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Manaslu Region Helicopter Tour

Duration: 4-5 hours Days

Itinerary (Plan)

Day 1 Detailed Itinerary for Manaslu Region Helicopter Tour

- Time : 4-5 hours
- Max Altitude : 5160 m

Accommodation: N/A

Meal: N/A

Activity 1: Kathmandu to Manaslu Scenic Flight

Your journey begins at Kathmandu Tribhuvan International Airport, where the helicopter takes off toward the Manaslu region. Along the route, enjoy panoramic aerial views of terraced farmland, forests, and rural settlements in Gorkha District, including Arughat, Sotikhola, Machhakhola, Jagat, and Deng. As the helicopter ascends, the landscape transforms into dramatic Himalayan scenery with steep cliffs, deep gorges, and river valleys. This scenic flight offers spectacular views of the Annapurna and Ganesh Himal ranges, giving travelers a bird's-eye perspective of Nepal's rugged natural beauty.

Activity 2: Samagaun & Manaslu Base Camp

The helicopter continues to Samagaun, the closest settlement to Manaslu Base Camp, where it refuels. Samagaun is a serene Himalayan village where you can observe traditional lifestyles, Buddhist culture, and local architecture. From here, the helicopter ascends toward Manaslu Base Camp, offering breathtaking views of glaciers, the iconic peak of Manaslu, and surrounding mountains like Himlung Himal, Cheo Himal, Annapurna II, Kang Guru, and Himalchuli. Passengers can also spot the famous trekking route to Larke Pass, appearing as tiny lines of hikers along the rugged terrain.

Activity 3: Cultural & Religious Exploration in Samagaun

During a short stop in Samagaun, you can explore local landmarks such as the Milarepa statue, Sambhavaka Gumba monastery, historic Mane Chaityas, and traditional rotating Mani wheels. Witness colorful prayer

flags, experience the fragrance of Himalayan incense, and observe residents celebrating Buddhist festivals like Lhosar and Buddha Jayanti. This cultural immersion allows travelers to experience the Himalayan lifestyle, Buddhist spirituality, and warm hospitality of the Gurung and Lama communities.

Activity 4: Return Flight to Kathmandu

After exploring Samagaun and the base camp from above, the helicopter begins the return journey to Kathmandu. During the descent, enjoy sweeping aerial views of Gorkha's lower valleys, farmland, forests, and river systems. The flight concludes with a smooth landing back at Kathmandu Tribhuvan International Airport, completing an unforgettable 4–5 hour journey through one of Nepal's most pristine and culturally rich regions.

Cost Include

- Private round-trip helicopter from Kathmandu to Manaslu region.
- Experienced pilot and flight crew for a safe and scenic journey.
- All applicable airport taxes, fuel surcharges, and permits.
- Complimentary snacks, bottled water, and in-flight refreshments.
- Stunning aerial views of Manaslu, Ganesh Himal, and surrounding peaks.

Cost Exclude

- Personal travel insurance and emergency evacuation coverage.
- Meals, accommodation, or any overnight stay in the region.
- Extra sightseeing or activities outside the helicopter tour.
- Tips for pilots, crew, or local guides.
- Any personal expenses or optional upgrades.

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