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BEST OF SOUTH INDIA & ANDAMAN

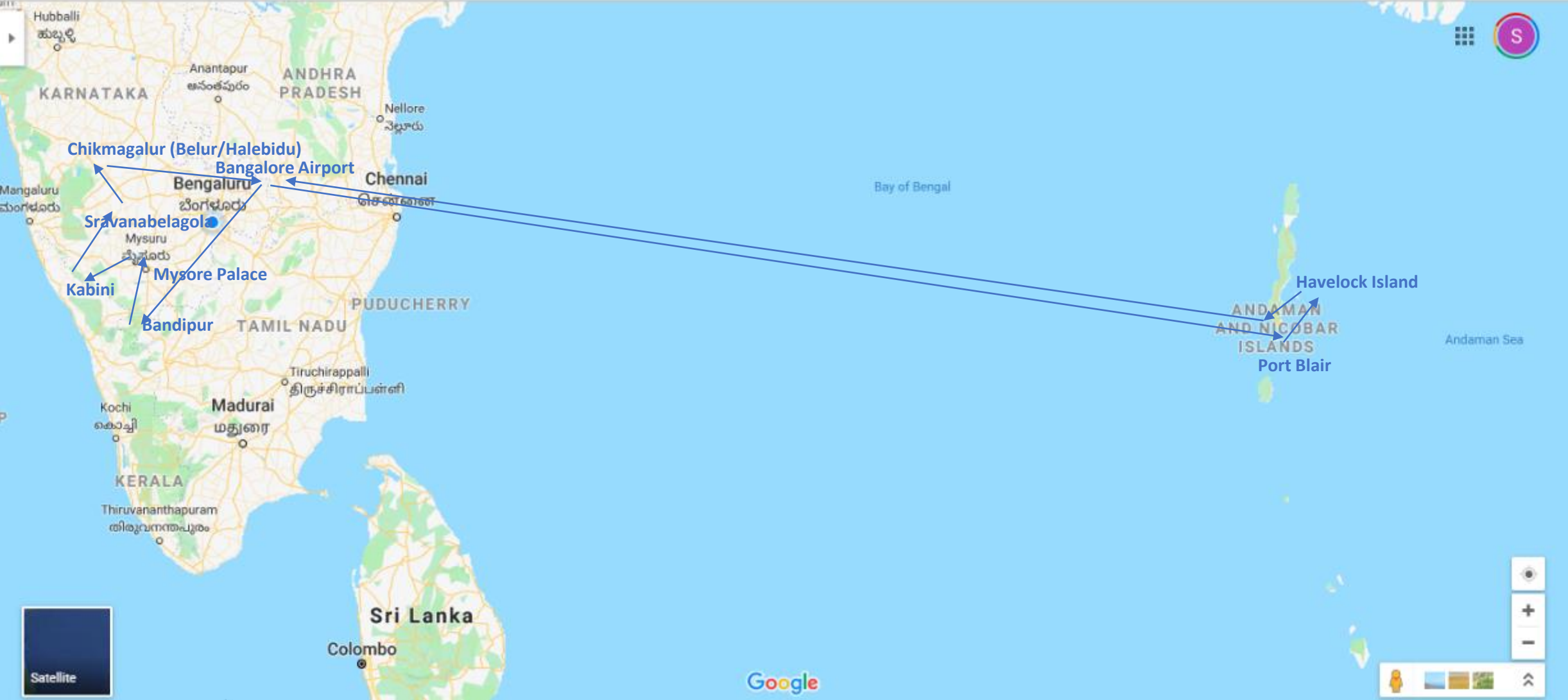
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DAY 1: ARRIVE AT BANGALORE INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT



ITINERARY ROUTE MAP



DAY 1 BANGALORE AIRPORT → SERAI BANDIPUR

Navigation Interface:

- Origin: Kempegowda International Airport Bengaluru
- Destination: The Serai Bandipur, Kaniyanpura Village
- Depart at: 3:00 AM, Thu, Mar 28
- Route: via NH275
- Estimated Time: typically 4 h 30 min - 5 h 50 min
- Distance: 273 km
- Arrive around: 8:50 AM

Map Labels:

