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Everest Base Camp Helicopter Tour

- Duration: 1 Days Days
- Max Altitude: 5,555 m
- Destination: Nepal
- Trip Grade: Very Easy
- Best Season: All Year

Highlights

- **Mount Everest Base Camp Helicopter Tour**, offers a unique and exhilarating experience to witness the majestic Mount Everest and the surrounding Himalayan region.
- **Aerial View of Mount Everest:** The highlight of the helicopter tour is the incredible aerial view of Mount Everest, the highest peak in the world. You'll get a close-up view of this iconic mountain and witness its grandeur from a unique perspective. Seeing Everest's towering peak and snow-covered slopes is a breathtaking and awe-inspiring experience.
- **Scenic Mountain Views:** The helicopter tour lets you enjoy panoramic views of the entire Everest region. You'll fly over stunning mountain ranges, including Lhotse, Nuptse, Ama Dablam, and many other peaks. The aerial perspective provides a comprehensive view of the Himalayan landscape and offers an unmatched visual spectacle.
- **Efficient Time-Saving Experience:** Helicopter tours to Everest Base Camp offer a time-saving alternative to traditional trekking to Everest Base Camp. Instead of trekking for several days, you can reach the Everest region quickly and efficiently by helicopter. This allows you to maximize your time and experience the beauty of the Himalayas even if you have limited time available.
- **Close-up Views of Sherpa Villages:** As you fly to Everest Base Camp, you'll get a close-up view of the traditional Sherpa villages nestled amidst the mountains. Villages like [Namche Bazaar](#), Tengboche, and Dingboche offer a glimpse into the local Sherpa culture and their way of life. The helicopter tour provides a unique perspective on these settlements and lets you appreciate their remoteness and beauty.
- **Landing at Everest Base Camp or Kala Patthar:** Depending on the [tour package](#), some helicopter tours offer the opportunity to land either at Everest Base Camp or Kala Patthar, a nearby viewpoint famous for its panoramic views of Everest. This gives you a chance to step on the iconic base camp or witness the breathtaking views from Kala Patthar, providing an unforgettable experience.

- **Safety and Comfort:** Helicopter tours offer a comfortable and safe way to explore the Everest region. You'll be accompanied by experienced pilots knowledgeable about the area, ensuring a smooth and enjoyable journey. The helicopters provide a comfortable and spacious cabin, allowing you to relax and soak in the beauty of the Himalayas.
- **Unique Photographic Opportunities:** The helicopter tour offers incredible photographic opportunities. From the aerial perspective, you can capture stunning shots of the mountains, valleys, and landscapes below. The clarity and uniqueness of the views from a helicopter make for exceptional photographs and lasting memories.

Overview

Everest Base Camp Helicopter Tour

Everest Helicopter Tour provides a thrilling and unforgettable experience, allowing you to witness the beauty of the Everest region from a completely different vantage point. Whether you have limited time or prefer a more convenient way to explore the Himalayas, these tours offer an extraordinary adventure. Everest Base Camp is one of the most sought-after destinations for adventurers and mountaineers worldwide.

An Everest Helicopter Tour might be the perfect option to explore this wonder without the grueling trek. The [Everest Tour](#) takes you to the foot of the tallest mountain in the world, Mount Everest. This helicopter tour is not just a journey but an experience that combines adventure, beauty, and spirituality. With its soaring peaks, vast glaciers, and ancient culture, the Everest region is beyond comparison.

Do you dream of seeing Mount Everest but do not quite fancy spending a few weeks hiking there? Well, don't worry - we have the solution for you. We can take you on an Everest base camp tour by helicopter in just one day - within 4 to 5 hours- in the comfort and thrill of a helicopter!

Therefore, this is ideal for anyone unable to trek, with limited time, or not keen on hiking. However, if this doesn't sound like you, but you still fancy the thrill of the helicopter ride, then why not combine the helicopter ride with one of our many trekking packages? You can still experience the sights on foot, but you can cut down on your journey and enjoy the tour's adventure.

