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## 9 Days Explore Gujarat

Bangalore-Ahmedabad-Bangalore by Flight

### Places Covered

**Ahmedabad-Dwaraka-Somnath-Porbandar-Bhavanagar-Dakor-Dwarka  
Kevadiya-Matrugaya-Patan(Rani ki vav)-Modhera Sun Temple**



**Day 1** Upon arrival at Ahmedabad airport as per scheduled flight you will be transferred to hotel for check in, later visit Ahmedabad City tour, covering Adalaj Stepwell, Sabarmati Asharam, Balaji Temple, Akshardham, night halt @ hotel in Ahmadabad.

**Day 2** After Breakfast travel to Kevadiya & visit iconic Statue of Unity – tallest statue in the world dedicated to Indian statesman & independence activist Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel. We enjoy the views of the surrounding from the viewing gallery followed witnessing Projection Mapping show at Statue of Unity, return to Ahmedabad, night halt @ hotel in Ahmadabad.

**Day 3** After Breakfast proceed towards Dwarka. Check in to hotel, later visit the Dwarkadheesh Temple and walk on the Gomti River Ghat at Dwarka followed by a visit to Dwarka beach and later experience the Flag Change at Dwarkadheesh Temple. After we witness the evening Aarti, night halt @ hotel in Dwarka.

**Day4** After Breakfast visit Dwarkadish Temple. Dwarka is an ancient city of Gujarat. It's known as a Hindu pilgrimage site, Gomti Ghat, Gopi Talav, Sudhama Setu, Betdwarka, Rukmani Mandir, Nageshwar Jyotirling (Nageshvara is one of the legendary temples mentioned in the Shiva Purana and is one of the twelve Jyotirlingas), Mula dwarka & Shivrajpur Beach, night halt @ hotel in Dwarka.

**Day 5** After Breakfast travel to Somnath via Porbander . Porbandar is known for being the birthplace of Mahatma Gandhi and Sudama. Visit Kirti Mandir Temple, Sudama Temple, Sri Hari Mandir Temple, Jambavan Cave. Arrival @ Somanath fresh up at hotel and visit Somnath (Jyotirling), night halt @ hotel in Somnath.

**Day 6** After Breakfast visit Somnath Jyotirlinga (one of the most sacred pilgrimage sites for the Hindus, they believe it to be the first among the twelve Jyotirlinga shrines of Shiva. The Somnath temple is located at the confluence of the mythological Saraswati, Hiranya and Kapila rivers the Triveni Sangam). Lakshmi Narayan Mandir, Triveni Sangam, Pancha Pandav Gufa, Dehotsarg Teerth, Shree Parshuram Temple, Gita Mandir. Travel to Bhavnagar & night halt @ hotel in Bhavnagar.

**Day 7** After Breakfast visit Nishkalank Mahadev Mandir (Situated in Koliyak Beach, it is one of the rarest sea temples in India. Located about a kilometer into the sea, the temple is dedicated to Lord Shiva. The temple has 5 distinct swayambhu Shiva lingams on a square platform and each is having a Nandi statue facing it. This temple is submerged during high tides in the sea and emerges during low tides to reveal it majestically. Later journey to Ahmadabad. Transfer to hotel, free time to explore Ahmadabad by own, night halt @ hotel in Ahmadabad.

**Day 8** After Breakfast start our journey towards Matrugaya. It's mentioned in the Hindu Scriptures, Siddhapur known as Matrugaya Tirth is famous to offer our tarpan, debt towards mother. After finishing the rituals, visit Patan, to see Ranikivav (step well) which was constructed by Udaymati in memory of her husband, finally we will travel to Modhera, the town known for the Sun Temple of Chalukya era, later travel to Ahmedabad, night halt @ hotel in Ahmedabad.

**Day 9** After Breakfast travel to Dakor and visit Ranchhodrai Dakor Temple (Krishna Temple), & other temples, after Darshan travel to Ahmedabad Airport for return journey to Bangalore.

#### Tour cost Includes

- Round trip Air ticket (Ex-Bangalore)
- Travel by comfortable A/C Coach
- Toll, Parking and Permit charges are included
- 8 Nights' accommodation in comfortable hotels twin sharing basis
- All Meals–Morning tea/coffee, Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner
- Accompanied local guide services wherever required.
- Orchid Travels tour manager services on the tour
- Government of India Goods & Services Tax (GST)

#### Tour cost Excludes

- Single supplement charges (if required single room)
- Personal expense like portorage, Boat Ride, Auto rickshaw or jeep charges, Temple Pooja, special Darshan tickets, Monument Entrance charge etc.,
- Any extra cost incurred due to illness, accident, hospitalization or Natural calamities.
- Anything specifically not mentioned in the 'tour price includes' column

