

10 days Mount Kailash and Mansarovar Yatra

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Destination

Explore Tibet: Tours, Treks & Spiritual Journeys
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Activity

Start / End Point

Kathmandu/Kathmandu

Trip Type

Religious Tour

Route

KTM-Saga-Mansarovar-Darchen-Zutulpuk-KTM 10

Duration

Destination

Tibet

Language

Tibet

Per Person From

USD 1,870

Max. Altitude

5,630M/18,471FT

Group Size

6 - 20

Best Season

May, Jun, Jul, Aug & Sept

Activities

6Hour/Day Drive

Trek Distance

47KM/29Mile

Transportation

Sharing Vehicle

Accommodation

Hotel | Tent

Hotel during tour but tent during kora

Meals

B.L.D Breakfast

Lunch

Dinner

Difficulty

Hard Physical training before the trip should begin no later than 2 months before, as you will have a height of 3,000 meters above sea level and more. Hiking is from 6 km daily with an average pace that can be maintained for hours. It is important to have physical fitness & endurance. You will also need the right gear and clothes according to the weather.

Highlights of Mount Kailash and Lake Mansarovar Yatra

- Stand before Mount Kailash, the sacred abode of Lord Shiva — the darshan that pilgrims of four faiths wait a lifetime to receive.
- Complete the holy Kailash Kora (Parikrama) — the ~52 km circuit, crossing the 5,630m Dolma La Pass, that is believed to cleanse the sins of a lifetime and bring the soul closer to moksha.
- Offer puja and take the sacred water of Lake Mansarovar — the holy lake created by Lord Brahma — for purification of body, mind and spirit
- Travel in the Tibetan Horse Year of 2026 — an alignment that comes once in 60 years, when a single Kora is believed to carry the merit of twelve, coinciding with the Saga Dawa festival (“the Mahakumbh of Kailash”).
- Make the journey at a gentle, well-paced rhythm — because the route is spread across 10 days, you rest and acclimatize at scenic stops like Kyirong, Saga, Darchen and Dirapuk rather than rushing the climb.
- Reach the holy sites on the easy, lottery-free Nepal overland route from Kathmandu — no government Yatra slot or quota required.
- Share the pilgrimage with fellow devotees, family and temple groups — a once-in-a-lifetime spiritual vow, completed together with the support of experienced local guides.
- Along the way, experience living Tibetan Buddhist culture — ancient monasteries like Chiu and Tarboche, prayer flags on the high plateau, and warm butter tea in a mountain teahouse.

The Spiritual Significance of Mount Kailash and Lake Mansarovar

Mount Kailash and Mansarovar Lake are two of the most sacred sites for **Hinduism**, **Buddhism**, **Jainism**, and **Bonin**. For Hindus, Mount Kailash, also known as **Kailash Parvat**, is the spiritual centre of the universe, the divine abode of Lord Shiva and Goddess Parvati. Whereas in Tibetan Buddhism, it is known as **Mount Meru**, the central pillar of the spiritual universe. Likewise, Jains believe it to be the site where their first Tirthankara attained liberation, and for **Bon followers**, it is the seat of spiritual power.



To date, the mountain remains untouched by human footsteps, not due to its difficulty, but out of deep reverence. Climbing is strictly prohibited. Instead of climbing it, pilgrims perform a ritual Kora (circumambulation) around the mountain. Completing one full circuit (**approximately 52 km**) is believed to cleanse one's sins of a lifetime, while 108 Kora rounds are said to lead to enlightenment or salvation.

Similarly, holy Lake **Manasarovar** is equally spiritually significant. This high-altitude freshwater lake is considered the origin of purity and creation, and is often referred to as the “**womb of the universe.**” Hindus believe that taking a ritual bath in the holy waters can cleanse past sins. However, it's discouraged to bathe directly in the lake, but pilgrims can still perform symbolic cleansing rituals using water drawn from a bucket. Many pilgrims also meditate or walk along its shoreline. Together, Mount Kailash and Mansarovar Lake offer a powerful spiritual journey that blends devotion, natural wonder, and inner reflection.

10 Days Mount Kailash and Lake Mansarovar Yatra Itinerary

Day 01: Drive Towards Nepal Tibet Border

- **Attraction of the day: Nepal Tibet Border**

On the first day of your yatra, you will embark on a scenic drive from Kathmandu to Timmure. Timmure is a quiet and authentic Tamang village located on the Rasuwa-Kyirong border. The drive passes through traditional villages and terraced fields. Along the way, you'll travel through Syabrubesi (which is the gateway of Langtang valley and Gosaikunda), soaking in views of lush hills and rural Nepal. After 7-8 hours (154KM), you will arrive in Timure and settle into a well organized tea house or guesthouse for the night.

