

## **Patnitop Sightseeing Overview**

Sightseeing attractions present in Patnitop includes Shigarh, which is a popular trekking route in Patnitop. Located at an altitude of 3500 m, Shivagarh is about 11 km from region of Patnitop and it takes a one-day trek to reach the place. At a trek of 5 km from Patnitop, is Madhatop that remains snow covered throughout the winters. Skiing is a very popular adventure sports over here, which is why several tournaments are organized here in the winters. With an altitude of 2024 m, Madhatop is easily accessible by road.

Kud is a very important committee town located in the district of Udhampur in the Indian state of Kashmir. Kud is located Udhampur Srinagar Highway, 110 km from Jammu city and is about 32 km from Udhampur. With an altitude of 1855 m, it is a very important part of the lower Himalayan range. The region of Kud is popular for Patisa, which is sweet dish prepared here in the sweet shops.

Near to Patnitop is Shudh Mhadev Ka Pahad, which has its association with epic Mahabharata.

### **Shiva Garh**

Shiva Garh is a trekking route located in Patnitop, which is located at an altitude of 3,500 m. Shiva Garh is about 11 km from the region of Patnitop and is about a one day trek from the place. The trekking equipments are available at the shops located in Kud or in Jammu.

Address: 11 km from Patnitop

Timing: Morning to Evening

Admission Fees: Free

### **Madhatop**

Madhatop is about 5 km trek away from Patnitop along the Sanasar road. The region of Madhatop remains covered with thick snow cover during the winters here that attracts skiers from different parts. Three fresh water springs located here that are popular for their curative properties. With a high altitude of 2024 m, Madhatop is about 112 km from road and is accessible by road.

Address: 5 km from Patnitop

Timing: Not available

Admission Fees: Free

### **Kud**

Kud is an important area committee and a town in Udhampur district, located in the Indian state of Kashmir. Located on the Udhampur Srinagar Highway, it is about 32 km from Udhampur and about 110 km from Jammu city. As it is a part of the lower Himalayan range, it has an average altitude of 1855 m. Kud is popular for its sweet shops that prepare hot and fresh Patisa, which is very popular among tourists.

Address: Udhampur district

Timing: Morning to Evening

Admission Fees: Free

### **The Naag Temple**

The Naag temple is located near Mantalai at Krimchi, which is believed to be the place where the marriage of Lord Shiva and Goddess Parvati's marriage was held. Naag temple is considered as one of the oldest places in Patnitop that is said to be about 600 years old. Situated on top of a hill, this temple is visited by thousands of devotees during Naag Panchami festival.