

1. Annapurna Luxury Trek: Best Luxury Lodge Trek in Nepal

2. Overview

About Annapurna Luxury Trek The Annapurna region has always attracted trekkers with its fantastic scenery and rich culture. Located near Pokhara, the Luxury Annapurna Trek is easily accessible through a short drive and an excellent...

3. Itinerary

Day 01: Arrive at the Tribhuvan International Airport, Kathmandu

Altitude: 1,345 meters (4,413 ft)

Meals: Breakfast

Stay: 5-star Hotel

- Meet our dedicated representative, holding a personalized welcome sign
- Then you'll be escorted to a luxury private vehicle for the short transfer to your hotel.
- Check in Luxury Hotel in Kathmandu
- Later in the evening, join us for a complimentary welcome dinner

Luxury 5 Star hotel in Kathmandu

Day 02: Trip Briefing/Kathmandu Valley Sightseeing Tour

Altitude: 1,345 meters (4,413 ft)

Meals: Breakfast

Stay: 5-star Hotel

- After a delicious breakfast with fresh fruits, yogurt parfaits, eggs Benedict, and local honey pancakes, you'll start your full-day cultural tour of the Kathmandu Valley.
- **Our expert cultural guide will pick you and you will visit this four UNESCO Sites in our private vehicle:** 1. Swayambhunath Stupa (Monkey Temple) 2. Pashupatinath Temple 3. Kathmandu Durbar Square (Basantapur) 4. Boudhanath Stupa
- **In the late afternoon, return to the hotel for a comprehensive trip briefing.**
- Your lead guide and logistics manager will cover:
 - Detailed day-by-day itinerary
 - Weather forecast and packing checklist
 - Safety protocols and emergency procedures
 - Cultural do's and don'ts
 - Personalized Q&A session

Swayambhunath Monkey Temple in Kathmandu

Day 03: Fly to Pokhara and Drive to Birenthati (Duration: 30 min Flight, and 1.5 Hours drive)

Altitude: 1025m(3362ft)

Meals: Breakfast, lunch, dinner

Stay: Luxury Lodge

- After breakfast, transfer to the domestic terminal(TIA) for your scenic morning flight to Pokhara.

- Enjoy the 30 minutes of scenic aerial flight views of the Trishuli River Valley, terraced farmlands, and the first glimpses of the snow-capped Annapurna range(if the sky is clear).
- Land at Pokhara airport and direct transfer to the Birenthati
- **Check in at the Mountain Lodges and enjoy its facilities, including:**
- Spending the afternoon exploring the village, relaxing at the lodge.
- A guided walk around the resort's organic garden
- Option: A light Ayurvedic massage

Scenic flight from Kathmandu to Pokhara

Day 04: Trek to Ghandruk (Walking Distance - 8 to 9 km, Duration: 4-5 hours)

Altitude: 1940m(6365ft)

Meals: Breakfast, lunch, dinner

Stay: Sanctuary Lodge Ghandruk (or similar luxury mountain lodge)

- Wake up to the crisp mountain air and a hot breakfast buffet featuring porridge with dried fruits, boiled eggs, toast, and Nepali tea.
- Begin your ascent toward Ghandruk, one of the largest and most culturally significant Gurung villages in Nepal.
- Walk along the Modi River, then climb steadily through rhododendron and oak forests, crossing several wooden bridges over sparkling streams.
- Enjoy the breathtaking view of Annapurna South, Hiunchuli, and Machhapuchhre (Fishtail)
- Stop for photo, hydration breaks, and short stories about local flora, Gurung traditions, and the legendary Gurkha soldiers.
- **Check in to the Sanctuary Lodge, a premium eco-lodge featuring:**
- Heated rooms with underfloor heating
- En-suite bathrooms with rainfall showers
- Panoramic dining hall with floor-to-ceiling windows
- Complimentary evening hot chocolate & cookies

Later, join your guide for a guided village walk, visiting:

- The Gurung Cultural Museum
- Local schools and community centers
- Ancient stone houses with carved wooden windows
- A traditional tea ceremony hosted by a local family

Day 05: Trek to Landruk (1565m/5380ft) Walking Distance - 4.5 km, Duration: 4-5 hours

Altitude: 1565m(5380ft)

Meals: Breakfast, lunch, dinner

Stay: Landruk Lodge (Luxury Boutique Mountain Retreat)

