

Manaslu Tsum Valley Trek



Trip Overview

With a breathing Buddhist culture along with a spectacular view of the serene panorama of the majestic peak of Manaslu, the Manaslu Tsum Valley Trek is the perfect blend of natural and cultural sanctuary.

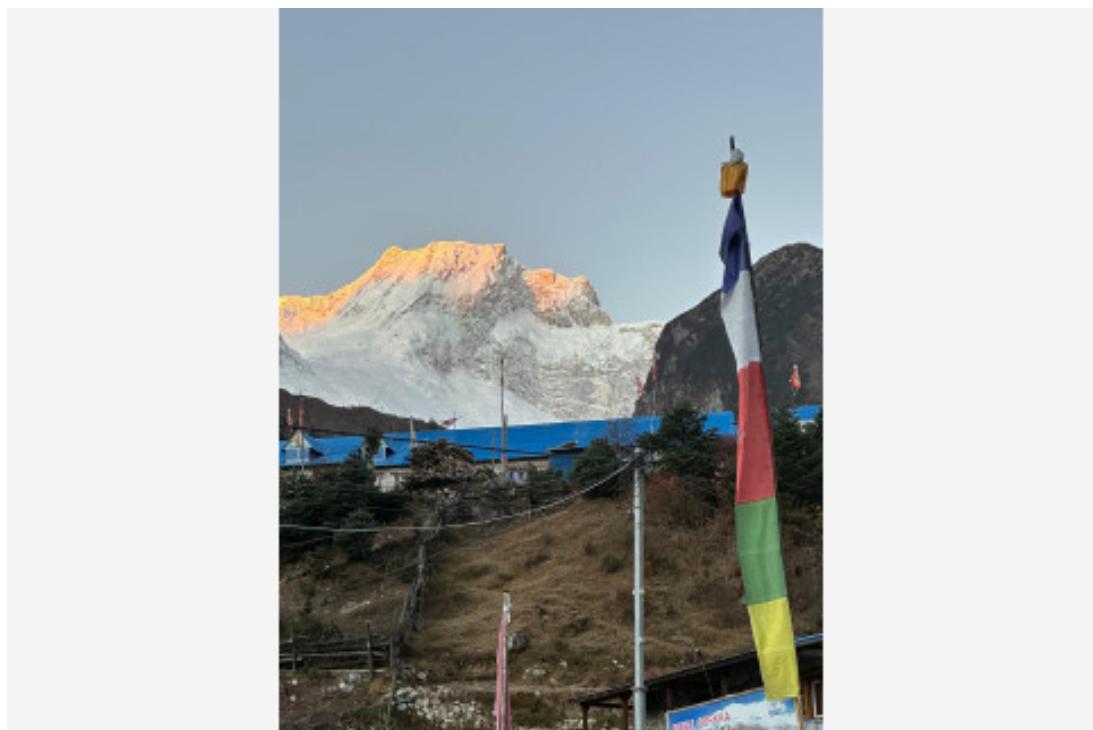
Tsum is derived from the Tibetan word "Tsombo" which means vivid. The landscape and culture of the valley are vibrant and strikingly alive, as suggested by its name. The Tsum Valley is situated in the Gorkha district of western Nepal at an altitude of 2000 m to 3,500 m.

