

# Untamed borders

ADVENTURE TRAVEL

## Autumn Phillips Group/North East India

**22 November – 6 December, 2025**

Start point - Dehli, India    End point - Dehli, India  
Number of people: max 16



### Trip Summary

This trip is a for a private group tour, organized by Autumn Philips.

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## Detailed Itinerary

- Day 1**  
**Saturday, 22 November**
- Delhi**  
Arrive in Delhi.  
Transfer to hotel.  
Briefing and welcome dinner with your guide.  
Overnight in Delhi at Lemon Tree Premier Hotel or similar.
- Day 2**  
**Sunday, 23 November**
- Delhi - Dimapur - Kohima**  
Fly to Dimapur.  
From here we set off to the capital of Nagaland, Kohima.  
With an elevation of 1261m, town of Kohima is located on the top of a high ridge and the town serpentine along the top of the mountain ranges overlooking Angami Naga tribe settlements.  
Overnight in Kohima at Hotel Vivor or similar.
- Day 3**  
**Monday, 24 November**
- Kohima**  
On our first full day in North East India, we will begin with a visit to the Kigwema an Angami hilly village.  
This village was attacked by the Japanese military, and had a stone memorial constructed at the entrance.  
We then move on to Jakhama Village where we walk through paddy fields and the riverbanks, witnessing the Naga way of life and the Angami fishermen at work.  
Finally, we visit Touphema Heritage Village before returning to Kohima for the night.  
Overnight in Kohima at Hotel Vivor or similar.
- Day 4**  
**Tuesday, 25 November**
- Kohima - Wokha**  
Drive to Wokha - inhabited by the Lotha tribe.  
We spend the afternoon exploring the nearby villages and spend the evening at a local guest house.  
(In the month of October, renowned migration of Amur Falcons starts in abundance.)  
Overnight in Wokha at Hammock Resort or similar.
- Day 5**  
**Wednesday, 26 November**
- Wokha - Mokokchung**  
We continue our drive north towards Mokokchung.  
En-route we stop at Longsa Village, known for its picturesque setting amidst terraced fields and bamboo groves. Explore the village, interact with locals, and learn about Angami Naga culture and traditions. We will also visit the Longsa Village Council Hall, where we can see traditional Naga architecture and artifacts.  
We continue along neighboring villages like Ralan and Englan known

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for their skilled artisans and traditional crafts.  
Overnight in Mokokchung at Whispering Winds Hotel or similar.

### **Day 6** **Thursday, 27 November**

#### **Mokokchung - Jorhat**

Today we shall visit the villages of Longkhum and Ungma, all inhabited by the Ao Naga tribe.  
Longum was one of the most important settlements of the headhunter era. Built at 1,846m, in a setting of incredible beauty provided by the magnificent rhododendrons on the top of the hills, the village is today known for its industrious inhabitants and their fine handicrafts.  
Continue to Jorhat.  
Overnight in Jorhat at Kaziranga Golf Resort or similar.

### **Day 7** **Friday, 28 November**

#### **Jorhat**

Today we take a day trip to Majuli Island, the world's largest river island, located on the Brahmaputra River. Majuli is a cultural treasure trove, home to numerous Vaishnavite monasteries (Sattras) that play a pivotal role in preserving the spiritual and cultural heritage of Assam. Upon arrival on the island, we visit several of these monasteries and about their history and significance in the local community. The local monks often engage in various art forms, including traditional mask-making and dance, which are integral to the region's cultural identity. On the island, we will also explore a Mishing tribal village.  
Return to the mainland and Jorhat.  
Overnight in Jorhat at Kaziranga Golf Resort or similar.

### **Day 8** **Saturday, 29 November**

#### **Jorhat - Kaziranga National Park**

Morning walk of the Jorhat tean garden, and if open, visit the Tea Factory.  
Later we transfer to Kaziranga National Park - a UNESCO World Heritage site and home of the World famed One Horned Rhino.  
Overnight in Kaziranga at Borgos Resort or similar.

### **Day 9** **Sunday, 30 November**

#### **Kaziranga National Park**

Full day in Kaziranga National Park.  
Early start to explore the park on Elephant back. While controversial to some, Elephant ride is the best way to navigate through the park to behold the vigour and charm of the enchanting wildlife.  
Later we will visit the Kaziranga Orchid Center, before continuing on a jeep safari to the western range of the park looking for birds and mammals.  
Overnight in Kaziranga at Borgos Resort or similar.

