

Trip ID: Date of journey: 08/06/2024 2545899211 **Tour Company: Journey Crafters Executive Person: Journey Crafters Company Location:** Jammu & Kashmir **Total Reviews:** 125 **Total Trips:** 161 **Total Package Cost:** Rs.48797 (Inclusive of GST) Advance Amount to Pay for Trip Confirmation: Rs.9759

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### <u>Summary</u>

| Tour Duration:   | 5 Nights & 6 Days | Adults: | 3 |
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| Tour Start Date: | 08/06/2024        | Kids:   | 0 |
| Tour Start City: | Srinagar          |         |   |

#### Accomodation

Rooms: 1 | Extra bed: 1

| Destinations     | Hotel / Houseboat | Туре        |
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| Pahalgam 1 Night | The Home 2        | Deluxe Room |

View Hotel

| Destinations      | Hotel / Houseboat                     | Туре        |
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| Srinagar 3 Nights | Hotel Stepping Stone View Hotel       | Deluxe Room |
| Srinagar 1 Night  | Deluxe group of houseboat  View Hotel | Deluxe Room |

#### Vehicle Type

sedan A/C

#### **Inclusions**

- Accommodation
- Pickup and Drop (Airport/Railway Station/Bus Stands)
- □ Sightseeing
- ★ Meals

Other Inclusions: 1hr complimentary Shikara Ride. Hotels and Houseboats are subject to change as they totally depends upon availability

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## Itinerary



# Day 1: SRINAGAR ARRIVAL AND TRANSFERRED TO PAHALGAM (FOR NIGHT

**STAY)** - 8th, Jun 2024

Night stay: Pahalgam

Our driver/ representative will pick you up from the Srinagar Airport. Meet and greet on arrival at the Srinagar airport and you will be transferred to Pahalgam which is about 89 kms from Srinagar. Night stay and dinner at Pahalgam hotel.

Hotel: The Home 2

Day Inclusions: ☐ Sightseeing ☐ Dinner



#### Day 2: PAHALGAM TO SRINAGAR (NIGHT STAY AT SRINAGAR) - 9th, Jun 2024

Night stay: Srinagar

Enjoy the delicious breakfast, check-out from the hotel We will move forwards towards sightseeing tour of nearby places by a Union Taxi. You can hire a union car (cost will be yours) visit betaab valley, Aru, and chandanwari. Or you can hire ponies at their own cost to visit mini Switzerland, green valley, Kashmir valley, bobby house and much more and transferred to Srinagar Hotel for overnight stay in Hotel. Places to Visit: Aru valley Betaab Valley Chandanwari Hotel: Hotel Stepping Stone

Day Inclusions: ☐ Sightseeing ★ Breakfast ☐ Dinner



#### Day 3: SRINAGAR TO SONMARG DAYTRIP - 10th, Jun 2024

Night stay: Srinagar

After breakfast, drive to Sonamarg. Cross the towns of Kangan, Mammar, and Gagangir. Once you reach Sonamarg, take a 3-hour walk or horseback trip to the Thajwas glacier (If open at that time). Thajwas Glacier is the most prominent attraction of Sonmarg- the Golden Meadow in the picturesque valley of Kashmir. Dinner and night stay at the Srinagar Places to Visit: 1. Sonmarg 2. Thajwas Glacier

Hotel: Hotel Stepping Stone

Day Inclusions: ☐ Sightseeing ★ Breakfast ☐ Dinner



#### Day 4: SRINAGAR SIGHT SEEING - 11th, Jun 2024

Night stay: Srinagar

After breakfast, discover the cultural and natural wonders of Srinagar with a captivating sightseeing experience. Visit the iconic Mughal Gardens, including Shalimar Bagh, Nishat Bagh, and Chashme Shahi, showcasing exquisite terraced lawns and historic water features. Explore the spiritual ambiance of Shankaracharya Temple, perched atop a hill with panoramic views. Glide along Dal Lake on a shikara, Marvelling at floating gardens and vibrant houseboats. Immerse yourself in the vibrant local markets, like Lal Chowk, to experience the rich handicrafts and flavours of Kashmir. Srinagar's enchanting beauty awaits at every turn and night stay at Srinagar Hotel. Places to Visit in Srinagar: 1. Nishat Garden 2. Shalimar Garden 3. Pari Mahal 4. Botanical Garden 5. 1 hour Shikara Ride

