

Trongsa Specials The Regal heritage !

Visit
Bhutan 2015
Celebrate happiness



Discover the hereditary beginnings of the Wangchuck dynasty (Rulers of Bhutan). From the central region is where the first and second Kings ruled Bhutan. Trongsa is proud to this day for its administrative history and in Trongsa the Royal Heritage Museum holds much information on the royal lineage of the 5 visionary and compassionate Kings of Bhutan.

Demography: 1st time Leisure/ travellers / Explorers

Duration: 7 - 10 days

Best to visit: Throughout the year (Best during winter)

Best features you will find on your journey to Trongsa:

- * Witness Trongsa Dzong where the investiture ceremony of the Crown Prince, Jigme Khesar Namgyel Wangchuck, as the Chhoetse Penlop, took place in October 2004.
- * Trongsa Dzong is of national significance, this is where the institution of monarchy in Bhutan began.
- * Close to 500 years of architectural magnificence preserved till today.
- * Experience the 5 day annual Tsechu in Dec / Jan.
- * Visit the palace of the first King Ugyen Wangchuck, the Kuenga Rabten.
- * An hour journey south of Trongsa is the winter palace of the 2nd King you can see the statue of the Sakyamuni Buddha in here.
- * Visit a special place for Buddhist Nuns - the Karma Drubdey Nunnery.
- * Towards the North of Trongsa there is a farm road that leads to the Yuling Village witness the local community lifestyle here.
- * Take the adventure hike up for a beautiful meditational retreat at Taphey Goemba.
- * Drive along Trongsa to Jakar (Bhumthang) to enjoy lovely drive and scenic valley view.

Why is it low carbon:

1	Use of Renewable Energy in operations among tourism stakeholders. (Ex: : Dzong building)	√
2	Offer Carbon Certified Products and services for tourists (Ex: Natural resources made available)	√
3	Low Carbon Tourism Products and Services (Tourism value chain measures carbon foot-prints).	√
4	Low Fuel Consumption Transportation	√
5	Inclusive Tourism Activities with Community (Ex: Local Trongsa communities)	√
6	Low Carbon Tourism Practices (Ex: Travel guidelines, waste management)	√

Carbon Indicator in **kgCO₂ equivalent per guest night** (high impact sector - Hotels)



American average = 33



European average = 27.0



Bhutan average = 2.5

