



# India's Golden Triangle

## 9-DAY ENLIGHTENED TOUR

From only  
**£1,295**

Exotic and intoxicating, India captivates the senses. This tour takes in classic India including the Taj Mahal and the tigers of Ranthambore.

### So much is included in the price

- Return flights to and from the UK with Jet Airways including all UK taxes
- Visits to Delhi, Taj Mahal, Ranthambore National Park and Jaipur
- Sightseeing as specified with transfers and entrance fees included
- Local guide throughout your stay who'll share their knowledge of the country, its history and culture
- Free time to explore independently
- 6 breakfasts, 2 lunches and 2 dinners
- Quality hotels throughout

### Tour itinerary

**Day 1** Depart Heathrow  
You'll fly overnight direct to Delhi this evening.  
Meals: In-flight.

**Day 2** Delhi  
Once you've settled into your hotel, you can venture into the lively capital to explore at your own pace.  
Meals: In-flight. Hotel: Royal Plaza Hotel.

**Day 3** Delhi to Agra  
After breakfast, a driving tour through Old and New Delhi takes you past the city's key highlights, including Red Fort, India Gate war memorial, Rashtrapati Bhawan (President House) and Qutub Minar, a towering monument dating to 1368. You'll stop off to visit Jama Masjid, the largest Mosque in India during the tour, then, this afternoon, you'll be driven to Agra.  
Meals: Breakfast. Hotel: Clarks Shiraz.

**Day 4** Agra to Ranthambore  
This morning's early start means you'll see the world famous Taj Mahal at sunrise, when its beauty is incandescent. The monument was built by Shah Jahan in 1560 as a shrine to his queen Mumtaz Mahal. It took 17 years to complete and is built from white marble.  
After breakfast, you'll visit Agra Fort and then travel to the 'Ghost City' of Fatehpur Sikri, the UNESCO World Heritage site that was built in 1569. You'll continue on to Bharatpur for lunch then board the Shatabdi Express for your train journey to Ranthambore.  
Meals: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner. Hotel: Tiger Den.

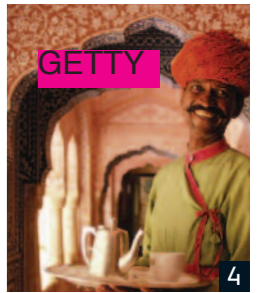
**Day 5** Ranthambore  
You'll head into one of the largest national parks in India on morning and afternoon safari drives in the hope of spotting wild tigers, sambar deer, marsh crocodiles and a variety of birds, including eagles.  
Meals: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner. Hotel: Tiger Den.

**Day 6** Ranthambore to Jaipur  
After breakfast, you'll visit Dastkar, a responsible tourism workshop and craft centre. Set up and run by local women, they print and dye fabric which they then make into an impressive range of clothing, accessories and homeware. Then you'll journey west to Jaipur, known as the 'pink city'. Once you've settled into your room, you're free to explore. This evening, there's an optional sound and light show at the Amber Fort.  
Meals: Breakfast. Hotel: Country Inn.

**Day 7** Jaipur  
Today you'll start at the Amber Fort which was the ancient capital of Jaipur State. You'll continue to the City Palace in the centre of Jaipur, where the Royal family still live, before visiting the Jantar Mantar, the largest stone-built observatory in the world. You'll see Hawa Mahal, the 'Palace of the Winds', which was built in 1799 to allow the women of the court to watch street processions while remaining in a strict state of purdah.  
Meals: Breakfast. Hotel: Country Inn.

**Day 8** Jaipur to Delhi  
This early morning walking tour offers a uniquely rewarding and enriching insight into real life. Walking through Jaipur, you'll visit colourful temples used by locals for daily worship and learn about the city traditions. Part of the walking tour involves going into the havelis or homes of some of Jaipur's prominent families where you can chat over a cup of chai. Later, you'll return to Delhi, where you'll have some more free time to explore or shop.  
Meals: Breakfast. Hotel: Royal Plaza.

**Day 9** Arrive Heathrow  
Your early afternoon flight arrives later the same day. Or why not take advantage of our pre-bookable extensions and see another side of India.  
Meals: In-flight.



- 1 Decorated elephant, Jaipur
- 2 Taj Mahal, Agra
- 3 Hawa Mahal 'Palace of the Winds', Jaipur
- 4 A warm welcome
- 5 Tiger, Ranthambore National Park
- 6 Lahori Gate, Red Fort, Delhi
- 7 Amber Fort, Jaipur



### DEPARTURE DATES & PRICES

2012 06 October	£1,395
2012 17 November	£1,455
2013 09 February	£1,495
2013 30 March	£1,495

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See page 59 for details	4 nights Goa extension	From £667
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