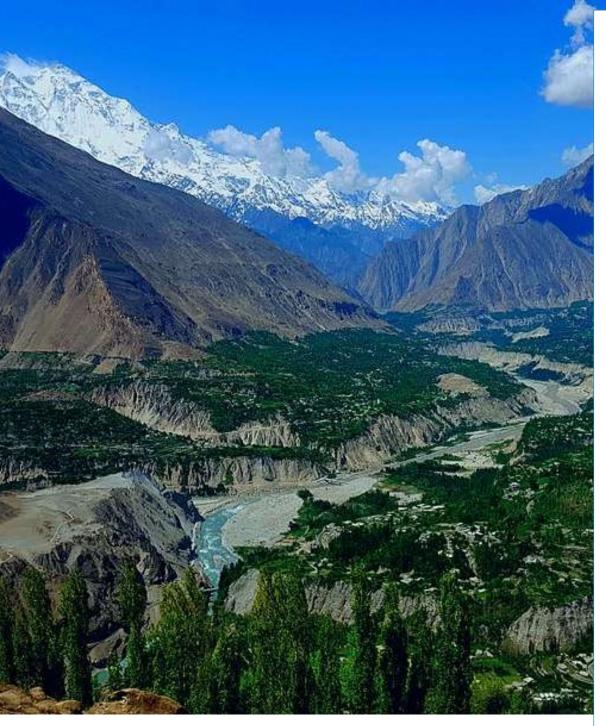


TIME TRAVEL & TOURS

—WHERE **TIME,** IS OF THE ESSENCE—



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> DAY TOURS

Islamabad

Pakistan Monument

Shah Faisal Mosque

Taxila Archaeological Museum

Bhir Mound & Sirkap ruins

Besham

Rakaposhi

Altit & Baltit Fort

Nanga Parbat

Ancient Rock Carvings

Attabad Lake

Pak – China Friendship Tunnels

Passu Cones

Gulmit

Gilgit

Babusar Pass & Lulusar Lake

Swat

Madyan & Bahrain

Takht-e-Bahi

Seri Belol

Peshawar



OVERVIEW

HUNZA VALLEY

Hunza is a mountainous valley in the Gilgit – Baltistan region of Pakistan. It is situated in the northern part of Gilgit-Baltistan. The Hunza valley is situated at an elevation of 2,438 meters (7,999 feet). Geographically, Hunza consists of three regions, Upper Hunza (Gojal), Central Hunza (Hunza Valley) and Lower Hunza (Shinaki).

The Hunza valley is popular for its snow-capped and rough mountains. Many people came to Hunza just to get a few glimpses of the shining ice wall of the Rakaposhi Mountain. Other popular mountains in Hunza include Passu Peak, Ultra Peak, and Kuksel Sar.

TAXILA

There are a number of world heritage sites present in Pakistan and Taxila is one of them. It is a city situated 31 km to the west of Islamabad off the Grand Trunk Road. Its other close neighbouring cities include Hassan Abdal, Khanpur and Wah. Wah and Taxila are twin cities. Taxila is one of the most important archaeological sites in the world. It is a city is very well known for having strong ties and being the centre of Buddhism in the country.

Like the historical cities of Mohenjo-Daro and Harappa, Taxila was also a well-planned city with wide streets and well-built houses as well as stupas for the priests. The royalty of the time lived in splendid palaces in the city. Gold, Silver coins and other jewellery items have also been excavated from Taxila. Taxila is famous for its handicrafts which not only reflect the city's culture but the history of the place as well. Apart from the handicrafts, the city's stone work is also very famous and a small cottage industry for stone works has emerged in the city.

KHUNJERAB PASS

Khunjerab Pass is a 4,693 – meter (15,397 ft) high mountain pass in the Karakoram Mountains, in a strategic position on the northern border of Pakistan (Gilgit – Baltistan's Hunza and Nagar Districts) and on the southwest border of China (Xinjiang)

The Khunjerab Pass is the highest paved international crossing in the world, a major trade route between China and Pakistan, and an important gateway to South Asia and Europe. It is the only modern day border crossing between China and Pakistan, accessed via the Karakorum Highway. Historically the Mintaka Pass and Kilik Pass have also been used; however those crossings do not have vehicle access and are closed.

