



Dhaulagiri (8167m)



Introduction

The Dhaulagiri is considered the most interesting and enjoyable among the eight-thousanders. The Dhaulagiri Himal lies south of the Tibet/Nepal border and the culminating high point at its eastern end is Dhaulagiri I. The 7th highest mountain of the world known as Dhaulagiri Mountain of 8,167 meters is a daring climbing expedition to ascend. First successfully climbed in year 1960 until then Dhaulagiri region was remote mountains residing far from urbanization. Renowned for its attractive presence as shining White Mountain growing over horizon Mt. Dhaulagiri is one of the classical and traditional mountains of Nepal. The Dhaulagiri Mountain occupies the territory of 120 km through the western face of Kali Gandaki River towards the Bheri River. Bordered by three rivers, Myagdi, Bheri and Kali Gandaki River.

Taking the northern face to ascend the Dhaulagiri Mountain the expedition begins from Dhaulagiri base camp. Where the climbers setup the base camp at 4,650m. altitude and get acclimatized for further climbing. Then the next phase of further climbing follows the NE-Spur which ends at last High-camp residing close to the summit of mountain. After the last high-camp the climbers pass through a field of ice leading towards the summit. The climbers then cross over the French ridge and ascend the summit of Mount Dhaulagiri. From the summit of Mt. Dhaulagiri the wonderful views of the encompassing region and surrounding mountains.

Facts

- Altitude: 8167m<

- Duration: 57 days
- Grade: Moderate
- Group: 2 - 15
- Country: Nepal
- Best Season: Spring (April, May) and autumn (October, November)
- Start/Ends: Pokhara
- Accommodation: Hotel in Pokhara on BB plan / Mountain lodge (tea house) in Trekking.
- Transportation: Domestic airplane and tourist vehicles
- Meals Includes: Breakfast and welcome or farewell dinner in Kathmandu / Full board in Trekking (Breakfast, Lunch & Dinner).

Itinerary

- **Day 1** : Arrive at Tribhuvan International Airport (KTM) Kathmandu
- **Day 2 - 4** : Stay at Kathmandu for the official procedure, overnight at hotel. Included meals: Breakfast
- **Day 5** : Drive to Beni, overnight at guesthouse. Included meals: Breakfast Lunch Dinner
- **Day 6** : Trek to Tatopani, overnight at guesthouse. Included meals: Breakfast Lunch Dinner
- **Day 7** : Trek to Ghasa, overnight at guesthouse. Included meals: Breakfast Lunch Dinner
- **Day 8** : Trek to Marpha, overnight at guesthouse. Included meals: Breakfast Lunch Dinner
- **Day 9** : Rest at Marpha, overnight at guesthouse. Included meals: Breakfast Lunch Dinner
- **Day 10** : Trek to Yak Kharka, overnight at tented camp. Included meals: Breakfast Lunch Dinner
- **Day 11** : Trek to French Col, overnight at tented camp. Included meals: Breakfast Lunch Dinner
- **Day 12** : Trek to Dhaulagiri Base Camp, overnight at tented camp. Included meals: Breakfast Lunch Dinner
- **Day 13 - 52** : Climbing Period. Included meals: High Food
- **Day 53** : Trek to Dhamphus Col, overnight at tented camp. Included meals: Breakfast Lunch Dinner
- **Day 54** : Trek to Marpha, overnight at guesthouse. Included meals: Breakfast Lunch Dinner
- **Day 55** : Trek to Jomsom, overnight at guesthouse. Included meals: Breakfast Lunch Dinner
- **Day 56** : Fly to Pokhara-Kathmandu transfer to the hotel. End of Expedition, Farewell dinner. Included meals: Breakfast Dinner
- **Day 57** : Final Departure. Included meals: Breakfast

Note: The above itinerary can be tailor made as per client's request, we can make the itinerary shorter/Longer by cutting or adding days, People who have longer time can add the White Water Rafting, Jungle safari tour in Chitwan National park, Paragliding and helicopter in Pokhara and other extra activities so feel free to write us on info@xtremeclimbers.com for further details.

