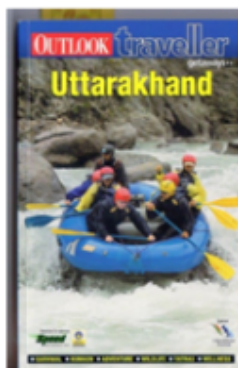


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**KALI SARDA RIVER  
EXPEDITION**





## KALI SARDA RIVER EXPEDITION: INTRODUCTION

The Kali river forms the international border between India and Nepal in its upper reaches. A self-contained river journey down this river is one of the prime options in this part of the Himalaya. The river flows past terraced farms of Kumaoni and Nepali villages, fresh water streams, sandy beaches, thick tropical jungles, plantations as we travel downstream through the terai belt negotiating exciting white water. With the Mahseer making it an angler's delight, the lack of road access makes it a complete wilderness journey. After the first few days of serene float past its confluence with the Saryu at Pancheshwar (also a famous fishing spot) with the occasional big rapid, the Kali makes its final descent to the plains in the last day on the river, beginning with the mighty Chooka rapid. Flowing past the terai hills after densely forested hillsides, this trip is an outdoor wilderness experience in a league of its own.



## FACT SHEET

**DURATION OF TRIP:** 08 Days

**REPORTING POINT:** NDLS Railway Station

**GRADE OF TRIP:** Moderate

**RAPID CLASS:** Class 1-4

## ACCOMMODATION

DAY	ACCOMMODATION	MEAL PLAN
DAY 1	OVERNIGHT TRAIN	-
DAY 2	PITHORAGARH GUESTHOUSE	ALL INCLUSIVE
DAY 3 - 7	RAFTING CAMP	ALL INCLUSIVE
DAY 8	OVERNIGHT TRAIN	ALL INCLUSIVE

## ITINERARY CHART

DAY	START POINT	END POINT	TIME	RAPID CLASS
DAY 1	DELHI	KATHGODAM	-	-
DAY 2	KATHGODAM	PITHORAGARH	7 HRS	-
DAY 3	PITHORAGARH	CAMP 1	DRIVE 2 HRS RAFT 3 HRS	CLASS 2+
DAY 4	CAMP 1	CONFLUENCE CAMP	4 HRS	CLASS 3
DAY 5	CONFLUENCE CAMP	CAMP 3	4 HRS	CLASS 3/3+
DAY 6	CAMP 3	CAMP3	-	-
DAY 7	CAMP 3	CHOOKA CAMP	4 HRS	CLASS 4
DAY 8	CHOOKA CAMP	DELHI	6 HRS	TRIP ENDS!



## KALI SARDA RAFTING: DETAILED ITINERARY

### DAY ONE: DELHI - KATHGODAM

Board overnight train from Delhi - Kathgodam

### DAY TWO: KATHGODAM - PITHORAGARH

Drive Kathgodam to Pithoragarh (07 hrs). Overnight at the rest house. Views of Panchuli more than compensate for the drive.



### DAY THREE: PITHORAGARH - JHULAGHAT - CAMP 1

Drive Pithoragarh to put-in at Jhulaghat (02 hrs). Raft an initiation stretch of 15 kms of class 2+ rapids passing many stalactite and stalagmite formations. Camp by late afternoon and hike to a nearby village.





## DAY FOUR: Camp 1 - Confluence Camp

We pass Pancheshwar where the Kali meets the Saryu and is now called the Sarda. We camp below the confluence for a relaxed afternoon.





### DAY FIVE: CONFLUENCE CAMP - CAMP 3

The river begins to get pacy as we negotiate a series of class 3 rapids. The day is marked by thick jungles and less-inhabited sections. Camp overnight.





## DAY SIX: CAMP 3

Rest day to explore the surroundings, hike and relax. You can also walk to a waterfall and take a dip in its cool waters.



## DAY SEVEN: CAMP 3 - CHOOKA CAMP

Today, we raft 20kms to camp below the Class 4 Chooka rapid.



## DAY EIGHT: CHOOKA CAMP - DELHI

We begin to enter the Terai jungles today with great white water and the chance of spotting a wild elephant. We reach boom for the drive to Rudrapur. Reach Delhi by 9:10 pm.



## A NOTE ON FLIGHTS AND PUT IN

Spring trips begin lower at Jhulaghat, while fall trips from Jauljibee.

There are flights 4 days a week to Pantnagar. You can choose to fly either before or after the expedition.



# KALI SARDA RIVER EXPEDITION: COST BREAKDOWN

## COST INCLUDES

TRAVEL FROM DELHI AND BACK BY ROAD / RAIL (BY NON-AC / 2 OR 3 TIER AC COACH)
ALL TRANSFERS IN A NON-AC VEHICLE AS PER THE ITINERARY
ALL ARRANGEMENTS FOR STAYING AND CAMPING WHILE ON TRIP
ACCOMMODATION ON TWIN SHARING BASIS IN TENTS / HOTEL
ALL MEALS AS MENTIONED IN ITINERARY & SAFE DRINKING WATER
ALL RAFTING ARRANGEMENTS WITH INDIA'S MOST EXPERIENCED GUIDING TEAM, CAMP STAFF AND COOKS
ALL COMMON CAMPING AND RAFTING EQUIPMENT
PORTERAGE UPTO 15KG/PERSON
PEAK FEE/SANCTUARY FEE/ROYALTY/PERMITS WHERE APPLICABLE

## COST EXCLUDES

SLEEPING BAG
ANY TRANSFERS OR MEALS OUTSIDE OF ITINERARY
BOTTLED WATER
ITEMS OF PERSONAL CLOTHING
EXPENSES OF ANY PERSONAL NATURE (LAUNDRY / PHONE CALLS / ALCOHOL / CIGARETTES / INSURANCE / CAMERA FEE / ETC.)
ANY EXPENSE INCURRED DUE TO FORCE OF NATURE SUCH AS LANDSLIDES, BAD WEATHER OR REASONS BEYOND OUR CONTROL
TIPS & GRATUITIES (WE RECOMMEND 5-10% OF YOUR TRIP COST- TO BE DISTRIBUTED AMONG THE TEAM) - PERSONAL CHOICE
TRAVEL & CANCELLATION INSURANCE
FLIGHT & TRAIN TRAVEL

## KALI SARDA RIVER EXPEDITION: THE NEXT STEPS

Have any questions? [Email us](#)

Ready to go?

Book your place by filling in this [form](#).

Make your payment [here](#).

Once you fill in your form, we'll get in touch with you with all the necessary details.

### PLEASE NOTE:

Filling in the booking form does not guarantee a spot on any trek. You will receive a separate confirmation email once the booking form is submitted.

We look forward to hosting you on your next Adventure!

