MANDLA AND BALAGHAT, MADHYA PRADESH · INDIA

Kanha National Park

Sal forest and wide meadows in the Maikal hills, home to tigers, dhole, gaur and the hard-ground barasingha that was saved from extinction here.

103 animals 30 mammals, 63 birds, 8 reptiles and 2 amphibians

Best time: Oct to Jun, Mar to Jun for tigers

Seen _____ of 103

ANIMAL DATE AND PLACE

01 Big cats and predators 10

- [ ] Tiger
- [ ] Leopard
- [ ] Dhole
- [ ] Sloth Bear
- [ ] Golden Jackal
- [ ] Jungle Cat
- [ ] Striped Hyena Rare
- [ ] Rusty-spotted Cat Rare
- [ ] Bengal Fox Rare
- [ ] Honey Badger Rare

02 Deer and wild cattle 9

- [ ] Barasingha
- [ ] Chital (Spotted Deer)
- [ ] Sambar Deer
- [ ] Gaur
- [ ] Wild Boar
- [ ] Northern Red Muntjac
- [ ] Nilgai
- [ ] Four-horned Antelope Rare
- [ ] Indian Chevrotain Rare

03 Smaller mammals 11

- [ ] Hanuman Langur
- [ ] Rhesus Macaque
- [ ] Indian Grey Mongoose
- [ ] Ruddy Mongoose
- [ ] Northern Palm Squirrel
- [ ] Indian Hare
- [ ] Indian Flying Fox
- [ ] Indian Crested Porcupine Rare

ANIMAL DATE AND PLACE

03 Smaller mammals continued

- [ ] Indian Giant Flying Squirrel Rare
- [ ] Smooth-coated Otter Rare
- [ ] Indian Pangolin Rare

04 Birds of prey and owls 15

- [ ] Crested Serpent Eagle
- [ ] Changeable Hawk-Eagle
- [ ] Oriental Honey Buzzard
- [ ] Shikra
- [ ] Black-winged Kite
- [ ] White-eyed Buzzard
- [ ] Indian Vulture Rare
- [ ] White-rumped Vulture Rare
- [ ] Red-headed Vulture Rare
- [ ] Black Eagle Rare
- [ ] Brown Fish Owl
- [ ] Indian Eagle-Owl
- [ ] Mottled Wood Owl
- [ ] Jungle Owlet
- [ ] Spotted Owlet

05 Forest birds 34

- [ ] Indian Peafowl
- [ ] Red Junglefowl
- [ ] Red Spurfowl
- [ ] Painted Spurfowl Rare
- [ ] Grey Francolin
- [ ] Indian Roller
- [ ] Asian Green Bee-eater
- [ ] Chestnut-headed Bee-eater
- [ ] Indian Grey Hornbill
- [ ] Plum-headed Parakeet

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05 Forest birds continued

ANIMAL	DATE AND PLACE
☐ Alexandrine Parakeet	
☐ Ring-necked Parakeet	
☐ Coppersmith Barbet	
☐ Brown-headed Barbet	
☐ Black-rumped Flameback	
☐ Greater Racquet-tailed Drongo	
☐ White-bellied Drongo	
☐ Indian Paradise Flycatcher	
☐ Indian Golden Oriole	
☐ Black-hooded Oriole	
☐ Rufous Treepie	
☐ Common Iora	
☐ Small Minivet	
☐ Jungle Babbler	
☐ Indian Scimitar Babbler	
☐ Oriental Magpie-Robin	
☐ Tickell's Blue Flycatcher	
☐ Jungle Myna	
☐ Indian Black-lored Tit	
☐ Velvet-fronted Nuthatch	
☐ Common Hawk Cuckoo	
☐ Jacobin Cuckoo	
☐ Sirkeer Malkoha	
☐ Indian Pitta	

06 Water birds 14

ANIMAL	DATE AND PLACE
☐ Lesser Whistling Duck	
☐ Asian Woolly-necked Stork	
☐ Asian Openbill	
☐ Black Stork Rare	
☐ Little Cormorant	
☐ Oriental Darter	
☐ Indian Pond Heron	
☐ Medium Egret	
☐ Bronze-winged Jacana	
☐ Red-wattled Lapwing	
☐ Indian Thick-knee	
☐ White-throated Kingfisher	
☐ Common Kingfisher	
☐ Pied Kingfisher	

07 Reptiles and amphibians 10

☐ Bengal Monitor	
☐ Indian Rock Python	
☐ Indian Cobra	
☐ Russell's Viper	
☐ Common Rat Snake	
☐ Oriental Garden Lizard	
☐ Indian Flapshell Turtle	
☐ Indian Chameleon Rare	
☐ Indian Bullfrog	
☐ Asian Common Toad	

My trip

FROM _____ TO _____

TRAVELLING WITH _____

STAYING AT _____ SEEN _____ OF 103

FIRST ANIMAL WE SAW _____

BEST MOMENT _____

FIELD NOTES AND SKETCHES

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A guide, not a guarantee: what you see depends on season, luck and patience. Give wildlife space and never feed it. Follow the local rules on distance.