



# KAILASH MANSAROVAR YATRA LUCKNOW BY HELICOPTER



## Overview

Duration : 08 Days

## Package Cost

Price : 2,20,000 Rs per person (By Bank 5%  
GST Extra)







The **Kailash Mansarovar Yatra** is a significant and spiritual pilgrimage to two sacred sites in Tibet: **Mount Kailash** and **Lake Mansarovar**. It holds immense religious importance for Hindus, Buddhists, Jains, and Bonpo followers. Located in the remote and high-altitude regions of the Tibetan Plateau, the yatra is considered one of the most challenging and revered pilgrimages in the world.

## Spiritual Significance

Pilgrims believe that visiting Mount Kailash and Lake Mansarovar is a path to spiritual growth, self-purification, and achieving liberation from the cycle of birth and death (samsara).

The **Kailash Parikrama** around the mountain is particularly important, as it is believed that walking around the mountain helps the individual rid themselves of accumulated karmic debt and brings them closer to moksha (freedom from the cycle of life and death).



## Itinerary

### **Day 01:** Arrival in Lucknow and drive to Nepalgunj

upon arrival in lucknow, you will be greeted at the airport or train station and transferred to nepalgunj. The drive will take approximately 5 hours to cover the 180 km distance. Overnight stay in nepalgunj.

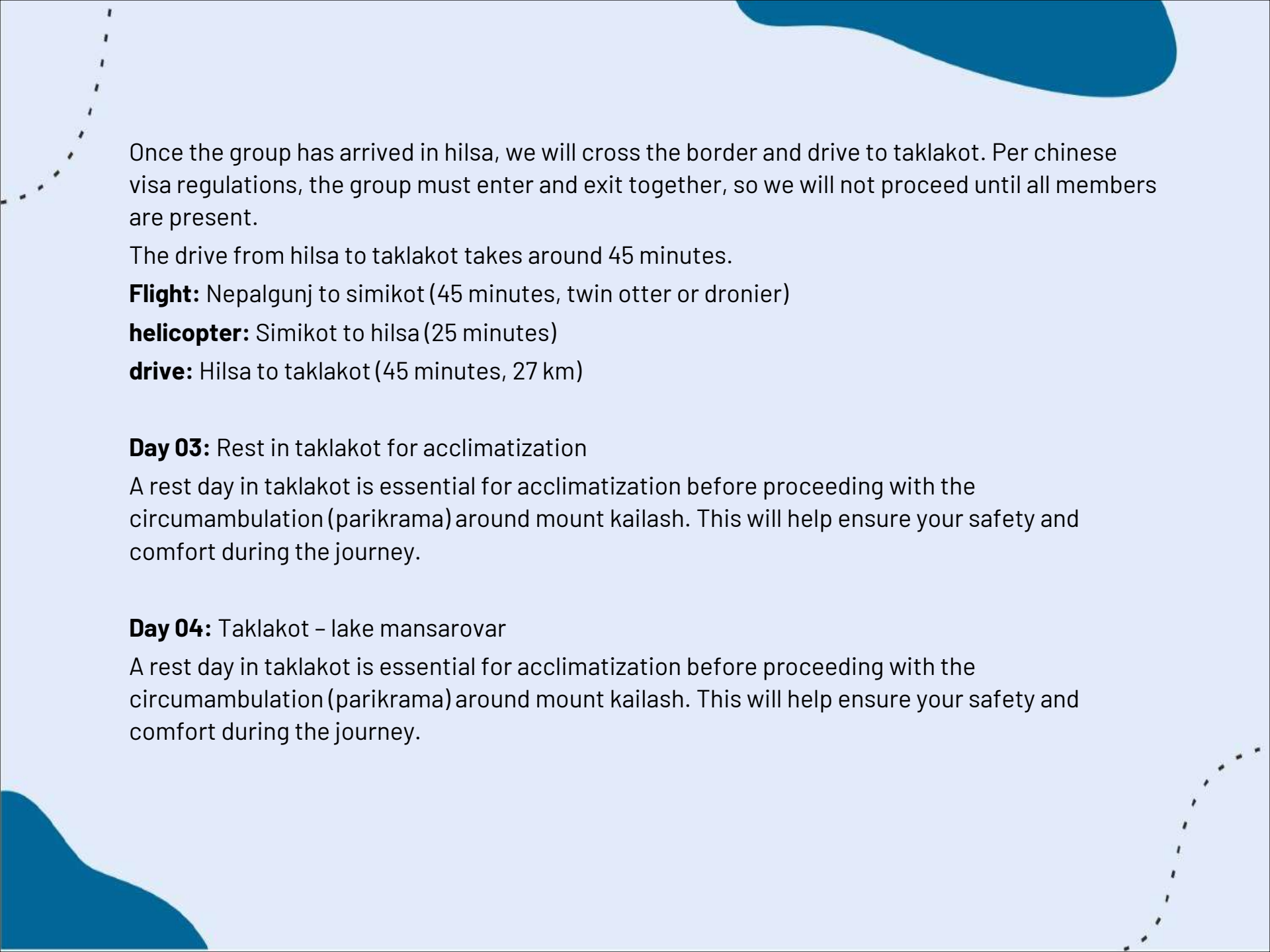
Distance: Lucknow to nepalgunj – 180 km (5 hours)

