

# **BANGALORE TO CHITRADURGA**

### **UNIQUE EXPERIENCE & LEARNING OBJECTIVES:**

#### **CHITRADURGA FORT:**

Chitradurga Fort, or as the British called it Chitaldoorg is a fortification that straddles several hills and a peak overlooking a flat valley in the Chitradurga District, Karnataka, India. The fort's name Chitrakaldurga, which means' picturesque fort' in Kannada, is the namesake of the town Chitradurga and its administrative district. The fort was built in stages between the 11<sup>th</sup> and 13<sup>th</sup> centuries by the dynastic rulers of the region, including the Chalukyas and Hoysalas, later the Nayakas of Chitradurga of the Vijayanagar Empire.

#### **CHANDRAVALLI ARCHAEOLOGICAL SITE:**

Chandravalli is an archaeological site located in the Chitradurga district of the state of Karnataka, India. The region is a valley formed by three hills, Chitradurga, Kirabanakallu and Jolagudda. It is a semi-arid region with scrub vegetation with a stream running through it. Excavations at Chandravalli have revealed earthen pots, painted bowls and coins of Indian dynasties like Vijayanagar, Satavahana and Hoysalas as well as denarii of Roman emperor Augustus Caesar and a coin of the Chinese Han dynasty Emperor Wu Ti belonging to 2nd Century BC.

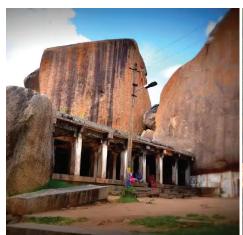
#### **MURUGA RAJENDRA MATA:**

## **MANDARAGIRI (PEACOCK TEMPLE):**

The Mandaragiri temple complex is an important Jain pilgrimage centre named after Mallinatha. The hilltop has four twelfth-century temples and one stupa enclosed in a massive stone wall with paintings of Tirthankaras. The back wall, the original entrance of the temple, features an entrance gate with two pillars bearing carvings of elephants and an image of Tirthankara seated on a lotus pedestal. The first temple doesn't enshrine any idols and the remaining three temples are dedicated to Chandraprabha, Parshvanatha and Suparshvanatha.

#### **PROGRAM DETAILS:**

Time	ProgramDetails	Distancefrom School(OneWay)	Approx JourneyTime
05:30AM	Departure from School to Chitradurga	214Kms	6Hr30mins
08:00AM	Breakfast (En-route)		
08:30AM	After breakfast drive to Chitradurga		
12:30PM	Chitradurga Fort		
02:00PM	Buffet lunch (Enroute)		
03:00PM	Chandravalli Archaeological Site		
04:00PM	Muruga Rajendra Mata		
05:30PM	Enroute visit Mandaragiri (Peacock Temple)		
06:30PM	Return back to Bangalore	214Kms	6Hr30mins
07:30PM	Enroute stop for Snacks		
09:00PM	Arrival at School		







## **TOUR INCLUSION:**

- luxury coach
- Buffet Breakfast at restaurant
- Student Friendly Tour Guide
- Buffet Lunch at restaurant
- Evening Snacks & Juice
- Services of EdufunTrips Tour Manager
- Water Bottle on tour
- All Entry Fees