Day Trip

Everest Base Camp Helicopter Landing Tour

1. **Kathmandu to Lukla**
2. **Lukla to Everest View Point**
3. **Everest View Point to Pheriche / Lobuche**
4. **Kala Patthar**
5. **Return to Lukla**
6. **Lukla to Kathmandu**

We'll pick you up from your hotel in the morning and drive to the airport. You will board your Everest base camp's best helicopter tour to Lukla from here, and the excitement will begin! Flying early in the morning, the skies should be clear as we fly east, enjoying panoramic views of Kathmandu before heading

toward the mountains. On our thrilling ride, we will fly above Himalayan peaks before you land at Lukla, a mountaintop Sherpa settlement known as the 'Gateway to Everest.' We will land at Tenzing-Hillary Airport to refuel and explore before returning to the mountains.

Fly from Lukla to Everest Base Camp, stopping at Kala Patthar (5550m/19,290ft). Enjoy breathtaking views of glacial rivers, Sherpa settlements, and majestic monasteries as we get back on board and fly over the emerald Gokyo Lakes, their sparkling turquoise waters contrasting with the icy-white frozen glaciers.

As we reach Everest Base Camp, your helicopter will hover over the expedition groups as they attempt to scale Mount Everest. If it's the climbing season, the snow-covered landscape will be filled with colorful tents, creating a beautiful patchwork for you to observe from above. Surrounding the trekkers, you can view the broad glacial basin of Western Cwm, Khumbu Icefall, and Khumbu Glacier.

The helicopter will then get in touch in Kala Patthar. *At 5545m, you are almost at the foot of Mount Everest and can take in the atmosphere as you are surrounded by one of the most incredible views on Earth.* A chain of some of the highest peaks in the World rises around you as you soak in the views and take pictures.

Due to the height, *the air here is thin, and oxygen levels are low.* So, to ensure you are not affected by the altitude, we will only stop here for 10 to 15 minutes before flying onto Shyangboche. Breakfast at Shyangboche (30-40 minutes) and fly back to Kathmandu.

Our next stop is in Shyangboche, where we will step off the helicopter for 20 - 40 minutes and enjoy one of the most magical breakfasts of your life. Flanked by the frozen walls of Ama Dablam, Thamserku, and Khumbu Himal, you can celebrate the completion of this beautiful tour.

What To Expect?

What's included

- Pick up / drop from your hotel to the airport.

What's not included

- Wind proof Jacket
- Camera

About to Know Everest base camp helicopter tours:

How long is the flight to Everest Base Camp in Helicopter?

The helicopter flight to Everest Base Camp from Kathmandu takes about 4-5 hours. When you board the helicopter, you will land in Lukla for fuel or directly at Hotel Everest View for complimentary breakfast. Then, you will visit Everest Base Camp and even reach Kala Patthar to take some fantastic photos.

What does the Everest Base Camp helicopter tour include?

Most of the Everest Base Camp Helicopter Tour consists of essential services like helicopter tours to and from the base camp, meals and refreshments in the Hotel Everest View, and sightseeing around the base camp, Gorakhshep, and Kala Patthar.

Can I fly to the top of Mount Everest during my helicopter tour?

No, during your Everest Base Camp Tour, you will only fly up to the base camp point and Kala Patthar, whose maximum elevation is 5,644m. Furthermore, you can't travel to the top of Mount Everest in a helicopter as the maximum elevation you can gain from it is 7,900 meters due to air pressure.

Is it safe to fly to Everest Base Camp?

Yes, flying to Everest Base Camp is safe, especially if you are flying in ideal weather conditions. However, there are always specific known and unknown risks involved. Nepal's pilots are well-trained and skilled. They also follow strict instructions and protocols and have excellent safety records.

Should I be physically fit to take a helicopter tour to Everest ?

Although the Helicopter tour doesn't require physical activities like a trek, getting physically fit will help you indirectly, like keeping you safe from altitude sickness, dehydration, and fatigue at high altitudes.

Can I book a one-way helicopter tour everest base camp?

You can book a one-way helicopter tour at Everest Base Camp, cheaper than a two-way flight. After landing in Hotel Everest View and exploring EBC, the helicopter returns, and you will have to return using another means of transport.

How much does the Everest Base Camp helicopter tour cost?

