

Thimphu Tshechu Festival Tour

A week built around Thimphu's autumn Tshechu, one of the largest and most crowded festivals in the country.

TRIP LENGTH

7 days / 6 nights

GROUP SIZE

Up to 12

STYLE

Cultural

ACTIVITY LEVEL

Easy

FROM

Nu. 62,000 per person

Thimphu's Tshechu draws visitors from across Bhutan for three days of masked dances at Tashichho Dzong, ending with the dawn unveiling of a giant appliquéd thangka. This route pairs the festival with the rest of the western circuit.

Day by day

Day 1 - Arrival, Paro sightseeing

Paro

Arrive in Paro and explore the valley's fortress the same day.

Includes: Rinpung Dzong, Paro town

Meals: Lunch, Dinner | Stay: No overnight stay

Day 2 - Transfer to Thimphu, sightseeing

Thimphu

Craft markets and monuments across the capital.

Includes: Tashichho Dzong, Craft market, Memorial Chorten, Buddha Dordenma

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

Day 3 - Thimphu Tshechu Festival

Thimphu

A full day of masked cham dances and the unveiling of a giant sacred thangka.

Includes: Thimphu Tshechu festival

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

Day 4 - Thimphu to Punakha via Dochula

Punakha

The fertility temple, Punakha Dzong, and a riverside suspension bridge.

Includes: Dochula Pass, Chimi Lhakhang, Punakha Dzong, Suspension bridge

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

Day 5 - Punakha to Paro

Paro

A scenic drive back west, with a stop at Wangdue's dzong ruins.

Includes: Wangdue Phodrang Dzong viewpoint

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

Day 6 - Tiger's Nest hike

Paro

Bhutan's signature hike above Paro Valley.

Includes: Paro Taktsang (Tiger's Nest)

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

Day 7 - Departure

Paro

Transfer to the airport for your flight home.

Includes: Departure transfer

Meals: Breakfast | Stay: No overnight stay

What's included

Included in the price

- + Licensed guide
- + Private vehicle & driver
- + Hotel accommodation
- + All meals

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 13 Oct 2026	Nu. 77,500	Available	Festival departure
10 Oct 2026 to 16 Oct 2026	Nu. 77,500	Available	Festival departure
15 Oct 2026 to 21 Oct 2026	Nu. 77,500	Available	Festival departure
21 Oct 2026 to 27 Oct 2026	Nu. 77,500	Available	Festival departure
4 Nov 2026 to 10 Nov 2026	Nu. 62,000	Available	
18 Nov 2026 to 24 Nov 2026	Nu. 62,000	Available	
7 Dec 2026 to 13 Dec 2026	Nu. 62,000	Available	
18 Jan 2027 to 24 Jan 2027	Nu. 62,000	Limited space	
13 Feb 2027 to 19 Feb 2027	Nu. 62,000	Sold out	
3 Mar 2027 to 9 Mar 2027	Nu. 77,500	Available	Festival departure
12 Mar 2027 to 18 Mar 2027	Nu. 77,500	Available	Festival departure
19 Mar 2027 to 25 Mar 2027	Nu. 77,500	Available	Festival departure
7 Apr 2027 to 13 Apr 2027	Nu. 77,500	Available	Festival departure
11 Apr 2027 to 17 Apr 2027	Nu. 77,500	Available	Festival departure
23 Apr 2027 to 29 Apr 2027	Nu. 77,500	Sold out	Festival departure

10 May 2027 to 16 May 2027	Nu. 62,000	Limited space	
15 May 2027 to 21 May 2027	Nu. 62,000	Available	
6 Sep 2027 to 12 Sep 2027	Nu. 77,500	Available	Festival departure
16 Sep 2027 to 22 Sep 2027	Nu. 77,500	Available	Festival departure
23 Sep 2027 to 29 Sep 2027	Nu. 77,500	Available	Festival departure
6 Oct 2027 to 12 Oct 2027	Nu. 77,500	Available	Festival departure
10 Oct 2027 to 16 Oct 2027	Nu. 77,500	Limited space	Festival departure
19 Oct 2027 to 25 Oct 2027	Nu. 77,500	Available	Festival departure
24 Oct 2027 to 30 Oct 2027	Nu. 77,500	Sold out	Festival departure
6 Nov 2027 to 12 Nov 2027	Nu. 62,000	Available	
20 Nov 2027 to 26 Nov 2027	Nu. 62,000	Available	

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Monday - Friday, 9:00 - 17:00 (BST, UTC+6)

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