

TRAVEL PLAN TO SIKKIM

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WELCOME TO SIKKIM

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Sikkim is a small mountainous Indian state in the Eastern Himalayas known for its immense biodiversity, the scenic Kangchenjunga peak and the capital city, Gangtok. It became India's 22nd state in 1975, bordering Nepal, Bhutan and China. It is recognized as the world's first 100% organic state.



VISIT PLACES IN SIKKIM :-

TOP SIKKIM TOURIST PLACES BY REGION :-

• EAST SIKKIM :-

GANGTOK
TSOMGO LAKE (4)
NATHULA PASS
BABA MANDIR
ARITAR LAKE

• NORTH SIKKIM :-

YUMTHANG VALLEY (FLOWER/HOT SPRINGS)
LACHUNG VILLAGE
LACHEN
GURUDONGMAR LAKE

• WEST SIKKIM :-

PELLING (KHANGCHENDZONGA VIEWS)
YUKSOM (HISTORICAL TOWN)
KHECHEOPALRI LAKE

• SOUTH SIKKIM :-

RAVANGLA (BUDDHA PARK)
NAMCHI (TEMPLES)





GANGTOK

Gangtok the capital of Sikkim is a vibrant modern city in the Eastern Himalayas known for its scenic mountain views, Buddhist monasteries and role as a tourist hub. Located in the East district, it features major attractions like the MG Marg shopping area, Namgyal Institute of Tibetology and nearby monasteries like Rumtek.



TSOMGO LAKE (4)

Tsomgo Lake (or Changu Lake) is a stunning high altitude glacial lake located at 12,400 ft, approximately 40 km from Gangtok, Sikkim. Famed for its changing colors and surrounding snow capped peaks, it remains frozen in winter and blooms with wildflowers in spring. It is a sacred site with yak rides, a small Shiva temple and easy access from the Nathula Pass road.





NATHULA PASS

Nathu La located in East Sikkim at 14,140–14,450 feet, is one of the world's highest motorable roads and a historic trade pass connecting India with China's Tibet Autonomous Region. Reopened in 2006, it offers stunning Himalayan views, a chance to see the Indo-China border and a rich history as part of the ancient Silk Route.



BABA MANDIR

Baba Mandir is a revered shrine in Sikkim located at 13,123 ft between Nathu La and Jelepala Pass dedicated to Baba Harbhajan Singh, an Indian Army soldier who died in 1968. Known as the "Hero of Nathula", he is worshipped as a saintly protector who soldiers believe still guards the border.



ARITAR LAKE

Aritar Lake also known as Lampokhari Lake is a serene natural boot shaped lake situated in the Pakyong district of East Sikkim, India. Positioned at an elevation of 4,600 feet, this emerald green lake is surrounded by lush pine forests and offers boating, making it a key attraction near Gangtok, located roughly 63-67 km away.



YUMTHANG VALLEY (FLOWER/HOT SPRINGS)

Yumthang Valley located in North Sikkim at ~3,564 meters (11,693 ft) is a breathtaking alpine valley known as the "Sikkim Valley of Flowers". Surrounded by Himalayan peaks, it features the Lachung River, grazing yaks, rhododendron forests, hot springs and vibrant wildflower meadows that bloom in spring.

LACHUNG VILLAGE

Lachung is a picturesque mountain village in North Sikkim, situated at an altitude of approximately 8,600–9,600 feet near the Tibetan border. Known as the "gateway to Yumthang Valley", this serene destination features Tibetan influenced culture, apple orchards and stunning snowy peaks acting as a top nature and adventure destination.



LACHEN

Lachen is a serene high altitude village in North Sikkim (9,000 ft) serving as the base for visiting Gurudongmar Lake and Chopta Valley. Known for its rustic charm, the village operates under a traditional local self governing system called Dzumsa. It is a gateway to Himalayan landscapes, offering tourism, trekking and eco-friendly initiatives.



GURUDONGMAR LAKE

Gurudongmar Lake located in North Sikkim at 17,800 ft (5,430 m), is one of the highest lakes in India and the world. Sacred to Buddhists, Sikhs, and Hindus, it is famous for its turquoise water and for remaining partially unfrozen even in winter. The best time to visit is April to June.



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YUKSOM (HISTORICAL TOWN)

Yuksom located in West Sikkim is a significant historical town known as the first capital of the Kingdom of Sikkim, established in 1642 AD by Phuntsog Namgyal. It is a serene offbeat destination serving as the base for high altitude treks featuring crucial heritage sites like the Norbugang Coronation Throne and the Dubdi Monastery.

RAVANGLA (BUDDHA PARK)

The Buddha Park of Ravangla (Tathagata Tsal) in South Sikkim is a premier tourist attraction featuring a massive 130 foot statue of Gautama Buddha. Consecrated in 2013 on the 2550th birth anniversary of the Buddha, the park features serene landscaped gardens, a museum and meditation hall offering panoramic views of the Himalayan ranges.

KHECHEOPALRI LAKE

Khecheopalri Lake located near Pelling in West Sikkim is a sacred high altitude (approx. 1,700m) "wish fulfilling" lake revered by both Buddhists and Hindus. Surrounded by dense forests, it is believed that birds remove any leaves that fall onto the water, keeping it pristine. It was declared a Ramsar site in 2025.





NAMCHI (TEMPLES)

Namchi, meaning "Sky High" is a premier religious and cultural hub in South Sikkim, famous for its massive picturesque temple complexes. Key attractions include the Siddhesvara Dham (Char Dham) on Solophok Hill with a 108-ft Shiva statue, the 135-ft Guru Padmasambhava statue at Samdruptse and the scenic Shirdi Sai Mandir.



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THANK YOU !!!!!