

Dyalishera Bugyal Trek

Forest camps, a high meadow and a 13,200 ft ridge facing Nanda Devi — from the villages near Joshimath

DURATION	6D / 5N	DIFFICULTY	Moderate
MAX ALTITUDE	13,200 ft	DISTANCE	36 km
BASE CAMP	Base village near Karchon / Tugasi, Joshimath	REGION	Chamoli, Uttarakhand
PRICE	Price on request per person · Transport from Rishikesh/Haridwar, homestays, camps and all meals included.		

About this trek

Dyalishera Bugyal is our home trek — it starts from the villages where our leaders live. Two forest camps under oak and rhododendron lead to the upper meadows, and the summit day climbs from forest to meadow to a high ridge at 13,200 ft with the full Garhwal skyline: Nanda Devi, Dronagiri, Hathi-Ghoda, Chaukhamba, Trishul and Nanda Ghunti. Transport from Rishikesh or Haridwar, homestays, camps, meals, permits and oxygen support are all included.

Day by day

Day	Route / activity	Distance · time · stay
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1	Rishikesh / Haridwar to Joshimath and the base village	270 km · Full-day drive · 1,030 ft → 7,800 ft · Homestay · Meals: dinner · 7,800 ft
Rishikesh/Haridwar → Devprayag → Srinagar → Karnaprayag → Nandaprayag → base village near Karchon/Tugasi Pickup from Rishikesh or Haridwar and the drive up the Alaknanda valley via Devprayag, Srinagar, Karnaprayag and Nandaprayag. Evening arrival at the base village, trek briefing and dinner.		
2	Base village to Dhurkund Camp Base village → Dhurkund forest camp A forest trail through oak and rhododendron to the quiet Dhurkund forest camp. Hot lunch and an evening walk around camp.	4.5 km · 3–4 hrs · 7,800 ft → 8,500 ft · Dhurkund Camp · Meals: breakfast, lunch, dinner · 8,500 ft
3	Dhurkund Camp to Dobriya Camp (lower Dyalishera) Dhurkund → Dobriya A gradual climb through dense forest to the upper forest campsite at Dobriya. Acclimatisation walk in the evening.	7 km · 5–6 hrs · 8,500 ft → 11,200 ft · Dobriya Camp · Meals: breakfast, lunch, dinner · 11,200 ft
4	Dyalishera Bugyal summit day Dobriya → Dyalishera bugyal → high ridge (13,200 ft) → Dobriya An early alpine start: forest, then open meadows, then the high ridge. The reward is the full Himalayan panorama — Nanda Devi, Dronagiri, Hathi-Ghoda, Chaukhamba, Trishul and Nanda Ghunti — before the descent back to Dobriya.	11 km · 8–9 hrs · summit 13,200 ft · Dobriya Camp · Meals: breakfast, lunch, dinner · 13,200 ft

5 Dobriya to the base village and Karchon

Dobriya → base village → Karchon village

Descend through the dense forest to the base with a packed lunch, and an overnight stay in Karchon village.

9 km · 4–5 hrs · 10,200 ft → 7,800 ft ·

Homestay / hotel, Karchon village · Meals: breakfast, packed lunch, dinner · 7,800 ft

6 Joshimath to Rishikesh / Haridwar

Joshimath → Rishikesh/Haridwar

Breakfast, then the scenic return drive. The trip ends at Rishikesh or Haridwar.

270 km · Full-day drive · 7,800 ft → 1,030

ft · — · Meals: breakfast

What is and is not included

Included

- Transport Rishikesh/Haridwar ↔ base village
- Accommodation (homestay + camps)
- All meals during the trek
- Trek leader, local guide and support staff
- Camping gear (tents, sleeping bags, mats)
- First aid and oxygen support
- Forest permits

Not included

- Backpack offloading
- Personal expenses
- Insurance
- Anything not mentioned under inclusions

Things to carry

- Trekking shoes with ankle support
- Backpack (40–60 L) with a rain cover
- Three warm layers and a padded jacket
- Poncho or rain jacket
- Sun cap, sunglasses and sunscreen
- Personal medication and toiletries
- Two one-litre water bottles

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