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## NANDI HILLS

You have two options to get to the top of the Nandi Hills. You can trek from either the south or the north of the mountains. The northern side has a proper road and is a little more crowded, as cyclists and bikers also use it. Take the southern route if you want a real trek to the top.

At the top, you can see the outside of Tipu Sultan's summer residence and can click amazing photographs from this point. There is also a temple at the top of the mountain. You could even spend the rest of the day at Nandi Hills and only head back in the evening.

- Location: Chikkaballapur
- Distance from Hotel: 20 kilometres
- Time: 20 Mins
- Trek Difficulty: Easy
- Hotel car price: 5,000+tax with in-car refreshments



# BHOGA NANDEESHWARA TEMPLE

Nandi Temple or Bhoga Nandeeshwara Temple is a beautiful temple complex dedicated to Lord Shiva. It is situated at the base of Nandi Hills and is one of the few antiquated temples in India which is very well preserved. The grandeur and intricately detailed carvings on the temple facade are to be admired. Nandi Temple dates back to the 9th century and is termed as one of the oldest temples in the state of Karnataka tourist.

Tourists can take a stroll in the temple complex and explore the shrines constructed in the Dravidian type of architecture that the temples are built.

- Distance from Hotel: 10 km
- Time: 20 mins
- Location: Nandi Hills
- Hotel car price: 3,000+tax with in-car refreshments





## GROVER ZAMPA VINEYARDS

A pioneer in winemaking in India producing premium, award-winning wines for three generations. With three generations of winemaking experience, Grover Zampa Vineyards is one of the oldest wineries and a distinguished producer of premium wines in India. The company's 410-acre vineyard is situated at the foothills of the picturesque Nandi Hills in Doddaballapura, roughly 22 km from the hotel.

- Timings 10:30 am and 13:30hrs
- Average time to reach from the hotel is 30mins
- Hotel car price: 5,000+tax with in car refreshments and packed breakfast



## SKANDAGIRI HILL

Skandagiri is a hill located in the Chikballapur district. A rugged trek, it will take a while to complete, but it's very popular with hiking enthusiasts. You will find plenty of groups, including some beginners, trekking up to the top.

The beginning of the trail is pretty manageable, but as you go up, you will have to make your way through a maze of dense shrubs. But the climb is worth it, as you will witness some wonderful views from the top of the mountain. If you're interested in history or architecture, check out the old fort that once belonged to Tipu Sultan at the top.

- Location: Skandagiri
- Distance from Hotel: 17 kilometres
- Time : 38 Mins
- Trek Difficulty: Difficult
- Hotel car price: 10,000+tax with in-car refreshments



# ANTHARGANGE HILL

Besides being an excellent trekking spot, the Anthargange doubles up as a cave exploration site. If you love adventure and taking up challenges, you will love the climb up the top of this 1712 metre mountain.

Along the way, you will have to bend, twist, and crawl through the tricky path to find your way to the top. It's a tough but short trek; it's also not that far away from the city. So in case you only have a few hours and must get out of the city, here's where you go.

- Location: Kolar
- Distance from Bangalore: About 65 kilometres
- Time: 2Hrs
- Trek Difficulty: Moderate to Difficult
- Hotel car price: 15,000+tax with in- car refreshments



