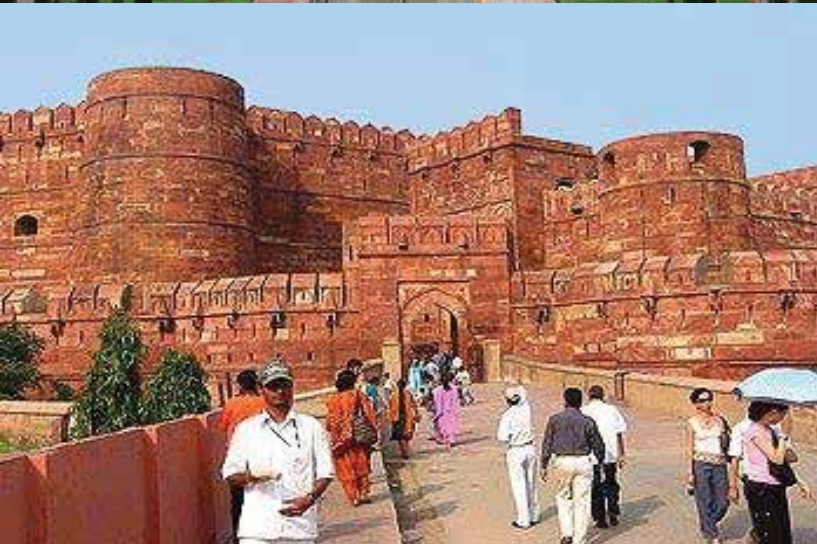




PT- 03 / GOLDEN TRIANGLE TOUR (DELHI – JAIPUR – AGRA –DELHI)

Tour Highlights

- Travel in luxury A/C vehicle
- Stay in a Star Category Hotel
- Daily Buffet Breakfast
- Sightseeing of Sikandra, Agra Fort, Taj Mahal, Fatehpursikri, Amber Fort, City Palace Museum, Elephant Ride at Amber Fort, Observatory
- English speaking friendly guide
- All monument entrances



itinerary

Golden Triangle Tour

Delhi – Jaipur – Agra – Delhi

03 night / 04 days

Tour code: PT-3

Day 1: Delhi – Jaipur (Drive: 265 Kms / 5 Hrs Approx)

- Drive to Jaipur
- Check in at the hotel
- Afternoon at leisure
- Overnight at the hotel

Pick up from the venue / hotel at 0900 hrs and drive to Jaipur. Upon arrival, check in at the hotel.

Known as the “Pink City”, Jaipur is the capital of the colourful state of Rajasthan. It has the distinction of being a well planned and laid out city. As you drive through the old part of town, you will witness a life most unlike others. Witness how the city blooms during the day in a kaleidoscope of colour and sound.

Rest of the evening is at leisure or free for independent activities / visit to the local market. Overnight at the hotel.

Day 2: In Jaipur



- Breakfast at hotel
- Morning Excursion to Amber Fort on Elephant's back
- Afternoon City tour of Jaipur
- Evening enjoy Optional Sound & Light Show at the Fort
- Overnight at the hotel

After breakfast, depart the hotel for a half-day excursion to visit Amber Fort. 11 Kms. from Jaipur, Amber Fort is a marvellous example of Rajput architecture with its terraces and ramparts reflected in the Maota Lake below. Go up the fort on the back of a gaily-caparisoned elephant true to the style of the Maharajas of the past. The interiors of the fort has various royal halls decorated with intricate ivory, mirror and glass work complemented by exquisite wall paintings. As you move between the rooms of this magnificent structure feel the history and visualise the pomp and grandeur of a kingdom never conquered. You can have an experience of Elephant ride here.



Enjoy your lunch at local restaurant in Jaipur on own during the city tour. After lunch venture back into the city. This time you will visit pink city of India.

Here you will visit the City Palace Museum where you can see an imposing blend of traditional Rajasthani and Mughal Art. The museum is resplendent with its collection of robes of royal princes, carpets, an armoury of old weapons, miniature paintings portraying court scenes, battle scenes and processions, Also visit the awe inspiring Jantar Mantar (an accurate observatory built in 1726 AD). Also included is a photo visit at the Hawa Mahal (Palace of Winds) - a five storied wonder with a spectacular pyramidal facade and overhanging windows with latticed screens, domes and spires.

Return to the Hotel at around 4:00 PM to relax for few hours.

This evening is free. Optional enjoy sound & light show at the Amber fort for an hour (at an additional cost, can pay directly).

Overnight at hotel.

Day 3: Jaipur – Agra (Drive: 235 Kms / 5 Hrs Approx)

- Breakfast at the hotel
- Drive to Agra
- Visit Fatehpur Sikri enroute
- Check in at the hotel
- Afternoon visit Agra Fort
- Overnight at the hotel

Breakfast at the hotel.

Followed by a drive to Agra enroute visiting Fatehpur Sikri.

Fatehpur Sikri, the deserted red sandstone city that was built by Emperor Akbar as his capital. It was a veritable fairy tale city and its 'ruins' are still in a pristine condition. It is not hard to imagine what the court life must have been like in the days of its grandeur.



- Upon arrival, check in at the hotel.
- Later in the afternoon, visit Agra Fort.



Proceed on to visit Agra's impressive Fort where you are taken through the chambers of this royal residence. As you drive through the city witness the local life and bazaars (markets) and the hustle bustle of everyday India.

Rest of the day is free for independent activities.

Overnight at the hotel.

- Sunrise visit to Taj Mahal
- Breakfast at hotel
- Drive to Delhi
- Enroute visiting Sikandra

Enjoy a sunrise visit to Taj Mahal.



The Taj Mahal, built by an emperor in memory of his beloved queen. Construction of the Taj Mahal began in 1631, and is believed to have taken 18 years to complete, with over 20,000 craftsmen working around the clock. The design and construction is said to be that of the legendary architect, Ustad Ahamad Lahori. Legend has it that once construction was completed, Shah Jehan had Lahori's hands cut off, and blinded, so he would never be able to duplicate the structure. What makes the Taj Mahal unique is its perfect proportions, distinct femininity, medium of construction and ornamentation. Its marble exterior reflects rose and golden tints at sunrise and sunset, while it is dazzling white during the day. It is impossible to visualize the Taj Mahal in any surrounding others than its paradoxical garden. Paradise, in Islam, is visualized as a lush garden where running streams flow. When the Mughals brought this concept to India they elevated it to heights of incomparable artistry.

Return to hotel for breakfast.

After breakfast, drive back to Delhi enroute visiting Sikandra. On arrival, check in at the hotel – own arrangements in Delhi upon arrival.

TOUR ENDS

| No of Guest | Deluxe Hotel – Cost Per Person | Premium Hotel – Cost Per Person |
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| 02 Guest Traveling together | | |

THE ABOVE COST INCLUDES:

- Assistance on arrival and departure.
- Stay in a star category of hotel on twin sharing basis.
- Daily buffet breakfast.
- All transfers, sightseeing and excursion using an air- conditioned vehicle.
- Services of a professional local English speaking guide at the places of visit / during sightseeing.
- Elephant ride or Jeep ride.
- Shoe cover charges at Taj Mahal.
- All currently applicable entrance fee as well as hotel luxury taxes.
- Battery bus charges at Taj Mahal.

THE ABOVE COST DOES NOT INCLUDE:

- Any Expenses of personal nature like table drinks, laundry, telephone calls, mineral water, soft drinks etc.
- Any insurance.
- Any camera or video fee at the monuments (guest can pay directly for this at the monuments).
- Any meals other than specified.
- Government service tax @ 3.09%.