

# Kashmir Package | Escape To Doodhpathri

Srinagar - Gulmarg - Doodhpathri - Pahalgam - Srinagar

Tour Packages Customised

## Tour Basics •

**Duration:** 06 Days 05 Nights

**Route:** Srinagar - Gulmarg - Doodhpathri - Pahalgam - Srinagar

Srinagar — 6D 5N

## About This Trip •

Embark on a vacation in the paradise nestled amidst the towering green Himalayas, renowned worldwide for its shimmering lakes and stationary houseboats. Welcome to Kashmir, "Heaven on Earth." From witnessing breathtaking sunsets on a Shikara ride across the rippling Dal Lake to exploring the tranquil canals reflecting the beauty of the sky and the surrounding Mughal Gardens, Kashmir offers it all. Enjoy magical family moments in cosy and comfortable suites with warm hosts and delectable Kashmiri cuisine, making your stay on a houseboat genuinely unique and unforgettable.

Relax as you watch shepherd boys wave from the banks of the foaming Lidder River, winding through the mountains and leading to scenic spots like Aru Valley and Betaab Valley. Experience the thrill of winter sports in Gulmarg, whether skiing, sledging, building snowmen, or engaging in a playful snowball fight.

### Quick Info:

- Route: Srinagar - Gulmarg - Doodhpathri - Pahalgam - Srinagar
- Duration: 6 Days and 5 Nights
- Start Point: Srinagar
- End Point: Srinagar

#### Inclusions:

- Airport pickup and drop according to your flight timings
- Accommodation (based on the selected variant)
- Comfortable, hygienic vehicle (AC Sedan/SUV) for sightseeing throughout the itinerary
- Breakfast and dinner as per the itinerary
- Expert driver-cum-guide to enhance your experience

#### Wander Yak Recommends:

- Visit the Floating Vegetable Market early in the morning and immerse yourself in the unique culture of the Mir Bahrís.
- Head to Srinagar's most Instagrammable café, Chai Jaai Tea Roo, for a cosy experience.
- Savour the authentic flavours of local Kashmiri dishes like Rogan Josh, Matschgand, Yakhni and Kashmiri Muji Gaad, and indulge in a warm cup of Kahwa Tea.
- Enjoy a scenic horse ride at the breathtaking Alpather Lake.
- Experience thrilling snow activities such as skiing and snowshoeing in Gulmarg.
- Pay a visit to the revered Muslim shrine of Baba Reshi to offer your holy tribute.

#### How to Reach:

- By Air: The nearest airport is Budgam Airbase, also known as Sheikh Ul Alam International Airport, Srinagar, which has flight connectivity to major cities across India.
- By Rail: The Jammu Tawi Railway Station (station code: JAT) is the closest railway station, well-connected by trains to various parts of India.
- By Road: You can reach Srinagar by bus from Chandigarh, Gulmarg, Jammu, Sonamarg, Delhi, and Pahalgam.

## Stay Categories & Options •

<b>Basic</b>	Persons: 2	INR 16,900.00	<del>INR 18,900.00</del>	Save INR 2,000.00
<b>Basic</b>	Persons: 4	INR 13,200.00	<del>INR 15,200.00</del>	Save INR 2,000.00
<b>Basic</b>	Persons: 6	INR 13,200.00	<del>INR 15,200.00</del>	Save INR 2,000.00
<b>Premium</b>	Persons: 2	INR 25,000.00	<del>INR 27,000.00</del>	Save INR 2,000.00
<b>Basic</b>	Persons: 4	INR 21,300.00	<del>INR 23,300.00</del>	Save INR 2,000.00
<b>Luxury</b>	Persons: 2	INR 41,500.00	<del>INR 43,500.00</del>	Save INR 2,000.00
<b>Luxury</b>	Persons: 4	INR 37,800.00	<del>INR 39,800.00</del>	Save INR 2,000.00
<b>Luxury</b>	Persons: 6	INR 37,800.00	<del>INR 39,800.00</del>	Save INR 2,000.00

## Itinerary •

### Day 1: Arrive in Srinagar | Welcome to Paradise on Earth

Upon arrival at Srinagar Airport, you'll be greeted by your driver, who will take you to your hotel after checking in. You may visit sights like the Tulip Garden, Chashma Shahi, Botanical Gardens, and Pari Mahal. End the day with a peaceful overnight stay in Srinagar.

Hotel: Stay at Srinagar

Meals: Dinner

### Day 2: Excursions to Gulmarg | Enjoy the world's second-highest cable car ride.

In the morning, embark on a day trip to Gulmarg. Upon arrival, you will be dropped off at the second check-post, where you can begin your exciting Gulmarg Gondola ride. Enjoy breathtaking views of Apharwat Peak. Afterwards, you'll have the chance to explore the picturesque Strawberry Valley and the tranquil Drung Waterfall. Finally, you'll return to Srinagar for a restful overnight stay.

