

## Chennai – Ooty – Mettupalayam – Chennai (SMR008)

### OVERVIEW

Ooty, officially known as Udhagamandalam (also known as Ootacamund abbreviated as Udhagai), is a city and a municipality in the Nilgiris district of the South Indian state of Tamil Nadu. It is located 86 km (53 mi) north west of Coimbatore and 128 km (80 mi) south of Mysore and is the headquarters of the Nilgiris district. It is a popular hill station located in the Nilgiri Hills. It is popularly called the "Queen of Hill Stations". It was the summer capital of the Madras Presidency.

Originally occupied by the Toda people, the area came under the rule of the East India Company at the end of the 18th century. The economy is based on tourism and agriculture, along with the manufacture of medicines and photographic film. The town is connected by the Nilgiri ghat roads and Nilgiri Mountain Railway. Its natural environment attracts tourists and it is a popular summer destination. In 2011, the town had a population of 88,430.



Package Details	
Package Name	Chennai- Ooty – Mettupalayam -Chennai
Destination Covered	NMR-Ooty-Mudumalai
Travelling Mode	Train
Station/Departure Time	Chennai Central at 21:05 hrs
Frequency	Every Thursday
Meal Plan	CPAI
Hotel Name	Ooty : Vinayaga Inn / Preethi Classic Tower or similar
No of Train Berth	3A – 06

#### Package cost Per Person till September'2025

2-3 Pax					4-6 pax Group			
Single	Twin	Triple	CWB	CNB	Twin	Triple	CWB	CNB
23220/-	13110/-	10565/-	6530/-	4700/-	11240/-	10460/-	8640/-	6805/-

#### Package cost Per Person from October to December'2025

2-3 Pax					4-6 pax Group			
Single	Twin	Triple	CWB	CNB	Twin	Triple	CWB	CNB
23250/-	13150/-	11250/-	6550/-	4700/-	11250/-	11150/-	8650/-	6805/-

## ITINERARY

### DAY 01: Thursday

Departure from Chennai Central Railway Station by Train no: 12671, Nilgiri Exp at 21.05 hrs.

### DAY 02: Friday

Arrival at Mettupalayam railway station at 06:20 hrs, alight at the station and board the Nilgiri Passenger Train No. 56136, Dep at 07:10 hrs and transfer to Ooty. Enjoy the journey on the World Heritage Mountain Railway. Pick up at 12:00 Hrs on arrival at Ooty Railway Station.

Transfer to hotel by road, check in hotel at Ooty. Visit to Ooty Lake and Botanical gardens, overnight stay at Ooty.

### DAY 03: Saturday

Morning visit the Film shooting places, Pykara falls and lake, etc Proceed to Mudumalai wildlife sanctuary\*\* At Mudumalai, Visit Elephant camp, Jungle ride Later transfer back to hotel Overnight halt at Ooty.

### DAY 04: Sunday

Morning Check out hotel at Ooty. Transfer to Doddabetta Peak and Tea Museum. Later transfer to Coonoor by road. At Coonoor, visit Sims Park, Lambs Rock, and Dolphin's Nose.

Later Proceed to Mettupalayam by road Drop at Mettupalayam Railway Station at 18:00 hrs

Dep. to Chennai by Train No. 12672, Nilgiri Express by 21:20 hours.

### DAY 05: Monday

Arrival at Chennai Central at 06:25 hours.

## INCLUSION

### Package Inclusions:

- Onward and Return journey in 3AC class.
- NMR Second Sitting Train Ticket
- 02 Nights' NAC Accommodation at Ooty
- Hotel Meal Plan (CPAI – Only Breakfast in Hotel)
- AC Private Transfers (separate vehicle depending on group size) for the entire journey
- All sightseeing and excursion as per the itinerary.
- Travel Insurance (Group Personal Accident Tailor made Policy) during the course of the tour.
- Toll, parking and all applicable taxes for the tour.

### Package Exclusion:

- Charges for Mudumalai safari.
- Entrance tickets for the places of sightseeing.
- Any catering services (On-board & Off-board).
- Any portage at hotels, tips, mineral water, telephone charges, laundry and all items of personal nature
- Any services not mentioned in the above list of inclusions will be additional.
- Any Still / Video Camera fees, entrance fees for monuments and any activities suggested in the itinerary are chargeable direct.
- Any deviation from the above programme.
- Services of Tour escort/guide.

