

# **Jewels of The East**

Sprawling tea gardens, gently rolling hills, grassy wilderness and the Himalayan foothills.

Kaziranga is home to the Indian one-horned rhinoceros

n exciting Himayalan journey exploring the three north-eastern sisters, Assam, Meghalaya and Arunachal Pradesh. Boasting a plethora of exceptional mountain scenery, this beautiful journey is inhabited predominantly by small settlements of tribal people.





# **CHERAPUNJEE**

Nohkalikai Falls is one of the tallest waterfalls in India at 1100 feet (335 metres) high. The waterfall is located near Cherapunjee, one of the wettest places on earth. The falls are fed by the rainwater collected on the summit of comparatively small plateau and decrease in power during the dry season in December - February.



# **SHILLONG**

Shillong is the capital of Meghalaya, one of the smallest states in India and is situated at an average altitude of 4,908 ft (1,496 m) above sea level, with the highest point being "lum shyllong" at 1965 m. Shillong has beautiful lakes and waterfalls, and is set in pine forests and green mountains. It is a popular hill-station which the British used to call the Scotland of the East.



# **BRAHMAPUTRA RIVER**

The Brahmaputra enters India in the state of Arunachal Pradesh, where it is called Siang. It makes a very rapid descent from its original height in Tibet, and finally appears in the plains, where it is called Dihang. It flows for about 35 kilometres (22 miles) and is joined by the Dibang River and the Lohit River at the head of the Assam Valley. Below the Lohit the river is called Brahmaputra, enters the state of Assam and becomes very wide—as wide as 10 kilometres (6.2 miles) in parts of Assam.

PERIE	N C E
	ITINERARY
DAY 01	Arrive Kolkata and stay overnight.
DAY 02	Tour Kolkata and visit the Indian Museum. Overnight in Kolkata.
DAY 03	Fly to Guwahati. Visit Kamakhya Temple on Nilachal hill. Overnight in Guwahati.
DAY 04	Drive to Shillong followed by city tour. Overnight in Shillong.
DAY 05	Day trip to Cherapunjee. Return to Shillong for overnight stay, visiting Elephant Falls and Shillong Peak en route.
DAY 06	Drive to Guwahati. Visit Shankara Kalashetra and take sunset river cruise on Brahmaputra river. Overnight in Guwahati.
DAY 07	Drive to Kaziranga National Park for afternoon park visit. Overnight in Kaziranga.
DAY 08 and 09	Early morning elephant safari and post- breakfast jeep safari. Visit Western Range in the afternoon. Overnight in Kaziranga.
DAY 10	Drive to Dibrugarh visiting Sivasagar en route. Walk around the tea estate in the evening. Overnight in Dibrugarh.
DAY 11	Day tea tour with ethnic dance performance in the evening. Overnight in Dibrugarh.
DAY 12	Drive to Wakro visiting Empong village to see Khampti tribe en route. Overnight in Wakro.
DAY 13	Visit Lama and Chakma villages. Overnight in Wakro.
DAY 14	Drive to Tezu and continue to Roing. Overnight in camp in Roing.
DAY 15	Early morning drive to Mayodia Pass. Return to Roing and visit local village. Afternoon at leisure. Overnight in Roing.
DAY 16	Drive back to Dibrugarh for overnight stay.
DAY 17	Fly to Kolkata and transfer to hotel.

#### TAILOR MADE TRAVEL

Our private, tailor-made journeys offer complete freedom of choice. The itineraries shown are designed to give you a flavour of what is possible and can be customised to suit your preferences. Prices vary according to selection of accommodation and season.

Board flight for onward destination.

# WHAT, WHEN, WHERE

Best time to travel October-March.

### **Distances**

DAY 18

Guwahati - Shillong: 100km/62miles. Shillong - Cherapunjee: 49km/30miles.

Guwahati - Kaziranga National Park: 220km/137miles. Kaziranga National Park - Dibrugarh: 215km/134miles.

Dibrugarh - Wakro: 190km/118miles. Wakro - Roing: 160km/204miles. Roing - Dibrugarh: 160km/204miles.

# Weather

	Summer	Winter
Guwahati	25 - 35°C/77 - 95°F	10 - 20°C/50 - 68°F
Shillong	15 - 30°C/59 - 86°F	4 - 24°C/39 - 75°F
Kaziranga	23 - 38°C/73 - 100°F	5 - 25°C/41 - 77°F
Dibrugarh	15 - 30°C/59 - 86°F	8 - 24°C/46 - 75°F
Wakro	15 - 30°C/59 - 86°F	0 - 24°C/32 - 75°F
Roing	15 - 30°C/59 - 86°F	0 - 24°C/32 - 75°F
Koing	15 - 30°C/59 - 86°F	0 - 24°C/32 - 75°F