Hotel: Stay at the Hotel in Srinagar

Meals: Breakfast & Dinner

### Day 3: Excursion to Doodhpathri | Explore the Beautiful 'Valley of Milk'

In the morning, embark on a day trip to Doodhpathri. Enjoy a stroll through the stunning "Valley of Milk," where you can admire the expansive green meadows and the rivers that appear as milky streams. After the sightseeing, return to Srinagar and explore local markets such as Badshah Chowk and Zaina Kadal Market, where you can shop for unique souvenirs. Conclude your day with an overnight stay in Srinagar.

Hotel: Stay at the Hotel in Srinagar

Meals: Breakfast & Dinner

### Day 4: Srinagar to Pahalgam | A Journey to the ABC Valleys

After check-out, your driver will pick you up from the hotel and transfer you to Pahalgam. En route, you'll have the chance to visit the scenic apple orchards and saffron fields. Upon arrival in Pahalgam, check in to your hotel and take a sightseeing tour. You can opt for river rafting at the Lidder River (at an additional cost). Continue your exploration with visits to the stunning Aru Valley, Betaab Valley, and Chandanwari. After a day of sightseeing, return to your hotel in Pahalgam for an overnight stay.

Meals: Breakfast & Dinner

Stay: Stay at the Hotel in Pahalgam

### Day 5: Pahalgam to Srinagar | Enjoy the Famous Shikara Ride in Dal Lake

After check-out, your driver will pick you up from the hotel and take you to Srinagar. Upon arrival, check in to your houseboat on the serene Dal Lake. Once settled, visit the renowned Mughal Gardens and explore the vibrant Lal Chowk for some shopping. You can also visit the historic Shankaracharya Temple and the beautiful Badamwari Park. Experience a relaxing Shikara ride on Dal Lake, soaking in the scenic views. After the ride, return to your hotel/houseboat for an overnight stay.

Meals: Breakfast & Dinner

Stay: Stay at the Hotel/Houseboat at Dal Lake

## Day 6: Departure

Pack your bags and check out of your houseboat in Srinagar. Your driver will pick you up and take you to Srinagar Airport, marking the end of your tour.

Meals: Breakfast

Stay: Nil

## Inclusions •

Meals as mentioned in the Itinerary.

One-hour Shikara rides are complimentary.

5-night accommodation.

Heater Charges.

Union Cab Charges.

Individual cab for the tour.

Daily Breakfast and Dinners.

All sightseeing mentions the itinerary pickup and drop-off at Srinagar.

Taxes included toll tax, parking fee, green tax, driving and fuel expenses.

## Exclusions •

Fees for any adventure activity.

Guide Charges.

Lunch, Camera Fee, or Monument Fee.

Any kind of personal expenses or extra meals ordered.

Services of the vehicle on leisure days and after finishing the sightseeing tour as per the Itinerary.

Any kind of drink (alcoholic, mineral water, aerated).

Any increase in taxes or fuel prices will affect surface transportation and land arrangements, which may become effective before departure.

Costs are incidental to any change in the itinerary/stay resulting from flight cancellations due to bad weather, ill health, roadblocks, or other factors beyond our control.

This package does not include safaris, rafting, and other activities.

5% GST.

## FAQs •

**Q:** What is Doodhpathri famous for?

**A:**

Doodhpathri is known for its lush green meadows, sparkling streams, and colourful flowers, with gentle slopes leading to Chang and the scenic Tosamaidan nearby.

**Q:** Which is better, Doodhpathri or Gulmarg?

**A:**

Gulmarg is best for adventure and amenities, while Doodhpathri offers a quieter, more peaceful escape in nature.

**Q:** Does Doodhpathri have snow?

**A:**

Doodhpathri turns into a snowy wonderland in winter, with temperatures between 0°C and -12°C, offering stunning views but very cold conditions.

**Q:** What is Gulmarg famous for?

**A:**

Gulmarg is famous for its stunning Himalayan views and the Gulmarg Gondola, the world's second-highest cable car ride.

**Q:** Is Gulmarg costly?

**A:**

A Gulmarg trip usually costs ₹10,000–₹15,000, with a three-day visit averaging around ₹20,000, depending on hotel and trip duration.

**Q:** How far is Srinagar from Doodhpathri?

**A:**

The distance from Srinagar to Doodhpathri is about 40–45 km, and the drive takes around 2 hours via the Srinagar–Budgam Road.

## Get in Touch •

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