

A high-angle, wide shot of a rugged mountain valley. In the foreground, a dark asphalt road curves along the left bank of a wide, shallow river with milky, brownish water. The river flows from the bottom right towards the center. The valley walls are steep and composed of layered, reddish-brown and tan rock and soil. In the background, majestic mountains rise, with the highest peaks covered in snow and partially shrouded in soft, white clouds. The sky is filled with large, billowing white clouds, suggesting a bright but slightly overcast day. The overall scene conveys a sense of vastness and adventure.

# ADVENTURUSH

## INCLUSIONS

- **Meal**- Enjoy a delicious vegetarian breakfast en-route back to Bangalore.
- **Others** - Basic first-aid support.
- **Vehicle** - Travel in a comfortable and hygienic non-AC bus.
- **Permissions** - Go on a safe trekking journey with an instructor. This trek is also approved by the forest department.
- **Others** - Basic first-aid support.

## EXCLUSIONS

- GST on booking tickets
- **Personal expenses**: Any personal expenses like Mineral water/lime water/ Extra snacks/ Soft Drinks, or meals that are not included in the inclusions. Anything that is purchased for personal consumption.
- **Miscellaneous expenses**: Any cost not mentioned and included in inclusions.
- All expenses incurred due to emergencies and unavoidable circumstances like roadblocks and lousy weather.
- Any medical / Emergency evacuations if required.
- Any Insurance

## ITINERARY

### Day 1: Pick up and Off to Makalidurga Trek

Begin the Makalidurga day trek with an early-morning journey from Bangalore between 6.00 to 7.30 am. Choose your pick-up points from the lot- in Indiranagar (6:30 AM), Domlur Skywalk (6:45 AM), Sapphire Toys on Richmond Road (7:00 AM) or Esteem Mal (7:30 AM).

Arrive at the campsite by 9 am, where you can freshen up and enjoy a hearty breakfast amidst the serene surroundings. Strap on your trekking gear as we commence the thrilling Makalidurga Trek, embarking on a journey that will take you to mesmerizing heights.

Savor a delicious, packed lunch en-route, refueling your energy for the rest of the trek. After a couple of hours, reach the summit where the historical Shiva temple awaits. Explore the ancient temple's architectural highlights, adorned with intricate carvings and statues, and feel the spiritual aura of the place.

Get your detective glasses on as you'll encounter the ruins of historic stone walls as you continue the trail to the Makalidurga fort, built in the pre-British era, formerly used as a fortress for defense. These ancient defenses serve as a reminder of the area's historical strategic importance and heighten the mystique of your trek.

Lay back, refresh at the hilltop, and call it the best part of the day. The final moment of your trek has arrived, and it's time to bid farewell to the majestic views. From the stunning vistas

On the challenging hike, you've explored the very best that the mountains have to offer. Departure from the trek back to Bangalore begins at 2:30 pm and the estimated time of arrival to Bangalore is 6:00 pm.