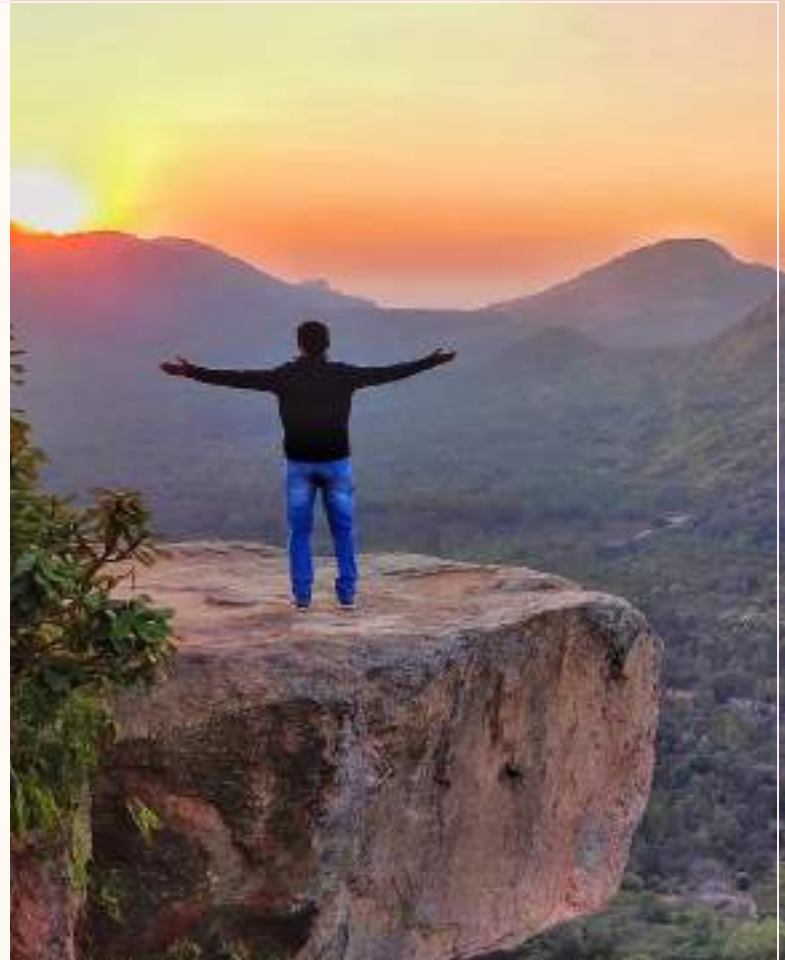
# DEVARAYANADURGA HILL

A hill station where Buddha Purnima is celebrated with great fanfare in March and April (including a car festival), Devarayanadurga is a fantastic trek for the whole family. This is because there are three levels. The trek is very easy up to the lowest and no real effort is needed.

At this elevation, you can find the Lakshmi Narasimha Swamy Temple (at higher levels, the Yoga Narasimha and Bhoga Narasimha temples can be found). The next level is a bit more challenging, but it's still doable.

Here, you can see a natural spring and a small pond. As you go higher up the mountain, the trek gets tougher, so if you aren't in the best physical health, avoid going any further. If you are confident, though, the view is excellent. There is also a small spring known as Jayatirtha at the top.

- Location: Devarayanadurga, near Tumkur
- Distance from Hotel: 70 kilometres
- Time: 1 Hr 20 Mins
- Trek Difficulty: Easy to Difficult
- Hotel car price: 15,000+tax with in-car refreshments





## THOTTIKALLU FALLS

Thottikallu Falls, also known as 'Swarna Mukhi Falls', is a waterfall near Bangalore within 100 km which offers mesmerizing views and attracts several visitors during the post monsoon season. At the starting point of these falls is the Muneshwara Temple, which lends a spiritual appeal to the place. It is located along the Kanakapura main road. Few accommodation options are available for those wanting to spend more than a night here.

- Distance from Hotel: 80km
- Location: Muneshwara Temple
- Time: 2 hours
- Hotel car price: 15,000+tax with in-car refreshments



## LEPAKSHI TEMPLE

Located in a hamlet in the Anantapur District of Andhra Pradesh, the Veerbhadra temple is built in the Vijayanagar architectural style with beautiful sculptures adorning its walls. A sight to behold while the temple's artistic finesse already enthralls you is its hanging pillar. The pillar suspended in the main hall is said to be the reception for Shiva and Parvati's marriage. Getting to Lepakshi is easier than you would assume as it is well connected by all means of transportation.