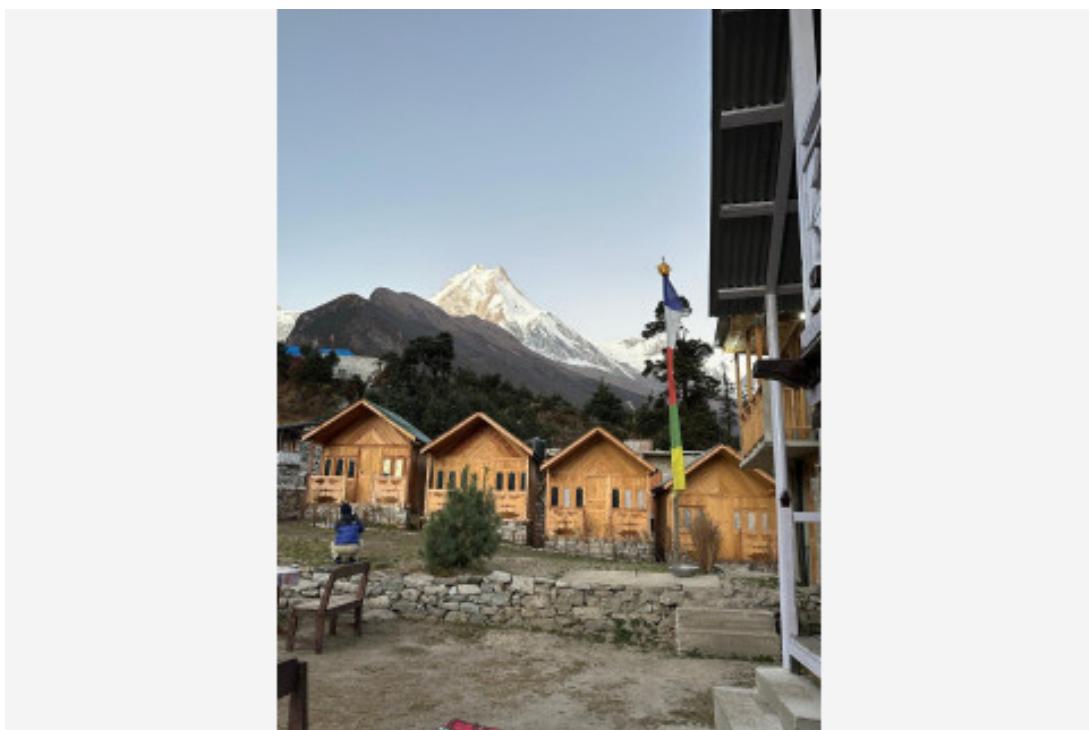
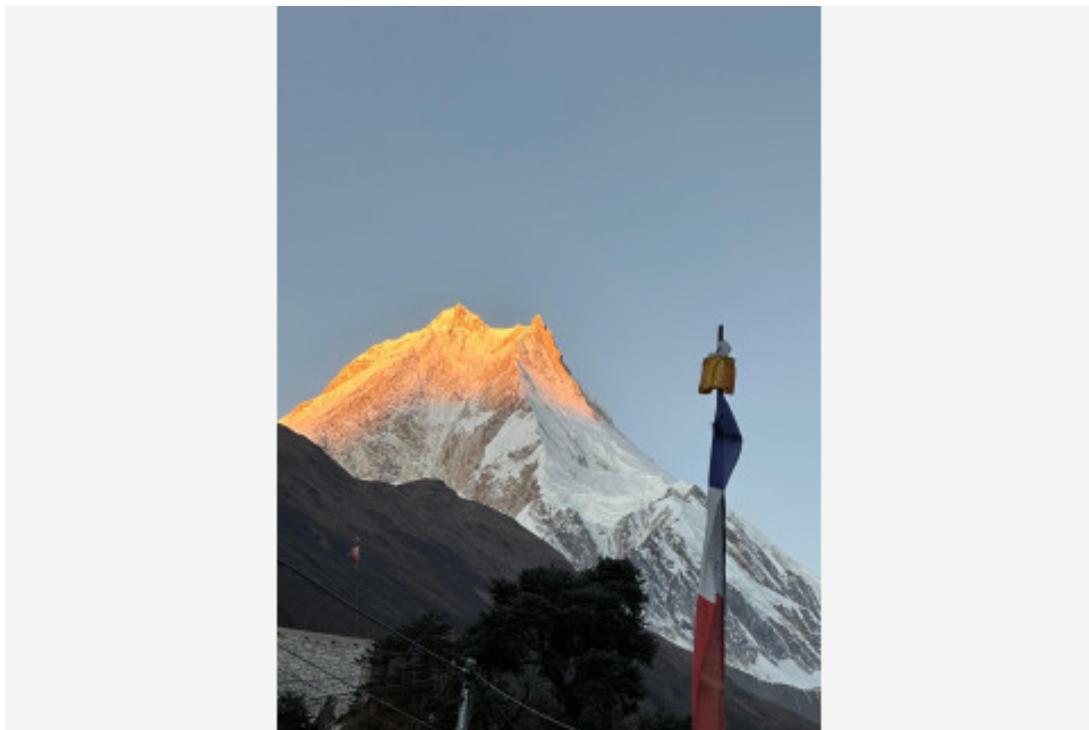
Tsum Valley is the ultimate tapestry of Tibetan culture, along with the diverse valley monasteries that are scattered amidst the village, which present this place as a spiritual hub. Moreover, the warm and welcoming villagers inhabiting Tamang, Buddhists, Sherpa, Gurung, and Chhetri of this place present themselves to uphold their customs and offer a glimpse into a world untouched by time.

