



# 9D BUDDHIST CIRCUIT TOURIST TRAIN PACKAGE

## INCLUDES:

1. Journey by exclusive Buddhist Circuit Train
2. Guided tour as per itinerary
3. Airport pickups and drop-offs
4. Transfers between places (with air-cond)
5. Guides and entrance fees
6. Excursions and meals as listed in the itinerary
7. Accommodation

## EXCLUDES:

1. All flight tickets \*\*
2. Travel insurance \*\*
3. Visas \*\*
4. Optional excursions
5. Tips (guides and drivers)
6. Personal expenses

(\*\* can be arranged through us upon request)

## Itinerary Summary:

**DELHI – BODHGAYA – RAJGIR – NALANDA – VARANASI – SARNATH – LUMBINI (NEPAL) – KUSHINAGAR – SRAVASTI – AGRA – DELHI**

The Buddhist Circuit Special Train is an exclusive air-conditioned train for Buddhist circuit destinations and does not carry passengers other than tourists booked for this special tour.

**(Timings & details mentioned above are for your reference only. Actual journey time depends on the road conditions, railway track clearance etc. Please reconfirm timings with your Tour Manager / Tour Guide)**

**Day 01 – SINGAPORE - DELHI** (Lunch & dinner included)

**SIN – DEL (Vistara Airlines), 09:30hrs – 12:45hrs (5hrs 45mins) – NOT INCLUDED IN THE PRICING**

Depart from Singapore to Delhi by flight. Have a day tour in Delhi with our tourist guide. Rest for the day at hotel. **(Overnight in hotel)**

**Day 02 – DELHI - GAYA** (Breakfast, lunch & dinner included)

Join a morning tour in Delhi before boarding the Buddhist Circuit Special Train.

We will be boarding the train at Delhi Safdarjung Railway Station. The train will depart for Gaya at 14:30hr (boarding starts at 13:30hr). Dinner will be served on-board.

**Day 03 – GAYA – BODHGAYA** *(Breakfast, lunch & dinner included)*

06:30hr – Morning tea and breakfast on-board.

10:30hr – Arrive in Gaya. We will depart for Bodhgaya by coach.

11:30hr – Check-in to hotel. Have lunch and rest.

14:30hr – Sightseeing at Bodhgaya (Mahabodhi Temple, Niranjana River and other Buddhist temples)

19:30hr – Dinner at hotel. Rest for the day. **Overnight in hotel**

**Day 04 – BODHGAYA – RAJGIR – NALANDA - VARANASI** *(Breakfast, lunch & dinner included)*

05:30hr – Breakfast at hotel

07:00hr – Check-out and proceed to Rajgir by coach

09:30hr – Arrival in Rajgir. You will be visiting Bimbimsara Jail, Gridhakut hill & Venuvan.

12:30hr – Lunch at hotel

13:30hr – Depart for Nalanda for sightseeing. Visit the ruins of Nalanda University & Nalanda Museum.

17:00hr – Depart for Gaya Railway Station and we will be arriving the station around 19:30hr.

20:00hr – Dinner will be served on-board during the journey to Varanasi.

**Day 05 – VARANASI – SARNATH – RIVER GANGES – NAUTANWA** *(Breakfast, lunch & dinner included)*

05:00hr – Morning tea and breakfast on-board.

06:00hr – Depart for Sarnath by coach (10km away), visit Dhamekh Stupa, Sarnath Museum, Ashokan Pillar and Mulgandha Kuti Vihar.

12:30hr – Lunch at hotel. Relax and rest.

17:00hr – Visit River Ganges. Enjoy the boat ride and observe the evening Aarti ceremony.

20:00hr – Back to train and depart for Nautanwa. After dinner, rest for the day.

**Day 06 – NAUTANWA – LUMBINI** *(Breakfast, lunch & dinner included)*

06:00hr – Morning tea and breakfast on-board.

07:00hr – Arrival in Nautanwa Railway Station. Proceed to Lumbini, Nepal by coach.

(Please bring along your passport and visa. If you need to apply the visa at the immigration, please prepare two passport sized photo for the application.)

11:30hr – Check-in at hotel and enjoy your lunch.

15:30hr – Sightseeing tour at Nepal. Visit Maya Devi Temple and Ashokan Pillar.

19:30hr – Dinner at hotel. Rest for the day. **Overnight in hotel**

**Day 07 – LUMBINI – KUSHINAGAR – GORAKHPUR** *(Breakfast, lunch & dinner included)*

05:00hr – Breakfast at hotel.