- Distance from hotel: 85kms
- Location: Lepakshi, Andhra Pradesh
- Time: 1 Hr 45 Mins
- Hotel car price: 15,000+tax with in-car refreshments

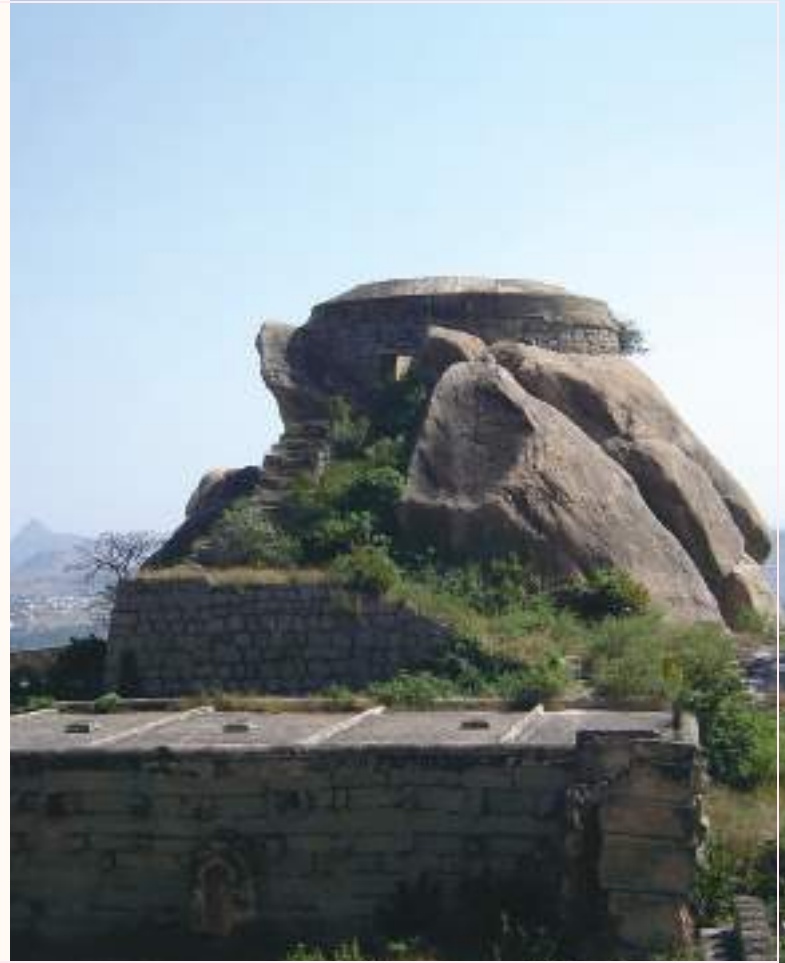


## MADHUGIRI HILL

Madhugiri Hill is the second largest monolith hill in Karnataka. Trekking here is pretty straightforward as there are steps right up to the top of the hill. Upon the hill is a fort (Madhugiri Fort) that is rooted in Karnataka's history.

It will take you around two hours to complete the trek, walking at a leisurely pace; many experienced trekkers will take even half the time.

- Location: Madhugiri
- Distance from Hotel: 91 kilometres
- Time: 2 Hrs
- Trek Difficulty: Easy
- Hotel car price: 15,000+tax with in-car refreshments

