DISCOVER VOYAGE CHRONICLES

Jaipur

A compact Jaipur route that groups forts, the Pink City and food experiences by area - so you see the essentials without spending the trip in traffic.

3 DAYS	Best for: a first Jaipur trip, long weekend or 3-day city break from Delhi.
ROUTE	Amer / Jaigarh / Nahargarh → Pink City → City Palace / Jantar Mantar → markets + food

CURATED WITH CURRENT OFFICIAL TOURISM GUIDANCE + PRACTICAL ROUTING + VEGETARIAN FOOD PICKS

Research refreshed: 13 September 2026 • Always re-check opening hours, transport and local advisories before booking.

Trip at a glance

Ideal trip length	3 days / 2 or 3 nights
Stay areas	C-Scheme for cafés / ease; Bani Park for quieter hotels; Old City for atmosphere but more congestion
Best transport	Cab / auto for city sightseeing; walk inside compact Old City clusters
Book first	Amber Fort guide if desired, City Palace special access, popular dinner experiences
Vegetarian ease	Excellent - Jaipur is one of the easiest Indian cities for pure-veg travel
Best rhythm	Start forts early; use midday for indoor sites/lunch; save markets and rooftops for late afternoon

Route overview

Day	Route / Focus	Overnight
1	Amer Fort + Jaigarh/Nahargarh + Jal Mahal	Jaipur
2	Hawa Mahal + City Palace + Jantar Mantar + bazaars	Jaipur
3	Albert Hall / Patrika Gate + food + shopping	—

DVC route rule: this itinerary is built around geographic flow and realistic energy, not maximum pin-count. If weather, queues or road delays hit, protect the major experience and drop the lowest-priority stop.

Day-by-day itinerary

DAY 1 • Hill forts + sunset

Base	Jaipur
Morning	Reach Amber Fort early to beat heat/crowds. Explore courtyards and viewpoints.
Afternoon	Jaigarh Fort for military history / views; optional Nahargarh depending energy. Stop at Jal Mahal viewpoint on return.
Evening	Sunset from Nahargarh or relaxed dinner in town.
Vegetarian pick	Govindam Retreat for Rajasthani vegetarian food; Masala Chowk for variety.
Sleep	Jaipur
DVC note	Skip elephant rides; jeep/cab or walking is a more responsible and predictable option.

DAY 2 • Pink City heritage core

Base	Jaipur
Morning	Hawa Mahal exterior/photos early, then City Palace and Jantar Mantar.
Afternoon	Lunch, then Johari Bazaar / Bapu Bazaar / Tripolia area; add Govind Dev Ji if it interests you.
Evening	Old City lights / café dinner.
Vegetarian pick	LMB for classic vegetarian Rajasthani snacks/thali; Anokhi Café if you want lighter organic food.
Sleep	Jaipur
DVC note	These sights are close together - park once and walk as much as comfortable.

DAY 3 • Museums + design Jaipur

Base	—
Morning	Albert Hall Museum or Birla Mandir depending interests.
Afternoon	Patrika Gate / Jawahar Circle, then C-Scheme cafés and final shopping.
Evening	Depart Jaipur or stay for a slow dinner.
Vegetarian pick	Rawat for pyaaz kachori; Anokhi Café / The Vegan Room for modern vegetarian/vegan food.
Sleep	—
DVC note	If you have only 2 days, cut Day 3 rather than compressing Days 1-2.

Vegetarian food plan

Restaurant operations change, especially in mountain / seasonal destinations. Treat the names below as a strong shortlist, then re-check the latest hours and reservation policy close to travel.

Area	Vegetarian-friendly options	What to order / note
Old City	LMB; Govindam Retreat; local kachori / lassi stops	Ask for “no onion/garlic” or Jain preparation where needed - many places understand it.
C-Scheme	Anokhi Café; The Vegan Room; modern cafés	Good for lighter breakfasts, salads and international food.
Across Jaipur	Masala Chowk	Useful for sampling multiple vegetarian street foods in one organised place.

Practical planning checklist

- Sun hat + sunglasses
- Comfortable shoes for forts
- Reusable water bottle
- Light scarf / modest layer for temples
- Small cash for markets

Where to stay - quick framework

Choose location before hotel brand: prioritise a base that reduces repeated cross-city driving, has easy evening food access, and matches your earliest sightseeing starts. For road trips, secure parking / driver accommodation and a reliable breakfast can matter more than a decorative “view room”.

Booking sequence

1. Lock trip dates and intercity transport.
2. Book the hardest-to-replace experience / attraction.
3. Book hotels by neighbourhood / route logic.
4. Add local transport / guide.
5. Re-check restaurant hours, weather and local advisories 48-72 hours before each key day.

Planning notes & research sources

This guide is a curated planning document, not a live booking confirmation. Attraction timings, roads, weather, prices and restaurant operations can change. Re-check official sources close to travel.

Rajasthan Tourism - tourism.rajasthan.gov.in

Official Jaipur and suggested-itinerary guidance covering Amber, Hawa Mahal, City Palace, Jantar Mantar and markets.

Jaipur restaurant research - Current 2026 local / traveller sources

Cross-checked current vegetarian picks including Govindam Retreat, LMB, Anokhi Café and modern vegan options.

Save this guide, customise the hotel layer, then book the fixed-date pieces first: intercity trains / flights, high-demand attractions, and any guided mountain/desert transport.