



HEART OF YOGA TOURS

2019 Tamil Nadu Temple Tour & Hiking the Western Ghats Booking Conditions

Complete and sign the booking form. Signing that form confirms that you accept these conditions:

1. Minimum 5 people and maximum 10 people. If the minimum 5 people have not booked by August 31, 2018 the tour will be rescheduled for 2020 and all money will be returned unless you paid by credit card. We will deduct bank fees from your reimbursement.
2. The tour cost is TBD, an estimated \$1800 - \$2250; include a 3% fee if paying by credit card. This will cover all meals, hotels, land travel for the duration of the tour, entry costs, guides, drivers, and insurance for drivers. Booking is complete on receipt of a signed booking form and a deposit of \$1000 by August 31, 2018. The full amount for the tour must be paid by November 1, 2018. If you owe HoYS money for YTT or AYT, that amount must be paid in full before submitting deposit.
3. We will do our best not to cancel the tour less than one month in advance. However if there is a serious problem in the country, or if attendees cancel at the last minute dropping the attendance to below 5, a closer date of cancellation may be necessary. All money is refundable barring a \$50 administration fee when cancellation is made by HoYS.
4. Attendees must ensure that full [travel insurance](#) is in place before the air tickets are bought. September is usually a very good time to buy your airline ticket. Full insurance must include personal accident and repatriation to the USA in the event of injury, illness, death or hijacking. Ensure that your travel insurance covers you before paying the deposit so that you can reclaim expenses in the event of illness or tour cancellation. If attendee cancels their registration, half of the \$1000 is refundable up to October 1, 2018. After that date money is not refundable except in the case of serious illness or death in the family.
5. A valid passport and Indian Visa is necessary. Vaccination certificates are good to have, but not essential for India. (Read [India Tips](#) for details on how to acquire Indian Visa)

6. Heart of Yoga School Tours will ensure that the tour remains as expected barring adverse circumstances. If there are any changes you will be informed as soon as possible.

7. Ideally you will arrive in Chennai/MAA in the State of Tamil Nadu around 11:00am on Sunday, January 20. Your flights are your personal cost. The trip ends in Munnar in the State of Kerala. You will be transported to Kochin/COK on our last day and can get a one hour domestic flight back to Chennai/MAA for about \$30-50. If you prefer to stay in Cochin I can suggest places for you to stay. Alternatively you can depart for home from Cochin instead of Chennai if interested in booking a multi city flight.

8. Heart of Yoga School Tours will ensure that all due care is taken of attendees when travelling with the group. For any mishap which is not the responsibility of Heart of Yoga School Tours all due assistance will be given. Any claims against Heart of Yoga School Tours will fall within the courts of the USA.

9. While travelling to and from India, the attendee is under the responsibility of the airline. Heart of Yoga School Tours will endeavour to support attendees through any delay or inconvenience that the airline might cause.

10. Understand that we are a group of colleagues coming together with a sincere interest in the spiritual foundations of India. This is not a resort style vacation. It is a spiritual pilgrimage where conversations about devotional practices, God, Astrology, Meditation, and Yoga will be commonplace. You will be asked to keep silence from time to time.