06:15hr – Check-out from hotel and depart for Kushinagar by coach.

12:30hr – Arrival at Kushinagar. Have lunch at hotel.

13:30hr – Visit Mahaparinirvan Temple, Rambhar Stupa, Mata Kutir Temple and other sites.

17:30hr – Depart for Gorakhpur by coach.

19:00hr – Arrival at Gorakhpur Railway Station. Back to the train and travel to Balrampur.

20:30hr – Dinner on-board. Rest for the day.

**Day 08 – BALRAMPUR – SRAVASTI – BALRAMPUR – AGRA** (Breakfast, lunch & dinner included)

04:00hr – Arrival at Balrampur Railway Station. | 05:30hr – Enjoy your morning tea on-board.  
 06:30hr – Depart for Sravasti by coach (15km)  
 07:30hr – Arrival at hotel. Enjoy your breakfast before the tour starts.  
 09:30hr – Sightseeing tour at Jetvana Vihara, Pakki Kuti and Sehat Mahet.  
 13:00hr – Lunch at hotel. Free and easy.  
 17:30hr – Travel back to Balrampur Railway Station  
 18:00hr – Arrival at Balrampur Railway Station.  
 18:30hr – Proceed to Agra (450km away). Dinner will be served on-board.

**Day 09 – AGRA – DELHI** (Breakfast & lunch included)

05:00hr – Enjoy your morning tea on-board. The train will stop by Agra City Railway Station.  
 07:00hr – Your breakfast will be served on-board.  
 08:00hr – Visit the world famous Taj Mahal.  
 12:30hr – Travel back to Agra Cantt. Railway Station.  
 14:15hr – Depart for New Delhi by train and lunch will be served on-board.  
 16:00hr – Enjoy your evening tea on-board.  
 18:00hr – Arrival at Delhi Safdarjung Railway Station.

After the Buddhist Circuit Special Train tour, proceed to airport.

**DEL – SIN (Vistara Airlines) 23:45hrs – 08:15hrs (+1), 6 hrs – NOT INCLUDED IN THE PRICING**

**Day 10 – HOME SWEET HOME**

**DEPARTURE DATES:** Please check with Bodhi Travel for the departure dates.

<b>PRICING CHART</b>	<b>Single Supplement</b> (2-seater cabin + hotel room – no shared cabin)	<b>Twin-sharing</b> (2-seater cabin + hotel room – shared cabin and hotel room)	<b>Twin-sharing</b> (4-seater cabin + hotel room – no shared cabin)	<b>Quad-sharing</b> (4-seater cabin + hotel room - shared cabin and hotel room)
<b>AC 1<sup>st</sup> Class (2 Seater Coupe)</b>	From USD 2425 per pax	From USD 1645 per pax	-	-
<b>AC 1<sup>st</sup> Class (4 Seater Cabin)</b>	-	-	From USD 2075 per pax	From USD 1495 per pax

**CHILD POLICY:** Buddhist Train does accommodate children, but we ask parents to be mindful of the sophisticated adult atmosphere we endeavour to maintain.

1. Children below 5 years shall be allowed free, subject to sharing of berth with parents.
2. Single child (5 years - 12 years) - 50% of the adult fare, subject to sharing of double bed with parents.
3. All applicable taxes will be charged extra.



**CONFIRMATION OF BOOKING:**

1. All bookings are on first come first served basis.
2. All bookings are subject to availability and confirmation.
3. All bookings require a deposit (minimum 50% of your tour - package price) upon confirmation.
4. Final payments must be made forty-five (45) calendar days before departure dates.
5. Confirmation of all tour packages need to be made at least four (4) weeks before the departure dates.
6. Failure to comply with any of our conditions may result in automatic cancellation of reservation and forfeiture of any payments.
7. Payment may be made in Singapore Dollars by cash, cheques or bank transfer. Cheques will only be accepted if presented to the Company at least fifty (50) calendar days prior to departure date.
8. It is the responsibility of all our customers to ensure that their travel documents have at least 6 months' validity at the point of travel.
9. Any special requests such as special meals, dietary requirements, adjoining rooms, accommodation requirements, etc. shall be communicated to BODHI TRAVEL upon making reservations. Please note, however, that such requests are subject to availability and confirmation by Bodhi Travel.
10. All tourists are strongly recommended to purchase comprehensive travel insurance for all overseas travel.
11. All terms & conditions and pricing are subject to change without prior notice. Please contact BODHI TRAVEL to confirm.