- Kempegowda International Airport...
- Mysuru ಮೈಸೂರು
- Mandya ಮಂಡ್ಯ
- The Serai Bandipur
- Bhadra Wildlife Sanctuary
- Chikkamagaluru ಚಿಕ್ಕಮಗಳೂರು
- Hosur ಹೊಸೂರು
- Mandya ಮಂಡ್ಯ
- Mysuru ಮೈಸೂರು
- Nanjangagodu ನಂಜನಗೂಡು
- Ooty ಓಟಿ
- Bandipur Tiger Reserve And National Park
- Madikeri ಮಡಿಕೇರಿ
- Mandya ಮಂಡ್ಯ
- Mysuru ಮೈಸೂರು
- Nanjangagodu ನಂಜನಗೂಡು
- Ooty ಓಟಿ
- Bandipur Tiger Reserve And National Park

Map Footer: Map data ©2019 Google India Terms Send feedback 50 km



DAY 1: BANGALORE → BANDIPUR

Resort: *Serai Bandipur*

Activity: *Village Trek, Welcome Dinner with cultural performance*

Arrive at Bangalore airport in the morning and transfer to Serai Bandipur resort (5 hours journey by bus)

Early check-in will be provided for all guests, to relax and refresh. In the late afternoon, proceed on a guided walk through Mangala village which adjoins the National Park.

At night, enjoy a local cultural performance alongside a special dinner set up.



SERAI BANDIPUR



DAY 2: BANDIPUR

Resort: *Serai Bandipur*

Activity: *Safari & Conservancy Walk*

Early morning, proceed by vehicle to the designated safari departure point to commence your safari. Those members in the group going on safari tomorrow morning instead will join a guided morning wildlife walk through the conservancy area.

All safaris are conducted in the designated zone of the National Park, on canters provided by the National Park authorities

DAY 3 SERAI BANDIPUR → MYSORE → SERAI KABINI

The left panel of the Google Maps interface displays navigation options and route details. At the top, there are icons for different transport modes: car, train, walking, bicycle, and airplane. Below these, three destinations are listed: 'The Serai Bandipur, Kaniyanpura Village', 'Mysore Palace, Sayyaji Rao Rd, Agrahar', and 'The Serai Resorts Kabini, No - 60/1, Nis'. An 'Add destination' button is also present. The 'OPTIONS' section includes a button to 'Send directions to your phone'. The selected route is shown as 'via NH766' with a duration of '3 h 25 min' and a distance of '160 km'. A warning icon indicates 'This route has tolls.' A 'DETAILS' link is provided at the bottom of the panel.