Hotel: Hotel Stepping Stone

Day Inclusions: ☐ Sightseeing ★ Breakfast ☐ Dinner



#### Day 5: SRINAGAR TO DOODPATHRI DAYTRIP - 12th, Jun 2024

Night stay: Srinagar

After Breakfast, you will move ahead Embark on a picturesque day trip from Srinagar to Doodhpathri, surrounded by verdant meadows and pine forests. Enjoy the tranquility of this "Valley of Milk," with its gushing streams and pristine landscapes. Spend the day capturing stunning views, exploring nature, and immersing yourself in the peaceful ambiance before returning to the vibrant city of Srinagar in the evening and transferred to Houseboat in Srinagar.

Day Inclusions: ☐ Sightseeing ★ Breakfast ☐ Dinner



# **Day 6: SRINAGAR LOCAL MARKET,SHOPPING AND DEPARTURE** - 13th, Jun 2024

After Breakfast, explore more local places in Srinagar: Ghanta Ghar (Clock Tower): This historic clock tower is situated in the heart of Srinagar's old city. It was built by Maharaja Gulab Singh, the founder of the princely state of Jammu and Kashmir, in the early 20th century. Ghanta Ghar stands tall as a symbol of the city's heritage and serves as a focal point for locals and tourists alike. The area surrounding Ghanta Ghar is bustling with activity, featuring shops, markets, and street vendors. Lal Chowk (Red Square): Lal Chowk is a prominent square and commercial centre in Srinagar. It is known for its vibrant atmosphere and diverse range of shops and markets. We will explore the remaining sights and then move towards airport for departure.

Day Inclusions: ☐ Sightseeing ★ Breakfast

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light woollens for summers. ion For weatherpdate visit:

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#### **Payment Policy**

At The time of Booking: 50% as an advance payment. Remaining Payment one week before arrival and only online payment is allowed. Exclusions: Flight -Lunch -Any future taxes levies will be charged extra - Gondola Tickets at Gulmarg (1700 for both phases) -Guide charges @ 900 Max at Gulmarg -Snow jeep at Tangmarg (Max cost @ 2000/- per cab) -Trip to Sonmarg (it is done by Cab or ponies at Gagangir and is on direct payment basis, Max Cost @ 3500 Union Cab & 2000 per pony per head) -Personal expenses such as laundry, telephone calls, tips & gratuity, mineral water, soft & hard drinks, rafting, rock climbing, paragliding, porter age -Additional sightseeing or extra usage of vehicle, other than mentioned in the itinerary -Entrance Fees -Any cost arising due to natural calamities like, landslides, road blockage, political disturbances (strikes), etc (to be borne by the client, who is directly payable on the spot) - GST - Anything not mentioned in the inclusions.

#### **Cancellation Policy**

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**FAQS** 

#### What are the best places to visit in and around Kashmir?

Jammu & Kashmir is home to numerous valleys like the Kashmir Valley, Sindh Valley, Chenab Valley and Lidder Valley. Few important tourist attractions here are the Mughal Gardens, Srinagar, Pahalgam, Gulmarg, Jammu and Patnitop.

#### ☑ Which is a better option to live in Kashmir - hotel or the houseboat?

Hotels in and around Kashmir are comfortable and luxurious. However, getting accommodation in a houseboat can be dream come true and offer a unique experience, worth the investment and enjoy unforgettable moments.

#### ☑ Which are the best places for shopping in Kashmir?

Srinagar boasts of having several local markets that can be visited to shop. The popular markets here are Lal Chowk, Polo View, Badshah Chowk, Residency Road, Floating Market, Kashmiri Government Arts Emporium, and Zaina Khandal Road.

#### ☑ What are the local cuisines one must taste when in Kashmir?

The popular and delicious Kashmiri food dishes you should try out is Rogan Josh, Modur Pulav, Matschgand, Yakhni, Drum Olav, Kashmiri Muji Gaad, Aab Gosht, Goshtaba, Lyodur Tschaman, etc.

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