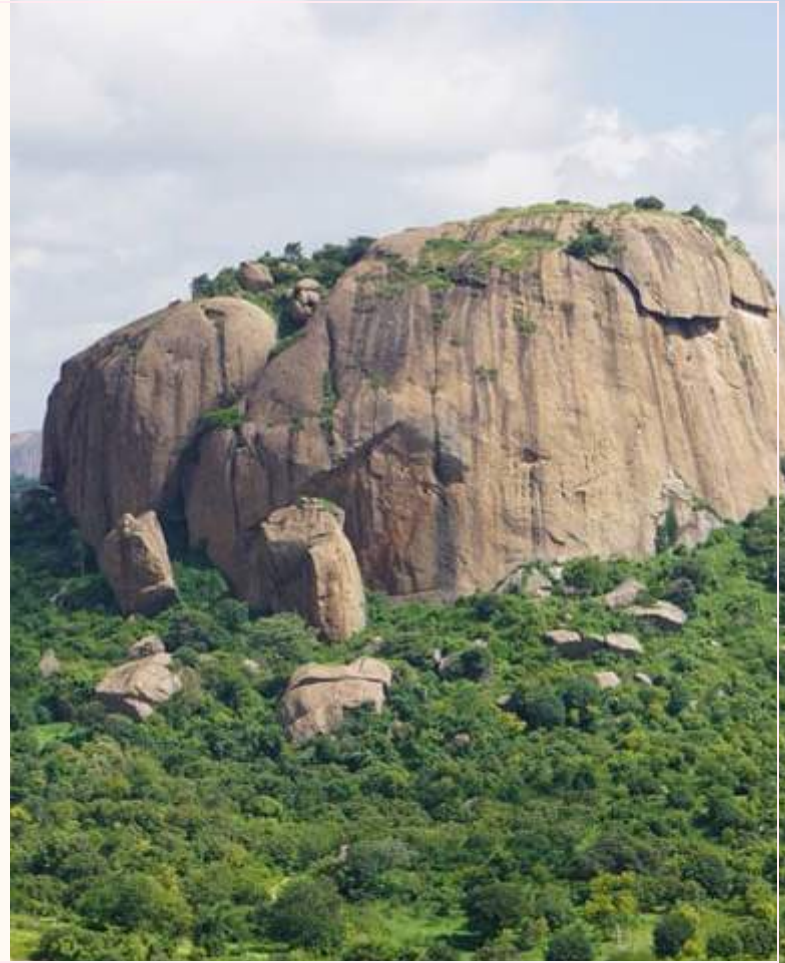


# RAMANAGARA HILL

Located away from Bangalore, Ramanagara is a small town in Karnataka. Ramanagara has many short treks that one can embark on, including one to the spot where they shot the Bollywood film, Sholay! These treks are perfect for the weekend as climbing up doesn't take up much of your time unless you like to take it slow.

Some of them will last only a little over an hour. Popular spots for trekking in the area are Ramadevara, Yatirajagiri, Revana Siddeshwara hill, and Ramagiri Hill.

- Location: Ramanagara
- Distance from Hotel : 110 kilometres
- Time : 2Hrs 45Mins
- Trek Difficulty: Easy to Moderate
- Hotel car price: 15,000+tax with in-car refreshments