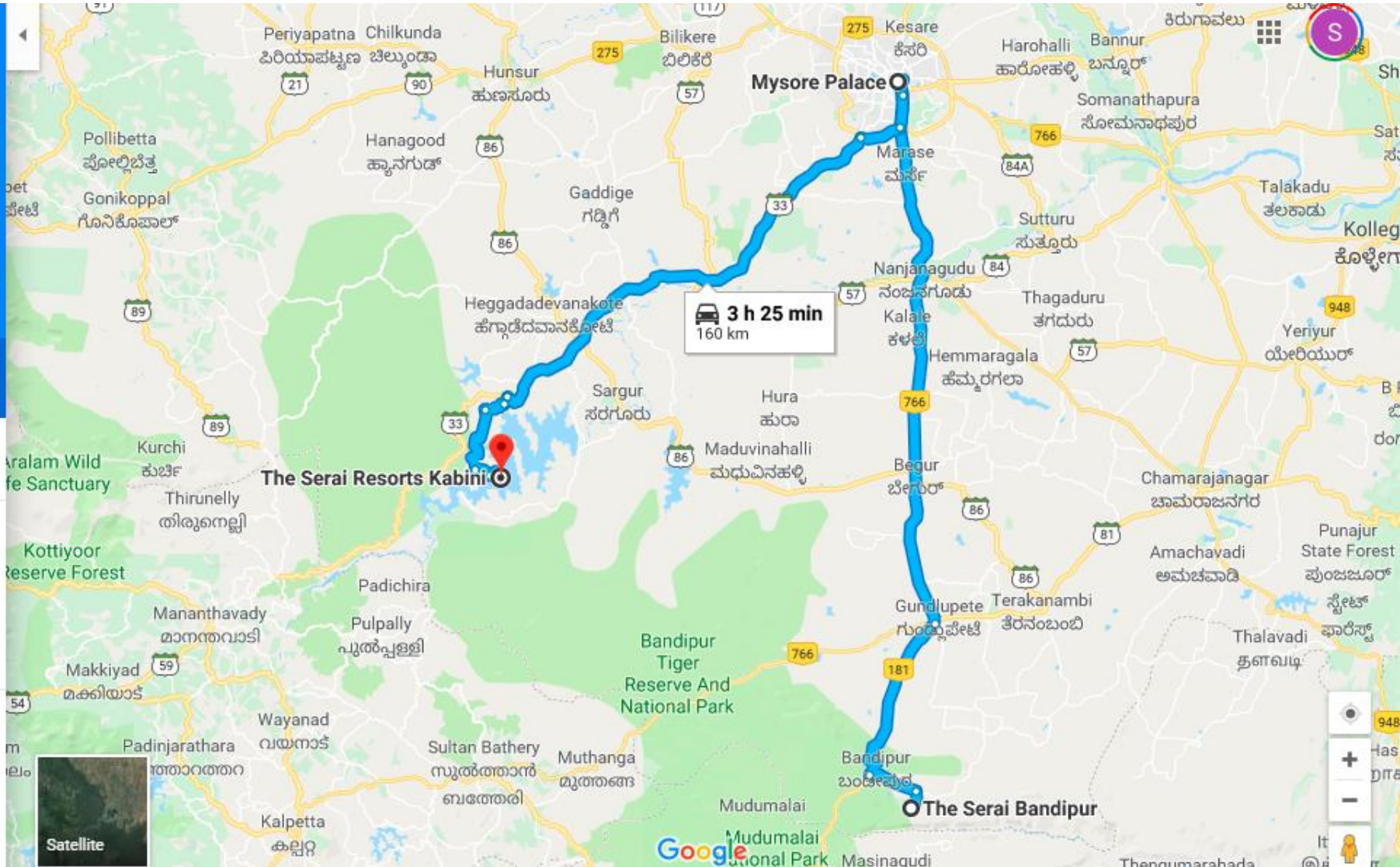
Navigation icons: Car, Train, Walking, Bicycle, Airplane

Destinations:
1. The Serai Bandipur, Kaniyanpura Village
2. Mysore Palace, Sayyaji Rao Rd, Agrahar
3. The Serai Resorts Kabini, No - 60/1, Nis

Options:
Send directions to your phone

Route Summary:
via NH766
3 h 25 min
160 km
⚠️ This route has tolls.

Details





DAY 3: BANDIPUR → MYSORE → KABINI

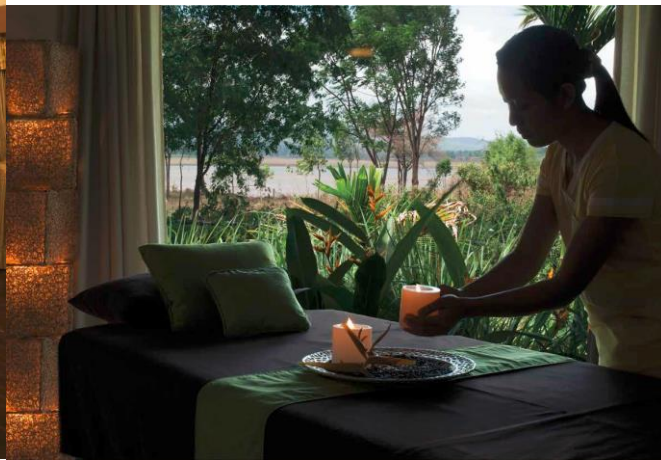
Resort: *Serai Kabini*

Activity: *Mysore Sightseeing: Palace & Markets*

After completion of morning conservancy walk/safari, proceed for breakfast and depart to Mysore (1 ½ hrs) where you will be taken on a guided tour of the grand Mysore Palace.

This is followed by lunch in a heritage hotel in Mysore and a visit to the colourful Devaraja Market.

