

Overview

Discover the rich cultural heritage of the Limbu Rai and Sherpa people as you explore the hidden treasures of the Eastern Gem Valley.

The Kanchenjunga trek offers a unique and off-the-beaten-path adventure experience for adventure enthusiasts from the Terai to the Himalayas. It takes trekkers to the base of Mount Kanchenjunga 8,586 meters (28,169 ft), the third highest mountain in the world, and combines the north and south base camps of the mountain. The trek offers a variety of landscapes and environments, including remote and beautiful cultural villages.

The Kanchenjunga trail is rich in biological diversity, nature, and culture. During the trek, trekkers stay in primitive tea houses where local people offer warm hospitality and serve traditional food, allowing visitors to get close to their culture and lifestyle. The trek not only provides a great holiday but also gives tourists a feeling of remoteness for those who want to lose themselves in nature.

Trekkers can expect to pass through numerous picturesque farming villages, including the world-famous llam green tea garden, and see cardamom cultivated fields where hillsides are striped with terraces. The trek also features lush sub-tropical forests, breathtaking terraced rice fields, crystal-clear perennial rivers, valleys with waterfalls, misty old-growth coniferous forests, grazing pasture lands for yaks, horses, and cows, and huge stunning glaciers and glacial lake views. High passes like Selele and Miring La, reaching an altitude of 4,663 meters, offer unparalleled panoramic mountain views and a challenging trekking experience.

In addition to the natural beauty, the Kanchenjunga trek is culturally diverse, with opportunities to interact with the local Limbu, Rai, Sherpa, and Gurung communities. During the trek, travelers may stop at village houses or remote yak huts to share tea and experience the warmth and hospitality of the local communities.

Overall, the Kanchenjunga trek offers a rugged wilderness experience, panoramic mountain views, and the chance to immerse oneself in the natural beauty and rich culture of the region.

Itinerary Details