Chitwan National Park Jungle Safari: 2 Nights 3 Days Package and Cost

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Planning a **Chitwan Jungle Safari** is the best way to experience an authentic wildlife adventure in Nepal. Chitwan National Park spans across four key districts within the Inner Terai plains. As a result, this vast conservation area protects rare plants and creatures. Consequently, this lush destination consistently draws international travelers seeking premier wildlife safaris. The itinerary includes elephant safaris, birdwatching, and cultural tours. Visitors explore elephant breeding facilities and traditional dancing demonstrations. Furthermore, guests enjoy jungle nature walks and jeep safari tours. Visitors thoroughly explore a vast wilderness brimming with vibrant fauna. Indeed, this region is renowned for diverse ethnic cultures and warm hospitality. The tour begins smoothly with a domestic flight or comfortable drive. Upon arrival, our local representative meets you at the airport. Next, our team drives you directly to the hotel. Afterward, following a brief rest, our professional tour guide provides an itinerary briefing.

In addition, this protected area offers stunning scenic views of the sunset from the riverbanks. For instance, visitors frequently check the Nepal Tourism Board for broader travel insights. Therefore, begin your **Chitwan Jungle Safari** today.

Tour Highlights

- Visitors first explore the rich biodiversity of the national park.
- Moreover, travelers gain deep knowledge of authentic Tharu culture in Nepal.
- Thrilling activities include both jungle hiking and elephant safaris.
- Naturalists successfully observe numerous unique bird species.

- Finally, guests consistently enjoy gorgeous dawn and sunset views.

Frequently Asked Questions About Chitwan Jungle Safari

What season is ideal for visiting?

Travelers visit the region in April or May during the late dry season. Wildlife naturally congregates around waterholes then. However, October through early March remains optimal due to moderate temperatures. If you want, you can compare seasonal highlights with our Kathmandu, Pokhara, and Chitwan Tour for year-round planning flexibility.

Is it worthwhile to travel here?

Most definitely. Numerous threatened species inhabit the park. One-horned rhinoceros and Royal Bengal tigers roam freely. Additionally, robust populations of deer, wild boars, and leopards thrive across the habitat.

What has this destination been renowned for historically?

First of all, the reserve holds the title of Nepal's first national park. It was established in 1973. Later, UNESCO designated it as a World Heritage Site in 1984.

Does the park house tigers?

Yes. A nationwide census confirmed that the area houses 128 Royal Bengal Tigers.

What is the driving time from Kathmandu?

The land journey takes around five hours under normal traffic. This scenic drive follows the Trisuli Valley. For alternative routes, our 7 Days Nepal Tour outlines complete travel logistics.

Itinerary

Day 1: Journey from Kathmandu to Chitwan & Cultural Evening

Your adventure begins at 7:00 AM with a departure from Kathmandu to Chitwan, with flexible travel options available by car, tourist bus, or a short flight. If you choose the tourist bus, our friendly representative will greet and pick you up directly from the tourist bus park upon arrival. For those opting for a flight, it is a scenic 20-minute journey to Bharatpur Airport followed by a comfortable 1-hour drive to your hotel.

After settling in and enjoying lunch, you will visit a traditional Tharu village in the afternoon to learn firsthand about their unique culture, daily way of life, and age-old traditions. As the evening approaches, unwind by viewing the breathtaking sunset over the banks of the Rapti River. Conclude your first day with a vibrant cultural presentation featuring various traditional forms of Tharu stick dancing, followed by a delicious in-hotel dinner.

- Location: Kathmandu to Chitwan (Sauraha)
- Drive/Travel Hours: Approx. 5 to 6 hours by road (Tourist Bus/Car) OR a 20-minute flight plus a 1-hour hotel transfer
- Accommodation: Comfortable Jungle Resort/Hotel in Chitwan
- Meal Plan: Lunch and Dinner (Breakfast varies depending on transport choice)
- Tour Hours: Approximately 3 to 4 hours (Village tour, sunset viewing, and cultural show)

Day 2: Canoe Ride, Jungle Safari & Departure

Wake up early to the peaceful sounds of nature and enjoy a hearty breakfast at the hotel. Afterward, embark on a traditional dugout canoe ride along the tranquil waters of the Rapti River, where you can observe rare gharial and marsh mugger crocodiles basking on the riverbanks alongside numerous colorful water birds. Following the canoe ride, take part in an exhilarating Jeep Safari deep inside Chitwan National Park to search for the majestic one-horned rhinoceros, wild deer, sloth bears, and the elusive Royal Bengal Tiger. After returning to the hotel for a delicious lunch, complete your check-out formalities and depart for your onward destination or return trip to Kathmandu.

- Location: Chitwan National Park to Onward Destination
- Drive/Travel Hours: Local safari transfers / Approx. 5 to 6 hours back to Kathmandu by road (or a 1-hour drive to Bharatpur Airport plus a 20-minute flight)
- Accommodation: Not applicable
- Meal Plan: Breakfast and Lunch

- Tour Hours: Approximately 4 to 5 hours (Morning canoeing and jeep safari activities)

Day 3: Departure Day: Transfer to Your Onward Destination

Start your final morning bright and early at 7:00 AM with a delicious breakfast at the hotel. Promptly at 7:30 AM, complete your check-out formalities as our team arranges your seamless departure for your chosen onward destination, whether heading to Kathmandu, Pokhara, Birgunj, or Sunauli. Please note that if this early morning schedule feels uncomfortable or if you prefer a customized timetable, we are more than happy to arrange a personalized trip tailored entirely to your preferences.

- Location: Chitwan to Onward Destination (Kathmandu, Pokhara, Birgunj, or Sunauli)
- Drive/Travel Hours: Varies by destination (Approx. 5 to 6 hours to Kathmandu or Pokhara by road)
- Accommodation: Not applicable (Departure day)
- Meal Plan: Breakfast
- Tour Hours: Early morning departure (approx. 30 minutes for breakfast and check-out)

Inclusions

- **Transportation Arrangements:** Convenient pickup and drop-off service directly at the tourist bus park, alongside a round-trip tourist bus ticket from Kathmandu to Chitwan and back.
- **Accommodation:** Comfortable twin-sharing hotel rooms at a premier jungle resort or hotel in Sauraha, Chitwan.
- **Meal Plan:** Full-board meals including daily breakfast, lunch, and dinner throughout your

stay.

- **Activities & Adventures:** Thrilling jungle safari options by jeep or elephant-back (optional), accompanied by all standard park entry permits and scheduled cultural programs.
- **Professional Guidance:** Expert, English-speaking nature guides and naturalists to lead all your jungle walks, safaris, and educational tours.
- **Taxes & Fees:** All applicable local taxes, Government VAT, and official office service fees.

Exclusions

- **Transportation Upgrades:** Private car or flight options from Kathmandu to Chitwan (and return) are available at an extra cost.
- **Personal Expenses:** Bills for alcoholic beverages, cold drinks/soft drinks, laundry services, and personal phone calls.
- **Extra Accommodations:** Any additional nights of lodging required due to schedule changes, delayed travel, or personal preference.
- **Gratuities:** Tipping for safari guides, drivers, and resort staff.
- **Unspecified Costs:** Any additional expenses, activities, or items not explicitly mentioned in the package inclusions.