Highest Altitude:

1,762M/5,780FT | Timmure

Meals:

N/A

Accommodations:

Lodge

Day 02: Drive And Rest Day In Kyirong**▪ Attraction of the day: Kyirong Country and Himalayas**

On day 2, after enjoying a hearty Nepalese breakfast, we will head to Rasuwagadhi for immigration formalities before crossing into Tibet. From there, it's a short and scenic drive to Kyirong. With the rest of the day free, you can rest and explore the local Kyirong market and engage in conversations or explore the lifestyles of the inhabitants there.

Highest Altitude:

2,700M/8,858FT | Kyirong

Meals:

Breakfast, Lunch, and Dinner

Accommodations:

Hotel

Day 03: Drive From Kyirong To Saga**▪ Attraction of the day: Saga Country**

Today, we will drive from Kyirong to Saga via Kyirong High Pass. The route offers sweeping views of the Himalayas, including peaks like Shishapangma and Langtang. Along the way, you'll pass by Peiku Tso Lake and the mighty Brahmaputra River. The scenery showcases Tibet's high-altitude plateaus and nomadic culture. You will spend the night at a guesthouse or a tea house in Saga.

Highest Altitude:

4,450M/14,600FT | Saga

Meals:

Breakfast, Lunch, and Dinner

Accommodations:

Hotel

Day 04: Drive From Saga To Paryang To Lake Mansarovar**▪ Attraction of the day: First view of Mt. Kailash, Paryang and Lake Mansarovar**

Begin a long but scenic drive from Saga to Lake Mansarovar, passing through Paryang and the Mayum-

La Pass (5,211 m). Today offers your first glimpse of Mount Kailash and the sacred Lake Manasarovar. Travel near Lake Manasarovar shores and admire the peaceful surroundings before resting near Chiu Monastery.

Highest Altitude:

4,600M/15,092FT | Mansarovar

Meals:

Breakfast, Lunch, and Dinner

Accommodations:

Hotel

Day 05: Drive From Lake Mansarovar To Darchen

▪ **Attraction of the day: Make Mansarovar and Darchen**

You will spend the morning performing a holy bath and puja at beautiful Lake Manasarovar. While direct bathing may be restricted due to environmental concerns, you can fetch water from a bucket for a symbolic ritual bath to make the most of your Manasarovar travel. Later in the afternoon, you will drive to Darchen, the base for the Mount Kailash trek. Use the evening to rest or shop for essentials.

Highest Altitude:

4,650M/15,256FT | Darchen

Meals:

Breakfast, Lunch, and Dinner

Accommodations:

Hotel

Day 06: First Day Of Outer Kora - Trek To Dirapuk

▪ **Attraction of the day: Mt Kailash and the first day of Kora**

Today marks the first day of the sacred Kailash Outer Kora, a 52-kilometre spiritual circuit around Mount Kailash. After breakfast, you will trek towards Yama Dwar, the starting point of the Kailash Kora. Then, we will move to Diraphuk, walking through rocky paths and open plains with breathtaking views of Mount Kailash. Travellers who prefer not to trek around Mount Kailash (Kora or Parikrama) can return to Darchen and wait for the rest of the group to complete the circuit. Once in Diraphuk, you will enjoy a peaceful overnight stay at a tented camp or tea house.

Distance:

7Hour

Ascent:

290M/951FT

Highest Altitude:

5,080M/16,666FT | Dirapuk

Meals:

Breakfast, Lunch, and Dinner

Accommodations:

Tented Camp

Trek Distance:

12KM/7.5Mile

Day 07: Second Day Of Outer Kora - Trek To Zuthulpuk Via Dolma La Pass

Today is the second day of the outer Kora, which is going to be the most challenging day of the Kailash Parikrama. You'll start early from Dirapuk and begin the steep uphill walk towards the highest point of the trek, Dolma La Pass (5,670 meters). The first part of the day involves about two hours of climbing, passing through Yamasthal and Shiva-sthal, places of great spiritual meaning.

Before reaching the top, you'll find a few small tea shops where you can take a break and enjoy some hot drinks. After crossing the pass, the trail becomes steep as you descend. On the way down, you'll also catch a beautiful view of Gauri Kunda, a sacred lake connected to Goddess Parvati. Once the descent is over, the path becomes flatter and easier for the next 2 to 3 hours, leading you to Zuthulphuk, where you'll rest for the night in a basic tea house or tented camp.