- After a hearty breakfast, begin the descent toward Landruk.
- Trek through dense rhododendron forests.
- Spot peacocks, langur monkeys, and colorful Himalayan birds along the way.
- Pass through Tadapani, where you stop to enjoy freshly brewed Nepali chai and homemade sel roti (sweet rice bread) while taking in the beautiful views of Annapurna South.
- **Check in to the Landruk Lodge, which features:**
- Organic cotton linens and heated beds
- Private balconies facing Machhapuchhre
- Spa services (on request: massage, aromatherapy)
- Complimentary yoga mat and meditation guidebook

Day 06: Trek to Dhampus/ Majgaon Lodge (1650m/5415ft) Walking Distance - 9 km, Duration: 4-5 hours

Altitude: 1650m(5415ft)

Meals: Breakfast, lunch, dinner

Stay: Majgaon Lodge (Luxury Eco-Resort)

- Today's trek offers one of the most scenic routes in the Annapurna region.
- Begin with a gentle climb out of Landruk, followed by a long, undulating trail through pine forests, rice paddies, and stone-paved pathways.
- A visit to a local monastery
- Crossing the Dhampus Khola via a swaying suspension bridge
- Enjoy the sunset view of Annapurna and Machhapuchhre from Dhampus village.
- **Check in to the Majgaon Lodge, which features:**
- Solar-heated water systems
- Organic garden supplying the kitchen.
- Heated lounge with fireplace and board games
- Private jacuzzi tubs (available in select suites)

Day 07: Trek to Phedi/Lumle (1130m/3710) 1.5 hours, 3 KM | Drive to Pokhara 45 Min, 20 KM.

Altitude: 1130m(3710)

Meals: Breakfast, lunch, dinner

Stay: 5-star Hotel

- After breakfast, descend gently to Phedi, the traditional trailhead for the Annapurna Base Camp route.
- Arrive in Lumle, where you'll be greeted by our vehicle and transferred in comfort back to Pokhara.
- Check in to the Hotel
- Relaxing in Pokhara and Overnight stay

luxury stay at Pavilions Himalayas

Day 08: Fly Back to Kathmandu from Pokhara, Duration: 30 Minutes

Altitude: 1,345 meters (4,413 ft)

Meals: Breakfast

Stay: 5-star Hotel

- Enjoy breakfast and head toward the Pokhara International Airport in our private vehicle.
- Once again, enjoy aerial views of the Himalayas before landing at TIA.
- Transfer to the Hotel
- **The afternoon is free for:**
- Last-minute shopping in Thamel or Durbar Marg
- Optional spa treatment at the hotel
- Visiting the Narayanhiti Palace Museum
- Relaxing with a cocktail at the rooftop bar

Day 09: Farewell/Departure

Meals: Breakfast

- **Departure Transfer:** Private airport transfer arranged according to your flight schedule.

5. Cost Includes

? Accommodation

- 3 nights in Kathmandu: 5-star heritage hotel (Dwarika's or equivalent)
- 1 night in Birethanti: Luxury riverside resort
- 1 night in Ghandruk: Premium mountain lodge
- 1 night in Landruk: Boutique luxury retreat
- 1 night in Majgaon: Eco-luxury resort
- 1 night in Pokhara: 5-star Hotel

? Meals

- Breakfast in Kathmandu and Pokhara
- Three meals (breakfast, lunch, and dinner) duringthe trek
- Welcome and Farewell dinner in Kathmandu

? Transportation

- Private airport transfers (KTM & PKR)
- Domestic round-trip flights: Kathmandu–Pokhara–Kathmandu
- All road transfers in luxury vehicles with a driver as per the itinerary

? Trekking Services

- Experienced English-speaking guide (1:6 ratio)
- Porter service (1 porter per 2 guests, 10 kg luggage allowance)
- All trekking permits
- First-aid kit and oxygen monitor

? Cultural & Wellness Experiences

- Kathmandu Valley UNESCO tour with expert cultural tour guide

6. Cost Excludes

- International airfare
- Nepal visa fee
- Travel insurance (highly recommended)
- Alcoholic beverages, snacks, soft drinks, energy drinks
- Personal expenses (tips, souvenirs, spa treatments)
- Optional activities (boating, paragliding, zip-lining in Pokhara)
- Single supplement (available upon request)

7. Equipment / Packing List

What kind of clothing and gear should I pack?

- Waterproof breathable jacket & pants (Gore?Tex or similar)
- Insulating layer (down or synthetic)
- Warm hat, gloves, and scarf

- Trekking boots (broken?in, waterproof)
- UV sunglasses and sunscreen
- Reusable water bottle (2?L) + water?purification tablets
- Personal toiletries (the lodges provide basics)
- Optional: lightweight trekking poles, camera, and a small day?pack (15?20?L).