

A high-angle, wide shot of a rugged mountain valley. In the foreground, a winding asphalt road follows the left bank of a wide, shallow river with milky, white water. The river flows from the background towards the bottom right. The surrounding mountains are steep and rocky, with visible erosion patterns and patches of snow or light-colored rock. In the distance, a jagged mountain peak is covered in snow, standing out against a sky filled with heavy, grey clouds. The overall color palette is dominated by earthy browns, greys, and the white of the snow and river water.

# ADVENTURUSH

## INCLUSIONS

- **Accommodation** - All days stay at hotels, camps, or guest houses on Double or triple sharing basis, as selected.
- **Meals** - Breakfast and dinner are included in the trip from Dinner on Day 02 to Breakfast on Day 07
- **Transportation** – SUV/ Tempo Traveller
- **A Professional Tour Guide** with experience of accompanying travellers on trips to this location is provided throughout the trip.
- **Miscellaneous**
  - First Aid Kit
  - Oxygen Cylinder
  - Inner line permit/Manali Green Tribunal Permit
  - Bonfire wherever applicable depends on weather conditions.

## EXCLUSIONS

- **Personal Expenses** such as telephone charges, laundry, tips, table drinks etc
- **Insurance of any kind** - Medical, Accidental or theft
- **Transportation charges** (airfare or rail fare) that are not mentioned in 'Inclusions'.
- **Lunch** or any other meal not listed in 'Inclusions'.
- **Parking and Entry fees** for sightseeing's
- Any additional cost incurred due to extension or modifications to the trip owing to circumstances beyond control such as - natural calamities, roadblocks, union issues, (Including but not limited to accommodation charges or meal charges for extended stay)
- Other charges not mentioned in the 'Inclusions' section.

## ITINERARY

### Day 1: Arrival in Delhi

It's the first day of your Zaskar Itinerary, which kicks in when you board a Volvo bus that takes you to Manali, a popular, spectacular hill station in Himachal Pradesh. Sleep tight while you traverse the night in a comfortable bus ride before starting an action-packed Delhi to Zaskar trip!

### Day 2: Manali Sightseeing and Jogini Falls Trek

'Hello, Manali!', says your heart as it captures the gorgeous sights surrounding the bustle of the town. Indulge in a scrumptious dinner at the hotel before marking explorations. Move on to trek through Jogini Falls, a magnificent waterfall near Manali that soars into the white-gold waters mixed with a powerful sound of falls. Explore the hush-hush of forests while the secretive and bumpy trails guide you to breathtaking views of the mountains. After venturing through and about the wilds, take some time to relax and rejuvenate at the waterfall. Wind the second day of your Delhi to Zaskar itinerary with a delectable hill-station-kind-of dinner.

### Day 3: Manali to Purne

As the day of an exciting Zaskar Padum trip arrives, make sure to fuel your body with a healthy breakfast. After check-out from the hotel in Manali, start your journey to Purne, a remote village located in the Zaskar region. When travelling, you will get the views of stunning landscapes, snow-capped peaks, and sublime valleys to behold. After arrival in Purne, check-in to your accommodation, rest and freshen up. The evening will unfold to the explorations of local surroundings where you will learn a lot about the culture of the Himalayan village. Cuddle up to an overnight stay in Purne, embraced by nature's splendour.

### Day 4: Purne to Padum

Rise and shine! You have explored quite a zest of Delhi to Zaskar trip and there's a lot more that's yet to uncover. So, here comes your Purne to Padum adventure, which begins with a savoury breakfast. On the way to traversing Zaskar Padum, the tranquility of nature will be embracing you with towering mountains, and pristine landscapes. Upon arrival in Padum and check into your hotel and relax for some time. Spend the afternoon of your Purne to Padum trip exploring the local market and culture and splurge on some antique handicrafts or souvenirs, if you may. Call it a night after a cosy dinner at the stay.

### Day 5: Padum Exploration

This day of your Delhi to Zaskar trip is all about tapping the cultural spectrum of the village. Get ready as today you are to visit the ancient monasteries, their breathtaking architecture, and unbelievably serene ambiance. Spend the day delving into the spiritual resemblance of

the place, while breathing nature's best works as they surround the sound of prayers. Enjoy an overnight rest in Padum.

### **Day 6: Padum to Jispa**

Post breakfast, bid adieu to Padum and kickstart the new day of your Zaskar itinerary that goes straight to Jispa, a scenic village in the Lahaul Valley. On your drive to the destination, capture striking views at every turn. The village is decked up with the awe-inspiring landscapes of Ladakh, majestic mountains, shimmery rivers, and grand expanses of the high-altitude region.

Upon your arrival in Jispa, check into your accommodation and have some rest in the lap of this quaint mountain village.

### **Day 7: Jispa to Manali and Overnight Bus to Delhi**

Relish in a healthy yet delicious breakfast before you check out from the hotel in Jispa. The journey begins as you trace your way back to Manali through the sleek, mesmerising views of Lahaul, that transition into something even more heavenly with time. Board the overnight Volvo bus from Zaskar to Delhi, with feel-good memories in your heart.

### **Day 8: Arrival in Delhi**

The world indeed feels different upon a chit-chat with nature. After saying goodbye to what truly was Bon Voyage, you return to Delhi.