### **Day 02:** Nepalgunj – simikot – hilsa – taklakot

Early morning, at 5:00 a.m., we will transfer you to nepalgunj airport for your flight to simikot. The flight lasts about an hour, passing over nepal's remote mountainous regions, which are often cloudy and unpredictable. It is recommended to fly early in the morning when weather conditions are calmer. Simikot, situated at 2910 m, offers an ideal stop for acclimatization. Simikot has a stol (short take-off and landing) airport, which can only accommodate small aircraft carrying up to 15 people.

We will stay overnight in simikot for acclimatization before proceeding to the next part of the journey.

Afterward, we will board a helicopter for the 25-minute flight to hilsa. The helicopter ride passes through deep gorges and narrow valleys. We use eurocopters (b3), each carrying 5 passengers with a baggage limit of 10 kg per person.



Once the group has arrived in hilsa, we will cross the border and drive to taklakot. Per chinese visa regulations, the group must enter and exit together, so we will not proceed until all members are present.

The drive from hilsa to taklakot takes around 45 minutes.

**Flight:** Nepalgunj to simikot (45 minutes, twin otter or dronier)

**helicopter:** Simikot to hilsa (25 minutes)

**drive:** Hilsa to taklakot (45 minutes, 27 km)

### **Day 03:** Rest in taklakot for acclimatization

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### **Day 04:** Taklakot – lake mansarovar

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### **Day 05:** Chiugompa – darchen – yama dwara – trek to deraphuk

The sacred circumambulation around kailash begins today. After breakfast, we drive to yama dwara (tarboche), about 1.5 hours from lake manasarovar, where we will stop in darchen for permits.

The trek from yama dwara to deraphuk takes 4-5 hours, covering a flat, mild ascent. The trek is manageable, but the high elevation may make it necessary to take frequent breaks.

Drive: Lake manasarovar to yama dwara (45 km, 1 hour)

**trek:** Yama dwara to deraphuk (10 km, 5-6 hours)

**elevation:** Deraphuk – 4920 m (16,138 ft)

**temperature:** Daytime – 12 to 18°C, nighttime – 5 to -8°C, windy and partly cloudy

### **Day 06:** Deraphuk to Zutulphuk

Today, we begin the challenging ascent to dolma la, the highest point of the trek at 5600 m. The trail is steep but flattens as you approach the summit. After reaching dolma la, we descend towards zutulphuk, passing gaurikunda, a small glacial pool associated with hindu legend. The descent can be treacherous, so caution is advised.

**Trek:** Deraphuk to zutulphuk (21 km, 8-9 hours)

**elevation:** Zutulphuk – 4820 m (15,810 ft)

**temperature:** Daytime – 14 to 22°C, nighttime – 3 to -5°C, windy

**Day 07:** End trek and drive back to taklakot

After completing the circumambulation, we trek 6 km to the end point. The remaining 105 km drive to taklakot will take about 2 hours.

**Trek:** Zutulphuk to trek end point (8 km, 3 hours)

**drive:** Trek end point to taklakot (105 km, 2 hours)

**Day 08:** Drive taklakot – hilsa and fly to simikot – nepalgunj

We will drive to hilsa, where immigration formalities are completed. After crossing the karnali river suspension bridge, we will fly back to simikot and then continue to nepalgunj. If weather permits, we will reach nepalgunj by 9 a.m., followed by the drive back to lucknow (5 hours).

