Heritage & Spiritual Tour

Hampi and Badami, located in the southern state of Karnataka, India, stand as captivating travel destinations steeped in history and architectural marvels. Hampi, a UNESCO World Heritage Site, transports visitors back in time to the grandeur of the Vijayanagara Empire, with its magnificent ruins, temples, and stunning landscape of boulder-strewn hills. The iconic Virupaksha Temple and the Vittala Temple complex are some of the highlights that leave travelers awestruck. Just a short distance away, Badami enchants with its rock-cut cave temples, carved out of sandstone cliffs, showcasing the artistic brilliance of the Chalukya dynasty. Both Hampi and Badami together offer a fascinating journey through India's rich past, immersing travelers in an enchanting blend of history, art, and natural beauty.

DAY 1

Bengaluru - Hampi

- Pick up from the hotel and transfer to Hampi (6.5 hrs drive). Alternatively, take a flight to Hubli (1.5 hrs) and transfer to Hampi (3 hrs). Evening at leisure.
- Overnight in Hampi.



Hampi

- Morning; Breakfast at the hotel.
- After breakfast, proceed for sightseeing:



Tour of **Virupaksha Temple**, one of the few Living Temples of Hampi, Sasivekallu Ganesa Temple, Kadalekallu Ganesa Temple, Krishna Temple, Narasimha Sculpture Saraswathi Sculpture, Vittala Temple, Elephants' Stables, Lotus Mahal, Museum opposite Elephants' Stables & Archaeological Museum at Kamalapur.

- Return to the hotel and relax for the evening.
- Overnight in Hampi.

DAY 3

Hampi - Badami

- After breakfast, checkout and drive to Badami (3.5 hrs)/
- Check into the hotel at Badami and proceed for sightseeing:
 1. Badami Caves: The main attraction of Badami is its rock-cut cave temples, carved into the sandstone cliffs.
 - 2. Lunch at a local restaurant.
 - 3. Pattadakal: A UNESCO World Heritage Site, Pattadakal is around 22 km from Badami and features a blend of various architectural styles from the 7th and 8th centuries. The site boasts a collection of beautiful temples that are worth exploring.
- Return to the hotel and relax for the evening.
- Overnight in Badami.





DAY 4

Badami - Bengaluru

- After breakfast, checkout and set out to explore attractions in Badami:

 Bhutanatha Group of Temples: Situated near the Agastya Lake, this
 temple complex comprises several ancient shrines dedicated to Lord
 Shiva. The location of these temples on the banks of the lake
 provides a picturesque setting.
 - 2. Banashankari Temple: This ancient temple, located about 5 km from Badami, is dedicated to the goddess Banashankari, an incarnation of Parvati. The temple's architecture and historical significance make it a noteworthy attraction.
- Drive to Hubli Airport (2 ¹/₂ hours drive)
- Evening, flight back to Bengaluru (1.5 hrs)

TOUR CONCLUDES

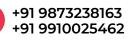
Please note that this itinerary is just a suggestion and can be customized based on your preferences and the specific attractions you'd like to visit.



RATES (Indicative):

| CATEGORY | HOTEL | PRICE | INCLUSIONS |
|--------------|--|---|--|
| Luxury Hotel | Hotel Evolve Back Hampi <u>https://www.evolveback.co</u> <u>m/evolve-back-kamalapura- palace-hampi/</u> Badami Hotel Clarks Inn <u>https://www.theclarkshotels</u> .com | INR 89,250 (Double Occupany) INR 177,000 (Single Occupany) | All taxes 3 nights accommodation. Breakfast & dinner at Evolve Back Hampi Breakfast at Clarks Inn Badami. Car services by an SUV (including all state & toll taxes, fuel, drivers out station allowance). Tours with English speaking guide. Flight: Hubli - Bengaluru (2100/2215 Hrs). |
| Mid Range | Heritage Resort Hampi <u>https://www.indoasia-</u> <u>hotels.com/heritage-resort-</u> <u>hampi</u> Badami Hotel Clarks Inn <u>https://www.theclarkshotels</u> .com | INR 65,500 (Double Occupany) INR 128,000 (Single Occupany) | All taxes 3 nights accommodation. Breakfast & dinner at Heritage Resort Hampi. Breakfast at Clarks Inn Badami. Car services by an SUV (including all state & toll taxes, fuel, drivers out station allowance). Tours with English speaking guide. Flight: Hubli - Bengaluru (2100/2215 Hrs). |
| Standard | Hyatt Place Hampi <u>https://www.evolveback.co</u> <u>m/evolve-back-kamalapura-</u> <u>palace-hampi/</u> Badami Hotel Clarks Inn <u>https://www.theclarkshotels</u> .com | INR 58,500 (Double Occupany) INR 115,500 (Single Occupany) | All taxes 3 nights accommodation. Breakfast at both destinations. Car services by an SUV (including all state & toll taxes, fuel, drivers out station allowance). Tours with English speaking guide. Flight: Hubli - Bengaluru (2100/2215 Hrs). |

- The aforementioned itinerary is subject to customization in accordance with the client's specific requirements, taking into consideration the individual preferences of the client.
- The above rates are indicative and may change slightly at the time of booking and as per the final arrangements requested.
- The above rates are provided on double & single per person occupancy.
- Flight schedules will be suggested as per the travellers schedule. Indicative timings have been provided.
- The timings and order of activities are subject to change based on local conditions and flight schedules.
- Detailed itinerary with timings will be provided at the time of confirmation.
- Does not include any additional activity cost you may take from the hotel. To be paid directly.
- The above are indicative prices and may slightly increase as the travel date approaches and at the time of final booking.
- All travel arrangements and accommodations are subject to availability at the time of booking. We will make every effort to secure the mentioned services, but there may be instances where alternative options will be provided.
- The itinerary is subject to alterations and adjustments to improve the travel experience or due to unexpected events, such as flight schedule changes, weather conditions, or local holidays.
- Optional Activities: Some activities listed in the itinerary may be optional, and additional charges may apply. Participants can choose to join or opt-out of these activities at their discretion.
- We highly recommend all travelers to have comprehensive travel insurance to cover unforeseen events, medical emergencies, trip cancellations, and personal belongings.
- Refunds for cancellations will follow the cancellation policy set forth by the respective hotels, airlines and tour operators.





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