Cost Includes

Full Board Service Includes

- Arrival & Departure: Airport - Hotel transfers – Airport (Pick Up and Drop).
- Hotel Accommodation In Kathmandu: 4 nights *****Hotel in Kathmandu on bed & breakfast Basis-Twin Bed Room.
- Hotel in Pokhara: 2 nights Hotel in Pokhara City on Bed and Breakfast basis - Twin Bed Room.
- Required necessary Expedition permit of Nepal Government to climb Mt. Dhaulagiri, TIMS permits, Annapurna conservation area (ACAP) entry permit & fee.
- Garbage Management: Stool Shipment Transfer & Garbage Deposit fees.
- L.O (1 Government Liaison officer with full equipment (\$2,500), salary and accommodation).
- Trekking Route Map.
- Cargo Clearance: International Air cargo clearance of Member Personal Luggage & Payment of Government taxes in Nepal. *before the expedition.
- Member transportation: (*Normal Route Itinerary) Air Transportation (Domestic Flight): Fly from KTM-Pokhara and drive from Pokhara to Takam. While returning Drive from Takam to Pokhara and from Pokhara Fly to Kathmandu, as per itinerary.
- Heli Itinerary: Air Transportation (Domestic Flight): Fly from Kathmandu – Pokhara and drive from Pokhara to Takam. Heli flight from Takam to Italian Basecamp. While returning Heli flight from Dhaulagiri Base Camp to Takam. Drive from Takam to Pokhara and from Pokhara Fly to Kathmandu, as per itinerary. (with additional cost)
- Expedition Stuffs Transportation: Necessary all equipment Transportation for all Members and Staffs From Kathmandu to Takam (by Truck) and from Takam to Base camp (By heli/ donkey/ Porters – Depending upon condition) – While returning: Base camp to Takam (By heli/ donkey/ Porters – Depending upon condition) and Takam to Kathmandu (by Truck).

- Member Luggage: Up to 60 Kg per member for personal baggage during the trek carrying by porter or Yak.
- Lodging & Fooding: Food 3 meals a day (BDL; including tea and coffee) along with accessible accommodation at Hotel/Lodge/Tea house/Camp during the trek and Basecamp. Well-managed base camp set up for member & Staffs.
- Required necessary equipment for Camping during the trek.
- Porter, Porters per member from Takam to Basecamp & while returning porters from Base camp to Takam.
- Base Camp Staff, Experienced and well-trained Base camp Cook & kitchen Helpers as required.
- Staff Salary and allowance, All Nepalese staffs & porters daily wages, salary, equipment, foods & clothing.
- Base Camp Tent, Each member will have individual VE-25 North-Face tent in Base Camp.
- Base Camp equipment, At Base camp: foam mattresses and pillow per member, 1 Dining Tent, 1 Kitchen Tent, 1 Communication tent, 1 Toilet & 1 Shower Tent, 1 Staffs Tent, 1 Tent for Nepalese base camp staffs, Store tents, Tables & chairs & all necessary cooking gears.
- Heater, Heater for base camp in each Dining and other necessary camp.
- Solar/Generator/Light: 1 Solar panel or Generator for battery charge and light at base camp for use.
- High Altitude Climbing Sherpa Guide: 1 veteran and Government Licensed Climbing Sherpa per member.
- Climbing Sherpa wages & Allowance: Climbing Sherpa Salary, Equipment, Food And Clothing.
- Oxygen Bottle (O2): Poisk O2 cylinder: 2 oxygen bottles (4 litres.) for each member and 1 oxygen bottle for each high altitude Sherpa. (Many times everest and Dhaulagiri summiters).
- Oxygen Mask & Regulator, 1 Set of Summit Oxygen mask for each member and high altitude Sherpa.
- Permit Satellite Phone / walkie-talkie permit for all members and staffs.
- Thuraya Satellite Phone for emergency communication carrying by Sherpa, also available for members with appropriate charge (4.\$ per minutes)
- Radio Walkie-Talkie: Walkie –Talkie for communicating from Base Camp to Mountain and Mountain to Base Camp.
- High camp service, High Altitude high quality VE-25 North Face Tent, Necessary cooking EPI gas, cooking pot for member, High food for member, Sherpa, all climbing and cooking crew. (C1) (C2) (C3) . Group climbing gears, fixed and dynamic rope during the climbing period as required.
- Comprehensive Medical kit.
- Certificate: Mt. Dhaulagiri climbing certificate issued by MOCTCA (after climbing Mt. Dhaulagiri successfully).
- Farewell Dinner in traditional nepali restaurant with authentic nepali meal and Dance.

