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Backpacker Bangladesh Travel for Foreigner

Bangladesh | 16 Days · 15 Nights | Minimum 2 International Travellers · Private Guided Journey

Package price: BDT 190,000

BDT 190,000 per person · Minimum 2 travellers

An immersive private backpacking journey for international travellers who want to experience Bangladesh beyond the standard tourist route—combining living heritage, local food, mangrove waterways, tea country, wetlands, river life, traditional transport and the Bay of Bengal.

This 16-day Bangladesh tour is designed for curious foreign travellers, photographers and cultural explorers who prefer authentic local movement with dependable guide support. The route connects Old Dhaka, Sonargaon, the Sundarbans, Sreemangal, Sylhet, Tanguar Haor, Chittagong and Cox's Bazar in one complete overland journey.

The experience intentionally mixes private transfers with trains, buses, CNGs, rickshaws, motorcycles and local boats. Daily timing and route order remain flexible so the guide can respond to traffic, weather, water levels, local access and the interests of the travellers.

TRIP DETAILS

• Route: Dhaka - Sonargaon - Sundarbans - Sreemangal - Sylhet - Jaflong - Sunamganj - Tanguar Haor - Dhaka - Chittagong - Cox's Bazar - Dhaka

• Accommodation: Sundarbans eco-resort and boat stay, Sreemangal homestay and Tanguar Haor houseboat are included as stated. Hotels in Dhaka, Sylhet/Jaflong, Chittagong and Cox's Bazar are excluded and booked separately unless added to the final quotation.

• Meals: Traditional and local meals are included throughout the confirmed program as scheduled.

• Transport: Airport transfers, private and local road transport, local boats, Dhaka–Chittagong train, Chittagong–Cox's Bazar bus and Cox's Bazar–Dhaka night bus according to the itinerary.

• Flights: International and domestic air tickets are not included unless added in writing.

HIGHLIGHTS

• 16-day cross-country route

• Dedicated English-speaking guide

• Sundarbans & Tanguar Haor

• Local transport & cultural immersion

ITINERARY

Day 1 — Arrival in Dhaka

Airport meet-and-greet and transfer to the hotel by Uber or CNG depending on arrival conditions. After rest, explore the neighbourhood and enjoy a traditional local dinner.

Day 2 — Old Dhaka Heritage, Food & Local Life

Explore Lalbagh Fort, Ahsan Manzil, Curzon Hall, Star Mosque, Dhakeshwari Temple and Shankhari Bazaar using a mix of local transport. Enjoy Old Dhaka kacchi biryani, visit Sadarghat for boating and photography, and add the Liberation War Museum or National Martyrs' Memorial when timing allows.

Day 3 — Sonargaon & Panam City to the Sundarbans

Travel privately to Sonargaon for the folk-art heritage area and Panam City, then continue toward Mongla and the Sundarbans region. Overnight at an eco-resort close to or within the forest tourism zone.

Day 4 — Sundarbans Creek Cruising

Explore tidal rivers and narrow mangrove canals by boat, focusing on forest scenery, birds, fishing communities and responsible wildlife observation. Complete the arranged one-night boat experience, then continue toward Dhaka for the overnight bus to Sreemangal.

Day 5 — Sreemangal Tea Country & Homestay

Early homestay check-in followed by rest and breakfast. Explore tea estates, village roads, pineapple and lemon-growing areas and the green countryside by private car. Overnight at the homestay.

Day 6 — Sreemangal to Sylhet

Private transfer to Sylhet, afternoon hotel check-in and visits to the shrines of Hazrat Shah Jalal and Hazrat Shah Paran. Overnight in Sylhet.

Day 7 — Ratargul Swamp Forest & Jaflong

Travel by private CNG and local boats to Ratargul Swamp Forest, then continue to Jaflong for river, stone-bed and Meghalaya-hill scenery. Overnight in Jaflong.

Day 8 — Lalakhal, Bholaganj Sada Pathor & Sylhet

Explore Lalakhal and Bholaganj Sada Pathor with river landscapes and distant Meghalaya hills, then return to Sylhet city for the night.

Day 9 — Sunamganj & Tanguar Haor Houseboat

Travel from Sylhet to Sunamganj and Tahirpur by local transport. Board a houseboat and spend the night surrounded by open water, distant hills and wetland scenery.

Day 10 — Tanguar Haor Rural Photography

Spend a flexible day exploring waterways, rice fields, grazing cattle, fishing life and local communities, with stops for documentary and landscape photography. Overnight in the haor or houseboat arrangement.

