

6 DAYS / 7 NIGHTS – FORESTS, CULTURE, HERITAGE & BIODIVERSITY

TRAVEL ITINERARY



DAY 1 – ARRIVAL AT BANACHAYA SEWA VILLAGE 🌿	DAY 2 – RAIMATANG FOREST, RIVER & TEA GARDENS 🌳
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Warm welcome by host families with local drink/chiya • Village orientation & introduction to Tamang–Rai cultural traditions • Guided nature walk around forest fringes and organic farms • Evening folk storytelling & light music • 🍽️ Dinner with host family • 🏠 Overnight at Banachaya Homestay 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Morning tea & forest-edge stroll • Visit Raimatang River — serene riverbed, perfect for relaxation & photography • Explore Raimatang Forest — butterflies, birds & lush greenery • Trip to Achhapara Tea Garden — tea walk & scenic viewpoints • Return to Banachaya • Evening leisure & traditional dinner
DAY 3 – BUXA NATURE & CULTURE CIRCUIT 🦋🌲	DAY 4 – DABRI TEA & RAVA TRIBAL EXPERIENCE 🍵🇧🇩
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Visit Rajabhatkhawa Butterfly Conservatory • Explore Nature Interpretation Centre — biodiversity exhibits • Visit Vulture Breeding Centre (external viewing area) • Excursion to Jayanti & Chhota Mahakal, a peaceful riverside spiritual spot • Return to Banachaya for cultural night • 🏠 Night Stay at Banachaya 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Visit Sikhiya Jhora — scenic jungle boating experience • Dabri Tea Lounge — refreshment amid tea gardens • Explore Dabri Tea Garden & observe Tea Processing • Visit North Poro Rava Tribal Village • Experience Rava Tribal Culture — folk dance, traditions & lifestyle interactions • Return to homestay / nearby stay • 🏠 Overnight Stay
DAY 5 – PHUNTSHOLING, BHUTAN 🏰	DAY 6 – JALDAPARA JUNGLE SAFARI & TOTOPARA 🐘
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Cross to Phuntsholing • (permit guidelines applicable) • Visit: Karbandi Monastery • Zangto Pelri Lhakhang • Amo Chhu Gharial Conservation Center • Explore Bhutanese cafés, markets & cultural streets • Return to India • 🏠 Overnight Stay at Madarihat. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Early morning Gypsy Safari in Jaldapara National Park • Famous for Indian rhinoceros, elephants, bison, birds • Visit Totopara — home of the endangered Toto tribe • Learn about their unique culture, language & heritage • Return to Madarihat

