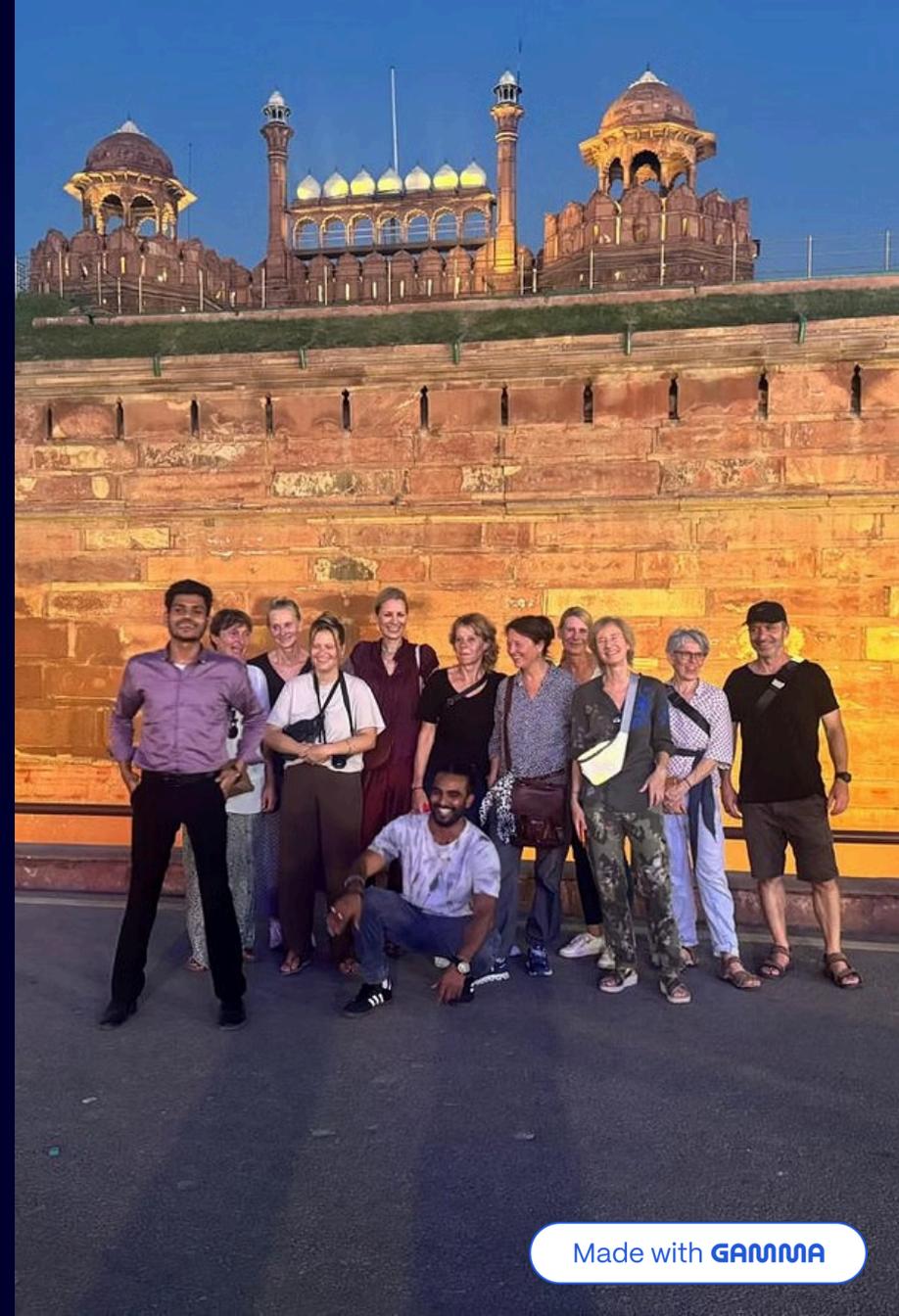


Textile Group Tour India

Day 1: Arrive in Delhi

- New Delhi: Pick up from the airport.
- On the first day, we will have a special walking tour in the old part of Delhi, and we will meet each other in the evening for a welcome dinner to get to know each other.
- Including: breakfast & dinner



