

Gokyo to Lukla Helicopter Flight

Duration: 15-25 minutes Days

Itinerary (Plan)

Day 1 Gokyo to Lukla Helicopter Flight Itinerary

- **Time :** 20–35 Minutes
- **Max Altitude :** 4,790m

Accommodation: Hotel / Teahouse

Meal: BLD

Phase 1 | Departure from Gokyo Valley

The journey begins from the spectacular Gokyo Valley, one of the most scenic regions in the Everest area. As the helicopter lifts off, passengers enjoy breathtaking aerial views of the famous Gokyo Lakes, surrounding mountain ridges, and high-altitude Himalayan landscapes.

Highlights:

- Takeoff from Gokyo (4,790m)
- Aerial views of the Gokyo Lakes
- Spectacular mountain scenery and alpine terrain
- Panoramic views of the surrounding Himalayan landscape

Phase 2 | Scenic Flight Above Ngozumpa Glacier & Khumbu Region

The helicopter follows a remarkable route above the Everest region, showcasing glaciers, valleys, and mountain peaks that define the Khumbu landscape. This section provides some of the finest aerial views available in the Himalayas.

Flight Highlights:

- Ngozumpa Glacier, Nepal's longest glacier
- Views of Cho Oyu and surrounding peaks
- Gokyo Ri and nearby mountain viewpoints
- Khumbu Valley landscapes and trekking routes
- Traditional Sherpa settlements including Machhermo and Dole

Phase 3 | Arrival in Lukla

As the helicopter approaches Lukla, passengers enjoy a final aerial perspective of the Everest region before landing near Tenzing-Hillary Airport, the main aviation gateway to the Himalayas.

Highlights:

- Scenic approach to Lukla
- Views of mountain villages and valleys
- Tenzing-Hillary Airport from above
- Comfortable and efficient transfer within the Everest region

This marks the completion of the Gokyo to Lukla Helicopter Flight, providing a fast, scenic, and memorable return from the Gokyo Valley to Lukla.

Cost Include

- Helicopter flight from Gokyo to Lukla
- Private charter or shared helicopter service (as booked)
- Professional mountain pilot and flight crew
- Helicopter fuel surcharge
- Government taxes and aviation fees
- Basic first aid kit onboard
- Emergency oxygen system onboard (subject to operational use)
- Assistance with flight scheduling and confirmation
- Scenic aerial views of Gokyo Lakes, Ngozumpa Glacier, and the Khumbu region

Cost Exclude

- Personal travel and medical insurance
 - Accommodation in Gokyo or Lukla
 - Meals, beverages, and personal expenses
 - Trekking permits and national park fees
 - Airport transfers outside the flight route
 - Additional baggage charges exceeding permitted limits
 - Expenses caused by weather delays or flight rescheduling
 - Tips and gratuities for pilots and staff
 - Personal trekking equipment and gear
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