

# Bhutan Classic Cultural Tour



<b>Dates</b>	At travelers discretion
<b>Trip Duration</b>	11 nights / 12 days
<b>Difficulty Rating</b>	Easy/Moderate
<b>Highlights</b>	A great mixture of remote excursions, popular sightseeing, hiking, camping and hotel stays.
<b>Cost</b>	Cost depends on the group size. Contact us for details. Costs will include ground transportation to and from Paro airport, transportation and entrance fees to all listed activities, entry fees, all meals, accommodations.

<b>Itinerary</b>	<p>Day 1 Paro. The flight into Paro or Phuntsholing is your introduction to the spectacular beauty of our country. In clear weather, see the magnificent views of the world's highest peaks, that give way to the lush green Paro valley as you land. Your Bhutanese escort from Village Tours will greet you on arrival, and then drive you the short distance to the hotel.</p> <p>Day 2 Paro - Thimphu. After breakfast drive for sightseeing of Paro valley. Visit Drugyel Village. From there you can see the view of Jumolhari. Visit typical Bhutanese farmhouse. On the way you can see view of Taktshang (Tiger's nest) monastery. Visit of Ta-Dzong (National Museum in Bhutan). Evening drive to Thimphu. Overnight at hotel.</p> <p>Day 3 Thimphu - Wangdi. Early morning drive to end of Thimphu valley for birdwatching. After the lunch drive to Wangdue and take a short hike to the Temple of the Madman. Overnight at hotel.</p> <p>Day 4 Wangdi - Bumthang. After breakfast drive to Jakar. Lunch will be at Chendiji restaurant or with lunch box. Overnight at tourist lodge or guest house.</p> <p>Day 5 Bumthang. After breakfast drive for sightseeing of the beautiful Bumthang valley with a visit to the courtyards of Kurje Lhakhang, Jamapa Lhakhang, Tamshing Lhakhang and Kencho Sum Lhakhang and visit to Jakar Dzong. Evening walk around the town of Jakar. Overnight at hotel.</p> <p>Day 6 Bumthang - Trongsa. After breakfast drive back to Trongsa. You will visit Chumey village and monastery. Visit Trongsa Dzong. Overnight at hotel.</p> <p>Day 7 Trongsa - Wangdue. After breakfast drive to Wangdue. Today you will make camp at Radhi Village. Overnight at camp.</p> <p>Day 8 Excursion to Dangchu Village, morning visit Radhi Gomba and visit Dangchu Village. Overnight at camp.</p> <p>Day 9 Wangdue - Punakha, After breakfast drive to Punakha. On the way visit Wangdue dzong. Overnight at Punakh.</p> <p>Day 10 Punakha - Paro/Thimphu. After the breakfast drive to Paro. On the way stop at Thimphu for lunch then drive to Paro to tour the Dzong and National Museum. Overnight at hotel.</p> <p>Day 11 Paro - Excursion to Taktshang. Spend a full day hiking to Taktshang the Tiger's nest. The magical monastery clings to a vertical granite cliff 3000m above the valley floor. In the afternoon/evening you may take some free time to explore Paro. Overnight at hotel.</p> <p>Day 12 Paro. Drive to Paro International Airport or Phuntsholing.</p>
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