



## The Royal trek in Nepal - 5 Days

The royal trekking is a short and relatively **easy trek** compared to other treks in the Annapurna region, at the elevation of 2170 meters in the foothills of the **Annapurna and Machapuchare mountains**. This trek gets its name "Royal Trek" from the fact that it was originally explored by Prince Charles of the United Kingdom and his 90 person entourage in the early 1980s. You can enjoy incredible views of the **Annapurna and Dhaulagiri mountain ranges**, traditional remote villages, terraced fields, and lush forests. It is suitable for those who have limited time and want to experience the more **off- the- beaten path**.

The royal trek begins from beautiful city Pokhara, which is well known for **Himalayan range**, numerous small and large lakes, temples and natural caves. Moreover, you can take part in various adventure activities such as boating, rafting, bungee jumping and canoeing. Then, the trail goes through amazing gurung and magar village, and come to an end in chitwan national park's wilderness. The royal **chitwan national park** is home to 56 types of mammals (one-horned rhinoceros, Bengal tiger sloth bear and so on), reptiles, measure fish, butterflies, and other animals.

Overall, the trek includes visiting traditional villages, interacting with local people, experiencing their culture and hospitality and enjoying the serene natural beauty of the **region**.



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## **PRICE INCLUDES**

- **Three times meals a day- Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner and accommodation in teahouse/ lodge during the trek**
- **One experienced (government licensed) and qualified English speaking guide**
- **One porter for two trekkers**
- **Guide/ Porters: food, lodge, transportation, salary, insurance, equipment etc**
- **First aids kit**
- **All taxes and company service charge**

## **PRICE EXCLUDES**

- **International airfare and visa fees**
- **Lunch and dinner in Kathmandu**
- **Personal expenses of bar and beverage bills, wifi, hot shower, bottle of water, extra porters, laundry or any other things which are not mentioned by the company**
- **Your trekking gears and extra nights in a certain destination**
- **Your travel insurance which should include the emergency rescue**
- **Tips for your guide and porters**
- **Extra expenses due to any event such as strikes, weather conditions, or flight delays**



## ITINERARY IN DETAIL

### Day 1: Drive from Pokhara to Bijaypur and trek to Kalikaasthan

The first day of the trek will be started from a drive to Bijaypur Khola from where we begin our 4 - 5 hours trek for today to reach Kalikaasthan (1370 m). It will take us about an hour to reach Bijaypur from Pokhara from where we will be moving through the paddy fields and cross the river and small trails which will ascend to Kalikaasthan. Stay overnight at a guesthouse in Kalikaasthan.

### Day 2: Trek from Kalikaasthan to Syaklung

We will be hiking through the remote villages and walk along the mountain ridges with the best views of Annapurna range as well as Lamjung Himal. The lush rhododendrons forests are also the centre of attraction for today's trek. Stay overnight at guesthouse in Syaklung (1730 m) after a trek of about 5 to 6 hours.

### Day 3: Trek from Syaklung to Chisapani

Exploring through the charming Gurung village on the third day observing the lifestyles of the locals will be included in today's routine. The trekking route will be accompanied by the rhododendron and Sal trees. Then, we will move ascending and descending to reach Chisapani (1550 m) from where we can witness the best views of Mount Dhaulagiri to the west of Annapurna. Stay overnight at a guest house after 5 to 6 hours of walk.

### Day 4: Trek from Chisapani to Pokhara

We will descend from Chisapani to Rupatal and ascend to reach Sundare Danda from where we will reach Begnas Taal (Lake) and enjoy an hour of boating. From there you will be transferred to the hotel in Pokhara where you can have plenty of rest as well as stroll around the market place. Stay overnight at a hotel in Pokhara.

### Day 5: Drive from Pokhara to Kathmandu

The next day, you will return back to Kathmandu either taking a flight which takes around 30 minutes or by bus which takes about 5-6 hours. You can also extend your tour or trekking with us as per your wish.