

Taj Mahal Extension

Agra's Wonder

March 10 to 13, 2026



Taj Mahal

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SAFARI OVERVIEW

Experience the beauty of Agra, a city rich in history and intrigue. Founded in 1475 AD, Agra has been a significant cultural hub since ancient times. Enjoy an evening visit to Sheroes Hangout Café, a unique space run by resilient women offering tea, coffee, and inspiration. Witness a stunning sunset view of the Taj Mahal from a nearby garden and rise early to marvel at the Taj Mahal at sunrise, a breathtaking sight. Explore the majestic Agra Fort before heading to Delhi. Embrace Agra's enchanting history and architecture, making unforgettable memories.

HIGHLIGHTS

- Photograph the Taj Mahal's stunning beauty at sunset and dawn.
- Support a local business run by women who are acid-burn survivors.
- Wander through Agra Fort.

TRIP OPTION: This is a post-trip extension to our [India 2026 trip](#) from February 22 to March 11, 2026.

LEADER: Expert local guides.

DAYS: 4, including estimated travel time.

GROUP SIZE: 12.

COST: \$675 per person, double occupancy, not including airfare, singles extra. See the *Costs* section on page 3.

Date	Description	Accommodation	Meals
Mar 10	Arrive in Agra from our India 2026 trip in time for sightseeing and then sunset at the Taj Mahal.	Tajview, Agra	L, D
Mar 11	Watch the sun rise at the Taj Mahal and explore Agra Fort before returning to Delhi.	Andaz, Delhi	B, L, D
Mar 12	Depart for home.		B
Mar 13	Arrive home.		

OPTIONS

- Begin your journey on our [India 2026 trip](#) from February 22 to March 11, 2026.

LEADER TBD

Cheesemans' Ecology Safaris carefully selects leaders who are experts in their field to ensure that your experience is the best it can be.

DETAILED ITINERARY

Mar 10 ~ Travel to Agra, India from our [India 2026 trip](#)

After breakfast, drive (4 hours) to Agra, a historic town renowned for its rich Mughal heritage. In the afternoon, visit Sheroes Hangout Café, a unique space run by acid attack survivors, offering tea, coffee, and a meaningful experience. The café also features a library, handicrafts, and a boutique.

Later, enjoy a beautiful sunset view of the Taj Mahal from Mehtab Bagh, a serene garden providing a unique perspective of this iconic monument across the Yamuna River. Little needs to be said about the allure of the Taj Mahal, which is always the main reason for every tourist's visit to Agra. Built by Shah Jahan, the Taj Mahal is a white marble memorial to his beloved wife Mumtaz Mahal. Designed and planned by the Persian architect Ustad Isa, this magnificent monument took 22 years to complete. Apart from its stunning balance and perfect symmetry,



Taj Mahal
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the Taj Mahal is renowned for its elegant domes, intricately carved screens, and some of the finest inlay work ever seen.

Mar 11 ~ Taj Mahal and Agra Fort

Wake up early to capture colors of the Taj at sunrise, a truly magical experience! Return to your hotel for breakfast, then visit the remarkable Agra Fort. This historic fortress features imposing 70-foot-high walls that stretch 1.5 miles around the complex. Inside, you'll find a range of well-preserved buildings including palaces, mosques, and audience halls, many of which were constructed during Emperor Shah Jahan's rule. The fort offers a fascinating insight into Mughal architecture and the grandeur of the era.



Agra Fort
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Return to Delhi for your final night in India.

Mar 12 ~ Depart for home

Mar 13 ~ Arrive home

COSTS (ALL COSTS ARE IN US DOLLARS)

Cost

Type	Cost per Person
Trip Cost, double occupancy	\$675
Single Supplement	\$300

If you are a single traveler, we will try to find a roommate for you, but if we cannot pair you with a roommate, we may charge you a single supplement.

Payment Schedule

Payment is due with your main trip's final payment; see its [itinerary](#) for details.

Included

- Carbon offsets for the duration of this trip.
- All leaders, transport, park entry fees, and permits for all activities unless described as optional.
- Accommodations (double occupancy) for the nights of March 10 through March 11.
- Meals from lunch on March 10 through breakfast on March 12.
- Trip Planning Materials – information about entry requirements, flights, packing, gratuities, etc.

Not Included

- Carbon offsets for your flights to/from this trip.
- All airfare airport and departure taxes, and excess baggage fees. Round-trip airfare is approximately

\$1,200 to \$1,400 between the US and Delhi.

- Passport and visa fees.
- Divergent airport transfers (arranged by us) and extra hotel nights.
- Gratuities – tipping is always discretionary. However, we suggest budgeting about \$30 participant per day for 3 days with our leaders. (\$90 total per participant).
- Optional trip cancellation insurance.
- Items of a personal nature such as laundry, telephone calls, medical costs or hospitalization, room service, alcoholic and other beverages, items not on the regular menu, etc. If you have special dietary needs, please indicate them on your Traveler Form.

SIGN UP

Please contact us first to check availability, reserve your space, and obtain a Traveler Form. To confirm your reservation, we require a deposit and signed form from each participant.

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OTHER DETAILS

Climate

Temperatures generally range from around 59°F at night to 89°F during the day. Although it is the dry season, rain is possible.

Fitness Level

This trip requires good energy levels but no rigorous exercise. Please contact us if you have any health concerns that may make this trip challenging.

Flights

Detailed logistical information is included in the Trip Planning Materials we will send you.

Flights you book

- Arrive in Delhi, India (DEL) by 11:59pm on Feb 24 for your [India 2026 trip](#).
- Depart from Delhi, India (DEL) after 12:00am on Mar 12.

Terms and Conditions

Read our current [Terms and Conditions](#).

Conservation

Our company ethos has always regarded conservation as inseparable from responsible tourism. We struggle with the dilemma that traveling worldwide expends climate-changing carbon. However, we wholeheartedly believe that traveling with us will cultivate your passion for conserving our beautiful world while stimulating each destination's local economy. We encourage you to explore the various ways in which Cheesemans' operates within this context:

- **Cheesemans' Trips are [Carbon Neutral](#).**
- **Offsetting your Travel to/from our Trip:** We ask you to pledge to offset the carbon emissions for your travel to and from our trips. You can purchase offsets with most airlines (Delta includes them automatically), use our handy [carbon calculator](#) and donate to Sustainable Travel International, or contribute to your favorite offsetting organization.