

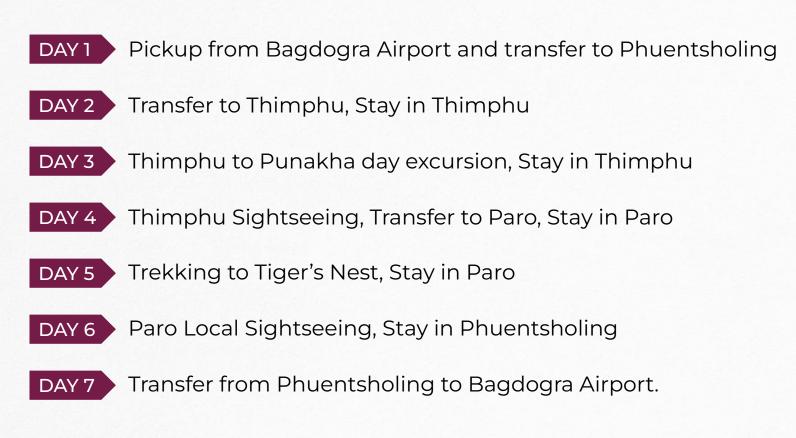
# TRIPHAWKER® 6n/7D BHUTAN

### Ex. Bagdogra Airport 1+1 Night Phuentsholing, 2N Thimphu & 2N Paro

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# **BRIEF ITINERARY**





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## WHY TRAVEL WITH US?



#### **Bhutan Specialists**

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### **Affordable Pricing**

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### 200+ Group Trips Every Year

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Support for any emergency or assistance.

### RECOMMENDED BY TRAVEL ENTHUSIASTS





# **ABOUT BHUTAN**



### Overview:

Bhutan is popularly known as "Land of Thunder Dragon" and its situated in the Eastern Himalayas. Bhutan is also known as "Happiest country in the World". Bhutan attracts many travelers from across the globe because of its untouched mountains, serenity, and vibrancy.

### Why should you take this trip?

Exploring the marvels of Bhutan is once in a lifetime experience. This beautifully crafted seven-day quality itinerary will show you the best of Bhutan attractions including Phuentsholing, Thimphu, Paro and Punakha. On this tour, you will see the magnificent landscapes of Bhutan including waterfalls, rivers and valleys. You will also visit ancient monasteries, observe traditional Bhutanese culture and see daily life in depth.

### Language:

Dzongkha is the official language, mainly spoken in the west. Hindi & English is commonly spoken in major towns, also commonly used in education in schools in the country.

### **Religion:**

Buddhism is the official religion and is endorsed by the government of Bhutan.





#### PICKUP FROM BAGDOGRA AIRPORT AND TRANSFER TO PHUENTSHOLING

(DISTANCE 145 KMS | DRIVING TIME: 4 HRS)



- Arrive at Bagdogra Airport (IXB), and proceed towards Phuentsholing.
- Arrive in Phuentsholing and embark on the unforgettable experience of crossing the Indo-Bhutan border on foot.
- Check In to your hotel and freshen up.
- Check out your locality in Phuentsholing and try local cuisines or simply relax in the charismatic environment of Bhutan.
- Overnight stay in Phuentsholing.

Pro Tip: Kizom Cafe Pizzeria to experience local Bhutanese or Indian cuisines

Pickup Time: As per your arrival at Bagdogra Airport (IXB).



#### TRANSFER TO THIMPHU, ON THE WAY SIGHTSEEING, STAY IN THIMPHU

(DISTANCE 160 KMS | DRIVING TIME: 5 HRS)

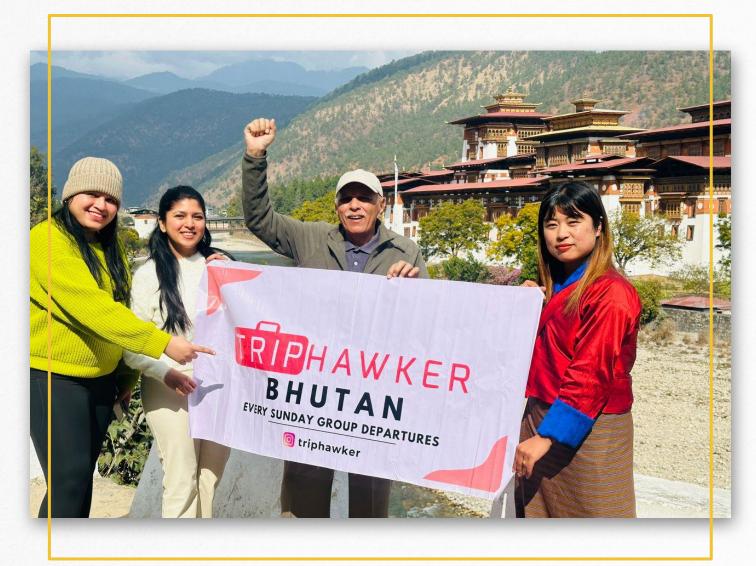


- After a breakfast, checkout from the hotel.
- After immigration proceed towards Thimphu.
- Enjoy this beautiful journey through the beautiful landscapes.
- Pass through **Chukha Waterfall** and **Chuzom Bridge**, confluence of two rivers Thimphu river and Paro river.
- Arrive Thimphu by evening and check in to your hotel.
- Leisure time in the evening.
- Overnight stay in Thimphu.