**Drive:** Taklakot to hilsa (27 km, 45 minutes)

**helicopter:** Hilsa to simikot (25 minutes)

**flight:** Simikot to nepalgunj (45 minutes)

**Tour end**

Places	Name of hotels	Remarks
Nepalgunj	Hotel sidhartha palace or similer	Twin/ triple sharing room with attached bath room
Taklakot	Hotel himalaya or purang	Twin/ triple sharing room with attached bath room
Mansarovar	Parmarth niketen guest house	Dormitory room with common toilet (tibetan style)
Darchen	Himalaya kailash hotel	Twin/ triple sharing room with attached bath room
Deraphuk	Shishpangam guesthouse	Dormitory room with common toilet (tibetan style)
Zutulphuk	Norpel guestouse or mudhouse	Dormitory room with common toilet (tibetan style)

## Service Includes

1. Accommodation in nepalgunj, simikot, taklakot, and tibet (tibetan guesthouses).
2. Vegetarian meals throughout the journey in tibet.
3. Transportation in tibet by luxury bus and vehicles around lake manasarovar.
4. Flights: Nepalgunj to simikot (fixed-wing aircraft), simikot to hilsa (helicopter), hilsa to simikot, simikot to nepalgunj (fixed-wing aircraft).
5. All domestic airport taxes, tibet group visa, and necessary travel permits.
6. English-speaking tibetan guide and tour manager.
7. Necessary supporting crew, including cook, assistant cook, and sherpas.
8. Emergency oxygen and medical kit.
9. Porter costs in hilsa for both directions.
10. Shoulder bag, duffel bag, down jacket, and raincoat provided by nidhi tours.



## Service Excludes

1. Riding horses during the circumambulation.
2. Personal travel insurance.
3. Insurance for emergency rescue and evacuation.
4. Asthapad darshan (currently banned).
5. Personal expenses, soft drinks, and bottled beverages.
6. Tips for guides and drivers.
7. Extra accommodation charges due to flight cancellations.
8. International flight tickets.
9. 5% gst on additional services.

## To process your Tibet group visa,

### **we require,**

A clear color scan of your passport and a 25% advance payment, to be submitted at least 60 days in advance.

## To Payment Policy



- A booking fee of 500 usd per person is required to be paid in advance to the company.
- The remaining payment must be settled upon your arrival in kathmandu, nepal.

## Booking Condition

In accordance with the regulations of the foreign exchange centre, a single permit will be issued for each group. To facilitate this process, we kindly request that you provide the company with a comprehensive list of group members along with clear passport copies a minimum of 8 weeks before your scheduled arrival in kathmandu, nepal. This will ensure the smooth issuance of permits.

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To ensure a smooth process,

Please ensure the following: Travel is restricted to the individual for whom the permit has been issued. In the event of cancellation by that individual, the permit cannot be transferred for use by another person. For instance, if gunjan sharma chooses to cancel her yatra and intends for her son pratik sharma to take her place, such substitution is not feasible. Additionally, the cancellation charges will be applicable to the person initiating the cancellation.

Bring along 6 passport-size photographs measuring 33 mm in width and 48 mm in height. For your convenience, you can apply for a 30-day nepal visa in advance through the following link: <https://nepaliport.immigration.gov.np/online> alternatively, you also have the option to obtain an on-arrival visa at the airport.



## Cancellation Policy

1. After the Group-Naming list has been submitted for the permit, any cancellations will incur a fee of USD 500 per person. (The permit application is made 60 days prior to the travel date).
2. If the Yatri cancels the tour 45 Days before the date of departure, 75% of total payment will be refunded.
3. If the Yatri cancels the tour 30 Days before the date of departure, 50% of total payment will be refunded.
4. If the Yatri cancels the tour 15 Days before the date of departure, NO payment will be refunded.

## Emergency Departure & Associated Costs

In the event of an unforeseen emergency requiring a Yatri to depart the Yatra prematurely and seek to return, the Yatri will be fully responsible for any additional costs incurred due to this early departure. These expenses may include, but are not limited to:

1. Permit and visa cancellations
2. Transportation costs (e.g., return travel)
3. Meals and lodging
4. Medical care
5. Emergency rescue services
6. Any supplementary nights spent on the Nepal side of the journey
7. The Yatri will bear the full financial responsibility for these costs.

## Get in Touch



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