



🏰 Darjeeling 5 Nights / 6 Days Itinerary

Day 1: Arrival in Darjeeling – Leisure Evening

Highlights: Hill drive, local walk

- Arrive at **Bagdogra Airport / NJP Railway Station**
- Drive to **Darjeeling** (approx. 3–4 hrs through tea gardens and mountain roads)
- Evening at leisure:
 - Stroll around **Chowrasta Mall Road**
 - Enjoy local snacks and shop for woollens, tea, and souvenirs
- Overnight in Darjeeling

Day 2: Darjeeling Local Sightseeing

Highlights: Sunrise, Himalayan views, zoo

- Early morning (around 4:00 AM):
 - Visit **Tiger Hill** – Stunning sunrise over Kanchenjunga (subject to weather)
 - **En route:** Stop at **Ghoom Monastery** and **Batasia Loop** (war memorial + spiral railway track)
- **Later visit:**
 - **Padmaja Naidu Himalayan Zoological Park** – Red panda, snow leopards
 - **Himalayan Mountaineering Institute (HMI)**
 - **Tenzing Rock & Gombu Rock** – Try rock climbing (optional)
 - **Tibetan Refugee Self-Help Centre** – Handicrafts and history
- Evening free or enjoy a café at Mall Road
- Overnight in Darjeeling



Day 3: Toy Train Ride + Tea Estate Visit

Highlights: UNESCO heritage train, tea tasting

- Enjoy a short **Toy Train ride (Darjeeling – Ghoom – Darjeeling)**
 - Experience steam locomotive and classic Himalayan rail route
- Visit **Happy Valley Tea Estate:**
 - Walk through lush plantations
 - Learn tea processing & enjoy a tea-tasting session
- **Optional:** Visit **Peace Pagoda (Japanese Temple)** for meditation and panoramic views
- Evening free for local exploration or shopping
- Overnight in Darjeeling

Day 4: Excursion to Mirik Lake (Day Trip)

Highlights: Scenic lake, Indo-Nepal border market

- Take a scenic day trip to **Mirik** (approx. 2.5 hrs one way)
 - **En route:** Viewpoints over tea gardens & mountains
 - Visit **Sumendu Lake (Mirik Lake)** – Boating & pine forest walks
 - Walk over **Rameetay Dara viewpoint**
 - Explore **Pashupati Market (Indo-Nepal border)** – Great for cheap imports & local finds (carry ID)
- Return to Darjeeling by evening
- **Optional bonfire or cultural program at the hotel**
- Overnight in Darjeeling



Day 5: Explore Offbeat Darjeeling

Highlights: Monasteries, village life, culture

- Visit lesser-known gems:
 - **Dali Monastery** – Peaceful and spiritually rich
 - **Lamahatta Eco Park** – Pine forests, prayer flags, serene environment
 - **Optional:** Short trek or village walk around **Tinchuley / Takdah**
- Try local food: Thukpa, momos, Darjeeling thali
- **Evening:** Watch sunset from **Observatory Hill**
- Overnight in Darjeeling

Day 6: Departure from Darjeeling

- Drive to **Bagdogra Airport / NJP Railway Station** (approx. 3–4 hrs)
- **Tour Ends** with unforgettable Himalayan memories