### THIMPHU TO PUNAKHA DAY EXCURSION, STAY IN THIMPHU

### (DISTANCE 75 KMS | DRIVING TIME: 2.5 HRS ONE WAY)



- After breakfast drive to Punakha.
- Visit Dochula-Pass: (3150 mts.) a beautiful mountain pass, which is a concentration of 108 memorial stupas.
- **Punakha Dzong** is second oldest dzong in Bhutan. Until the mid-1950s it served as the capital and seat of government.
- **Punakha Suspension Bridge**: It is one of the longest and oldest suspension bridges in Bhutan.
- After the Punakha sightseeing come back to your hotel in Thimphu.
- Overnight stay in Thimphu.



#### THIMPHU SIGHTSEEING, STAY IN PARO

#### (THIMPHU TO PARO DISTANCE 50 KMS | DRIVING TIME: 1.5 HRS)



- After breakfast proceed for Thimphu local sightseeing.
- Visit Buddha Dordenma Statue: a huge statue of Buddha
- The National Memorial Chorten Stupas: The chorten or stupa was built in the memory of the third king.
- Takin Zoo: the national animal of Bhutan can be seen here.
- Changangkha Lhakhang: Oldest surviving temple in Thimphu
- Simply Bhutan Museum: Taste local wine 'Aara', dress up in traditional clothes, play National game Archery, meet the foot carver- Pema
  Tshering watch the cultural show and drink Bhutanese 'Butter Tea'.
- Arrival to Paro by evening. Check In to your hotel.
- Overnight stay in Paro.



#### TREKKING TO TIGER'S NEST AND OVERNIGHT STAY IN PARO

(TOTAL DISTANCE 6.4 KMS | TIME: 3-5 HRS | ALTITUDE: 10,245 FT ELEVATION: 900 MTR)



- After breakfast, proceed to **Tiger's Nest Monastery,** also known as Paro Taktsang, is a sacred Buddhist temple and monastery.
- The hike to Tiger's Nest is a easy to moderate one. You'll be able to do it if you have at least an average level of fitness.
- For people who cannot make the climb, there are horses available for hire at the starting point.
- After the hike you can enjoy hot stone batch at countryside.
- Overnight stay in Paro.



### PARO LOCAL SIGHTSEEING, STAY IN PHUENTSHOLING

#### (PARO TO PHUENTSHOLING DISTANCE: 150 KMS | DRIVING TIME: 4.5 HR)



- After breakfast proceed towards Paro local sightseeing
- Ta Dzong National Museum of Bhutan
- **Rinpung Dzong** Popularly known as, Paro Dzong is situated in the Paro Valley.
- Afternoon drive to Phuentsholing with stopovers and enjoying the scenic beauty.
- Arrive Phuentsholing by evening and check in to your hotel.
- Overnight stay in Phuentsholing.



#### TRANSFER FROM PHUENTSHOLING TO BAGDOGRA AIRPORT

(DISTANCE 145 KMS | DRIVING TIME: 4 HRS)



- After breakfast checkout from hotel.
- Depart for Bagdogra Airport for the onward journey.

**Drop Time**: As per your flight time keeping buffer time to avoid any delay. We suggest to book flight after departing after 02:00 from Bagdogra Airport (IXB)



## INCLUSIONS



- 6 Nights accommodation in Bhutan
- 1+1 Night Phuentsholing, 2 Nights Thimphu & 2 Nights Paro Stay.
- Meals as per package selected at accommodated hotels.
- 1 Complimentary Tourist Sim Card per Adult with 100 Minutes Talk Time.
- Pickup & Drop from Bagdogra Airport (IXB) on Private basis.
- All transfers and sightseeing as per Itinerary on Private basis.
- Assistance for Tourist Permits to Travel to Thimphu, Paro and Punakha.
- Driver allowances, toll tax, parking charges, state taxes.
- Licensed Bhutanese Cultural Guide to assist throughout the trip.
- ₹ 1200 per day Visa Cost or Sustainable Development Fee (SDF) Included.