Base Camp Service Includes

- Arrival & Departure: Airport – Hotel transfers – Airport (Pick Up and Drop).
- Hotel Accommodation In Kathmandu: 4 nights ***** Hotel in Kathmandu on bed & breakfast Basis-Twin bed Room.
- Farewell Dinner in Traditional Nepali Restaurant with authentic taste of nepali food and dance.
- Hotel in Pokhara: 2 nights Hotel in Pokhara on Bed and Breakfast basis - Twin Bed Room.
- Permit: Expedition Royalty and Government permit to climb Mt. Dhaulagiri, TIMS permits, Annapurna conservation area entry permit & fees.
- Liaison Officer: 1 Government Liaison officer for equipment, salary and accommodation.
- Garbage Management: Stool Shipment & Garbage Deposit fees.
- Insurance: Medical & Emergency rescue Insurance for all involved staffs during the trek and expedition.
- Trekking Route Map.
- Normal Route Itinerary, Air Transportation (Domestic Flight): Fly from Kathmandu – Pokhara and drive from Pokhara to Takam. While returning Drive from Takam to Pokhara and from Pokhara Fly to Kathmandu, as per itinerary.
- Heli Itinerary, Air Transportation (Domestic Flight): Fly from Kathmandu – Pokhara and drive from Pokhara to Takam. Heli flight from Takam to Italian Basecamp. While returning Heli flight from Dhaulagiri Base Camp to Takam. Drive from Takam to Pokhara and from Pokhara Fly to Kathmandu, as per itinerary.(with additional cost)
- Expedition Stuffs Transportation: Necessary all equipment Transportation for all Members and Staffs From Kathmandu to Takam (by Truck) and from Takam to Base camp (By heli/ donkey/ Porters – Depending upon condition) – While returning: Base camp to Takam (By heli/ donkey/ Porters – Depending upon condition) and Takam to Kathmandu (by Truck).
- Member Luggage: Up to 60 Kg per member for personal baggage during the trek carrying by porter or Yak.
- Lodging & Fooding: Food 3 meals a day (BDL; including tea and coffee) along with accessible accommodation at Hotel/Lodge/Tea house/Camp during the trek and Basecamp. Well-managed base camp set up for member & Staffs.
- All Necessary equipment for Camping during the trek.
- Porter: Porters per member up to Base camp from Takam & while returning porters from Base camp to Takam.
- Base Camp Staff: Experienced and well-trained Base camp Cook & kitchen Helpers as required.
- Staff Salary and allowance: All Nepalese staffs & porters daily wages, salary, equipment, foods & clothing.
- Base Camp Tent: Each member will have individual North-Face VE tent in Base Camp.
- Base Camp equipment: At Base camp: foam mattresses and pillow per member, 1 Dining Tent, 1 Kitchen Tent, 1 Communication tent, 1 Toilet & 1 Shower Tent, 1 Staffs Tent, 1 Tent for Nepalese base camp staffs, Store tents,

Tables & chairs & all necessary cooking gears.

- Heater: Heater for base camp in each Dining and other necessary camp.
- Solar/Generator/Light: 1 Solar panel or Generator for battery charge and light at base camp for use.
- Comprehensive Medical kit.