Day 2: Delhi - Jaipur

- We will start our journey in the morning and arrive in the afternoon in Jaipur.
 - First stop on our way to Jaipur, we will make at the Hanuman Ji Temple or called Galtaji.
 - Evening is free.
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Day 3: Jaipur (Rajasthan)

Today we will go to Bagru, a city a few kilometers outside Jaipur, to learn about mud resist Indigo block printing. Print your scarf and see behind the scenes of this beautiful skill. In the late afternoon /evening, we suggest you see a movie in the famous Rajmandir Cinema. You will never forget the way Indians watch movies, babies are crying, phones are ringing, and so on... Evening free

Day 4: Jaipur

- In the morning, we visit Amer Fort in Jaipur.
- The famous Anokhi Museum of Hand Printing is our next visit.
- In the afternoon, we will have a tour around Jaipur with visiting Hawa Mahal from outside and seeing more of the Pink City.
- Evening free

Day 5: Jaipur

Today we will have our next and last Block Print Workshop. See behind this beautiful technique and print your scarf. The rest of the day is free. Enjoy the City of Jaipur or just relax in our beautiful Hotel. Evening free

Day 6: Jaipur - Pushkar (3-4 hours)

Our next destination is Pushkar. We will arrive there in the afternoon. The holy lake of Pushkar is surrounded by numerous ghats and temples. The lake was formed when Lord Brahma dropped a lotus flower here, and it's an important pilgrimage site for Hindu people. It has the world's only temple of Lord Brahma (God of creation). Walk around in town and enjoy the Pushkar shopping market. Free day



Day 7 : Pushkar - Agra (7-8 hours)

A full day journey will bring us to Agra. We will start early in the morning and we will arrive in Agra in the evening. On the way to Agra, we have the chance to visit Fatehpur Sikri, which is a world heritage site of UNESCO. Relax and free evening.

Day 8 : October Agra - Orchha (5 hours)

Early morning, we will visit the famous incredible Taj Mahal for sunrise, a world UNESCO heritage site. Our journey to Orchha, which is in the state of Madhya Pradesh, takes about 5 -6 hours. The rather quiet town is especially known for its palaces and temples. Enjoy a free evening.



Day 9: Orchha

In the morning, we will visit the Fort of Orchha. Later on, we will take a shopping walk in the vegetable market to purchase our food for the cooking class. A local family will teach us to cook real Indian food, of which we will never be able to eat back home in our Indian restaurants. After lunch, you can explore Orchha by yourself. Evening free.

Day 10 : Orchha - Khajuraho (4 - 5 hours)

- In the morning, we will start to Khajuraho.
 - In the afternoon, explore the city and the famous Kamasutra Temple.
 - Evening free.
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Day 11: Khajuraho - Varanasi (9 Hours)

A whole day's journey brings us to Varanasi, the holiest city in India, on the banks of the River Ganges in Uttar Pradesh. According to Hindu mythology, Varanasi was founded by Shiva. Devout Hindus should bathe in Varanasi in the Ganges, as well as to die there once and be burned. Along the river, there are miles of step-like stairs called ghats. On one side of the ghats, believing Hindus are taking baths, and a few meters further, the corpses of the deceased are burned. Evening free

Day 12: Varanasi

In the morning, we will make a shopping walk in the vegetable market to purchase our food for our last cooking class. In the evening, we will have a boat ride tour on the River Ganges to see the famous ceremony of Varanasi. Evening free

Day 13: Varanasi full day

After breakfast, we will check out of the hotel. (The luggage we can keep in our Bus) In the morning, we will visit local families who are working on handloom producing Indian silk saris and scarves. We will get a very special and private insight into their work. By the evening, our driver will drop us at the train station of Varanasi to catch the overnight train back to Delhi.

Day 14: Departure from Delhi

This will be the last day of our trip, on which we will say goodbye!

In case your flight in Delhi is late in the evening and you wish to have a Hotel, please let us know, we can arrange for you (extra charge)