It's fair to say that the Khunjerab Pass is one of the most stunning border crossings in the whole world. Situated on the Karakoram Highway, this is the border crossing between Pakistan and China, and it is also, at over 4500 metres' altitude, the highest border crossing in the world!



North Pakistan Tour

ITINERARY FROM ISLAMABAD TO HUNZA WITH SWAT AND PESHAWAR EXTENSION

Day 01: Arrival – Islamabad International Airport

- Meeting on arrival with our guide and transfer to Hotel.
- Some rest at the hotel. Afternoon sightseeing tour of Islamabad which includes; Faisal Mosque, Folk Heritage museum, Pakistan Monument and Museum, Shakarparian Islamabad view point and old part of Rawalpindi.
- Dinner and overnight at hotel. (D)



280 KMs 08 Hours

Day 02: Islamabad / Taxila / Besham

- Breakfast at hotel.
- Drive to **Taxila** archaeological site dating from **6**th **BC to 6**th **AD** we shall visit archaeological sites of First City **Bhir mound**, later proceed to **Sirkap** the second city in typical Greek planning see the shrine of **Double Headed Eagle**.
- Afterwards proceed to Jaulian Buddhist monastery ruins dating from 2nd to 5th AD see the well preserved stupas and the monastery in best of stone architecture. Later return to see Taxila Archaeological Museum worth seeing is the sculpture in stucco and stone. Taxila had more stucco and mud sculpture.
- Lunch en route at local restaurant.
- Later drive to Besham via Abbottabad and Manshera towns with many beautiful phot stops.
- On arrival transfer to hotel for dinner and over night. (B, L, D)

Day 03: Besham / Gilgit

360 KMs 07 Hours

- Breakfast at hotel.
- An early morning drive we join the incredible Karakorum Highway with spectacular mountain scenery alongside the mighty Indus. We make several photo stops including at Besham, Dassu and Shittal Rock Carvings before arriving at the small mountain town of Chilas located almost at the foot Nanga Parbat.
- Lunch at local restaurant.
- Later continue drive to Gilgit with stop at Thalichi to see the best view of Nanga Parbat
 8125 M
- On arrival at Gilgit transfer to hotel for dinner and overnight. (B, L, D)



Day 04: Gilgit / Hunza

- Breakfast at hotel.
- In the morning, we explore Gilgit, the polo ground, the mountain bazaar, old suspension bridge over the Gilgit River and the Buddha rock carving near Kargah.
- Later drive to through the Karakoram Range and stop in villages on our way to Karimabad, capital of the Hunza Valley, the inspiration for Shangri-La!
- Lunch at Rakaposhi View.
- Later continue drive to Hunza Valley, on arrival transfer to hotel.
- We shall first visit **Altit and Baltit fort Museum** and the village Free at Karimanabd bazar.
- Dinner and overnight. (B, L, D)



- Breakfast at hotel.
- Full day excursion to Gulmit and Passu with many beautiful stops at Hunza sacred rock,
 Attabad lake.
- Later we shall go to Gulmit village; free time at Gulmit to see Gulmit museum, old houses in the village.
- Lunch at Gulmit local restaurant or at Passu Glacier Breeze Restaurant.
- Later continue drive to Passu Glacier and Passu Village.
- Drive back to Karimabad, dinner and overnight. (B, L, D)

110 KMs 02 Hours





220 KMs

Full day

06 Hours

Day 06: Hunza / Chilas

Breakfast at Hotel.

- Morning excursion of Hoper Valley to see glacier formation; return to Karimabad for lunch .
- Later proceed to Chilas, on arrival transfer to hotel for Dinner and overnight.



Day 07: Chilas / Babusar / Islamabad

410KMs 10 Hours

- Breakfast at hotel.
- Morning depart for Islamabad with many beautiful stops on Babusar Top, Lulusar Lake .The
 drive to Islamabad is full of scenery and the culture on the way.
- Lunch at local restaurant at Naran village.
- Later continue drive to Islamabad. On arrival transfer to hotel.
- Overnight and dinner at hotel. (B, L, D)





Day 08: Islamabad / Departure

• Early morning transfer to airport for flight to your destination.

