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STUDY TOUR – WEST BENGAL

ACADEMIC YEAR 2019-2020

Places visited: Bishupur, Santipur, Phulia & Dhatrigram

From 05th June 2019 to 15th June 2019

Tour itinerary

Day 1: 05th June 2019 – Tour begins. Mumbai – Kolkata – Santipur – Phulia

- Departure from Mumbai via flight.
- 04:45 hours: Arrive in Kolkata.
- Leave for Santipur in a private AC bus.
- 08:00 hours: Arrive in Santipur.
- 10:00 hours: Proceed for handloom village cluster study in Santipur/Phulia.
- Dinner and overnight stay.

Day 2: 06th June 2019 – Phulia – Santipur – Shantiniketan

- 08:00 hours: Proceed to study of handloom village cluster in Phulia/Dhatrigram in a private AC bus.
- 18:00 hours: Leave for Shantiniketan.

Day 3: 07th June 2019 – Shantiniketan

- 09:00-18:00 hours: Study Shantiniketan.

Day 4: 08th June 2019 – Shantiniketan

- 09:00-18:00 hours: Study Shantiniketan.

Day 5: 09th June 2019 – Shantiniketan – Bishnupur

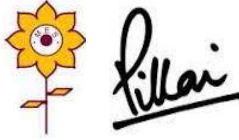
- 07:00-20:00 hours: Study Bishnupur Temple.

Day 6: 10th June 2019 – Bishnupur – Kolkata

- 07:00-17:00 hours: Bishupur/Bankura handloom study.

Day 7: 11th June 2019 – Kolkata

- 09:00-18:00 hours: Visit and study Jute Textile industry, Swabhoomi.



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Day 8: 12th June 2019 – Kolkata

- 09:00-18:00 hours: Visit and study Mulik Ghat flower market, Kumortoli.

Day 9: 13th June 2019 – Kolkata

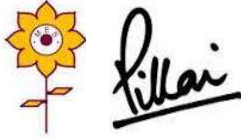
- 09:00-18:00 hours: Visit and study Victoria Museum, Indian Museum.

Day 10: 14th June 2019 – Kolkata

- 09:00-18:00 hours: Visit and study Gariahat Market, Burra Bazaar, Bakra market.

Day 11: 15th June 2019 – Kolkata – Mumbai

- Flight from Kolkata to Mumbai.



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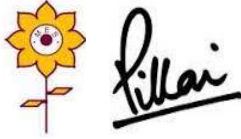
Selection of the Location:

West Bengal is a state in eastern India, between the Himalayas and the Bay of Bengal. Its capital, Kolkata (formerly Calcutta), retains architectural and cultural remnants of its past as an East India Company trading post and capital of the British Raj. The city's colonial landmarks include the government buildings around B.B.D. Bagh Square, and the iconic Victoria Memorial, dedicated to Britain's queen.

Shantiniketan is a neighbourhood of Bolpur town in the Bolpur subdivision of Birbhum district in West Bengal, India, approximately 152 km north of Kolkata. It was established by Maharshi Devendranath Tagore, and later expanded by his son, Rabindranath Tagore whose vision became what is now a university town with the creation of Visva-Bharati.

Bishnupur is a town in the eastern Indian state of West Bengal. It's known for its Hindu temples made from local terracotta, such as the pyramid-shaped Rasmancha, established around 1600. Ornate carvings adorn the walls of Jor Bangla Temple. North, Madan Mohan Temple is decorated with scenes from Hindu legends, including the "Mahabharata." In town, the Bishnupur Museum displays manuscripts and ancient sculptures.

Fashioned by the colonial British in the manner of a grand European capital—yet now set in one of the poorest and most overpopulated regions of India—Kolkata has grown into a city of sharp contrasts and contradictions. Kolkata has had to assimilate strong European influences and overcome the limitations of its colonial legacy in order to find its own unique identity. In the process it created an amalgam of East and West that found its expression in the life and works of the 19th-century Bengali elite and its most noteworthy figure, the poet and mystic Rabindranath Tagore.



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