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MANALI | SARCHU | LEH | NUBRA VALLEY | TURTUK | PANGONG LAKE | HANLE | UMLING LA

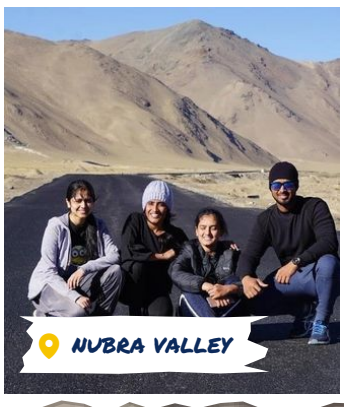
12 Days
PREMIUM LADAKH TOUR

AN EPIC ROAD TRIP ITINERARY









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Ladakh
AN EPIC ROAD TRIP ITINERARY

Why This Trip with BACKPACKER TOURS?

A 12-day Leh Ladakh road trip from Delhi: the high passes from Manali, Leh sightseeing, Khardung La and the Nubra Valley with a Bactrian camel ride, Turtuk, Pangong Lake, stargazing at Hanle and Umling La, the highest motorable road in the world.

What Makes This Trip Special?

- **Umling La Pass (19,024 ft), the highest motorable road in the world.**
- **Stargazing at Hanle, near one of the world's highest astronomical observatories.**
- **Camping by Pangong Lake and its ever-changing blue waters.**
- **A camel ride on double-humped Bactrian camels at the Hunder sand dunes.**
- **High passes**
  Khardung La, Baralacha La, Tanglang La and more.
- **Turtuk, a Balti village once part of Baltistan.**
- **Experienced trip leader, emergency oxygen cylinder and all inner line permits included.**

About the Trip

Ladakh is where the earth touches the sky: from the sapphire waters of Pangong Lake to the rugged heights of Umling La Pass, a land of surreal contrasts. This full circuit crosses Baralacha La, Tanglang La and Khardung La, visits Leh, the Nubra Valley and Turtuk, camps by Pangong Lake, and adds Hanle, one of the world's highest astronomical observatories, and Umling La at 19,024 ft. The itinerary balances adventure, sightseeing and acclimatisation, led by an experienced trip leader. This is not a bike trip.

Mountains
People
Places
Memories
Forever

Trip Snapshot

Duration	Accommodation	Meals	Transport	Pickup
12 Days	Deluxe hotels & camps, triple sharing	8 breakfasts & 8 dinners	Semi-sleeper Volvo, tempo traveller	Delhi

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Day-Wise ITINERARY

12 Days Ladakh Tour

DAY 1 Departure from Delhi: the journey unfolds

- Your adventure begins from Delhi. Travel overnight by semi-sleeper Volvo towards the Himalayas.

Overnight: Overnight Volvo

DAY 2 Manali to Sarchu: transition into the high Himalayas

- By morning, arrive in Manali, a mountain town surrounded by pine forests and snow-kissed peaks. After a refreshing halt, the drive continues towards Sarchu.
- Pass through the Atal Tunnel, then make a brief stop at Sissu for waterfalls and glacier-fed streams.
- Cross Baralacha La, where multiple mountain ranges converge, with a classic highway pause at Zing Zing Bar.
- Reach Sarchu, a vast windswept plateau known for its silence and star-studded skies.

Overnight: Camp / hotel, Sarchu

DAY 3 Sarchu to Leh: entering Ladakh's dreamscape

- Continue deeper into Ladakh. En route, see Suraj Tal, a turquoise lake set against barren mountains.
- Drive across the Moore Plains, long straight roads through an endless high-altitude desert.
- Climb to Tanglang La for panoramic views. Arrive in Leh by evening.

Overnight: Hotel, Leh

DAY 4 Leh local exploration: heritage and natural wonders

- Visit Leh Palace, Shanti Stupa and the Hall of Fame.
- See Magnetic Hill, where vehicles appear to roll uphill, and Pathar Sahib Gurudwara.
- Later, visit the Sangam, the merger of the Zanskar and Indus rivers, with optional rafting.

Overnight: Hotel, Leh

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DAY 5 Leh to Nubra Valley: crossing Khardung La

- Drive across Khardung La, one of the world's highest motorable roads.
- Descend into Nubra Valley, a blend of desert dunes, rivers and mountains.
- Visit Diskit Monastery and the Hunder sand dunes, where you can take a camel ride on double-humped Bactrian camels.

Overnight: Camp, Nubra Valley

DAY 6 Nubra Valley to Turtuk: a cultural treasure

- Travel to Turtuk, a village once part of Baltistan, with apricot orchards, traditional Balti homes and stone pathways.
- Enjoy the cultural richness and slower pace of life in a deeply immersive setting.

Overnight: Camp, Nubra Valley

DAY 7 Turtuk to Pangong Lake: from green valleys to blue waters

- Leave Turtuk and continue to Pangong Lake.
- The lake emerges in shades of blue and emerald, surrounded by mountains. Camp by the lake.

Overnight: Camp, Pangong Lake

DAY 8 Pangong to Hanle: into remote wilderness

- Drive to Hanle, one of Ladakh's most peaceful and isolated regions.
- Visit the Indian Astronomical Observatory and enjoy stargazing under crystal-clear skies.

Overnight: Camp or homestay, Hanle

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DAY 9 Hanle to Umling La: the ultimate high-altitude milestone

- Today's highlight is Umling La, the highest motorable road in the world.
- Stand at this altitude for a rare sense of achievement and awe.