EXTENSION:

Day 08: Chilas / Besham / Swat

310 KMs 09 – 10 Hours

- Breakfast at hotel.
- Drive to Swat valley via **Besham** with many beautiful stops on the Karakoram Highway. ; it is drive with spectacular mountain scenery alongside the mighty Indus at the small mountain town of **Chilas** located almost at the foot **Nanga Parbat**.
- From Besham we shall drive to Swat Valley over Shangla Pass 2200 M.
- On arrival transfer to hotel for dinner and overnight.





Day 09: Swat 100 KMs Full Day

- Breakfast at Hotel.
- Morning drive to Upper Swat valley to see beautiful villages Madyan and Bahrain.
- Lunch at local restaurant.
- Return in the afternoon to visit
 Swat Museum (Gandhara),
 Butkara stupa and Mingora
 bazaar.
- Overnight and dinner at hotel.



Day 10: Islamabad / Takht-e-Bahi / Peshawar

180KMs 05 Hours

- Breakfast at hotel.
- Morning depart for Peshawar, en route visit of Takht-e-Bahi monastery. Takht-e-Bahi
 "Throne of the water spring"), is an Indo-Parthian archaeological site of an ancient Buddhist
 monastery in Mardan, Khyber Pakhtunkhwa, Pakistan. The site is considered among the

most imposing relics of Buddhism in all of Gandhara, and has been "exceptionally well-preserved." The Buddhist monastery was founded in the 1st century CE, and was in use until the 7th century. The complex is regarded by archaeologists as being particularly representative of the architecture of Buddhist monastic centres from its era. Takht-e-Bahi



was listed as a UNESCO World Heritage Site in 1980..

- Lunch at local restaurant.
- Later continue to **Peshawar**; arrive in the late afternoon sightseeing tour of Peshawar, visit **Peshawar Museum** see the finest collection of **Gandharan Sculptures**.
- Later proceed to Qissa Khawani Bazaar walk through Copper Bazaar, The Bird and Spice Market, Cloth Market, Shoe Bazaar, Vegetable Market, Jewelry Bazaar, Mohabat Khan Mosque.
- Transfer to hotel, dinner and overnight at hotel. (B, L, D)

Day 11: Peshawar / Islamabad / Departure

250KMs

04 Hours

- Breakfast at hotel.
- Morning depart for Islamabad airport for flight to your destination.

END OF SERVICES



Price 2021					
•	For 02 Pax	USD 1	,124.00 per person in twin sharing		
•	For 03 – 06 Pax	USD 1	.,080.00 per person in twin sharing		
•	For 07 – 10 + 1 Pax	USD	995.00 per person in twin sharing		
•	For 11 – 14 + 1 Pax	USD	890.00 per person in twin sharing		
Single	Supplement	USD	230.00 per single		

SERVICES INCLUDED

- 1. Hotel accommodation for 07 nights
- 2. Meals FB (Breakfast, Lunch and Dinner)
- 3. Private air condition transport as per itinerary
- 4. Fuel, driver services and road taxes
- 5. Services of ESG
- 6. Entrance fee at sites and museums
- 7. Porter services at hotel and airports
- 8. Mineral water in the bus during travel on the road
- 9. Visa support letter if required

DO NOT INCLUDE

- 1. Any person services
- 2. Soft drinks and water with meals at hotels.
- 3. International and domestic flights
- 4. Visa fee and tips for driver and guide.

Price	Price for Extension					
•	For 02 Pax	USD	650.00 per person in twin sharing			
•	For 03 – 06 Pax	USD	620.00 per person in twin sharing			
•	For 07 – 10 + 1 Pax	USD	540.00 per person in twin sharing			
•	For 11 - 14 + 1 Pax	USD	470.00 per person in twin sharing			
•	Single Supplement	USD	165.00 per single			

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Rawalpindi	 Pearl Continental 5*
Besham	PTDC Tourist Class
Gilgit	Serena Hotel 4*
Hunza	Hill top 3*
• Chillas	 Shangrila Midway House 3*
Swat	Serena Hotel 4*
 Peshawar 	 Pearl Continental 5*
Rawalpindi	Pearl Continental 5*