Distance:

9Hour

Ascent:

550M/1,805FT

Descend:

840M/2,755FT

Highest Altitude:

5,630M/18,471FT | Dolma La pass

Meals:

Breakfast, Lunch, and Dinner

Accommodations:

Tented Camp

Trek Distance:

22KM/13.7Mile

Day 08: End Of Kailash Parikrama - Drive To Saga

- **Attraction of the day: Mt.Kailash, Saga country**

Today marks the final part of the trek. You will finish the last stretch of your circumambulation. This is a great accomplishment. This day will give you a sense of reflection. Having taken a round in Mount Kailash, you will return as a different and better person than you were when you started the journey.

After finishing the last stretch of your circumambulation or Kailash charan sparsh, you will return to Darchen and continue driving to Saga. Reflect on your pilgrimage as you pass through Tibet's serene landscape and the shrinking view of Mount Kailash, which still serves as an aesthetic highlight of the day.

Distance:

4Hour

Descend:

230M/755FT

Highest Altitude:

4,790M/15,715FT | Zutulpuk

Meals:

Breakfast, Lunch, and Dinner

Accommodations:

Hotel

Trek Distance:

13KM/8Mile

Day 09: Drive Back From Saga To Kyirong

- **Attraction of the day: Kyirong**

Today's journey will begin in the late morning after having a filling breakfast at your guesthouse or teahouse in Saga. Then you will leave Saga behind and drive back to Kyirong, retracing your path through the open Tibetan highlands. En route, enjoy scenic photo stops and take in one last look at Tibet's vast landscapes. Overnight at Kyirong.

Highest Altitude:

4,450M/14,600FT | Saga

Meals:

Breakfast, Lunch, and Dinner

Accommodations:

Hotel

Day 10: Drive Back To Kathmandu

- **Attraction of the day: Kyirong, Timmure**

The tenth day of your journey marks the end of your journey to Mount Kailash and Lake Mansarovar Yatra. By this time, you will have explored the major holy sites of the Tibet Autonomous Region. This pilgrimage tour in Tibet will leave you with spiritual success as well as memories of an adventure along the Mount Kailash and Lake Mansarovar routes.

You will arrive in Kathmandu by evening and check into a guesthouse in Thamel, a popular tourist hub. There are plenty of cafes, restaurants, pubs, and souvenir shops for you to explore here.

Highest Altitude:

2,700M/8,858FT Kyirong

Meals:

Breakfast, Lunch, and Dinner

Accommodations:

Hotel

How to Reach Mount Kailash and Lake Mansarovar?



The easiest and most popular way to reach Mount Kailash and Mansarovar Lake is by an overland trip starting from Kathmandu, Nepal. **From Kathmandu, you travel north to Timure, cross the Rasuwagadhi border, and enter Kyirong,** the first stop on the Tibetan side. After resting and getting used to the altitude, the **journey continues through Saga, Paryang, and Lake Mansarovar, finally reaching Darchen,** the starting point for the Kailash Parikrama (Kora) trek. If you have more days for travel you could also choose 14 days Kailash Mansarovar Yatra.

Similarly, **pilgrims from India often use other routes to reach Kailash.** This includes **trekking from the Lipulekh Pass in Uttarakhand or the Nathu La Pass in Sikkim.** These routes are organized by the Indian government. Another popular but longer option starts from Lhasa, the capital of Tibet, and goes to Saga and Darchen. While you won't be reaching Kailash from Lhasa or spending days in Lhasa in our 10-day Kailash Tour package, it still covers the most important spiritual and natural sites of the Kailash Yatra.

Trip include and Exclude

Included services

- Kathmandu to Boarder to Kathmandu by Non-AC Vehicle.
- Transfer in Tibet side by Coach as per group size.
- Supporting Truck to carry Equipment. (If needed)
- 3-star Accommodation during Kailash Tour (sharing basis)
- Tented camp during the kora (sharing basis)
- Food: 9 Breakfast, 9Lunch, 9Dinner

- One local English-speaking guide.
- Supporting crew members (Cooks, Helpers if needed)
- Yak and Yak man during Kora to carry group bag
- Tibet Travel and Trekking permits for group.
- Entrance fees as per mentioned places in itinerary
- Agency service charges.
- Free luggage storage services in Kathmandu.
- Farewell dinner at the end of the tour.
- Appreciation Certificate after the successful tour.
- Free consulting services before & after tour book
- Duffle bag during tour (should return after tour)
- Oxyzen during the tour
- **MEDICAL KIT:** Comprehensive Medical kit.