Everest Base Camp Helicopter Tour costs vary depending on whether it is a private or group tour. A private tour costs around \$1100-\$1500, and a private helicopter tour costs around \$4500.

Is the Everest Base Camp Helicopter Tour suitable for all ages?

The helicopter tour of EBC is suitable for travelers of all ages because it does not require much physical exertion. However, there might be some risk for children under seven and elders above 70 since the oxygen level will be lower at high altitudes.

Is the Everest helicopter tour worth it?

The EBC helicopter tour is a luxurious but once-in-a-lifetime experience that will give you a Himalayan adventure experience without the stress of the day-to-day trek.

How long is the helicopter ride from Lukla to Everest Base Camp?

The Everest Base Camp Helicopter ride takes only about 25 to 30 minutes. This helicopter tour can also be a way or two-way trip.

Additional Information

The **Everest Helicopter Tour** is a scenic flight that offers breathtaking views of the highest peak in the world, Mount Everest. This tour usually starts from Kathmandu, the capital city of Nepal, and takes you to the vicinity of Mount Everest, providing close-up views of the mountain range.

Duration: The Everest helicopter tour typically lasts about 4-5 hours, including the flight time to and from Mount Everest and a stop for lunch at a local lodge.

Flight Route: The Everest helicopter tour usually follows the standard flight route, which includes a stop at the Syangboche airport near Namche Bazaar and a fly-by of the [Khumbu Glacier](#), Mount Everest South Base Camp, and the summit of Mount Everest.

+6 Comfort: The helicopters used for the tour are modern, well-maintained, and equipped with comfortable seats, large windows, and climate control.

Safety: Experienced pilots operate the flight, and the helicopters have all the necessary safety equipment. However, it is always best to check with the operator about their safety record and policies.

Best Seasons for Everest Base Camp Helicopter with landing flight

For the best [experience of a Mount Everest](#) helicopter tour, it is recommended that you plan it during the autumn or spring seasons. A journey on an Everest base camp helicopter with a landing flight during these seasons is a lifetime experience.

You'll be able to see the world's highest, Mount Everest, and its surroundings because of the clear sky and stable weather during the Autumn and Spring seasons. The base camp helicopter tour is an adventure that forever holds a special place in your heart. And the memories of the breathtaking view of The Everest helicopter flight tour will be unforgettable for your whole life.

Spring Season (March-May)

Spring is the peak season, offering a pleasant change to the [Everest region](#). Stable weather and a bright sky provide uninterrupted views of Mount Everest and its surrounding peaks. The vibrant colors of blooming rhododendrons and flowers also provide an amazing view of the mountains, allowing you to enjoy the region's beauty.

Helicopter tours have become a popular way of providing a unique viewpoint and an unforgettable experience. The views open like an extraordinary story of nature's beauty, and the helicopter journey is a decision you won't regret.

Spring is the perfect time of year to capture the actual spirit of Everest and its surrounding peaks because of its pleasant temperatures, clear sky, and vibrant colors. Visiting the Everest base camp with helicopter flights and having Everest helicopter tours will be more enjoyable.

Autumn season (September-November)

The Everest helicopter tour in the Autumn season is another unforgettable experience. It provides amazing views of the Himalayan peaks, including Mount Everest. Autumn is a much-awaited season with fresh and clean air. The beautiful sky lets you see the Himalayan peaks in all their glory.

Autumn provides you with a comfortable and safe helicopter trip with peaceful weather. Daytime

temperatures are mild and pleasant, making enjoying every moment of your journey relaxing. The hillsides in autumn are a rainbow of colors, creating a beautiful view with a golden, orange, and red variety of leaves.

An Everest base camp tour provides a unique opportunity as you fly through snow-capped peaks, green hills, and stunning valleys, connecting with nature's beauty. The memories you created in your heart throughout the journey will remain forever.

Mount Everest Helicopter Tour Package

An Everest helicopter tour Package usually includes a round trip from [Kathmandu to Everest Base Camp](#). Some packages include stops at various locations, such as the Everest View Hotel in Syanboche, where you can have breakfast or a cup of tea. These packages often include the necessary permits and sometimes refreshments.