Day 11 — Jadukata, Barikka Tila & Shimul Bagan

Explore the Jadukata River, Barikka Tila, Shimul Bagan and nearby landscapes such as Niladri Lake or Lakmachhara by motorcycle where access permits. Take the overnight bus toward Dhaka.

Day 12 — Dhaka Arrival & Train to Chittagong

Arrive in Dhaka early and continue by train to Chittagong. Hotel check-in, rest and overnight in Chittagong.

Day 13 — Chittagong City, Shipyard Area & Patenga

Explore Chittagong city, visit a legally permitted shipyard or ship-breaking viewpoint, and continue to Patenga Beach. Overnight in Chittagong.

Day 14 — Chittagong to Cox's Bazar

Travel by bus to Cox's Bazar, check in at the hotel and enjoy beach walking, activities and photography. Take the night bus back to Dhaka.

Day 15 — Dhaka Shopping & Free Exploration

Enjoy a flexible final day for shopping, neighbourhood exploration and free activities using planned local transport. Overnight in Dhaka.

Day 16 — Departure

Transfer to the airport by Uber or CNG according to the international flight schedule. Dedicated guide support continues through the final transfer.

INCLUDED

- Airport pickup and departure drop by Uber/CNG
- Dhaka city touring by suitable local transport, including rickshaw, metro, bus and motorcycle where practical and safe
- Private transport for Sonargaon and the Sundarbans sector
- Sundarbans eco-resort stay and one-night boat experience
- One-night Sreemangal homestay, private tea-country sightseeing car and private transfer to Sylhet
- Private CNG and local boats required for the listed Sylhet sightseeing program
- Sylhet–Sunamganj–Tahirpur travel by local transport
- Two days of motorcycle-based exploration around Tahirpur and Tanguar Haor
- Tanguar Haor houseboat overnight arrangement
- Dhaka–Chittagong train, Chittagong–Cox's Bazar bus and Cox's Bazar–Dhaka night bus
- Chittagong city touring, permitted shipyard viewpoint, Patenga Beach and Cox's Bazar local transport
- Traditional/local meals throughout the confirmed itinerary
- Dedicated guide support from airport pickup through airport drop, including guide expenses
- Entry fees for sightseeing locations listed in the confirmed itinerary

EXCLUDED

- Hotel accommodation in Dhaka
- Hotel accommodation in Sylhet or Jaflong
- Hotel accommodation in Chittagong
- Hotel accommodation in Cox's Bazar

- International and domestic air tickets unless specifically added in writing
- Bangladesh visa fees, travel insurance and personal documentation costs
- Personal expenses, shopping, beverages and services not listed under Package Inclusions

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

- The published price is per person for a minimum of two travellers. Hotel stays in Dhaka, Sylhet/Jaflong, Chittagong and Cox's Bazar are not included. Final services, tickets, boats, houseboat, homestay and access permissions remain subject to availability at confirmation.

TERMS

- The package price is BDT 190,000 per person for a minimum of two international travellers.
- Daily timing and route order may change because of traffic, weather, water level, local operating hours, safety, government restrictions or access conditions.
- Sundarbans wildlife sightings cannot be guaranteed.
- Industrial shipyard or ship-breaking access is subject to legal permission and safety restrictions; a safe viewpoint or alternative experience may be used.
- Transport tickets, boat and houseboat allocation, homestay and supplier services are subject to availability when the booking is confirmed.
- Material itinerary or service changes requested after confirmation may require a revised price.

PAYMENT POLICY

- 50% advance payment confirms the booking after availability is verified.
- The balance is due 14 days before arrival unless the quotation states otherwise.

CANCELLATION POLICY

- Cancellation charges depend on the notice period and the policies of hotels, transport providers, vessels and activity operators.

FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

- Is this Bangladesh tour suitable for first-time foreign visitors? — Yes. It combines major cultural and nature destinations with arrival-to-departure guide support and a mix of private and authentic local transport.
- Are all hotels included? — No. Hotels in Dhaka, Sylhet/Jaflong, Chittagong and Cox's Bazar are excluded. The Sundarbans eco-resort and boat experience, Sreemangal homestay and Tanguar Haor houseboat are included as stated.
- Can the itinerary be customised? — Yes. Travel dates, pace, hotel standard and selected experiences can be adjusted before the final written quotation is confirmed.
- Is an English-speaking guide included? — Yes. Dedicated guide support is included from airport pickup through

the final airport transfer, along with the guide's stated travel expenses.

• Is this a luxury tour or a backpacker-style tour? — It is an immersive private backpacker-style journey using local transport and authentic stays, supported by a dedicated guide. Hotels excluded from the package can be chosen separately to match the traveller's preferred comfort level.

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