Excluded services

- International flight
- Private transfer during the tour
- Extra transfer which is not mentioned in itinerary
- Extra night accommodation in Kathmandu due to early arrival or late departure.
- Extra night accommodation during Kailash tour
- Horse ride during the kora
- Yak for personal use during the tour
- Personal porter to carry for your personal stuffs
- Nepal visa fees.
- Tibet Group visa fees.
- Additional costs incurred due to causes beyond our control, for example weather conditions, landslides, itinerary modifications, illness, government policies change, strikes, etc.
- Rescue and Evacuation Service fees
- Hiring personal porter/yak (\$50/D)/ horse(\$100/D) for 3 days Kailash kora
- Tips for staff (it is expected)
- All other costs and expenses not listed in “**including**”

Group Discounts Available

No. of Persons	Price per Person
1 - 5	USD 2,299

No. of Persons	Price per Person
6 - 8	USD 2,176
9 - 16	USD 1,960
17 - 30	USD 1,870

Questions Asked by Mount Kailash and Lake Mansarovar Yatra

Will the tourists reach Lhasa during Mount Kailash and Lake Mansarovar Yatra?

The traditional Kailash Manasarovar tour doesn't take the tourist to Lhasa. However, some additional days can include visiting Lhasa before or after visiting the Mansarovar Tour.

How many days is the 10-day Mount Kailash and Lake Mansarovar tour?

The Kailash Trek is about 47 km on average. The ten-day tour takes you to places like Mount Kailash, Lake Manasarovar, Darchen, Zuthulphuk, Saga, and Kyirong. The average day of this tour is about 10 days, but the tourist can stretch it to 14 days by adding some side trips.

What is the best time for the Kailash tour with Manasarovar Lake?

The best time for the Kailash and Manasarovar Tour is the same as the ideal trekking destinations like Spring and Autumn. You can also complete this tour in the winter season. However, monsoon season is the worst for this particular tour.

What currency do i need for the Mount Kailash and lake Mansarovar Tour?

The main currency of Tibet is the Chinese Yuan. There are ATMs, but they are limited to certain areas. We recommend that you bring enough cash for your trip. Please check with our tour manager about how much money you should carry for this tour.

What is the weather and temperature of Mount Kailash during this time of year?

Mount Kailash is a very cold mountain. The temperature is usually between -12°C and 14°C. In January, it gets even colder, from -6°C to -18°C. Depending on the elevation, the temperature can change significantly during the day.

What is the elevation of Sacred Mount Kailash?

Mount Kailash has an elevation of 6,638 meters. It is among the highest mountains that have never been climbed for religious and spiritual reasons.

Can I Travel to Mount Kailash by Myself?

No, the independent tour of Mount Kailash is not permitted, so the tourists or travelers must book a tour agency in Nepal or Tibet.

What is the significance of Mount Kailash?

Mount Kailash is important to four religions: Hinduism, Buddhism, Bon, and Jainism. For Hindus, the mountain represents Lord Shiva. For Buddhists, it symbolizes Mount Meru. Bon sees it as the home of the sky goddess Sipaimen. For Jains, it is the place where their first Tirthankara, Rishabhanatha, reached liberation.

What is the importance of Lake Manasarovar for the religions?

Lake Mansarovar is important for several religions. For Hindus, it is linked to Lord Brahma. For Buddhists, it is the place where Lord Buddha was born. For Jains, it is believed that the first Tirthankara, Rishabhanatha, reached nirvana on the shores of Lake Mansarovar.

How Can I Get to Mount Kailash from Kathmandu?

You can get to Mount Kailash from Kathmandu by several routes, such as Kerung, Saga, Lake Mansarovar, and Tsu Gompa. The Kailash Trip passes through different types of Tibetan villages, plateaus, rivers, waterfalls, and rocky ridges.

Is Mount Kailash Kora Tour Difficult?

The Mount Kailash Kora Trek is among Nepal's simple to moderate-level tours, requiring minor preparation.

Can you complete the Mount Kailash and Lake Mansarovar tour without a tour operator?

Yes, you can do the Mount Kailash tour on your own. However, it can be more complicated without an operator. You will need to handle permits, navigation, transportation, and logistics. You may also face challenges with language and learning about the local culture.

What kind of ritual does it take place in Mount Kailash?

