

# PURI - ODISHA

-The Soul of Incredible India-

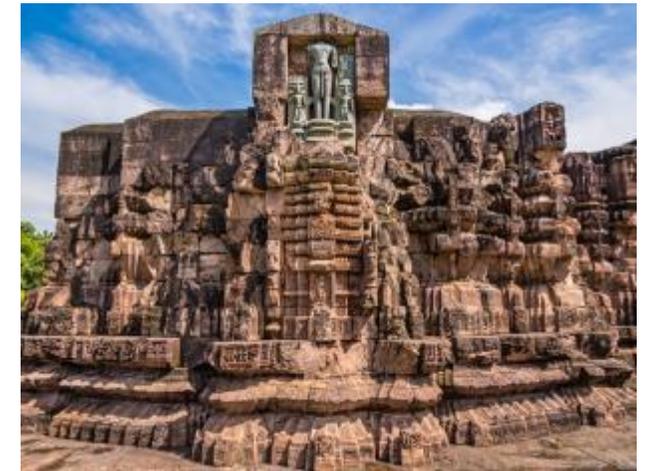
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Number of Delegates: 50



# Overview of Puri

- Odisha (formerly Orissa), an eastern Indian state on the Bay of Bengal, is known for its tribal cultures and its many ancient Hindu temples.
- The historical state of Orissa is situated amidst beautiful lush green mountains of the Eastern Ghats.
- Dotted with numerous architecturally celebrated temples, sacred shrines, and historical monuments, Orissa is considered India's one of the most hidden splendid cultural landscapes.
- **Best time to visit:- October to March**



# How to Reach Odisha

- **By Air :-**

Regular flights landing at the only major airport of the city namely Biju Patnaik Airport connect it to all the major cities of the country such as Calcutta, Delhi, Chennai, Mumbai, Vishakhapatnam, Hyderabad and Raipur.

- **By Rail :-**

There is a good train network also that connects Calcutta, Puri, Madras, Delhi, Bombay, Bangalore, Guwahati, Hyderabad, Tirupati and Trivandrum to Bhubaneswar by express and super express trains plying to and from on a daily basis.

- **By Road :-**

Orissa has a wide network of roads that connects well to the rest of the country by National highways and State highways. Bhubaneswar the capital city is well linked to all major cities with in Orissa and its neighbouring states.



# Places to visit

## Sri Jagannath Puri Temple



Located in the sacred town of Puri, the Jagannath Temple or the pride of India was built in the 11th century by King Indradyumna. This glorious temple is the abode of Lord Jagannath who is a form of Lord Vishnu. It is the most revered pilgrimage site for Hindus and is included in the pious Char Dham Yatra with Badrinath, Dwarka and Rameswaram.

## Chilika Lake



The Chilika Lake, which is a paradise on Earth for bird watchers and nature lovers, is the largest internal salt water pond that can be found in Asia. The pear-shaped lake is dotted with a few small islands and has fisheries and salt pans around its shore. This is separated from the Bay of Bengal by a 60 kilometres long narrow strip of sand-flats and marshy islands.

## Puri Beach



Adorned with fine white sand and crystal clear water, Puri Beach is quite renowned for its peaceful and calm surroundings. Puri Beach is a fine coastline of the Bay of Bengal with the sun gleaming on the pristine waters of the beach. Located at a mere distance of 35 km from the Sun Temple, the place is ideal for holiday makers looking for some solitude.

## Sun Temple, Konark



Situated on the north eastern corner of Puri, Konark Sun Temple is a World Heritage site and one of the prime tourist attractions of Odisha. Pulled by a set of seven horses, four on the left side and three on the right, this massive temple is built in the form of a giant ornamented chariot of the Sun god. The word 'Konark' comes from the combination of two words 'Kona' and 'Arka'. 'Kona' means corner and 'Arka' means the sun so the temple means 'Sun of the Corner.'



## Lingaraj temple

The Lingaraj Temple is an ancient shrine situated in the city of Bhubaneswar and is the largest temple situated in the city. Dedicated to Lord Shiva as the name suggests, the temple was built sometime in the 7th century by the King Jajati Keshari. The edifice of the temple is a great example of Orissa style of architecture and has intricately designed stone vaults covering the main sanctum of the temple.



