



## Forts And Palaces of Rajasthan

Visit the Mughal and Imperial monuments of Delhi, marvel at the Taj Mahal and deserted city of Fatehpur Sikri in Agra followed by the main fortress cities of Jaipur and Jodhpur. End your journey by relaxing at the beautiful city of lakes and palaces, Udaipur. If you wish to explore the ancient forts and palaces of India in a relaxing way this tour is for you.



### DAY 1 • DEPART FROM UK

Depart from the UK on your overnight flight to Delhi.

### DAY 2 • ARRIVE DELHI

Morning arrival in Delhi, where you will stay at the Taj Palace for 2 nights on a bed and breakfast basis. The afternoon is at leisure.

### DAY 3 • OLD DELHI • NEW DELHI

In the morning take a sightseeing tour of Old Delhi, visiting Jama Mosque and the Red Fort, before taking a rickshaw ride in the by-lanes of the old city. In the afternoon take a tour of New Delhi, visiting Qutab Minar, Humyan's Tomb and the Government Buildings.

### DAY 4 • TO AGRA • RED FORT

After breakfast drive to Agra, where you will stay at the Trident Hotel for 2 nights on a bed and breakfast basis. In the afternoon you will take a sightseeing tour of Agra, including a visit to the Red Fort.

### DAY 5 • TAJ MAHAL • FATEHPUR SIKRI

The Taj Mahal is one of the world's most recognisable and evocative sights. Your day begins with a visit to see the Taj Mahal at sunrise, before returning to your hotel for breakfast. The rest of the morning is spent sightseeing around Agra, including a visit to the deserted city of Fatehpur Sikri. Abandoned after only 15 years due to a shortage of water, the ancient city stands perfectly preserved. After lunch at your hotel, return to the Taj Mahal and watch the colours slowly change as the sun sets.

### DAY 6 • TO JAIPUR

After breakfast transfer to Jaipur, where you will stay at the Jai Mahal Palace for 2 nights on a bed and breakfast basis. The afternoon is at leisure for you to relax.

### DAY 7 • JAIPUR

In the morning you will visit the Amber Fort, arriving at the gates by elephant. In the afternoon you will explore the city, visiting the City Palace, Hawa Mahal (Palace of The Winds) and Jantar Mantar (Astronomical Observatory).

### DAY 8 • TO AJMER

After breakfast transfer by road to the Mansingh Palace in Ajmer, where you will stay for 1 night on a bed and breakfast basis. In the afternoon take a tour of Ajmer, exploring the fort, the mosque and the amazing Jain temple.

### DAY 9 • TO JODHPUR

After breakfast transfer to Jodhpur, where you will stay at the Taj Hari Mahal for 2 nights on a bed and breakfast basis. The afternoon will be at leisure for you to relax.

### DAY 10 • JODHPUR

This morning you will enjoy a sightseeing tour of Jodhpur city, visiting the Mehrangarh Fort and Jaswant Thada. Rest of the day is at leisure.

### DAY 11 • TO UDAIPUR

This morning you will be driven to Udaipur, staying at the Taj Lake Palace for 2 nights on a bed and breakfast basis. En route visit the Ranakpur Jain Temples and Kumbhalgarh Fort, the largest fort complex in India.

### DAY 12 • UDAIPUR

Today you will be taken on an Udaipur city tour, visiting the City Palace and Jagdish Temple. In the afternoon you will enjoy a boat ride on Lake Pichola (water levels permitting). The rest of the day is at leisure for you to explore on own.

### DAY 13 • TO MUMBAI

Transfer to the airport for your morning flight to Mumbai, where you will stay at the Fariyas Hotel for 1 night on a bed and breakfast basis. In the afternoon you will have a sightseeing tour of Mumbai.

### DAY 14 • DEPART TO UK

Transfer to airport for return flight to UK

### DATES

This tour is run on an individual basis, and can start any day between 1st October and 30th June except Saturday and Monday.

### COST

Please see our Price Guide at the front of the brochure.

### PRICE INCLUDES:

Accommodation and food as described; programme of events as described; all entry fees to monuments; services of English speaking guide as required; elephant ride at Amber Fort; use of jeep at Amber Fort; boat ride in Udaipur; all transfers in air-conditioned cars; portage at airports; all local taxes.

### PRICE EXCLUDES:

Flights; visas; camera fees; personal items such as drinks; laundry; phone calls; insurance; tips.

### DEPOSITS

A Standard Deposit is required for this tour as detailed in our Booking Conditions.

### OTHER INFORMATION

The flights listed in the itinerary are easily available from online agents. We will be happy to advise you about booking.

This tour can link with our other itineraries to create a tailor made itinerary for you.

It is possible to join the tour from any country of origin, so long as you arrive in Delhi during day two of the itinerary.