

TREK · GILGIT-BALTISTAN

# Fairy Meadows Trek

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DURATION

**6 Days**  
5 Nights

SEASON

**May-Oct**  
Season

MAX ALTITUDE

**3,900 m**  
Highest point

GRADE

**Moderate**  
On foot

FROM

**\$750**  
per person

## The Journey

The Fairy Meadows & Nanga Parbat Base Camp Trek is the most accessible way to stand face to face with an 8,000-meter giant. In a few short days you leave the Karakoram Highway for an alpine meadow of pine and wildflowers, with the immense Raikot Face of Nanga Parbat (8,126m) — the ninth-highest mountain on Earth — filling the whole skyline. They call Nanga Parbat the Killer Mountain, yet this trek asks no technical climbing of you. It is a moderate walk through some of the most dramatic scenery in Pakistan, well suited to fit first-time trekkers who want genuine mountain wilderness without crampons, glaciers or high passes.

## Day-by-Day

- 1**  
DAY

**540 m**

### Arrival in Islamabad

Arrive at Islamabad International Airport where our team meets you for a warm welcome. Transfer to your hotel, settle in, and join an evening briefing covering the route, gear, and what to expect on the trail.
- 2**  
DAY

**1,265 m**

### Islamabad to Chilas

Begin the legendary drive north along the Karakoram Highway, tracing the Indus River through dramatic gorges. Reach Chilas by evening for an overnight stay under the shadow of the mountains.
- 3**  
DAY

**3,300 m**

### Trek to Fairy Meadows

Continue to Raikot Bridge, then switch to a 4x4 jeep for the thrilling climb to Tato village. From here we trek through pine forest to the alpine meadows of Fairy Meadows, with Nanga Parbat towering ahead.
- 4**  
DAY

**3,900 m**

### Nanga Parbat Viewpoint

A rewarding day hike from Fairy Meadows up to Beyal Camp and on to the Nanga Parbat Base Camp viewpoint. Stand face to face with the 8,126m “Killer Mountain” before returning to camp for the night.
- 5**  
DAY

**1,300 m**

### Drive to Besham

Trek back down through the forest to Tato and Raikot Bridge, where our vehicle awaits. Drive along the Karakoram Highway to Besham for a comfortable overnight stop.

6  
DAY

540 m

## Return to Islamabad

Complete the final leg back to Islamabad, arriving by evening. Freshen up and celebrate the end of an unforgettable journey to the foot of Nanga Parbat.

## What's Included

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- Private ground transport from Islamabad, all 4x4 jeep transfers on the Raikot track, hotel nights in Chilas and Besham, and all camping at Fairy Meadows.
- All meals on trek, camping equipment, a licensed local guide, cook and porters.
- Community and forest entry fees, plus daily route and weather monitoring by our team.

### Not Included

- International flights to and from Pakistan, and the Pakistan visa fee.
- Personal travel and medical insurance.
- Personal trekking gear such as boots, sleeping bag and a down jacket. Rental can be arranged in Gilgit or Skardu.
- Tips for guides, porters and support staff (recommended \$5–10 per day per person).

## Pricing

Fixed-departure group price is \$750 per person, all-inclusive of the services above. Private groups are priced by size — discounts apply automatically as your group grows.

Solo 1 Person

**\$1,800**  
per person

2–3 Persons

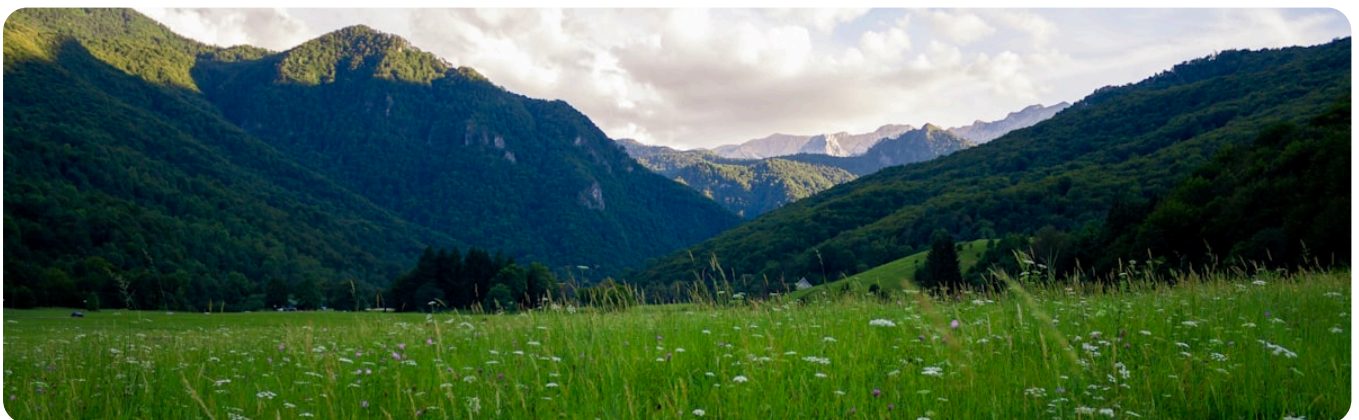
**\$1,150**  
per person

4–6 Persons

**\$920**  
per person

7–10 Persons

**\$750**  
best value · per person



# Good to Know

## Booking & Payment

- A deposit of \$100 per person is required to confirm your spot. Full payment is due 21 days before departure.
- Bookings can be made through our official website, authorized agents, or by direct WhatsApp contact.
- Prices may change due to availability, demand, and government travel regulations.

## Cancellation Policy

- Cancellations 30+ days before departure: full refund minus the deposit.
- Cancellations 15–29 days before departure: 50% refund of the total paid.
- Cancellations less than 15 days before departure: no refund will be issued.

## Permits & Documentation

- Foreign visitors need a valid Pakistan tourist visa; we provide a Letter of Invitation on request.
- Fairy Meadows lies in an open zone, so no special restricted-area trekking permit is required. A small local community and forest fee applies and is included.
- We recommend valid travel and medical insurance covering mountain travel and emergency evacuation.

## Health & Fitness

- Suitable for fit first-time trekkers. You should be comfortable walking 4 to 6 hours on uneven mountain trails.
- No technical skills are required. There is no glacier travel or high-pass crossing on this route.
- Anyone with a heart condition or a history of severe altitude sickness should consult a physician before booking.

## Ready to go?

Local hands · Real safety · Fair price · WhatsApp us for available dates

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