

Travel Guide

7 Nights / 8 Days

Explore Himachal

Route: Shimla → Kalpa → Nako → Tabo → Kaza → Key – Kibber – Hikkim – Langza –
Komic → Chandratal → Manali → Departure



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Tour Schedule

Day 1 : Shimla to Kalpa

- Travel: ~222 km / 8–9 hours
- Start early from Shimla
- Drive along Sutlej River via Rampur & Reckong Peo
- Reach Kalpa, a charming village facing the Kinner Kailash range
- Stroll around apple orchards and enjoy sunset views
- Overnight Stay: Kalpa

Day 2 : Kalpa to Nako to Tabo

- Travel: ~150 km / 7–8 hours
- En route stops:
 - o Khab Sangam (confluence of Spiti & Sutlej Rivers)
 - o Nako Village & Nako Lake
- Cross Malling Nallah & drive into Spiti's barren beauty
- Reach Tabo, home to a 1000-year-old monastery
- Explore: Tabo Caves & Tabo Monastery
- **Overnight Stay: Tabo**

Day 3 : Tabo to Dhankar to Kaza

- Travel: ~60 km / 4 hours
- Visit Dhankar Monastery, perched atop a cliff
- Optional short trek to Dhankar Lake (1.5–2 hrs)
- Reach Kaza by afternoon
- Chill evening in town, visit local markets and cafés
- **Overnight Stay: Kaza**

Day 4 : Key Monastery + Kibber + Chicham Bridge

- Morning visit to Key Monastery, the largest in Spiti
- Head to Kibber Village (known for snow leopards in winter)
- Walk on the Chicham Bridge—Asia's highest suspension bridge
- Return to Kaza in evening
- **Overnight Stay: Kaza**

Tour Schedule

Day 5 : Hikkim – Komic – Langza Circuit

- Full-day exploration of high-altitude villages:
 - o Hikkim: World's highest post office – send a postcard!
 - o Komic: One of the highest villages with a monastery
 - o Langza: Famous for Buddha statue & fossils
- Return to Kaza
- **Overnight Stay: Kaza**

Day 6 : Kaza to Chandratul Lake

- Travel: ~100 km / 6–7 hours
- Start early, cross Kunzum Pass (4,551 m)
- Reach Chandratul Lake by late afternoon
 - o Stunning crescent-shaped lake, perfect for photography
 - o Short hike to the lake (vehicles stop 1.5 km before)
- **Overnight Stay: Chandratul Camps (bring warm layers)**

Day 7 : Chandratul to Manali via Atal Tunnel

- Travel: ~120 km / 7–8 hours
- Morning start through Batal – Chhatru – Gramphoo route
- Scenic drive with waterfalls, streams & glacier views
- Enter Lahaul region, pass through Atal Tunnel
- Reach Manali by evening
- **Overnight Stay: Manali**

Day 8 : Departure from Manali

- Post breakfast, depart for Delhi/Chandigarh
- Trip ends with unforgettable memories

Inclusions

- **Accommodation:**
 - Stay in 3-star or equivalent hotels on double/triple sharing basis
- **Meals:**
 - Daily breakfast and dinner at hotel (MAP plan)
- **Transportation:**
 - Private vehicle (sedan/SUV/tempo) for all intercity & local sightseeing
 - Pickup & drop from Chandigarh/Shimla/Manali depending on plan
- **Sightseeing:**
 - Guided local tours
 - Toll, parking, driver allowance, fuel charges
- **Permits:**
 - Inner line permits (required for Kinnaur/Spiti sections for foreign nationals)
 - Local environmental & wildlife fees
- **Support:**
 - 24x7 assistance from local travel agent
 - All applicable hotel taxes and GST

Exclusions

- **Airfare or Train Tickets**
 - Not included unless specified
- **Lunch / Snacks / Drinks**
 - Meals other than mentioned (e.g., lunch, evening tea, mineral water)
- **Adventure Activities:**
 - River crossing, ATV rides, treks, (to be paid on-site)
- **Entry Tickets:**
 - Entry fees at monuments, museums, or amusement parks
- **Personal Expenses:**
 - Laundry, phone calls, room service, tips
- **Medical / Travel Insurance**
- **Early Check-In / Late Check-Out**
 - Subject to availability and extra charges
- **Anything not explicitly mentioned in 'Inclusions'**

Travel tips

Best Time to Visit:

- Best Time to Visit Spiti in Summer
- Late May to September
- Roads from Shimla → Kaza open early May
- Manali → Kaza route opens by late May or early June(subject to snow clearance at Kunzum Pass)

Clothing:

- Layered clothing: Even in summer, nights can drop to 0–5°C
- Thermals, fleece, windproof jacket
- Woolen cap, gloves, and socks
- Comfortable hiking shoes
- Raincoat / poncho (for sudden showers)
- Sunglasses, sunscreen, lip balm (SPF 30+)
- Reusable water bottle
- Daypack for hikes/exploration
- Dry snacks (limited availability en route)

Connectivity:

- BSNL and Jio work best (esp. in Kaza)
- No signal in remote areas like Chandratal, Losar, Dhankar
- Download offline maps and carry a printed itinerary

Health & Altitude Tips:

- Spiti is high-altitude desert terrain (avg 10,000–14,000 ft)
- Stay hydrated; avoid alcohol
- Carry Diamox (after consulting your doctor) if prone to AMS
- Acclimatize by spending a night in Kalpa or Nako before reaching Kaza

Eco Tips:

- Say no to plastic bottles—carry your own
- Respect local culture and don't litter trails or villages

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