

5 Days Trek Kedarkantha Trek

Rs.4,000/- PP

Sankri to Sankri

Package Option: INR 5499/- Dehradun to Dehradun



Trek Highlights

Easiest trail with a 360-degree view of the whole Himalayan range.

As at the top there is a small temple dedicated to Lord Shiva and goddess Parvati and a small shrine of Lord Ganesh too.

In Kedarkantha peak you can treat your eyes with following valleys that are - Swargarohini, Gangotri, Kalanaag, Yamunotri & Bandarpooch.



Best Time to Visit: Oct, Nov, Dec, Jan, Feb



Veg Meals



Uttarakhand



Short Itinerary

Day 1: Dehradun to Sankri.

- **Altitude Sankri:** 6,400 Ft.
- **Drive Duration:** 220 km | 10 Hours

Day 2: Sankri to Juda-ka-Talab.

- **Altitude Juda-ka-Talab:** 9,100 Ft.
- **Trek Distance:** 4-5 km | 4-5 Hours

Day 3: Juda-ka-Talab to Kedarkantha Base Camp.

- **Altitude Kedarkantha Base Camp:** 10,100 Ft.
- **Trek Distance:** 4 km | 2-3 Hours

Day 4: Kedarkantha Base Camp to Kedarkantha Peak, Descend to Juda-ka-Talab.

- **Altitude Kedarkantha Peak:** 11,800 Ft.
- **Trek Distance:** 6-7 km | 7-8 Hours (Including ascent and descent)

Day 5: Juda-ka-Talab to Sankri and Drive to Dehradun.

- **Altitude Sankri:** 6,400 Ft.
- **Trek Distance:** 4-5 km | 3-4 Hours
- **Drive Duration:** 220 km | 10 Hours



DAY: 01



Dehradun to Sankri

The Kedarkantha Trek begins with a scenic drive from Dehradun to Sankri, a small village nestled in the Govind Wildlife Sanctuary in Uttarakhand. The journey covers a distance of around 200+ km, taking you through winding hill roads, quaint villages, and the beautiful Tons River Valley. Along the way, you'll pass through places like Nainbagh, Purola, and Moriana, all offering views of lush forests and snow-capped peaks, depending on the season.

Once you reach Sankri, you'll be welcomed by the cool mountain breeze and picturesque views of the surrounding Himalayan ranges. This village will serve as the base for your trek. You can take some time to relax, have a meal, and prepare for the trek ahead. It's also a good time to check your gear and enjoy the peaceful surroundings before the adventure begins.



DAY: 02



Sankri to Juda-ka-Talab

On the second day, the trek begins with a gradual climb through dense pine forests and some open meadows. The trail takes you through a mix of oak, pine, and deodar trees, where you may encounter wildlife like monal (the Himalayan bird), wild boars, and perhaps even Himalayan tahrs.

The first stop is Juda-ka-Talab, a serene and scenic lake surrounded by trees. During the winter months, the lake often freezes, making it a picturesque sight for trekkers. The lake's surroundings are peaceful, and it is a perfect camping spot. The area is ideal for stargazing, offering clear skies and minimal light pollution. The night sky over the mountains is spectacular, offering a chance to see the Milky Way and countless constellations.



DAY: 03



Juda-ka-Talab to Kedarkantha Base Camp

On Day 3, you'll start the trek towards Kedarkantha Base Camp, the last campsite before your summit attempt. The climb is relatively gradual but continues to increase in altitude. As you ascend, you'll witness panoramic views of the Swargarohini, Black Peak, and Fool's Peak, which stand tall in the background.

As you get closer to the base camp, you will notice the changing landscape—snow-capped peaks, wide meadows, and boulder-strewn paths. The Kedarkantha Base Camp offers one of the best views of the surrounding mountains. This is where you'll spend some time acclimatizing before heading for the summit. It's a great place to relax and enjoy the views.



DAY: 04



Kedarkantha Base Camp to Kedarkantha Peak, Descend to Juda-ka-Talab

Day 4 is the highlight of the trek—the summit day. You'll start your day early, usually around 3 AM, to make the ascent to Kedarkantha Peak in time for sunrise. The trail to the summit is steep and covered with snow (during winter), so be prepared for a physically demanding climb. The effort is well worth it, as the summit offers one of the best panoramic views in the region.

At the top of Kedarkantha Peak, at an altitude of 12,500 feet, you'll be greeted by breathtaking views of the Himalayan range, including Swargarohini, Black Peak, Gangotri Peaks, and Banderpoonch. The snow-covered landscape, with the sun rising over the peaks, creates an unforgettable experience.

After spending some time at the summit, taking photos, and soaking in the views, you will begin your descent back to Juda-ka-Talab. The descent is easier but can be tricky in places due to the snow. Upon reaching Juda-ka-Talab, you can rest and recover from the strenuous day.



DAY: 05



Juda-ka-Talab to Sankri and Drive to Dehradun

On the final day of the trek, you'll make your way back to Sankri. The descent is generally easier and quicker than the ascent. You'll follow the same trail through forests and meadows, which will give you a chance to reflect on the journey you've completed. The descent will take about 3-4 hours, depending on your pace.

Once you arrive at Sankri, you'll begin the drive back to Dehradun. The journey from Sankri to Dehradun takes about 10 hours, and the scenic drive offers one last opportunity to enjoy the beauty of the Tons River Valley and the Govind Wildlife Sanctuary.

Inclusion

- Accommodation using guest house in Sankri 1 Night and 3 Night Trekking Tent Triple or Quad.
- Meals as specified in the itinerary (Breakfast, Lunch, Evening Snacks, Dinner) (it will be basic Indian vegetarian Meals).
- Complementary Trekking Gears – Microspikes and Gaiters.
- Experienced Trekking Guide.
- Basic First Aid Kit (Please do carry your personal medicine).
- Experience trekking Cook for the Trek.
- Trekking Crew.
- Trekking Permits and Permissions.
- All necessary Camping Equipment's:-
 1. Sleeping Tents.
 2. Dining Tents.
 3. Kitchen Tents.
 4. Toilet Tents.
 5. Sleeping Bags (You may also carry your own sleeping bags as per your comfortability).
 6. Sleeping Liners (We do provide the same, however its recommend to carry your own for comfort).
 7. Sleeping Mattress.

Exclusion

- Any kind of Travel / Health Insurance (Himalaya Yatri strictly recommend each traveller to please carry your own travel / health insurance).
- Trekking Shoes, Trekking Jacket, Trekking Sticks.
- Any Meals / Snacks / Beverages in during trip.
- Any of Cost for Airfare, Train fare.
- Any kind of medical expenses.
- Accommodation and Meals in Dehradun (Will be subject to additional cost).
- Any tips, laundry, Phone call, liquors, mineral water, camera fee or any other personal nature expenses.
- Airport pickup and drop services (Will be subject to additional cost).
- Any other fee / charges not mentioned in the cost included section.
- Backpack offloading charges, the backpack should not weigh more than 10 kgs. Suitcases/strollers/duffel bags will not be allowed (Subject to additional cost).

Points To Note

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- Please note trekking / driving time given in the program are approximate and it may vary due to break for refreshments, photography, bad weather and Road conditions.
- Pre Packing list will be shared with you once you have booked and confirmed the trek.
- Don not carry any expensive belongings, lockers storage facilities are not liable and guaranteed, please be responsible for your own

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