Drive from Mysore to Kabini (1 ½ hrs) and check in to Serai Kabini



SERAI KABINI



DAY 4: KABINI

Resort: *Serai Kabini*

Activity: *Safari , Boat ride on River Kabini, Temple visit, Cultural Performance*

Early morning, proceed by vehicle to the designated safari departure point to start your safari. Those members in the group not going on safari in the morning, will participate in the evening safari instead.

All safaris are conducted in the designated zone of Nagarhole National Park, on canters provided by the National Park authorities

Other activities during the day include a boat ride on the river Kabini, and a visit to a local temple.

At night, enjoy a local cultural performance alongside a special dinner set up.

DAY 5 SERAI KABINI → SRAVANABELAGOLA → SERAI CHIKMAGALUR

The Serai Resorts Kabini, No - 60/1, Nis...

Shravanabelagola, Karnataka

The Serai Resorts, Mugthihalli Post, KM

Add destination

Route options CLOSE

Avoid

- Highways
- Tolls
- Ferries

Distance units

- Automatic
- miles
- km

Send directions to your phone

via SH 86 5 h 36 min
5 h 36 min without traffic 255 km
 This route has tolls.

[DETAILS](#)

The map displays a route from The Serai Resorts Kabini (marked with a red pin) to Shravanabelagola (marked with a white circle). The route is highlighted in blue and follows the path of SH 86. A callout box indicates a travel time of 5 h 36 min and a distance of 255 km. The map shows various towns and landmarks along the way, including Halebeedu, Mudigere, Sakleshpur, Holenarasipur, and Mysuru. A satellite view inset is visible in the bottom left corner.



DAY 5: KABINI → SRAVANABELAGOLA → CHIKMAGALUR

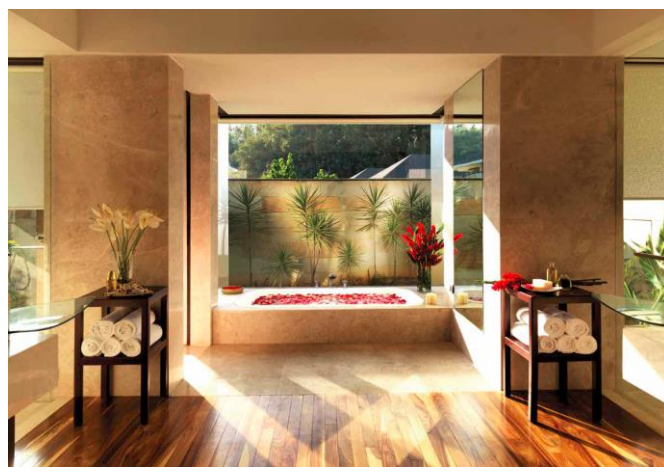
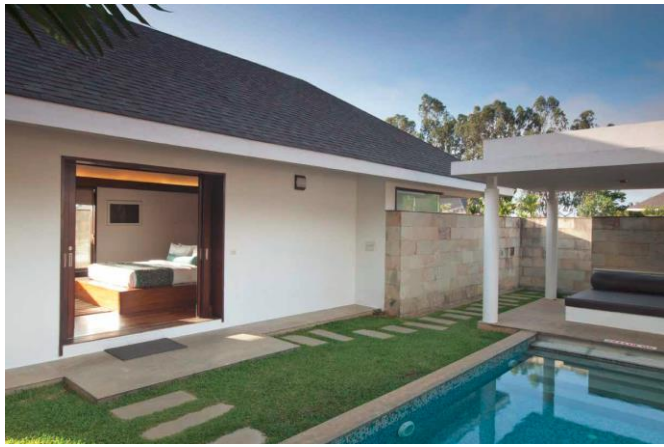
Resort: *Serai Chikmagalur*

Activity: *Visit the Lord Bahubali statue at Sravanabelagola, Coffee Plantation trek*

After breakfast, drive to Sravanabelagola (3 ½ hours) and climb 600 steps to the temple and marvel at India's largest statue carved from a single rock: this is the most sacred place of worship for the Jain community in India.

Check into Serai Chikmagalur (2 ½ hours drive), a resort nestled in a 70 acre coffee plantation, in the birthplace of coffee in India. Take a guided walk through the plantation in the evening and round it off with a coffee appreciation session.





