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Overview of Dhaulagiri Sanctuary (South Base Camp) Trek

The Dhaulagiri Sanctuary Trek, also widely known as the Dhaulagiri South Base Camp Trek, is categorized as a moderate to strenuous adventure. Because there are no permanent human settlements above 2,200 meters, the trail remains wonderfully pristine and untouched by modern road construction, ensuring an authentic wilderness experience for years to come. The trek reaches its highest elevation at Dhaulagiri South Base Camp (4,050 meters above sea level).

While the initial days of the trek offer cozy homestay accommodations, the latter part requires a fully supported camping trek organized by an experienced agency and trekking crew. This combination of village hospitality and deep wilderness camping makes it a favorite among true adventure seekers.

Culture, Scenery, and Wildlife Highlights

Beginning with a scenic drive from Beni—an important historical trade route along the Kali Gandaki River—the trail winds through picturesque villages predominantly inhabited by Magar and Chhantyal communities. The trek rewards you with majestic close-up views of Mount Dhaulagiri (the world's 7th highest peak at 8,167m), the Annapurna range, Nilgiri, Churen, and Gurja Himal.

The region is also rich in biodiversity, featuring sub-climatic zones with pine, bamboo, and rhododendron forests that bloom brilliantly in the spring (March to May). Trekkers may encounter local wildlife such as mountain goats, deer, foxes, and leopards, alongside diverse bird species. Additionally, the itinerary allows you to relax in the famous natural hot springs at Tatopani in the Myagdi District.

Trip Facts

- Trip Duration: 13 days
- Trek Duration: 07 days
- Primary Activity: Trekking
- Secondary Activity: Cultural
- Max. Group Size: 16
- Min. Group Size: 01
- Starts Point: Kathmandu
- Ends Point: Kathmandu

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Cost Includes

□ All ground transports by private vehicle as per itinerary required

- Kathmandu and Pokhara accommodation inclusive breakfast as per itinerary
- All entry fees as per itinerary requires
- Three times meals - Lunch, Dinner and breakfast during the trek with boiled water/ tea/coffee
- An experience cook for camping
- Necessaries camping utensils such a Tent, mattress, chair, table
- Gentle and highly experience trekking guide salary/food/accommodation/insurance and required transports
- Needed Sherpa and porters, their salary/food/accommodation/insurance and required transport
- Rain protection duffel bag for luggage
- The Company guarantees the rescue services if needed; please hand over your insurance policy copy to us
- Government taxes and office service charges

Cost Excludes

- International airfare
- A Nepal visa fee which obtained at the airport on arrival, a multiple tourist visa for 15 days US \$ 25, for 30 days US \$ 40 and for 90 days US \$ 100 or Equivalent convertible currency {bring 2 copies passport size picture)
- Alcoholic beverages, soft drinks bottle of mineral and snack foods
- Meals in Kathmandu and Pokhara (Lunch and dinner)
- Any personal medical or evacuation expenses incur and strongly recommend international Travel Insurance
- Extra porter for the personal day backpack
- Extra cost of natural disaster
- Sleeping bag, can be rented from company USD @1 per day per piece
- Kathmandu sightseeing (it will be extra because we should arrange according your staying in Nepal)
- Any other expenses which are not mentioned in the cost include
- Tips to staffs