



## Temples and Saris

### Mahabalipuram, Pondicherry & Kanchipuram 4 days 3 nights

**Day 1: Mahabalipuram** You will be met at Chennai airport and transferred 1 hour to Mahabalipuram to explore the remarkable '5 Rathas', the ancient Shore Temple and many rock cut temples of National and World Heritage UNESCO sites here in this small friendly town.  
**Overnight Mahabalipuram**

**Days 2-3: Pondicherry** After spending the morning relaxing and enjoying the sites and shopping of Mahabalipuram, it's a 2 hour drive to Pondicherry, a very different taste of India. A French colony until 1954, there is still a large French influence and international population. After lunch wander the charming French quarter, promenade along the waterfront with local families and enjoy French inspired cuisine in this laid back and peaceful town. On day 3, take a trip out to Auroville, the 'International' community which was the brainchild of French born Mirra Alfassa, known as 'The Mother' - Sri Aurobindo's most famous devotee.

**Overnight Pondicherry**

**Day 4: Kanchipuram drop Chennai** An early morning drive to Kanchipuram, known as the city of a thousand temples. Don't miss the opportunity to check out the famous Kanchipuram silk Sarees before transferring to Chennai airport.

**COST: A\$395 per person twin share**

#### Includes

- Pickup and drop off from Chennai Airport
- 3 nights' accommodation
- 3 breakfasts
- Local car and driver for days 1-4

#### Excludes

- Airfares to and from Chennai
- Personal expenditure such as drinks, laundry service and souvenirs
- Tipping expenses
- Compulsory insurance of any kind
- Camera and video entry charges at local sights