SERAI CHIKMAGALUR

DAY 6 SERAI CHIKMAGALUR → BELUR → HALEBIDU → SERAI CHIKMAGALUR

The image displays a Google Maps interface with a circular route highlighted in blue. The route starts at 'The Serai Resorts' (ಚಿಕ್ಕಮಗಳೂರು), goes to 'Belur Chennakeshava Temple' (ಬೆಲೂರು), then to 'Halebidu Archaeological Site' (ಹೇಬಿದು), and returns to 'The Serai Resorts'. The route is labeled with a car icon, '1 h 8 min', and '49.5 km'. The map shows various locations in the region, including Chikkamagaluru, Belavadi, Karagada, and Belur Chennakeshava Temple. The Google logo is visible at the bottom center of the map.

Route Summary:

- Start: The Serai Resorts, Mugthihalli Post, KM
- Destination 1: Belur Chennakeshava Temple, Temple
- Destination 2: Halebidu Archaeological Site, Halebeedu

Route Details:

- Mode: via Belur Rd
- Duration: 1 h 8 min
- Distance: 49.5 km

Map Labels:

- Chikkamagaluru (ಚಿಕ್ಕಮಗಳೂರು)
- The Serai Resorts
- Belur Chennakeshava Temple
- Halebidu Archaeological Site
- Belavadi (ಬೆಲವಾಡಿ)
- Karasapura (ಕರಾಸುಪುರ)
- Karagada (ಕರಗಾಡ)
- Halmidi (ಹಲ್ಮಿಡಿ)
- MaLaluru
- KR Pete (KR ಪೀಟೆ)
- Neradi (ನೆರಡಿ)
- Maravathi (ಮರಾವತಿ)
- Keethur (ಕೀತೂರು)
- Surapura (ಸುರಪುರ)

Map Controls:

- Send directions to your phone
- OPTIONS
- DETAILS
- Satellite view
- Map navigation controls (compass, zoom in/out, street view)



DAY 6 CHIKMAGALUR → BELUR → HALEBID → CHIKMAGALUR

Resort: *Serai Chikmagalur*

Activity: *Visit the ancient temples at Belur & Halebid, Cultural Performance*

After breakfast, drive to Belur and visit the 12th century Chennakeshava temple, then proceed to Halebid and the Hoysaleswara temple complex (2 hour round trip) . In the evening, enjoy a local cultural performance alongside a special dinner setup.

DAY 7 SERAI CHIKMAGALUR → BANGALORE AIRPORT → PORT BLAIR (ANDAMAN ISLANDS)

The image displays a Google Maps interface with a route planned from The Serai Resorts to Kempegowda International Airport. The route is highlighted in blue and passes through several towns including Halebeedu, Hassan, and Yadiyur. The map shows major roads like NH75 and NH47. The left sidebar contains navigation options and trip details.

Navigation Options: Car, Train, Walking, Bicycling, Airplane.

Start: The Serai Resorts, Mugthihalli Post, KM

Destination: Kempegowda International Airport Bengaluru

Depart at: 3:30 AM, Wed, Mar 27

Send directions to your phone

via NH75 typically 4 h 10 min - 5 h 20 min
Arrive around 8:50 AM
271 km

DETAILS

Satellite

DAY 7 SERAI CHIKMAGALUR → BANGALORE AIRPORT → PORT BLAIR (ANDAMAN ISLANDS)

Flight Details:

- Origin:** Kempegowda International Airport, Bengaluru
- Destination:** Veer Savarkar International Airport, Port Blair
- Flight Type:** Nonstop (2 per day)
- Duration:** 2 h 35 min
- Connecting:** 4 h 10 min+
- Round trip price, Apr 10 – 14:** from ₹ 8,771
- Airlines:** IndiGo, GoAir, Air India...

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Map Labels: MAHARASHTRA, PUNE, TELANGANA, HYDERABAD, GOA, KARNATAKA, ANDHRA PRADESH, CHENNAI, TAMIL NADU, MYSURU, KOCHI, KERALA, SRI LANKA, COLOMBO, LACCADIVE SEA, ODISHA, NAYPYITAW, CHENNAI, ACEH.



