

Druk Path Trek

A classic five-day trek between Paro and Thimphu, past a string of alpine lakes and a cliffside monastery.

TRIP LENGTH

9 days / 8 nights

GROUP SIZE

Up to 8

STYLE

Trekking

ACTIVITY LEVEL

Moderate

FROM

Nu. 94,500 per person

One of Bhutan's most popular treks precisely because it connects two towns without a long drive back to the start - you walk out of Paro and down into Thimphu, passing ancient dzong ruins, glacial lakes, and Phajoding Monastery along the way.

Day by day

Day 1 - Arrival in Paro

Paro

Arrive at Paro International Airport.

Includes: Airport pickup

Meals: Lunch, Dinner | Stay: No overnight stay

Day 2 - Paro Valley sightseeing

Paro

Dzong ruins and an old temple, plus a Tiger's Nest viewpoint, before the trek begins.

Includes: Drukgyal Dzong ruins, Kyichu Lhakhang, Tiger's Nest viewpoint

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner | Stay: No overnight stay

Day 3 - Trek to Jele Dzong

Paro

A steep first day climbing to a ridgeline dzong at 3,450m, with views back over Paro.

Includes: Jele Dzong

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner | Stay: No overnight stay

Day 4 - Trek to Tsokam

Paro

A ridge walk through rhododendron forest to camp at 3,780m.

Includes: Ridge trail views

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner | Stay: No overnight stay

Day 5 - Trek to Jimilang Tsho

Thimphu

Reach the first of the trek's alpine lakes, known for its trout.

Includes: Jimilang Tsho lake

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner | Stay: No overnight stay

Day 6 - Trek to Simkotra Tsho

Thimphu

The trek's high point at 4,050m, past a second glacial lake.

Includes: Simkotra Tsho lake

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner | Stay: No overnight stay

Day 7 - Trek to Phajoding, descend to Thimphu

Thimphu

Pass a cliffside monastery complex before descending into the capital.

Includes: Phajoding Monastery

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner | Stay: No overnight stay

Day 8 - Thimphu sightseeing

Thimphu

A rest day exploring the capital's dzong and arts institute.

Includes: Tashichho Dzong, Memorial Chorten, Arts & crafts institute

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner | Stay: No overnight stay

Day 9 - Departure via Paro

Paro

Drive back to Paro for your onward flight.

Includes: Departure transfer

Meals: Breakfast | Stay: No overnight stay

What's included

Included in the price

- + Licensed guide & trek crew
- + Camping equipment
- + Pack animals for gear
- + All meals during the trek
- + Hotel accommodation on non-trek nights

Not included

- International flights
- Sustainable Development Fee (SDF)
- Visa fee
- Personal expenses

Scheduled departures

Prices are per person in Bhutanese ngultrum (BTN), sharing a twin room.

DEPARTS / RETURNS	PRICE	AVAILABILITY
7 Oct 2026 to 15 Oct 2026	Nu. 94,500	Available
12 Oct 2026 to 20 Oct 2026	Nu. 94,500	Available
18 Oct 2026 to 26 Oct 2026	Nu. 94,500	Available

23 Oct 2026 to 31 Oct 2026	Nu. 94,500	Available
6 Nov 2026 to 14 Nov 2026	Nu. 94,500	Available
21 Nov 2026 to 29 Nov 2026	Nu. 94,500	Available
3 Dec 2026 to 11 Dec 2026	Nu. 94,500	Available
14 Jan 2027 to 22 Jan 2027	Nu. 94,500	Available
6 Feb 2027 to 14 Feb 2027	Nu. 94,500	Available
3 Mar 2027 to 11 Mar 2027	Nu. 94,500	Available
16 Mar 2027 to 24 Mar 2027	Nu. 94,500	Available
22 Mar 2027 to 30 Mar 2027	Nu. 94,500	Sold out
8 Apr 2027 to 16 Apr 2027	Nu. 94,500	Available
17 Apr 2027 to 25 Apr 2027	Nu. 94,500	Available
22 Apr 2027 to 30 Apr 2027	Nu. 94,500	Available
6 May 2027 to 14 May 2027	Nu. 94,500	Sold out
16 May 2027 to 24 May 2027	Nu. 94,500	Available
8 Sep 2027 to 16 Sep 2027	Nu. 94,500	Available
12 Sep 2027 to 20 Sep 2027	Nu. 94,500	Limited space
22 Sep 2027 to 30 Sep 2027	Nu. 94,500	Available
7 Oct 2027 to 15 Oct 2027	Nu. 94,500	Available
9 Oct 2027 to 17 Oct 2027	Nu. 94,500	Available
17 Oct 2027 to 25 Oct 2027	Nu. 94,500	Available
23 Oct 2027 to 31 Oct 2027	Nu. 94,500	Available
3 Nov 2027 to 11 Nov 2027	Nu. 94,500	Available
17 Nov 2027 to 25 Nov 2027	Nu. 94,500	Available

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