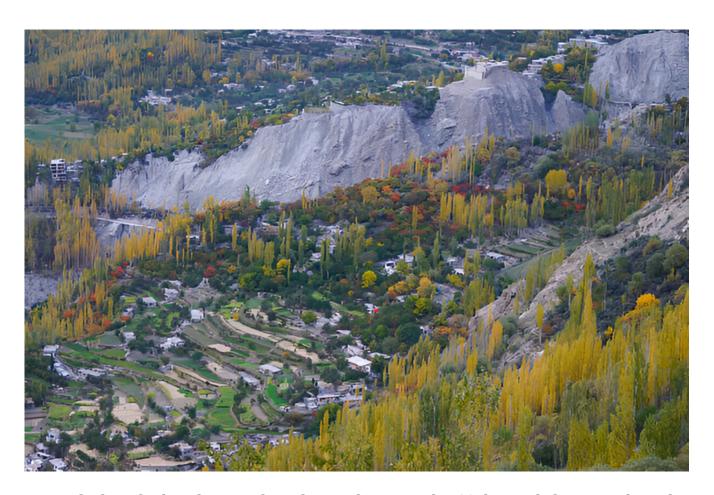
# 10-Day Hunza & Skardu Guided Tour - Explore Northern Pakistan

Karimabad, Karimabad



Discover the breathtaking beauty of Northern Pakistan on this 11-day guided journey through Hunza, Skardu, and Islamabad. This experience is designed for travelers seeking both adventure and comfort. By including domestic flights, we've minimized long and tiring drives, giving you more time to soak in the natural wonders. From the dramatic landscapes of the Karakoram and Himalayas to the warmth of mountain hospitality, this tour offers a rich blend of culture, history, and scenic exploration. Whether it's strolling through ancient forts or witnessing the grandeur of glaciers and alpine lakes, each day offers something extraordinary.

#### **Major Highlights**

Travel the legendary Karakoram Highway
2.
Experience the contrasting landscapes of Skardu and Hunza
3.
Admire majestic peaks like Rakaposhi and Ultar Sar
4.
Explore heritage sites like Baltit and Altit forts
5.
Interact with local communities and taste authentic regional cuisine
6.
Trek through lush meadows and rugged valleys
7.
Visit glacial lakes, cold deserts, and suspension bridges
8.
Enjoy adrenaline-packed activities like ziplining and jet skiing
9.
Guided by experienced

#### **Tour** Facts

Group Size:

12

Duration:

Tour Type:

10

continuous

# **Tour** Itinerary

#### Day 1: Arrival in Islamabad

Arrive at Islamabad International Airport. Transfer to the hotel and rest. If arriving early, explore the capital city on your own. Overnight in Islamabad.

## Day 2: Fly to Skardu & Explore

Take a scenic morning flight to **Skardu**. Visit the historic **Shigar Fort** and explore the surreal **Sarfaranga Cold Desert**, with optional adventure activities. Overnight in Skardu or Shigar.

#### Day 3: Lakes & Valley Hike

Discover **Shangrila Lake** and **Upper Kachura Lake** before embarking on a scenic hike to **Soq Valley**, surrounded by waterfalls and pine-covered hills. Stay in the tranquil **Kachura Valley**.

## Day 4: Road Trip to Hunza

Depart Skardu for a picturesque drive to **Hunza Valley**. Enjoy stopovers at **Ashtaq Nala** and **Rakaposhi Viewpoint**. Reach Karimabad by evening and explore the vibrant tourist street. Overnight in Central Hunza.

#### Day 5: Historic Hunza Exploration

Spend the day exploring central Hunza. Start with a visit to the serene Hoper Valley followed by a hike to Hoper Glacier. Later, dive into history at Baltit and Altit Forts and wander through the ancient village of Altit. Enjoy the sunset from Duikar View Point before checking into Luxus Hunza.

## Day 6: Khunjerab Pass Day Trip

After breakfast, drive towards Khunjerab Pass, one of the highest paved roads in the world. Weather permitting, we'll go as far as snow conditions allow. On the way, enjoy scenic views at Attabad Lake and the iconic Passu Cones. Overnight stay near Attabad Lake.

#### Day 7: Adventure in Upper Hunza

Explore Upper Hunza's colorful villages. Visit **Hussaini Suspension Bridge**, **Borith Lake**, and enjoy activities like boating and jet skiing at Attabad. Overnight in Upper Hunza.

#### Day 8: Snow Adventure in Naltar Valley

Drive to **Naltar Valley**, a hub for skiing and snow adventures in winter. Enjoy a full day of exploration before arriving in Gilgit by evening. Overnight in Gilgit.

#### Day 9: Fly to Islamabad & City Tour

Fly back to Islamabad. Your guide will escort you through a cultural city tour, including **Faisal Mosque**, **Pakistan Monument**, and **Lok Virsa Museum**. Shop in F-7 Markaz or Centaurus Mall and dine at **Monal** with city views. Overnight in Islamabad.

## Day 10: Departure

Check out from the hotel by noon and transfer to Islamabad Airport for your departure.