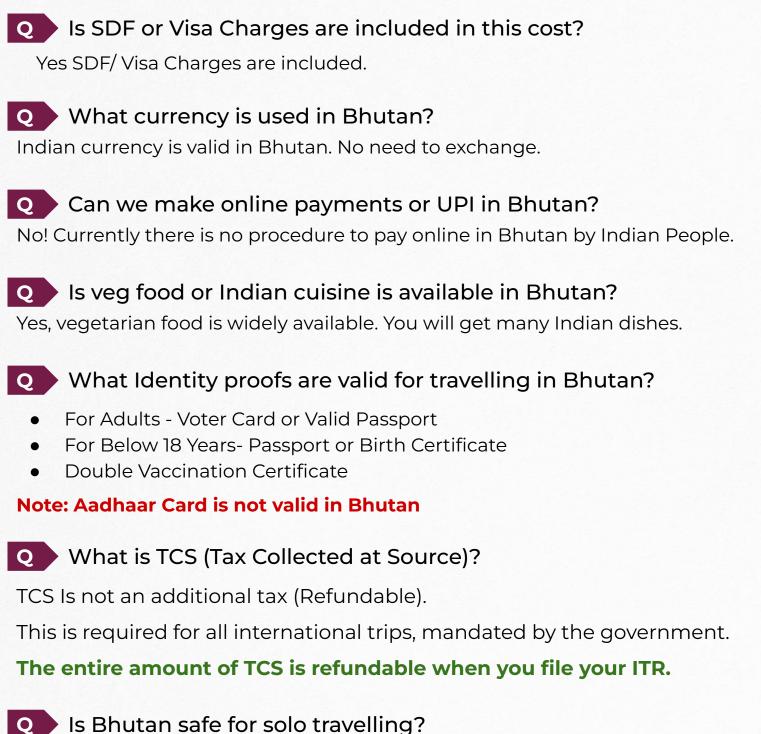
## EXCLUSIONS

- Any Airfare or Train Fare ( Airfare Deals Available ).
- Lunch, any extra meal/beverages not mentioned in the package.
- Additional sightseeing or extra usage of vehicle, other than mentioned in the itinerary or Optional Tours.
- Any activities, permits, monuments entrance fee or transfers other than mentioned in the Itinerary.
- Any expenses caused by reasons beyond our control such as rescheduling or cancellations e.g. flights cancellations, any accidents, weather conditions, medical evacuations, riots, strikes etc. Such expenses will have to be paid directly.
- Travel Insurance.
- Any other expenses specifically not mentioned above.
- 5% GST and 5% TCS as per government norms





### FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS



Certainly, Bhutan is one of the safest destination for solo travelers. Joining a

group trip with TripHawker can cut down travel costs; we have weekly departures to Bhutan.





## PAYMENT METHODS

Pay advance as 50% of the total package amount to confirm your booking by any of the payment method below. Remaining amount shall be payable 14 days prior to the trip.

**Payment Gateway** 



### By Using UPI

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### **Bank Transfer**

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**UPI QR Code** 



## **IMPORTANT NOTES**

#### Cancellation Policy (Visit Website)

- Booking amount is non refundable.
- Any cancellation before 30 days of the trip date, a 50% amount of the trip cost will be charged as cancellation fees.
- Any cancellation within the 30 days of the trip date, No Refund shall be granted.
- No refund if you fail to show up on the day of departure under the given timeline that has been provided to you beforehand.
- If the entire trip is cancelled due to natural calamities or unforeseen circumstances such as rain, snowfall, earthquake, landslides, strikes, bandhs, COVID-19 restrictions, or local government restrictions then travelers will receive a travel voucher for the same amount. This voucher can be used within 365 days of issuance for same destination trip worth the same amount. Please note that this is an exceptional scenario and only applies to full trip cancellations, not partial changes or cancellations that may occur due to other unforeseen reasons

### **Documents Required for Permits:**

- For Adults Voter Card or Valid Passport
- For Below 18 Years- Passport or Birth Certificate
- Double Vaccination Certificate

#### Note: Aadhaar Card is not valid in Bhutan

# Travel should be a respectful, safe, and enjoyable experience for everyone.

If in our opinion your behaviour is causing distress, danger or annoyance to any of our other guests or any third party we reserve the right to terminate your arrangements with us immediately. No refunds will be issued if you are removed from a tour because of a violation of this Traveller Conduct Policy. Read complete terms and conditions here: <u>https://triphawker.com/tnc/</u>

**Note**: Numerous factors such as weather and road conditions, natural calamity, the physical ability of participants etc. may bring alteration in the itinerary. We reserve the right to make necessary changes in the schedule in the interest of safety, comfort and general well-being!

## PEOPLE SAID

"I really enjoyed the well planned trip. It was my first solo and was apprehensive about it. Then got in touch with Trip hawker and it help me plan really quick. Himanshu helped in resolving all small queries. I am back with amazing memories."

For mountains, monasteries and utter magic, escape to Bhutan...Amazing trip with beautiful memories..Thanks alot #triphawker for@making this trip possible as solo traveller!!

I feel it was one of the best travel experiences of my life. Travelling a beautiful country with some amazing bunch of people in a well managed trip was worth my time and money.

The experience with Trip Hawker was amazing. Himanshu was cooperative and reachable throughout the trip. Thank you Trip Hawker for giving us such an amazing chance to explore the Land of Happiness and giving us the chance to meet such incredible people. I would greatly recommend people to go for it

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