The main ritual that takes place in Mount Kailash is the Charan Sparsh Tour. The Holy Mount Kailash is one of the most religious places on the tour, as the tourists assume it is a symbol of god. In the Charan Sparsh Tour, the tourists touch the base of the mountain.

How about the Accommodations around Mount Kailash?

The Mount Kailash provides several accommodation options like resorts, lodges, and budget hotels.

What are the popular foods of Tibet you can eat during the Mount Kailash Tour?

Some of the popular foods of Tibet are the tourist Tsampa, Thukpa, Momos, Sha Phaley, Butter Tea, Khapse, Gyathuk, and others.

Is 10 Days Enough to Acclimatize Safely?

Yes — the 10-day itinerary keeps the one stop that matters most: a dedicated acclimatization day at Kyirong (2,700m) before climbing higher onto the Tibetan plateau. The ascent to the 5,630m Dolma La Pass is gradual, every vehicle carries an oxygen cylinder and a comprehensive medical kit, and an experienced local guide monitors the group throughout. What the 10-day route trims is sightseeing time in Kathmandu — not the altitude safety built into the climb.

Weather and Temperature in Mount Kailash and Lake Mansarovar Yatra

The weather and temperature at Mount Kailash and Lake Mansarovar change with the seasons and are generally cold throughout the year due to their high elevation. Both places sit above 4,500 meters, so the air is thinner and temperatures are usually 5 to 10°C lower than in nearby lowland areas. Also, the sun's UV rays are stronger.

The following table summarises the year-long temperature per month on average in the Mount Kailash and Mansarovar Lake Yatra:

Month	Daytime Average Temperature (°C)	Night time Average Temperature (°C)
January	-8°C to -6°C	-21°C to -18°C
February	-5.1°C	-16.6°C
March	-2.2°C	-12.8°C
April-June	8°C to 15°C	-2°C to 5°C
July-August	10°C to 18°C	0°C to 6°C
September	6°C to 14°C	-3°C to 3°C
October	2°C to 10°C	-5°C to -2°C
November-December	-5°C to 5°C	-15°C to -25°C

Challenges of Visiting Mount Kailash and Lake Mansarovar - and How Himalayan 360 Keeps You Safe

The Kailash Mansarovar Yatra is a high-altitude pilgrimage, so it does come with real challenges. The good news: you never face them alone. Himalayan 360's experienced team, trained guides, and carefully planned itineraries are built around one priority — your safety and comfort at every step. Here's what to expect, and how we take care of it for you.

1. Lower Oxygen at High Altitude

At elevations up to 5,630 m, the thinner air can cause altitude sickness — headache, nausea, fatigue, or dizziness.

- Our itineraries include built-in acclimatization days so your body adjusts gradually.
- Guides are trained to spot early symptoms and act immediately.
- We carry oxygen support and an oximeter to monitor your well-being throughout.

2. Unpredictable Mountain Weather

Conditions can shift quickly — from warm sunshine to snow, with temperatures swinging between +15°C and -10°C.

- We monitor daily weather forecasts and adjust plans when needed.
- You'll receive a clear packing checklist so you're dressed for every condition.
- Your guide makes smart, safety-first decisions on timing each day's movement.

3. Demanding Trekking Trails

The Kailash Parikrama involves steep, unpaved, remote paths with plenty of ascents and descents.

- We set a comfortable, steady pace — never rushed.
- Ponies/horses and porters are available so you don't have to push beyond your limit.
- Our guides stay by your side, offering support exactly where the trail is toughest.

4. Limited Medical Facilities on the Route

Medical help along the trail is scarce, so preparation matters.

- Our team carries a comprehensive first-aid kit and essential medicines.
- We help you arrange travel insurance that covers high-altitude emergencies, including helicopter evacuation if ever required.
- Guides are first-aid trained and connected to emergency support contacts.

5. Simple, Remote Accommodations

Lodging in these remote, sacred locations is basic — shared rooms and facilities, and hot water isn't always available.

- We book the best available stays at every stop.
- You'll know exactly what to expect in advance — no surprises.
- Small comforts like packed essentials and warm support make the simple stays feel cared-for.

Required permits and permissions for the Tour

Like any other long-day trek, the Mount Kailash and Lake Mansarovar tour requires collecting some necessary permits to touch the foot of Mount Kailash. These permits and permissions include:

Chinese Visa

To visit Mount Kailash in Tibet, international tourists must obtain a Chinese visa, as Tibet is part of China. Tourists from Australia, New Zealand, Poland, France, Germany, Italy, the Netherlands, Spain, Ireland, and Singapore can now enter China without a visa for 15 to 30 days. If you're unsure about whether you need a Chinese visa, contact us for more information.