## RajaRani Temple

The Raja Rani Temple is locally known as the 'love temple' because it contains some sensuous carvings of women and couples. No images can be found inside the sanctum, and hence the temple is not associated with any particular sect of Hinduism. The figures of Lord Shiva and Goddess Parvati carved on the walls strongly indicate that the temple has certain associations with Shaivism.

## Orissa State Museum



The Orissa State museum has an exclusive collection of some unique and ancient art and craft objects. This collection includes stone sculptures, bronze coins, musical instruments, armours, pre-historic metal plates etc. The place is a must-visit for all history enthusiasts.

## Brahmeshwara Temple

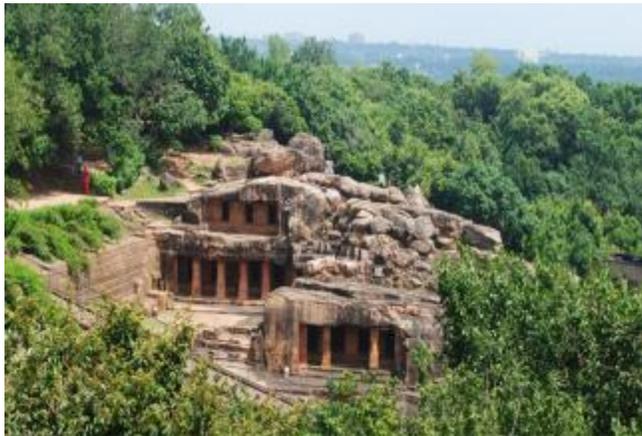


The Brahmeshwara Temple is yet another relic of the brilliance of Oriyan style of architecture. Built in the 11th century, this temple is surrounded by four smaller shrines. The main shrine in this temple is that of a Shiva lingam and there are also sculptures of Lord Shiva and Goddess Parvati alongside. Famous for its beautiful carvings, it attracts a lot of pilgrims throughout the year.



## Tikarpada Wildlife Sanctuary

The Tikarpada Wildlife Sanctuary spreads across 795.52 square kilometres and does not fail to enthrall its visitors with its overwhelming beauty, lush green surrounding, the ever cherished rambling of River Mahanadi besides the very famous Satkosia gorge and large variety of species of wild animals, birds and plants. The Gharial Sanctuary undertakes the process of breeding of the Gharial to increase their numbers and give them the right atmosphere and treatment.



## Khandagiri & Udayagiri Jain caves

Also known as Cuttack caves, Khandagiri Caves are artificial caves located in the state of Orissa which date back to 2nd century. This place is quite a sight to see with all the beautifully carved inscriptions and figures. It is believed that the Khandagiri caves were dug during the rule of the great emperor of the Mahameghavahana Dynasty, King Kharavela. These caves are believed to be built by Jain and Buddhist monks who used these caves as a place to pray and meditate.

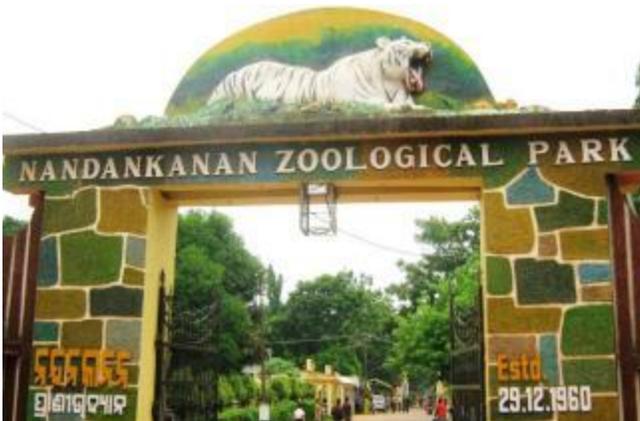


## Dauli Giri Shanti Stupa

Dhauili Giri Shanti Stupa, also known as Peace Pagoda, is a Buddhist structure built jointly in 1972 by the Japan Buddha Sangh and the Kalinga Nippon Buddha Sangh. Situated on the opposite hill of Dhauili Giri, it was built through the Indo-Japanese collaboration. Constructed by the chief priest of Nipponzan Myohoji, who came to India in 1930 from Mt. Minobu, the original holy place of the Nichiren Sect, it is a domed structure.