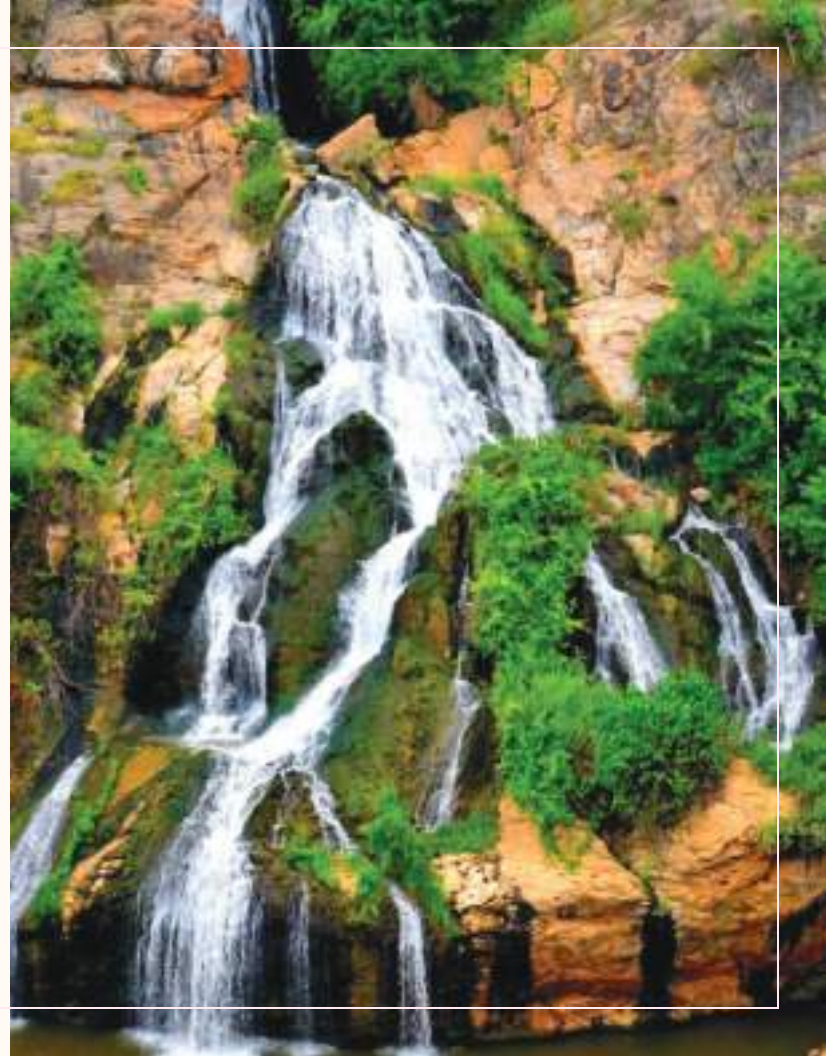




## CHUNCHI FALLS

The route to Chunchi Falls is full of greenery. Fed by river Arkavati, Chunchi falls is en route to Mekedatu and Sangama, it is amongst the most scenic falls near Bangalore. Sangama is a place where three rivers join and flow through Mekedatu a rocky valley.

- Distance from Hotel: 135km
- Location: Mekedatu
- Time: 4 hours
- Hotel car price: 15,000+tax with in-car refreshments



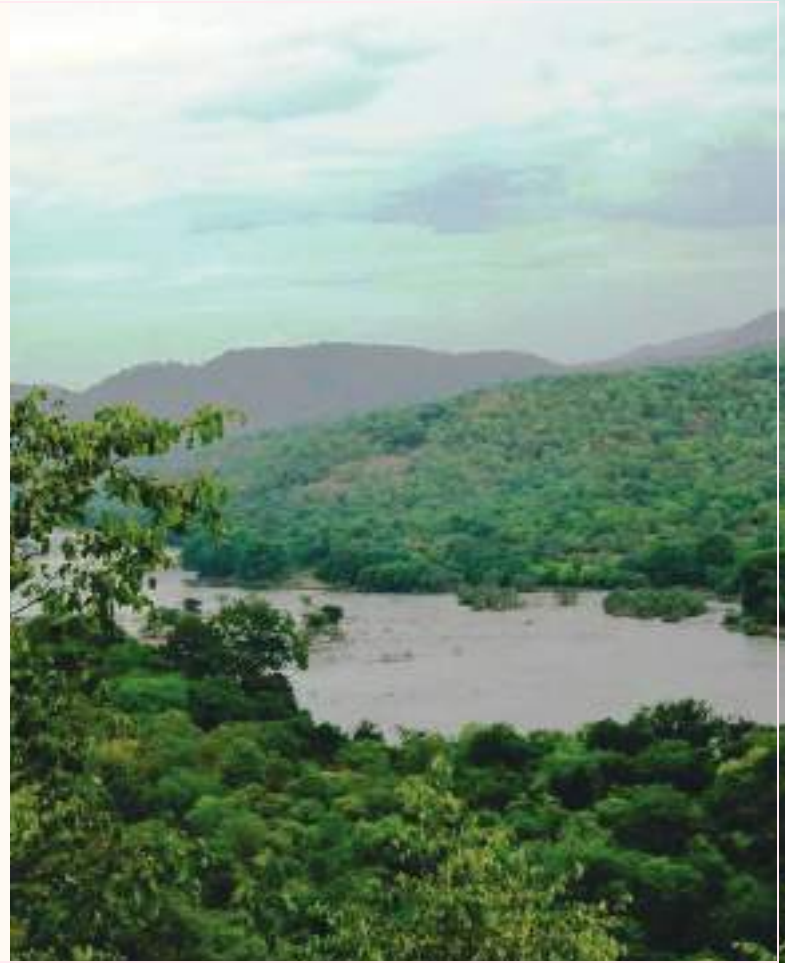


## BHEEMESHWARI HILL

Every trekker's fantasy, the climb up the Bheemeshwari hill presents you with panoramic views of nature. This trek is a mixed bag, as there are some easy and other very challenging sections.

