

Panchabootha Tour 5Nights & 6 Days..

Tirupati - Kalahasti -
Kanchipuram - Tiruvanamalai -
Chidambaram - Papanasam -
Trichy



DAYS & PROGRAMME

Day 01 : Bangalore – Tirupati (250km)

Depart from Bangalore late night to Tirupati. Overnight journey

Day 02 : Tirupati - Kalahasti - Tirumala - Tirupati (50km x 2 ways + 25 km x 2 ways)

Arrive Tirupati early morning. Upon arrival at Tirupati check in to the hotel. After brief rest proceed up the hill to The Tirumala temple visit and return to Tirupati. After lunch drive to visit the Kalhasti Temple, one of the five Pancha Bootha temples. Later in the evening return to Tirupati. Overnight stay at Tirupati.

Tirupati is known as the abode of Lord Venkateswara or Balaji or Srinivasa as the presiding deity Vishnu is known. The hill where the The Sri Venkateswara temple is situated is known as Tirumala. Tirupati town is at the base of the hills. The Tirumala hills comprising of the seven hills, is said to resemble a snake with Tirumala forming the hood.

Sri Venkateswara Temple, the sanctum sanctorum is adorned by the Venkateswara idol, which stands at a height of eight feet. The idol is believed to be self manifested the deity bears a clear impression of Goddess Lakshmi on the right side of his chest. His two upper arms hold a (conch-shell) sankha and (disk) a chakra each. His lower left hand is turned inward, the palm of his lower right hand is turned outward offering blessings.

Sri Kalahatheeswarar Temple Kalahasthi. This is one of the five 'Panchabootha sthala' representing one of the five elements – air (Vayu Lingam).

Day 02 : Tirupati - Kanchipuram (110Kms/3 hrs) - Vellore (65 km/1.30 hrs) - Tiruvanamalai (85km/2 hrs)

Very early morning proceed to Kanchipuram to visit the Kamakshiamman Temple, the Ekambareswarar Temple, one of the five Pancha bootha temples and the Vardharaja Temple. After lunch proceed to Tiruvannamalai where the Sri Arunachaleswarar Temple, one of the five Pancha bootha temples is located enroute visit the Sri Narayani Temple at Sripuram near Vellore and upon arrival at Tiruvannamalai check in to the hotel. . Overnight stay at Tiruvannamalai.

Sri Ekambaranathar Temple, Kanchipuram. This is one of the five 'Panchabootha sthala' representing one of the five elements – earth (Pritvi Lingam).

Kamakshi Amman Temple is dedicated to Goddess Kamakshi a divine form of Parvati. This is one of the three important Shakti Peetams, the other two being Madurai and Kasi. The beautiful deity of the Devi is in the Padmasana posture, a yogic posture signifying peace and prosperity.

Sri Arunachaleswarar Temple, Thiruvannamalai. This is one of the five 'Panchabootha sthala' representing one of the five elements – fire (Thejo sthalam). This temple lies at the foot of Arunachala hill.

Day 03 : Tiruvanamalai - Chidambaram (160km/ 3-4 hrs)

Morning after darshan depart to Chidambaram. Upon arrival at Chidambaram check in to the hotel. In the evening visit the Sri Natarajar Temple. Over night at Chidambaram.

Sri Natarajar Temple, Chidambaram. This is one of the five 'Panchabootha sthala' representing one of the five elements – space (Akasha sthalam)

Day 04 : Chidambaram - Trichy (170 kms)

Early morning depart to Trichy enroute visit Papanasam Upon arrival at Trichy, check into the hotel and later visit the Sri Jambukeswarar Temple, one of the five pancha bootha temple,. Overight stay at Trichy.

Sri Jambukeswarar Akilandeswari Temple, Thiruvanaikoil This is one of the five 'Panchabootha sthala' representing one of the five elements - water.

Day 05 : Trichy - Bangalore (390 kms/8hrs)

Morning visit the famous Sri Ranganathaswami temple and depart to Bangalore. Upon arrival at Bangalore, check into the hotel or get dropped to the railway station.

Sri Ranganathaswami Temple, Srirangam Srirangam is the foremost of the eight self-manifested shrines of Lord Vishnu. It is a 600 acre island town enclosed within the seven walls of the gigantic Sri Ranganathaswami Temple. There are 21 gopurams, among which the Rajagopuram is the largest in South India. Srirangam stands as the biggest temple complex in the country.

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