### **Day 10** **Monday, 1 December**

#### **Kaziranga National Park - Shillong**

After breakfast, head out to explore Shillong, the capital of Meghalaya, often called the "Scotland of the East" due to its rolling hills and scenic

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beauty.

Overnight in Shillong at Vivanta Meghalaya Hotel or similar.

**Day 11**  
**Tuesday, 2 December**

### **Shillong - Cherrapunjee**

After breakfast, we embark on a scenic drive to Cherrapunjee, also known as Sohra.

Historically recognized as one of the wettest places on Earth, Cherrapunjee holds the record for the highest annual rainfall, receiving over 26,000 mm in a year between 1860 and 1861.

En-route we will stop at Umiam Lake.

Overnight in Cherrapunjee at Cherrapunjee Holiday Resort or similar.

**Day 12**  
**Wednesday, 3 December**

### **Cherrapunjee**

Day trip to Mawlynnong and Dawki, the Bangladesh Border.

Nestled in the East Khasi Hills of Meghalaya, Mawlynnong is often referred to as "God's Own Garden" for its remarkable cleanliness and natural beauty. This small village has earned international recognition for its eco-friendly practices and is a model of community-driven tourism and environmental sustainability.

Overnight in Cherrapunjee at Cherrapunjee Holiday Resort or similar.

**Day 13**  
**Thursday, 4 December**

### **Cherrapunjee - Guwahati**

We finally head towards the bustling city of Guwahati.

On the way, we will stop at one of the most revered Hindu pilgrimage sites, the Kamakhya Temple. This ancient temple is dedicated to Goddess Kamakhya, also known as Sati, one of the various incarnations of Goddess Durga or Goddess Shakti.

Overnight in Guwahati at Arista Hotel or similar.

**Day 14**  
**Friday, 5 December**

### **Guwahati - Delhi**

Transfer to Guwahati Airport.

Fly back to Delhi for a final goodbye dinner.

Overnight in Delhi at Lemon Tree Premier Hotel or similar.

**Day 15**  
**Saturday, 6 December**

### **Delhi - End**

Transfer to airport.

End of trip.

## Inclusions & Exclusions

### The trip includes:

Accommodation as listed  
Breakfast  
14 dinners + 12 lunches  
All ground transport  
Local guide  
2 domestic flights (Delhi - Dimapur / Guwahati - Delhi)  
Entrance fees

### The trip does not include:

International flights  
Insurance  
Other meals not specified  
Visa  
Tips

### Cost:

- **Tour Package:** \$4,450.00 Per Person
- **Single Supplement:** \$950.00 Per Single Supplement

To reserve a place on this trip we need a deposit of US\$400 per person

## General Information

### Flights:

We do not directly arrange international flights to India. We can suggest routes and operators.

### Visas:

You will require a Indian visa for this trip. We will provide visa support to help you obtain this. Most nationalities are eligible to apply for an e-Visa.

### Food:

This trip is based on Full Board when in the North East of India. A welcome dinner and farewell dinner is included in Delhi.

### Accommodation:

We do not and cannot offer a uniform accommodation standard on our itineraries. We consider comfort, location, design, character, historical interest and whether the money we spend will go into the pockets of the local community when we make our choices of where to stay. The trip is based on two people sharing. An optional Single Supplement is available upon request.

### Transport:

When we choose our vehicles and drivers we take into consideration the road conditions, the length of journey and the competence of the man behind the wheel. Your comfort and enjoyment of the journey is the first priority.

### Guides:

You will be accompanied by a local English-speaking guide throughout the trip.

### Security:

Since Independence, the North East of India has a history of armed separatist movements. Whilst activity has been slowly lessening over the years sporadic outbreaks do occur. We monitor the situation closely and we listen very carefully to advice from the Foreign office and from our friends in the areas we visit. Our client's safety is our primary concern. We must state that the tour leader has the final word with regards to changes in the itinerary for safety reasons. It must be noted that there has never been any incident between these groups and tourists in the past.

**If you have any questions about this trip or about India in general, please contact us.**