Overnight: Camp or homestay, Hanle

DAY 10 Hanle to Sarchu / Jispa: scenic return

- Retrace your path through Ladakh's landscapes, with snow-draped peaks, endless plains and winding mountain roads, back towards Sarchu or Jispa.

Overnight: Camp / hotel, Sarchu or Jispa

DAY 11 Sarchu / Jispa to Manali: re-entering green valleys

- Descend gradually from the barren mountain desert to the greenery of Manali.
- Board the semi-sleeper Volvo from Manali to Delhi.

Overnight: Overnight Volvo

DAY 12 Arrival in Delhi: memories for a lifetime

- Arrive back in Delhi with memories of high passes, turquoise lakes, remote villages and Himalayan adventures.

Overnight: Ends in Delhi

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Inclusions & EXCLUSIONS

Everything You Need to Know
Before You Travel

What's Included

- Accommodation in deluxe hotels / camps on a triple sharing basis.
- Vegetarian meals: 8 breakfasts and 8 dinners.
- Semi-sleeper Volvo transfer from Delhi to Manali and back to Delhi.
- Exclusive tempo traveller for the group from Manali to Manali.
- Experienced trip leader from Backpacker Tours.
- Oxygen cylinder for emergency use during the trip.
- Ladakh hill development fees and environment fees.
- Inner line permits (ILP) for Nubra Valley, Turtuk and Pangong Lake.
- Driver allowances, toll taxes, parking and state taxes.
- Experienced local drivers from Leh and Himachal.

What's Not Included

- Any air or train fares (best fares available on request).
- Any sightseeing in Manali, or transport in Manali.
- Extra meals other than those mentioned in the plan, and any water bottles.
- Any expenses for optional activities or tickets, unless quoted in the inclusions.
- Insurance, and items of a personal nature such as porter, tips and laundry.
- Any entry fees, camel ride fees and river rafting.
- Any additional expenses from unforeseen circumstances (flight delay or cancellation, roadblocks, landslides, strikes or other causes beyond human control), and emergency evacuation expenses.
- Any expense for loss, misplacement or theft of personal belongings.
- Medical insurance, medical costs, and transport expenses of a similar nature.



Travel Information

Pickup	:	**Delhi**
Drop	:	**Delhi**
Duration	:	**12 Days**
Accommodation	:	**Deluxe hotels & camps, triple sharing**
Meals	:	**8 breakfasts & 8 dinners**
Transport	:	**Semi-sleeper Volvo, tempo traveller**

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Moments from LADAKH

Breathtaking landscapes, charming villages, new friendships and unforgettable experiences — a journey captured in moments.


Manali


Sarchu


Leh


Nubra Valley


Turtuk


Pangong Lake

Our Story

We started as three friends who kept getting asked to plan everyone else's Himalaya trips. Nine years on, it's a full-time team of captains, drivers and a support desk that actually picks up — still doing exactly what we started with. No white-labelled itineraries and no routes we haven't driven ourselves. If a batch runs under the Backpacker Tours name, someone on our team has led it before.



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IMPORTANT NOTES

Before you join us

- This is not a bike trip.
- The 2026 departures listed in the document were 6-16 Jun, 20-30 Jun, 4-14 Jul, 18-28 Jul, 8-18 Aug, 15-25 Aug and 5-15 Sep. Add the next season's dates in the admin.
- The price is on triple sharing. Twin sharing is available at extra charge, so please talk to us.
- To extend your stay in Manali, tell us 20 days before departure.
- Book a flight that arrives in Delhi before 6:00 PM on Day 1. For the return, book any flight departing after 9:00 AM.
- We create a WhatsApp group 3 days before departure with the things to carry and other details.
- Everyone between 15 and 40 years can join this trip. There is no age limit for the Women's batch.
- An easy EMI option is available, starting at INR 5,000 if booked 3 months before departure.
- We need a minimum of 5 people for a group or private departure and private arrangements.
- **Stays (similar category)**
  Leh, Hotel Golden Apricot / Offbeat Residency. Nubra Valley, Regal Camps / Dowa Deluxe Camp. Pangong Lake, Yak Camp / Buddha Camp.
- **Stays (similar category)**
  Jispa / Sarchu, Hotel Snow Land / Himalayan Midway Camps. Tsomoriri Lake, camp stay / homestay.
- If a departure is cancelled because of a landslide, roadblock or bad weather forecast, a refund will be initiated depending on the situation.
- For trip questions, call or WhatsApp us on +91 8082647928 / +91 8286835202.

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12 Days group Trip

Trip Cost & Inclusions

TRIPLE SHARING	TWIN SHARING
₹35,000/-	₹38,000/-
Per Person	Per Person
(Join from Delhi (triple sharing))	(Join from Delhi (twin sharing))

- Deluxe hotels & camps, triple sharing stays
- 12 Days / 11 Nights
- 8 breakfasts & 8 dinners included
- Semi-sleeper Volvo, tempo traveller (Ex Delhi)
- Experienced Tour Captain
- Small Group Experience

Cancellation Policy

Days Before Trip	45+ Days	30 – 45 Days	Less than 15 Days
Cancellation Charge	₹8,000 Per Person	₹12,000 Per Person	No Refund

Note: Cancellation charges are per person and are non-transferable. No refund for no-shows or unused services.

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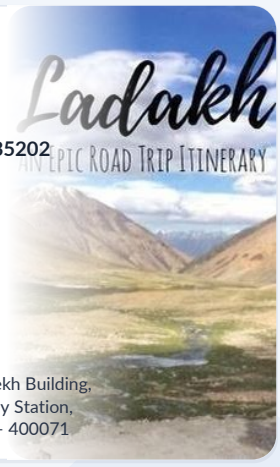

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