From Syanboche, you can get close-up breathtaking panoramic views of the Himalayas, including iconic peaks like Mount Everest, Lhotse, and Amadablam. Joining a group of helicopter tour packages is a great way to save on flying costs. When you and four other passengers join together for a helicopter ride, the total charter cost splits among all of you.

Everest Base Camp Helicopter Landing Cost

Everest Heli tour costs range from \$1,350 to \$6000. However, prices may have changed since then. It's important to note that the cost can vary depending on various factors, such as the time of year, the number of people in your group, and the inclusions in the package.

Everest Base Camp Helicopter Tour Package

If you are willing to tour the Everest region through a private helicopter and private trip, you have to pay more than you are paying for a group helicopter. The Everest base camp tour costs \$5500 if you ask for a private blissful helicopter flight.

- Private Helicopter - 2 Persons: US \$ 2850 Each Person.
- Private Helicopter - 5 Persons: US \$ 2500 Each Person.

Group Join Helicopter trip to the Everest Cost

Suppose you come from your country to Nepal with some of your friends and have less time to visit the Everest base camp. The group joining the Everest helicopter tour is for you. If you're alone but love to interact with others, the group Everest helicopter tour is also suitable for you. Helicopter flights cost around \$1350 - \$1500 for an EBC helicopter tour if you join a group helicopter tour.

Your EBC helicopter tour will begin at the Tribhuvan International Kathmandu domestic airport. Our team will pick you up from your hotel early in the morning and bring you to the airport. As you arrive at the airport, your heli tour to [Everest base camp adventure](#) and the excitement will grow.

Why Doesn't a Helicopter Land at Everest Base Camp?

Successfully landing a helicopter at Everest Base Camp is quite a difficult one. Conquering the high altitude, navigating through unpredictable weather conditions, and tackling the challenging terrain is no easy feat.

You might be wondering why helicopters do not directly land at Everest base camp, although *Everest base camp marks the beginning of the challenging trek towards Mount Everest*. Here is the answer for your reason why:

- Everest Base Camp is 5,364 meters above sea level, so it is challenging for helicopters to generate enough lift to land safely and take off.
- The thin air at high altitudes affects helicopter engines. Reducing air density reduces engine power, affecting the helicopter's ability to lift off the ground safely after landing.
- The weather conditions around Everest are unpredictable, such as strong winds, low visibility, or snowfall, which can cause significant risks during landing and takeoff.
- There aren't many options for safe landing spots because Everest Base Camp has difficult and rocky ground, making landing difficult and sometimes risky.
- Helicopter landings at Everest Base Camp aren't available to preserve the precious environment and reduce human impact on the beautiful Himalayan surroundings.

Everest Base Camp Heli Landing Tour

The most thrilling part of the tour is the landing. Landing near Everest Base Camp, which is Kala Pathar, allows you to experience the grandeur of the Himalayas from a close angle. Standing among the towering peaks and breathing in the crisp mountain air is indescribable.

- **Book in advance:** The *Everest base camp helicopter tour with landing* is trendy; You should book in advance to secure your spot.
- **Choose the right time:** The best times for the Everest Helicopter Tour are spring (March to May) and autumn (September to November) when the weather is most stable.
- **Carry essentials:** Bring your camera, sunglasses, sunscreen, and warm clothing.
- **Be aware of altitude:** Altitude sickness can be a concern, so it's important to be aware of its symptoms and communicate with your pilot if you feel unwell.

Our Helicopter service in the Everest regions

The Journey Begins: Kathmandu to Lukla Airport

The EBC Helicopter Tour starts from Tribhuvan International Airport in Kathmandu. The initial leg of the journey takes you to Lukla, a small town situated at 2,860 meters, known as the gateway to Everest. This flight offers views of terraced landscapes, flowing rivers, and the first glimpses of the snow-capped Himalayas.

Lukla to Everest Base Camp

From Lukla, the helicopter heads deeper into the Khumbu region. Along the way, you will witness some of the most famous peaks, including Ama Dablam, Thamserku, Kantega, and Lhotse. Depending on your package, the helicopter will approach Everest Base Camp or land at Kala Patthar.