## Nandankanan Zoological park

Established in the year 1960, the Nandankanan Zoological Park covers a total area of 400 hectares, with a botanical garden as another integral part. It was in the year 1979 that the park was opened for public display and by the year 2009, the zoo gained association with World Association of Zoos and Aquariums. Nandankanan is popular for its white tiger population and it has over 34 white tigers. This zoo is home to approximately 1660 animals with 67 species of mammals, 81 species of birds and 18 species of reptiles.



# Flight Matrix

<b>Bhubaneshwar</b>	<b>Onward</b>			<b>Return</b>		
Hubs	Indigo 533	10:20-12:45	Direct	Airindia 670	14:10-16:40	Direct
Delhi	Airindia 75	11:05-13:10	Direct	Airindia 76	13:50-16:10	Direct
Chennai	Indigo 271/823	09:20-13:30	Via Bangalore	Indigo 512	13:25-16:25	Via Vishakhapatna m
Bangalore	Indigo 823	11:30-13:30	Direct	Indigo 492	14:00-16:00	Direct
Hydearabd	Airindia 780	13:05-14:35	Direct	Indigo 631	12:15-13:45	Direct
Kolkata	Indigo 512	11:55-12:55	Direct	Airindia 780	15:10-16:10	Direct

**Average flight cost per Pax is INR 10000/-**

Note:-\*\* Fares are subject to availability at the time of confirmation\*\*

# Suggested Hotels

## MAYFAIR Heritage 4\*

- MAYFAIR Heritage, Puri is a stunning luxury near sea beach resort & hotel that will enthrall you with spellbinding views over the Bay of Bengal.
- Weeping fig and almond trees aesthetically dot the beachfront hotel and you can hear the waves crashing into the shore from all corners of it.
- No of rooms: 34



## Venue Dimension & Seating chart

- The cavernous Central Hall can seat an impressive 1100 people and there are no pillars in the hall which makes for minimal obstruction for viewing.
- Crystal Room is a large conference hall with two sections and can be used as a luxury wedding venue.
- For smaller meetings, the Meeting Room and the Board Room can be used. Both are equipped with advanced interactive screen and projector systems.

Venue	Area in Sq. Ft	U Seating	Double U	Auditorium	Classroom
Mayfair Hall	1368	40	80	70	60
Board Room	484	20	-	25	15



# Suggested Hotels

## MAYFAIR Waves 4\*

- Accompanied by the serene beach, plush greenery and holy shrine of Shri Jagannath Prabhu is a contemporary architectural wonder endows with a welcome respite with an array of services, facilities, hospitality and luxurious space – christened as MAYFAIR Waves Puri.
- MAYFAIR Waves on the sea beach adjacent to the existing MAYFAIR Heritage, is a 5-star ocean front boutique resort.
- No of rooms: 34



## Venue Dimension & Seating chart

- MAYFAIR Waves, Puri has event space available across various categories that can be tailored to your needs and preferences.
- Chilika is a large conference hall with pleasing interiors and state-of-the-art presentation facilities which can host large banquets.
- Konark is a stately board room which can be used for smaller corporate or business meetings.

Venue	Area in Sq. Ft	U-Shape	Theatre Style	Informal
Chilika Conference Hall	2200	90	250	300
Konark Board Room	300	15	-	-
Swimming Pool Side	2500	-	-	300



# Suggested Itinerary - 1

<2 Nights & 3 Days>

## Day 01:

- Arrival at Bhubaneshwar Airport
- Transfer to Puri in AC Coaches on Shared Basis <Distance:- 58.1 KM>
- En-route visit:-
  - Lord Lingaraja Temple
  - visit the colourful village of Pipli <where you can purchase local handicrafts and the famous applique work>
- Check in at the Hotel
- Lunch at the outside restaurant.
- Dinner at the hotel
- Overnight stay at the Hotel.



## Day 02:

- Breakfast at the hotel
- Transfer to Bhubaneshwar <Distance 65 KM>
- Visit Jagannath Temple <the pulsating pilgrimage centre of the city>
- Visit Konark Temple <Konark Temple is designed in the shape of a colossal chariot with seven horses and twenty four wheels, carrying the Sun God, Lord Surya>
- Check into hotel
- Lunch at outside restaurant
- Evening at leisure
- Gala Dinner at the hotel
- Overnight stay at the Hotel.



