

TEXTILE & HANDICRAFT OF GUJARAT

Handcrafted Tour

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DAY 01: ARRIVE DELHI

Arrive in Delhi, meet and greet at the airport and transfer to hotel. Overnight at hotel.

DAY 02: DELHI

Morning tour of historic city of Old Delhi to include (Red fort closed on Mondays) magnificent Red Fort, The Jama Masjid, India's largest mosque, Rajghat - memorial of Mahatma Gandhi & a Rickshaw ride past through the silver street in Chandani Chowk. Afternoon sightseeing in New Delhi to include Humayun's Tomb, Bhai Temple, Qutab Minar, India gate and Government buildings. Overnight at hotel.

DAY 03: DELHI – AHMEDABAD (BY FLIGHT)

Morning transfer to airport to connect flight to Ahmedabad (0600-0725) on arrival transfer to hotel (Check in time 1200 hrs) . Ahmedabad is a major centre of traditional and contemporary textiles, and many crafts thrive here like Mata-ni-pachedi narrative cloth paintings and block-printing. Overnight at hotel.

DAY 04: AHMEDABAD – PATAN – DASADA (250 KM)

Morning drive to Dasada enroute visit Patan and see the famous Patola weaving done the Salvi Family. They are National award winner and the only family in India does.

Patan - Home of the Famous Patola silk sarees, this ancient Hindu Town has many Jain Temples and Carved Wooden House, lake and step well are also element of tourist interest. Overnight at hotel.

DAY 05: DASADA

Morning safari to see the Wild Ass Sanctuary and afternoon safari to see the Embroidery work of Rabari Nomads. Overnight at hotel.

DAY 06: DASADA – GONDAL (240 KM)

Morning drive to Gondal via Rajkot, enroute visit Rajkot to see the Watson Museum which has good examples of Gujarat's craftsmanship skills, and Rashtriya Shala working to revive hand-weaving. Overnight at hotel.

DAY 07: GONDAL – JETPUR – SASAN (140 KM)

Drive to Gondal, a princely town of considerable importance and affluence. Visit the 1748 AD Naulakha Palace which houses the erstwhile ruling family's private collection of bead work, textiles, brassware, hand-painted toys and silver crafts, the centre promoting weaving at Gondal, and the historic buildings of Gondal. Later drive to Jetpur, known for its screen and block printing workshops, and a yarn-dyeing centre, and then to Junagadh where you can see gem-encrusted carpets, wardrobes and tapestry of the Nawab at the museums. Evening arrive in Sasan. Overnight at hotel.

DAY 08: SASANGIR

Morning safari, afternoon safari. Overnight at hotel.

DAY 09: SASANGIR – JAMNAGAR (225 KM)

Morning drive to Jamnagar. Afternoon sightseeing in Jam Nagar visiting the Vanzas who are known for their bandhani tie-and-dye sarees. Overnight at hotel.

DAY 10: JAMNAGAR – DHAMADKA – BHUJ (270 KM)

Morning drive to Bhuj, enroute visit Dhamadaka which is famous for Natural Dyes and block printing. Evening arrive in Bhuj. Overnight at hotel.

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Visit villages around Bhuj known for their distinctive styles of embroidery and other handiwork like weaving, block-printing, rogan-painting, etc. Overnight at hotel.

DAY 13: BHUJ – MUMBAI (BY FLIGHT)

Morning free, around noon transfer to airport to connect flight in Mumbai (1515-1635 hrs) on arrival transfer to hotel. Overnight at hotel.

DAY 14: MUMBAI

Morning after breakfast proceed for city tour of Bombay - the great port city with its Victorian Gothic buildings from the British Raj Era mingling with the modern. The tour includes 'Gateway of India' overlooking the Harbour, the 'Towers of Silence', 'Marine Drive', the 'Colaba Causeway' - the commercial heart of Bombay and the Dhobi Ghat, the unique and colourful outdoor 'laundry'. Drive up to the Malabar Hill to the lovely 'Hanging Gardens' and the Kamla Nehru Park from where you will get a wonderful view of Mumbai and the Arabian Sea, spread out before you. Also visit Mani Bhawan, a small museum dedicated to the life and works of Mahatma Gandhi, and the bustling Crawford Market. Afternoon free for own activities. Overnight at hotel.

DAY 15: LEAVE MUMBAI

Early morning transfer to airport for your onward destination.

COME AND DISCOVER THE BEAUTY OF TEXTILE & HANDICRAFT OF GUJARAT

Wine has a storied history in India—from the introduction of grapevines to the Indus Valley civilization in 5,000 BC to the introduction of Port by the Portuguese in Goa. The wine industry has blossomed in the past few decades, however—especially in the delightful grape-growing regions of Nasik, Pune and Bangalore. On this wine tour in India, sip some of the best vintages available on the subcontinent while also getting to see the vibrant culture and history of this amazing country. If tasting chilled wines and exploring about its history is on your mind, then India is the right destination for you.

Tour Highlight

- ★ Explore Qutub Minar, Red Fort in Delhi.
- ★ Stroll around local markets of Chandni Chowk – Delhi.
- ★ See one of the Seven Wonders of the World - Taj Mahal.
- ★ The unending shopping options in Jaipur, and visit the Amber Fort on a painted Elephant.
- ★ Visit Hawa Mahal, Jantar Manjar, City Palace in Jaipur.
- ★ Guided visit to vineyards and wineries of Sula, Soma Vineyard & Vallonne Vineyard.
- ★ Learn the intricate details about wine, wine making, wine tasting, etc. from our 'Wine Gurus.'



Our Special

Each of these itineraries is tailor-made to give you the behind the scenes peek into the destination and its culture through hidden secrets that are generally ignored by most of the tourists. These enthralling itineraries will keep your clients excited by revealing the interesting stories and facts of the destinations.

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