After the exhilarating experience at the base camp, the helicopter begins its journey back to Kathmandu. Some tours offer additional experiences, like visiting the ancient Tengboche Monastery or stopping at the Everest View Hotel.

Lukla to Everest View Hotel on Helicopter

When we reach Lukla, we land a helicopter at **Tenzing Hiallry airport** to refuel it. When unloading the fuel, you'll have enough time for refreshments there. You'll also get a chance to see another helicopter land there. Lukla Airport is your starting point for an amazing journey.

After refilling the fuel, you'll continue your journey to Hotel Everest View. This luxurious hotel lies at an altitude of 3880m and provides 360-degree views of the surroundings. The Everest View Hotel provides access to the region's natural beauty.

Visitors can see the surrounding views and discover the rich biodiversity and unique Sherpa culture there. Adventure seekers can take part in thrilling activities like hiking and mountain biking.

Helicopter Flight From Everest View Hotel to Pheriche

After leaving from the Everest View Hotel, your next flight is Pheriche. Located at an altitude of 4371m, Pheriche provides an amazing view of mountains, including Ama Dablam and Lhotse. Pheriche is a starting point for several renowned trekking routes, including the famous [Everest Base Camp Trek](#) and the risky Island Peak Climbing Tour.

Trekkers can visit stunning valleys, massive forests, and charming Sherpa communities while taking in the natural beauty of the Himalayas. Pheriche is an attractive place that embodies the spirit of the Himalayas, making it a rewarding trip for those who visit.

Pheriche encourages trekkers to develop the spirit of adventure and immerse themselves in the glory of the Everest area, which has breathtaking views and a rich cultural heritage.

Helicopter Flight From Pheriche to Kalapathar

After immersing yourself in the amazing Pheriche, you'll have a helicopter flight to Kalapatthar. At an altitude of 5644m, Kalapatthar is where you will take some rest by seeing amazing surroundings.

The Kalapatthar View is a place that perfectly represents the beauty of the Himalayas. In the presence of these mountains, you'll feel amazed and deeply connected to the beauty of nature.

Kalapathar to Everest Base Camp Trek

Once you reach Kalapatthar by helicopter, you cannot take an extra flight. You have to trek to continue your journey. It is about 4.5 km to the Everest base camp from Kala Patthar, which takes 2-3 hours to walk. The trek is short, but the high altitude and challenging surroundings can make the trek physically demanding.

Trekkers should move ahead slowly, sometimes rest to adjust to the altitude, and see amazing Himalayan views. After climbing from Kala Patthar to Everest Base Camp, the sense of achievement is truly incomparable and makes the entire trek worthy.

Packages and Itinerary Options

The Mount Everest heli tour can be tailored to different preferences and budgets. The standard Everest Base Camp Best Helicopter Tour package usually includes a round trip from Kathmandu to Everest Base Camp, with a landing at Kala Patthar for the most magnificent view of Mount Everest.

Some tour packages also offer a stop at the famous Everest View Hotel, known for its stunning panorama of the Himalayas. Here, you can enjoy breakfast with a truly unmatched view.

How safe is the Everest helicopter tour?

Reputable and experienced tour operators consider the Everest helicopter tour relatively safe. These operators prioritize passenger safety and follow strict rules to ensure a comfortable and secure experience. Skilled, licensed pilots familiar with the area conduct flights to ensure the journey's safety.

The Everest helicopter tour provides an exciting experience of seeing the Himalayas and Mount Everest in their full beauty. Safety is the top priority for tour operators, and strong safeguards are in place to ensure a safe and pleasant journey. Travelers can go on this once-in-a-lifetime journey by choosing reputable operators, understanding safety regulations, and enjoying the excitement of adventure.

As mentioned earlier, *some packages include a stop at the Everest View Hotel during your Everest helicopter tour.* This hotel is well-known for offering one of the best views of Mount Everest. Additionally, there are other attractions like the Tengboche Monastery, one of the region's most important monasteries.

One concern during the Base Camp Helicopter Tour is the altitude. It is important to listen to your body and communicate with the pilot or guide if you feel any symptoms of altitude sickness. The helicopters have oxygen for emergencies.

