

# Uttarakhand Tour - 2

Duration : (04Nights / 05Days)

Haridwar – Kund - Deoriatal - Chopta - Tungnath



## Day 1:- Haridwar – Kund (1350m) (Drive 200kms / 6-7hrs)

We will meet at haridwar railway station at 7:00 a.m and from here board a vehicle and be driven up to kund. This is an interesting drive. You will, for most part of the journey drive along the ganga & alaknanda river before turning into the mandakini valley. Enroute you will be crossing the holy towns of rishikesh, devprayag and rudraprayag. Evening we will go for a short hike to stretch our leg muscles and also spend some time by the riverside. Overnight in the lodge.



## Day 2:- Kund (1350m) – Deoriatal (2438m) (Trek 4-5hrs)

Today when you start hiking from the lodge you will initially walk through a few villages and a small temple town, ukhimath. The walk from here on is through an enchanting mixed forest abundant in bird life. Today's hike is mostly uphill. We will reach deoriatal lake by afternoon and spend rest of the day exploring the serene surroundings. This is a fine place for photography and bird watching. Overnight in tents.



## Day 3:- Deoriatal (2438m) – Chopta (2800m) (Trek 4-5hrs)

Today we walk on a ridge for some time and then get into a series of ascents and descents which are gradual and completely enjoyable. You will encounter a mixed forest having oaks, pines, rhododendrons and a few more local varieties. Also we start getting views of other snow-capped himalayan peaks. We will reach the campsite by afternoon and spend rest of the day exploring chopta. The views towards the evening are going to be great so keep your cameras handy. The sunset from chopta is also a photographer's delight. Overnight in tents.



## Day 4:- Chopta (2800m) – Tungnath (3680m) – Chandrashila peak (4000m) – Kund (Trek 4-5hrs & Drive 1hr)

We start the day by climbing up the slopes of the snow meadow. The climb is demanding but short and extremely scenic. It will take about a couple of hours to reach tungnath temple. Religious or non-religious does not matter, just sit by yourself for a few minutes in the courtyard of the temple with eyes closed you will feel very light! After a brief stop for refreshments and rest carry on with your climb to reach the summit of chandrashila peak at about 4000m. The effort is going to be rewarded multiple times with views which are surely unparalleled. From the summit you can see big himalayan peaks (nanda devi, trishul, chaukhamba and many more) and surrounding valleys in all directions. After capturing the views in your camera start walking down to the base camp at chopta and from there get onto your vehicles and drive down to the lodge in kund where a refreshing shower and hot dinner awaits you. Spend time by the riverside. Overnight in the lodge.



**Day 5:- Kund – Haridwar (Drive 200kms /6-7hrs)**

Post breakfast, we drive back to haridwar.

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