**Note:**

1. As a Sustainable Development Goals (SDG) initiative, Guests are kindly requested to desist from carrying single-use plastics during the course of the tour.
2. All sightseeing places are subject to time availability and schedule running of trains. IRCTC shall not be held responsible for the train delay.
3. The visit to the sightseeing places is subject to weather & road conditions.
4. Opening of National Parks or Wild Life Sanctuaries are subject to the discretion of the Forest Dept.
5. IRCTC will not be responsible for any Natural or Other calamities.
6. The itinerary of the package is indicative only and handling agency reserves the right to change itinerary during operation of the tour due to local circumstances.
7. Above rates are subject to availability.
8. Cancellation charges as per company policy.
9. Room categories in all packages are the base category rooms unless stated otherwise.
10. Final confirmation in the proposed hotels is subject to the availability at the time of booking; else similar category hotel will be provided.
11. Type of the road vehicle will be decided as per the group size.
12. Most of the hotels provide twin bedroom, double bedroom is subject to availability. Wherever extra bed has been stated it means only rollaway bed.
13. Early check-in and late check-out are subject to the availability. Mostly hotels observe 1300 to 1500 check-in time and check-out time is normally 1000 to 1100 hrs.
14. Heart & blood pressure patients, pregnant women, persons suffering from physical problems, senior citizens etc need to be cautious while traveling and should be accompanied by someone.
15. Group Personal Accident Tailor made Policy.
16. Conditions apply.

**TERMS & CONDITIONS****Cancellation Policy:**

Cancellation Policy: For cancellation of your ticket, please log in to your account, select the Tour Confirmation Number of the ticket you wish to cancel and cancel your ticket from your booked history on line. Cancellation of your Ticket is possible only on the website [www.irctctourism.com](http://www.irctctourism.com), and is not possible on PRS Counters. If the user wishes to cancel his ticket, cancellation rules for Land (Holiday) and Rail Tour Packages as under:

No. of days before commencement of Trip*	Total Deductions
Up to 15 days (excluding departure date)	Rs. 250 /- per passenger
Up to 8-14 days (excluding departure date)	25 % of the package cost
Up to 4-7 days (excluding departure date)	50 % of the package cost
Less than 4 days	100 % of the package cost

**Terms and Conditions:**

Online tickets Tickets will be generated and issued 4 days prior to the departure. Berth preferences/changes shall not be entertained as the tickets generation is through centralized PRS. Tourists are requested to travel as per the berths allotment.

Check-in and Check Out time in hotels is 12 noon. Although we take due care that check-in is provided early and late check out is permitted, under unavoidable circumstances, check in/checkout may have to be maintained as per Hotel Policy.

IRCTC reserves the right to cancel the Tour Programme at any point of time arising out of various exigencies beyond its control. In such an event, maximum liability of IRCTC shall be limited to the Package Amount paid by the guest.

The package price is as on date of booking. However, in case of increase in input costs such as railway fare or any other expenses beyond the control of IRCTC, the guests are liable to pay the additional amount before commencement of journey.

IRCTC reserves the right to change the itinerary due to unavoidable circumstances, including but not limited to, bad weather, train delays/cancellations etc. Under such circumstances, IRCTC shall make best alternative arrangements

guest are liable to pay any additional costs for making such arrangements. IRCTC shall not be responsible for any loss of sight-seeing, visits to planned sites in the itinerary.

IRCTC doesn't guarantee Darshan at the shrines/places of interest/monuments mentioned in the itinerary.

Seat allocation in trains is done in a random manner and IRCTC shall not entertain requests for any preferential seat allocation.

It is mandatory to carry the identity proof provided by the client at the time of booking. The other passengers travelling need to carry a valid photo ID card during the package tour. The valid Photo ID Card are Aadhaar, Voter ID card, Passport, Driving Licence, PAN Card, Credit Cards with Photo, Cards issued by Central/State Government and Student ID cards with photo issued by School/College for their students.

Please carry Post-paid mobile phones as pre-paid mobile do not function in Jammu & Kashmir.

While in hotel, please follow house rules. If you wish to use the swimming pool, please carry your own swimming costumes. Tour is subject to operation in case minimum booking of 2 passengers on twin/single fare is received.

While we take due care in keeping the information on these pages updated, train timings, hotel rules, opening & closing hours at monuments/museums/parks/gardens/shrines and sites mentioned in the itinerary etc. may change and may not be updated on the pages. IRCTC does not take any responsibility for such changes. There will be no refund for un-utilized services.

You will have to strictly follow the tour program. There would be no refund if you fail to join the group at the commencement of the tour, or join the group later or leave the group before culmination of the tour for any reasons whatsoever. Under no circumstances would any refund be given for any unutilized services. You shall not behave in a manner which may cause distress or annoyance to other co-travellers or which may create the risk of danger or damage to property of the Company, co-travellers or others. In this event, you may be asked to leave the tour immediately. The Company shall be under no liability to any such person.

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