visit the Kufri Fun World viewpoint for sweeping views of the Himalayan foothills. Return to Shimla by late afternoon for dinner.

Tip: Carry sunscreen, water, and a light jacket. In winter, pack insulated outerwear for snow play.

Day

3

Shimla Heritage Walk & Local Sightseeing

Post breakfast, enjoy a guided heritage walk of Shimla. Visit Viceregal Lodge (Indian Institute of Advanced Study) to admire colonial-era architecture and landscaped gardens. Continue to Jakhu Temple to see the large Hanuman statue and panoramic vistas. Explore local markets, cafes, and boutique shops in the afternoon. Evening at leisure with optional cultural dinner.

Note: Viceregal Lodge may have specific visiting hours and entry fees; plan accordingly.

Day

4

Leisure Morning & Departure

Enjoy a relaxed morning – a final stroll on Mall Road or a visit to nearby viewpoints. Check out from the hotel and depart for your onward journey with fond memories of the Shimla Weekend Escape. Depending on departure time, drop-offs can be arranged to the nearest railway station or airport.

Tip: Confirm transfer timings a day prior and keep extra buffer time for hill travel.

Frequently Asked Questions

❓ **What are the top tourist destinations in Himachal Pradesh?**

Top tourist destinations in Himachal Pradesh include Shimla, known for its colonial architecture; Manali, a hub for adventure sports; Dharamshala, home to the Dalai Lama; and Kasol, famous for its picturesque landscapes. Don't miss the stunning landscapes of Spiti Valley and the tranquility of Dalhousie!

❓ **What is the best time to visit Himachal for tourism?**

The best time to visit Himachal Pradesh for tourism is from March to June and September to November. During these months, the weather is pleasant, ideal for exploring scenic landscapes, temples, and adventure activities. Summer offers a respite from the heat, while autumn showcases stunning foliage.

❓ **What are some adventure activities available in Himachal Pradesh?**

Himachal Pradesh offers a plethora of adventure activities for thrill-seekers. You can indulge in trekking, paragliding in Bir Billing, river rafting in Kullu, skiing in Manali, mountain biking, rock climbing, and camping amidst stunning landscapes. Explore the breathtaking trails and experience the ultimate adrenaline rush!

❓ **How to reach Himachal Pradesh from major cities in India?**

Himachal Pradesh is well-connected by road, rail, and air. From Delhi, take a bus or hire a taxi for a scenic drive (about 10-12 hours). The nearest airport is in Bhuntar (Kullu) with flights from Delhi. By train, you can reach Joginder Nagar or Pathankot, followed by a road trip to popular destinations.

❓ **Are there any travel restrictions in Himachal Pradesh due to COVID-19?**

As of October 2023, Himachal Pradesh has relaxed most COVID-19 travel restrictions. However, it's advisable to check for any specific guidelines or requirements before traveling, such as health protocols or mask mandates in crowded places. Enjoy the scenic beauty and adventure activities safely!

❓ **What are the best trekking routes in Himachal?**

Himachal Pradesh offers stunning trekking routes like Triund Trek, Hampta Pass, and Kinnaur Kailash Trek. Explore the picturesque landscapes, lush green valleys, and breathtaking views. Other popular options include Beas Kund and the Great Himalayan National Park trails, catering to both beginners and experienced trekkers.

🔍 What cultural experiences can visitors have in Himachal Pradesh?

Visitors to Himachal Pradesh can immerse themselves in vibrant local culture through traditional festivals like Kullu Dussehra, explore ancient temples, and participate in folk dances. The region offers authentic Himachali cuisine, handicraft shopping, and opportunities to interact with local communities, enhancing the travel experience.

★ Traveller Reviews



Nidhi Mehta

★★★★★ 5/5

A Journey to Remember

This tour was truly a journey to remember, filled with laughter, beautiful landscapes, and countless memories. Thank you, Himachal!



Pankaj Singh

★★★★★ 5/5

Historical Wonders

Loved exploring the historical wonders of Himachal. Each site had a story to tell and added to our adventure.



Nishant Kohli

★★★★☆ 4/5

Peaceful Lakes

Visiting the beautiful lakes in Himachal was a highlight. Kayaking in the tranquil waters was an experience like no other.



Seema Joshi

★★★★★ 5/5

Delicious Local Cuisine

The local food was delicious! Each meal was a delightful experience, showcasing Himachal's rich culinary heritage.



Deepak Yadav

★★★★★ 5/5

Adorable Hill Stations

Each hill station we visited had its unique charm. The ride through the hills was exhilarating! Loved every minute of it.

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