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# **TRAVEL PLAN**

Dear Traveler

Greetings from ALifetimeTrip

Thank you for choosing us for your travel needs.

Please find herewith all the relevant details (Itinerary, Accommodation) for your trip to 5N6D- Jaipur, Mandawa & Jodhpur Tour.Kindly take a moment to review these.

The travel plan is totally customizable. Please reach your tour planner and ask for changes that you would like to incorporate in your vacation.

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**Detailed Itinerary** 

# Tour Itinerary: Jaipur(2N)-Mandawa(1N)-Jodhpur(2N)

## Day 1: Jaipur Arrival, overnight at Jaipur

Upon your arrival in Jaipur, your driver will greet you at Jaipur Airport/Railway Station and transfer you to your Hotel. Check in and after some rest, if time permits,proceed to visit Chokhi Dhani-the traditional ethnic village. Overnight stay at jaipur

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#### Day 2: Jaipur city tour

After breakfast proceed to visit city attractions covering Amber Fort. Enjoy Feel like a maharaja from the past as you ride up to Amber Fort on an elephant outfitted with traditional Indian draperies. Later visit Hawa Mahal, Jantar Mantar (observatory), City Palace & Museum. Overnight stay at hotel

## Day 3: Jaipur to Mandawa (170 kms/ 3 hrs)

After breakfast, check out from the hotel and proceed to Mandawa. On arrival at Mandawa, check in to your hotel. The desert villages of Mandawa are celebrated for their painted havelis (palaces) that go back to 18th century. Then there is the Mandawa Fort that was built by Thakur Nawal Singh in 1755 AD. The fort has now been converted into a heritage hotel and Visitors have to pay a sum of Rs. 500 to visit the fort. Overnight stay at hotel.

#### Day 4: Mandawa to Jodhpur (350 kms/ 6 hrs)

After breakfast, check out from the hotel and transfer to Jodhpur. Upon arrival check-in at your hotel. Founded in 1459 by Rao Jodha, Jodhpur was the capital of the state of Marwar during the rule of the Rathor clan. Set at the edge of Thar Desert, Jodhpur is strewn with forts and palaces that date as back as the 15th century, all vividly testifying to the history of the princely state. Overnight stay at Jodhpur.

#### Day 5: Jodhpur city tour

Jodhpur is actually blue. You will get to know this when you would be in the buzzling and glittering old city of Jodhpur. Some say that the on the orders of the founder of Jodhpur, Rao Jodha, the city was painted blue. Others say that the blue houses belong to the brahmins where other non brahmins too got involved in the act. There is yet another theory that says blue tint repels insects. Here stands the mighty and muscular Mehrangarh- a formidable and impressive hilltop fort. A series of gates lead to the Fort Jayapol built by Maharaja Man Singh in 1806 and the Fatehpol or Victory Gate, erected by Maharaja Ajit Singh to celebrate his victory over the Mughals. The main gate is the Lahapol, an iron gate besides which there are 15 hand prints which are the Sati Marks of Maharaja Man Singhs widows who threw themselves upon his funeral pyre in 1843. Inside the fort, visit the palaces Moti Mahal or Pearl Palace, the Sukh Mahal or Pleasure Palace and the Phool Mahal or Flower Palace. Continue the tour to visit the Jaswant Thada, a marble cenotaph built in 1899 as a memorial to Maharaja Jaswant Singh II. In the evening, stroll around in the vibrant markets of Jodhpur, to take back home antiques, bandhini, footwears, Mathaniyas red chillies and more.

#### Day 6: Jodhpur drop at Airport / Railway Station

After breakfast, check out from the hotel and transfers to Airport/ Railway Station for your