Tibet Travel Permit

Another document you need for the Tibet tour is a **Tibet Travel Permit, also known as the Tibet Visa**. This permit is required for any travel within Tibet, and without it, you can't board a train or plane to get there from mainland China. Thankfully, obtaining the permit is easy with our assistance. Simply book your Mount Kailash tour with us and send us copies of your passport and Chinese visa. We'll then take care of the permit application for you.

How to Prepare for Mount Kailash and Lake Mansarovar Yatra?

It is a requisite for one to prepare for the Mount Kailash and Lake Mansarovar Yatra before their trip begins. This journey involves high altitudes and physically demanding terrain, so building your fitness is key. Focus on daily cardio exercises like walking, jogging, or cycling for 1-2 hours to improve stamina. Also, do some exercises to make your legs and core stronger. You can practice hiking nearby with a backpack to get used to walking for hours.

Another thing you need to learn is proper altitude acclimatization. Take rest days and don't rush, so your body can adjust. Bring any medicine your doctor recommends and drink plenty of water. Furthermore, make sure you have all the permits and travel insurance before you leave. Also, check the currency requirements and exchange money in advance to avoid inconvenience. Last but not least, be mindful of the culture of the location you are traveling to. *Stay respectful and ethical throughout your journey.*

10-Day Kailash Mansarovar Yatra Cost – What's Included & What's Extra

The 10-day Mount Kailash and Lake Mansarovar Yatra starts from USD 1,870 per person (down from \$2,299) on a sharing-vehicle group basis — the lowest-cost way to complete the Yatra from Nepal. The exact price depends on group size, so larger groups travel for less. Here's exactly what that price covers, and the few costs to budget separately, so there are no surprises.

Included Item	Details
All ground transport	Kathmandu ↔ border ↔ Tibet, sharing vehicle
Accommodation	All nights on the itinerary (hotels + tented camp during the Kora), sharing basis
All meals	Breakfast, lunch & dinner throughout the tour
Tibet Travel Permit & group visa	Arranged by us (one-time, group)
Licensed English-speaking guide	Plus support crew
Safety	Oxygen cylinder in every vehicle + comprehensive medical kit
Gear loan	Duffel bag & down jacket (returned after the Yatra)
Entrance fees	For all sites listed in the itinerary
Farewell dinner & luggage storage	Free luggage storage and farewell dinner in Kathmandu

Costs to budget separately (excluded):

Not Included	Approx. Cost
☐ Nepal entry visa (visa on arrival)	As per Nepal immigration rules
☐ International flights	Varies depending on origin
☐ Horse / pony or personal porter for the 3-day Kora (optional)	Horse: ~\$100/day · Porter: ~\$50/day
☐ Emergency rescue & evacuation	Highly recommended to cover via travel insurance
☐ Tips for guide & crew	Customary, at your discretion
☐ Personal expenses & anything not listed under "included"	Varies

Why Choose the 10-Day Kailash Mansarovar Yatra?

The 10-day route exists for one reason: to get devout pilgrims to Mount Kailash and Lake Mansarovar in the least time, at the lowest cost, without cutting the parts that matter. Instead of spending the first three days sightseeing in Kathmandu, this itinerary drives straight toward the Nepal-Tibet border on Day 1 and heads for the mountain. You still complete the full Kailash Kora across the 5,630m Dolma La Pass and still take the sacred bath at Lake Mansarovar — you simply skip the extra days in the city.

Choose the 10-day route if you’re short on leave, travelling on a tighter budget, or have done high-altitude travel before. If this is your first time at altitude and you’d prefer extra buffer days and sightseeing in Kathmandu, our 14-day Kailash Mansarovar Yatra is the gentler option.

Itinerary Comparison: 10-Day vs. 14-Day Tour

Feature	10-Day (This Trip)	14-Day Kailash Mansarovar Yatra
Start	Drives Kathmandu → border on Day 1	2 days in Kathmandu first (sightseeing + briefing)
Kathmandu Sightseeing	Not included	Pashupatinath, Boudhanath & more
Pace	Faster, time-efficient	More gradual
Transport	Sharing vehicle	Private jeep / coach
Price (per person)	From \$1,870	From \$2,770
Best For	Repeat high-altitude travelers, tight schedules, lower budget	First-timers wanting buffer days & a slower build-up

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