Weather & Climate Change For Everest Helicopter Tour

The weather plays a crucial role in determining the quality of your experience during the Everest helicopter tour. You'll be flying at a high altitude in an area where the weather can change fast, and there are often heavy winds. You could feel unpleasant things in either situation, which might be dangerous.

For the best experience, *Schedule your Everest helicopter tour when the weather is at its clearest.* This way, you can enjoy a breathtaking aerial view of the region with high visibility and minimal wind speeds. The Everest base camp tour is best during the dry season, as the sky is usually clearer than during the rainy months.

March and April are the best months for the Everest helicopter tour. This month's weather conditions are great, with clear visibility and low wind speeds. If you fly during March or April, you can witness the stunning Mt. Everest and its majestic peaks while minimizing potential risks.

Things You Should Carry During Everest Helicopter Tour

We'll start our thrilling journey to Everest Base Camp early in the morning. Before we take off, we'll ensure the weather is stable. As seasoned travelers, we are always prepared for any unexpected weather changes during our trips. Here are some common items that travelers typically require for the Everest Base Camp Helicopter trip.

- Base layer proper clothing
- Windproof down jacket
- Sunglasses
- Sun hat
- Comfortable shoes with warm socks
- Water bottle
- Passport and other important documents
- Tissue paper
- Sunscreen and lip balm
- Basic first aid supplies

Note: If the group exceeds the weight limit, there will be an additional charge of \$1500 per shuttle, divided among the group members.

How to Book a Private Everest Helicopter Landing Tour?

We have been providing this service for a decade if you're interested in booking a private Everest helicopter tour. Our team consists of experienced professionals. Please feel free to contact us for more information.

Service in the Everest Helicopter Tours

If you have free time and want to trek the whole journey by foot, you can also experience that, but when returning from the Everest base camp trek, you might feel like you need help. Altitude sickness may hit you in that condition. We are always ready to help you.

You can even take a [Gorakshep helicopter flight to reach Kathmandu](#). You will land directly at Kathmandu airport by taking the facility from Gorakshep. You can even take a Lukla helicopter flight or even from Pheriche.

You can contact us anytime. From wherever you take a flight, you'll land at Kathmandu domestic airport in Kathmandu Valley. We are always ready to serve you.

Everest Base Camp Trek Vs. Everest Helicopter Tour

Everest Base Camp Trek	Everest Helicopter Tour
<p>The Everest Base Camp Trek is a well-known route that begins in Lukla and continues through beautiful towns, greenery, and stunning landscapes to Mount Everest's base camp.</p>	<p>The Everest Helicopter Tour departs from Kathmandu and takes you on a helicopter journey in the Khumbu region, providing a unique viewpoint on the world's tallest peak.</p>
<p>The trek offers breathtaking vistas of giant mountains like Ama Dablam, Lhotse, and Nuptse and goes through the Sagarmatha National Park, a UNESCO World Heritage site.</p>	<p>This exciting journey provides amazing views of the Himalayan peaks and lush valleys, making it a great option for limited-time travelers.</p>

The trekking route requires good fitness and stamina because the trek continues for 12 to 14 days.	The helicopter tour provides a comfortable and convenient journey to Everest Base Camp without a physically demanding trek.
Different problems can arise during trekking in Everest base camp, including high altitude sickness.	Altitude sickness might be a problem on the Everest Helicopter Tour.
You can immerse yourself in the Sherpa culture.	You cannot immerse deeply in the Sherpa culture.

The [helicopter tour to Everest base camp](#) is not just a journey but an experience for a lifetime. With the majestic Everest as the backdrop, this tour encapsulates the Himalayas' beauty, majesty, and spirit in a way few other experiences can match. Whether you are an adventure enthusiast, a photographer, or someone looking to experience the Himalayas most majestically, this helicopter tour is for you.

Booking Your Tour

Choose a reputable company when booking your [Everest helicopter tour package](#). Read reviews and seek recommendations from those who have previously undertaken this journey.

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No. of Tourists	Price Per Person in USD
1 Paxes	\$1350

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