DAY 7 CHIKMAGALUR → BANGALORE AIRPORT → PORT BLAIR

Resort: *Keys Hotel, Port Blair*

Activity: *Visit the Cellular Jail & Anthropological Museum*

Carry a packed breakfast, and drive to Bangalore Airport (5 hrs) and board the aircraft and fly to Port Blair (2 ½ hrs). At Port Blair, check in to your hotel and visit the Anthropological Museum, where you will learn about the indigenous tribes of Andaman. Stop by the Sagarika Emporium for some souvenir shopping, and visit the Cellular Jail and learn about the penal settlement run by the British, which is inextricably linked to the Indian Freedom Struggle.



DAY 8 PORT BLAIR → HAVELOCK ISLAND

The image displays a Google Maps interface with a route from Aberdeen Jetty to Barefoot at Havelock. The route is highlighted in blue and follows a path through South Andaman, passing through locations like Wimperlygunj, Bombooflat, and Port Blair, before reaching Havelock Island. A callout box indicates a travel time of 3 hours for a 64.3 km distance. The left sidebar shows the start and end points, a departure time of 3:30 AM on Wednesday, March 27, and a travel mode of 'via SH4'. A 'Satellite' inset map is visible in the bottom left corner.

Start: Aberdeen Jetty, Andaman and Nicobar Islands

End: Barefoot at Havelock, Beach NO. 7, Radhika

Depart at: 3:30 AM, Wed, Mar 27

Options: via SH4, typically 3 h, Arrive around 6:30 AM, 64.3 km

Map Labels: South Andaman, Wimperlygunj, Bombooflat, Aberdeen Jetty, Port Blair, Tarmugli Island, Wandoor, Guptapara Manjery, John Lawrence Island, Barefoot at Havelock, Lakshmanpur

Callout: 3 h, 64.3 km

Inset Map: Satellite



DAY 8 PORT BLAIR → HAVELOCK ISLAND

Resort: *Barefoot at Havelock*

Activity: Visit Ross Island, *Ferry to Havelock*, *Welcome dinner with cultural program*

Visit Ross Island, a small island offshore from Port Blair, which was once the capital of the Andaman Islands under the British Raj. The ruins of the old Raj-era buildings have fig trees growing through them and the island is a photographer's delight. Then, board your ferry and embark upon a catamaran cruise to Havelock Island (1½ hrs) and transfer to the iconic Barefoot at Havelock, a beachside jungle resort listed amongst the top 30 eco-resorts of the world. The resort is located on Radhanagar Beach, rated as the Best Beach in Asia by Time Magazine .





BAREFOOT AT HAVELOCK

DAYS 9,10, 11: HAVELOCK ISLAND

Resort: *Barefoot at Havelock*

Activity: *Trek in the jungle, village visit, kayak in the mangroves. Optional at extra cost: Scuba Diving, Snorkeling, Boat excursions, Fishing, Stand Up Paddling, Cycling*

Spend the next few days at leisure enjoying the iconic white sands and clear waters of Radhanagar Beach. Each day, there will be one group activity: kayaking, village visit and jungle trek, leaving plenty of leisure time to enjoy the fabulous beach. Additional activities can be done at extra cost.



DAY 12 HAVELOCK ISLAND → BANGALORE

Navigation icons: Home, Car, Bus, Pedestrian, Bicycle, Airplane, Close.