### Day 03:

- Breakfast at the hotel
- Check out from hotel
- Transfer to the Bhubaneshwar Airport
- Departure



# Cost Implication

Location	Puri-Odisha	
	Mayfair Heritage	Mayfair Waves
Elements/Hotel		
Occupancy	Double	Double
Ground Cost <INR>	28,100	29,200
Flight Cost <INR>	10,500	10,500
<b>Grand Total &lt;INR&gt;</b>	<b>38,600</b>	<b>39,700</b>

## Note:

- The above quote is for 50 Passengers travelling together.
- At the time no services are confirmed and the same is subject to availability.
- No services are blocked at the moment and the same is subject to availability at the time of confirmation.
- In case of any unprecedented hike in Hotel charges or other service charges, the same will be levied extra.

### **Inclusions:**

- Accommodation in well-appointed room for 3Nights/4Days on Twin Share basis.
- Breakfast, Lunch and dinner<including 1 gala dinner> on all night of stay
- Return airport transfers and sightseeing transfers in A/C coaches on SIC basis
- Sightseeing and entry fee to :
  - Lord Lingaraja Temple
  - Pipili Village
  - Jagannath Temple
  - Konark Sun temple
- 01 Gala Night on Day 1 which includes:
  - 2 hours free flow of alcohol
  - <Blender's package>with soft drinks
  - Starters for 2 hours (2veg + 2 Non- Veg)
  - DJ with Sound & Light

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- Anything which is not included in above package
- Any expenditure which is personal in nature (like room service ,minibar usage etc.)
- Any kind of event setup
- Venue rental
- Early check in & late check out.
- Licenses on actuals
- Government Service Tax as applicable

# Suggested Itinerary - 2

<3Nights & 4Days>

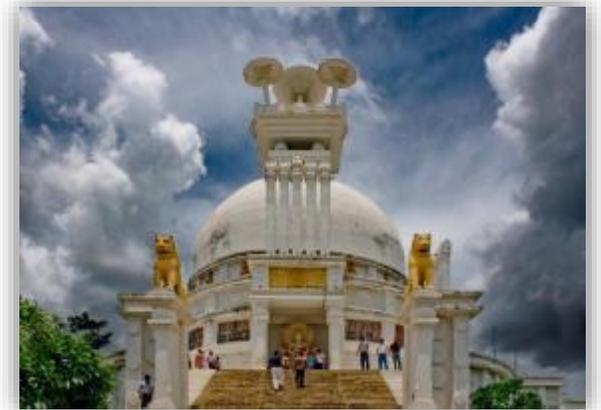
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- Transfer to Puri in AC Coaches on Shared Basis  
<Distance:- 58.1 KM>
- Check in at the Hotel
- Lunch at the Hotel
- Evening Visit the Lord Jagannath <built in 15th Century AD and crowned with Vishnu's wheel & flag dominate the landscape at Puri.>
- Dinner at the hotel
- Overnight stay at the Hotel.



## Day 02:

- Breakfast at the hotel
- Transfer to Bhubaneswar <Distance 65 KM>
- En-route Visit Chandra Bhaga sea beach
  - Konark Sun Temple
  - Pipili <the Eplique village>
  - Dhuli
- Check into hotel
- Lunch at outside restaurant
- Evening at leisure
- Gala Dinner at the hotel
- Overnight stay at the Hotel.



### Day 03:

- Breakfast at the hotel
- Transfer to Bhubaneshwar <Distance 65 KM>
- Excursion to Chilika lake place called Satpada. It's famous for Irrawaddy dolphins. One can enjoy boating at Satpada.
- Lunch at outside restaurant
- Evening at leisure
- Dinner at the hotel
- Overnight stay at the Hotel.



## Day 04:

- Breakfast at the hotel
- Check out of the hotel.
- Transfer to Bhubaneshwar Airport
- Departure



# Cost Implication

Location	Puri-Odisha	
	Mayfair Heritage	Mayfair Waves
Elements/Hotel	Mayfair Heritage	Mayfair Waves
Occupancy	Double	Double
Ground Cost <INR>	37,850	39,450
Flight Cost <INR>	10,500	10,500
<b>Grand Total &lt;INR&gt;</b>	<b>48,350</b>	<b>49,950</b>

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A serene sunset scene over the ocean. The sun is low on the horizon, casting a bright, golden glow across the sky and reflecting on the water. The sky is a mix of soft blues and oranges, with wispy clouds catching the light. The ocean waves are gentle, and the sandy beach in the foreground is partially wet, reflecting the sun's light. The text "Thank you" is centered in a classic serif font.

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