This virgin gem of Nepal is also recognized as Beyul Kyimolung, which refers to the Valley of Happiness. The magnificent and soaring Ganesh Himal and its snow-capped peak are the centerpieces of the valley. Manaslu Tsum Valley is a transcendent beauty of verdant forests and meadows.

Manaslu Tsum Valley Trek is the ultimate package of adventure, along with an opportunity to explore this peach and get on a voyage to discover the exclusive Gompas hidden somewhere in this region.

Gallery







Trip Itinerary

- 1 - Arrival in Kathmandu, TIA 1350m (4429ft)
- 2 - Sightseeing Kathmandu(1350m (4429ft)
- 3 - Drive to Machha Khola (900m 2953Fit)6-7hrs
- 4 - Maccha Khola to Jagat (1410m4626fit) 6 to 7-hours trek)
- 5 - Jagat to Lokpa 2240m
- 6 - Trek to Chhakangparo(3130m 6-7hrs
- 7 - Trek to Samagaon (3530m 1182ft) 6-7 hrs
- 8 - Chhule to Mu Gompa (3 to 4 hours)
- 9 - Trek to Chumling (8 hours)
- 10 - Chumling to Philim (5 to 6 hours)
- 11 - Philim to Khola Besi (7 to 8 hours)
- 12 - Khola Base to Soti Khola (7 hours)
- 13 - Back to Kathmandu by Bus or Jeep
- 14 - Free day at Kathmandu
- 15 - Departure

Cost Includes & Excludes

Includes

- Airport pickup and drop at Tribhuwan International Airport
- Private jeep to Soti khola
- 3-star Hotel stays at Kathmandu night stay in twin sharing
- Lodging and Tea house accommodation
- Licensed Trek Guide with good spoken English plus assistant leader each for a group of four
- A porter sharing for two trekkers each on the route
- Salary and Insurance Cost of Staff
- All necessary paperwork and permits (TIMS/ Conservation Fee).
- Emergency medical kit and local taxes

Excludes

- International Flight and Nepal VISA fees
- Travel Insurance
- Extra activities cost not planned within the Itinerary
- Tips for Staff (Trekking Guide, Assistant, and Porter)
- Essential packing Equipment
- Extra cost for booking domestic flight other than planned

Gears and equipment

- Clothing

Waterproof jackets and pants
Sweaters and down jackets
Lightweight trousers
Hiking shirts- long-sleeved
Hooded raincoat and Fleece jacket
Innerwears
Lightweight and heavyweight winter gloves
Sun hat or scarf; Money belt; Cotton headscarf, bandana

Winter hat or insulating hat

- Personal accessories

- Headlights and extra batteries
- Face and body wipes
- Sunscreen and sunglasses with UV protection
- Money
- Watch
- Cell phone and camera

- Toiletries

- Medium-drying towels
- Toothbrush and toothpaste
- Washing kits, talcum powder, and toilet paper
- Degradable soap and shampoo
- Deodorant floss, nail clippers, and mirror

- Extra items

- First aid kit
- Passport-sized photos and passport photocopies
- Binoculars
- Personal medications
- 1 swiss type knife
- Sleeping bags and sheets,
- Rucksack, backpack, and a small day pack
- Water bottle
- Water purification tablet solution

- Footwears

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Faqs

1. When is the best time for the Manaslu Tsum Valley Trek?

The best time for the Manaslu Tsum Valley Trek is during spring (March, April, and May) and autumn (September, October, and November). This is because the skies are clear and the weather is mild.

2. How difficult is the Manaslu Tsum Valley Trek?

The Manaslu Tsum Valley Trek is rated moderately challenging. You will trek for 6 to 8 hours. The highest point is Larya La Pass, with an elevation of 5,106 meters.

3. What permits are required for the Manaslu Tsum Valley Trek?

You will need three permits, including the Manaslu Conservation Area Permit, the Tsum Valley Restricted Area Permit, and the Annapurna Conservation Area Permit.

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6. Do I need a guide for the Manaslu Tsum Valley Trek?

It is recommended to hire a guide for the Manaslu Tsum Valley Trek, as they will be more familiar with the route and help you in an emergency.