The landscape is wonderful throughout, with rich flora and fauna; it is an amazing spot for bird watching. There are also a few watchtowers from where the surrounding areas are best seen.

- Location: Bheemeshwari
- Distance from Hotel: 150 kilometres
- Time: 1Hr 30Mins
- Trek Difficulty: Moderate to Difficult
- Hotel car price: 15,000+tax with in-car refreshments

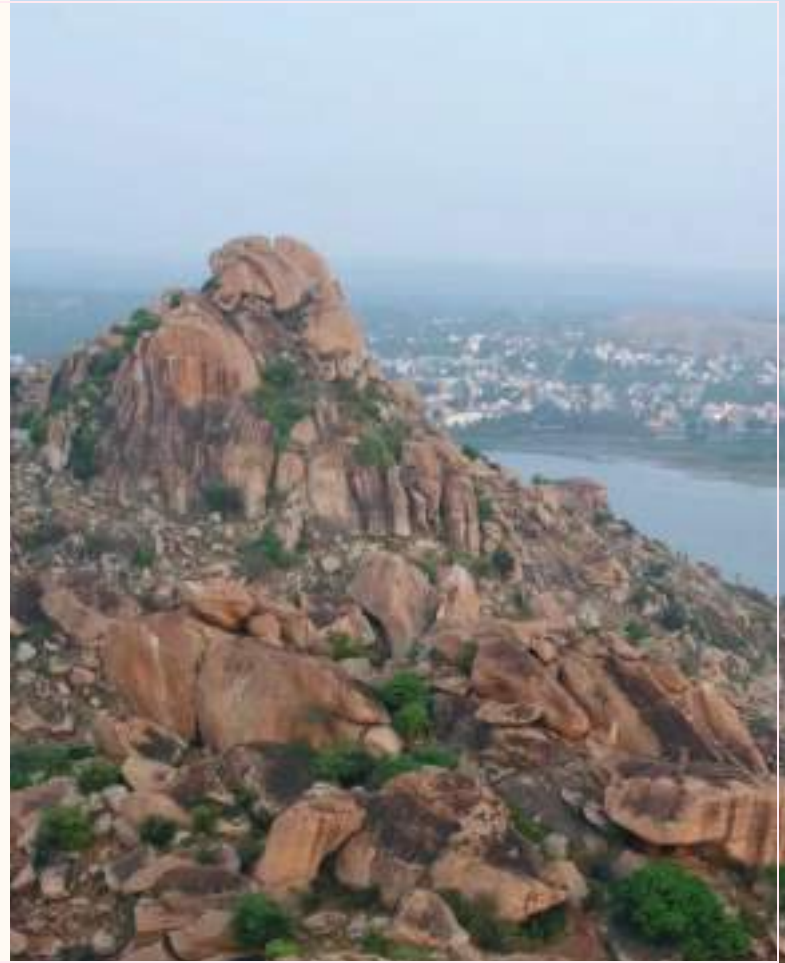


## KUNTI BETTA

A popular trekking trail, Kunti Betta is frequented by both amateur and professional trekkers. The route to the top is picturesque and you'll find photography enthusiasts bringing large lenses up to the top, too. Besides this, it also has historic relevance.

Many believe that the Pandavas and Kunti once lived on this hill. At the peak, you can enjoy a bonfire or just gaze at the lovely sunset or sunrise, depending on what time you reach the top of the hill. At a moderate pace, it will take you around five hours to conquer this peak.

- Location: SH 19, Pandavapura.
- Distance from Hotel: 190Kms
- Time: 3Hrs 55Mins
- Trek Difficulty: Moderate to Difficult
- Hotel car price: 18,000+tax with in-car refreshments





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