Cost and payment details

The cost is depending on group size, affected due to the requirement of number of guides and porters, requisite of Hotel in Kathmandu, method of land/air transport. The itinerary is changeable and modifiable as per needs and time frame of trekkers. Cost will be re calculated if the itinerary is changed or modified. Additional activities may be added as per trekkers request with appropriate additional cost. For Total Tour cost **EMAIL US**, we will send you within 24 hours as your requirements.

Why we don't include cost in our website?

NOTE: To provide you service in reasonable cost and attempt to address your each requirement **Xtreme Climbers** desired to provide you with some information which directly affects the cost and also helps us breakdown the cost. That is why we have decided to clarify our customers that due to the following reasons mentioned below we have not included the cost of each package in the company website.

1. Climbing season: The climbing permit royalty cost for mountain will be different during Spring and Autumn season. Normally most of the climbers climbs Himalayas in the Spring season. Climbing permit during Autumn will be 50% less than the spring season.
2. The cost of the trip depends on Number of persons joining in group for High expedition or Mountain Climbing including number of climbers, non-climber, base camp supporters, medical doctors, The number of climbing Sherpa guides, high altitude porters, kitchen crew, mode of transport you prefer and many other factors can affect the cost of the trip. Alpine climbing guide as well as the category of the hotel accommodation and the facilities that you aspire in the mountains affect the cost.
3. We operate the High Expeditions, Peak Climbing in full arrangement package and basic arrangement service (full board or base camp service) which directly affects the expedition cost.
4. Request numbers of oxygen, masks and the brands the clients require
5. The itinerary may be changed after reaching an understanding between the agency and the client. Other activities could be added or reduced as per the client's request before processing the trip. Price for reduced activities could be deducted and additional activities could be added in mutual understanding.
6. Either you want to operate this expedition as international group joining basics of Xtreme Climbers or individual (private arrangement) expedition.
7. Type of high camp food that clients require. Any specialized food that has to be ordered from foreign countries will be costlier compared to the one available here.
8. Either any of the climbers intend to attempt any world records? If so, do they require special services or equipment?

Due to the reasons mentioned above we would like to discuss with our client directly before offering the cost. So please feel free to drop your queries in [CONTACT US](#) or login to [Xtreme Climbers](#) for any information about your selected package.

Cost Excludes

Full Board Service Excludes

- Air Fare: International flight airfare (from and to Kathmandu).
- Nepal entry Visa fee: Nepal Visa fee US\$ 40 per person for 30 days (to be applied for 60 days (USD\$ 100)).
- Lunch & Dinner: Lunch & dinner in during the stay in Kathmandu & Pokhara (also in case of early return from Trekking / Expedition than the scheduled itinerary).
- Extra night in Kathmandu: Extra nights accommodation in Kathmandu & Pokhara. In case of early arrival or late departure, early return from Trekking / Expedition (due to any reason) than the scheduled itinerary.
- Insurance: Travel and high altitude insurance, accident, medical & emergency evacuation.
- Rescue Evacuation: Medical Insurance and emergency rescue evacuation cost if required. (Rescue, Repatriation, Medication, Medical Tests and Hospitalization costs.)
- Personal Expenses: Telephone, Internet, battery recharge, Hot shower, Laundry, any Alcoholic beverages & soft drinks (during the trek and in Kathmandu but we will serve all kinds of beverages for members in base camp), and also Clothing, Packing Items or Bags, Personal Medical Kit, Personal Trekking /Climbing Gears.
- Filming: Special Filming, Camera and Drone permit fee.
- Internet Service: Internet services is not included in this cost.
- Summit Bonus: Summit bonus for climbing Sherpa \$1500 usd. (If company offers Full Board Services).
- Tips: Calculate some tips for Base camp staffs.
- Extra: Any other services or activities, which are not mentioned in the itinerary.
- Our Company's Service will be "Zero" above Base Camp (If company offers just Base Camp services)
- Any other item not listed in "Cost Includes" section.