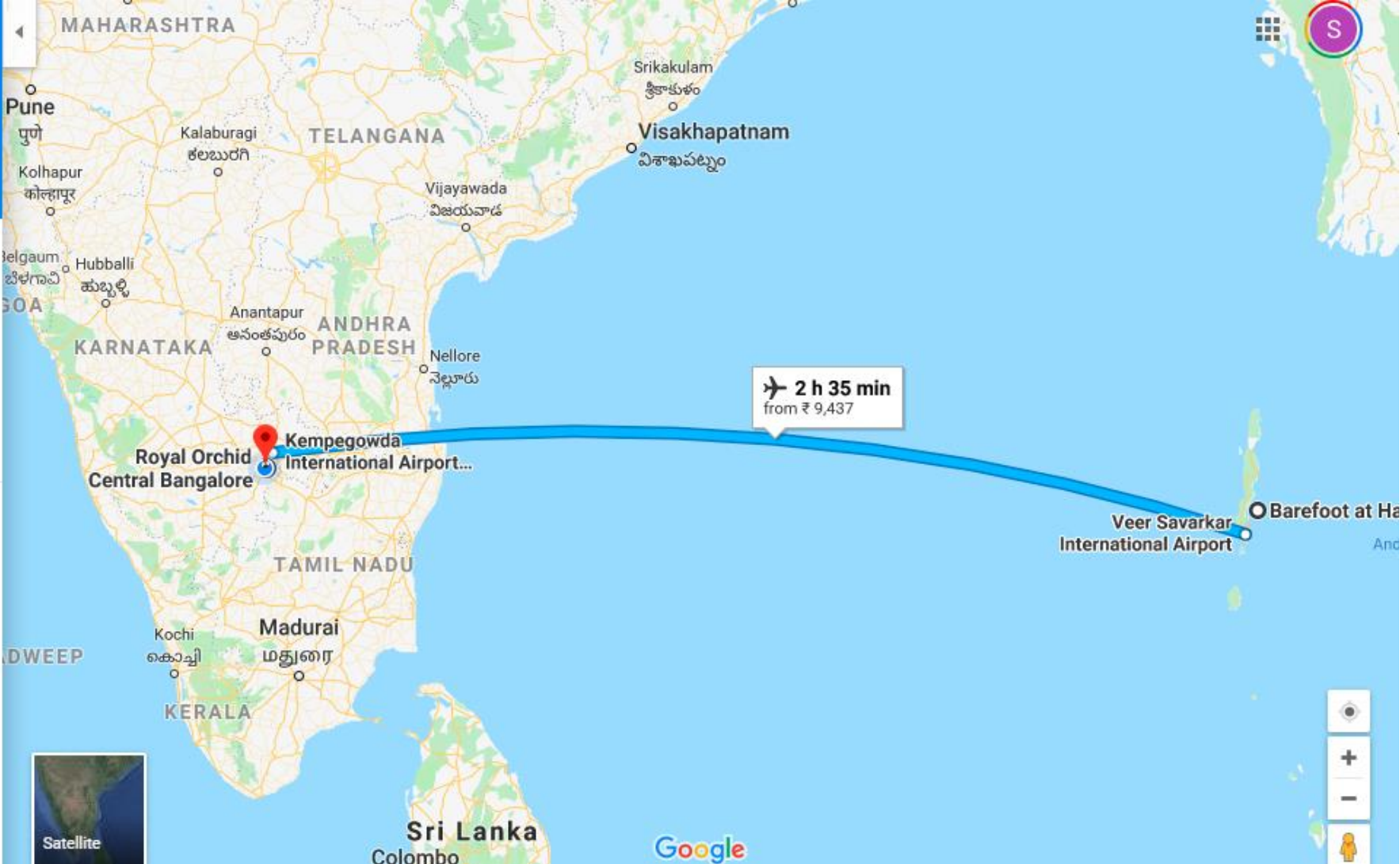
Origin: Barefoot at Havelock, Beach NO. 7, Rad...

Destination: Royal Orchid Central Bangalore, Manipa...

✈️ Port Blair, India—Bengaluru, India

Nonstop (2 per day)	2 h 35 min
Connecting	3 h 45 min+
Round trip price, Apr 10 – 14	from ₹ 9,437
GoAir, IndiGo, Air India...	

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DAY 12: HAVELOCK → BANGALORE

Resort: Royal Orchid Central, Bangalore

Return to Port Blair by ferry and proceed to the airport to board your flight to Bangalore. Spend the evening at your hotel in the heart of Bangalore City or step out to enjoy one of the many pubs in the vicinity of your hotel.

DAY 13: BANGALORE

Activity: Shopping, Sightseeing

Take a walk through to the bustling local market at Chikpet and visit Bangalore Palace and the ISKCON temple, one of the largest Krishna temples in the world. In the evening, enjoy a farewell dinner with a cultural program after which you will be transferred to the airport to catch your return flight