

Teacher's Pen

Visiting the Garden City of India

During the last summer vacation, I visited Bengaluru to meet my son. It was my first time travelling by an airplane and to my good luck, I got the window seat. Flying at that height felt pretty amazing as the clouds look like fluffy cotton balls. I was in Bengaluru for a week, and I got a chance to visit many places. On the first day, we visited Bannerghatta Zoo (biological park) where we saw all kinds of birds and animals in their enclosures. The jungle safari was fun as we witnessed wild animals roaming freely without a care. Then we visited the most scenic sunrise point, which is in Nandi hills. After watching the beautiful sunrise we decided to leave for day-long trip to Mysuru. There we saw one of the oldest churches in the city and later we proceeded towards the

beautiful Mysore Palace, which is an architecture marvel in its own right.

The evening spent in the Brindavan Gardens was a marvellous sight with laser light show; we returned to Bengaluru the same day. From MG Road to Lal Bagh Botanical Garden, we spent the day soaking in the beauty that the city has to offer. We also took part in the mango festival where we saw different varieties of mangoes from all over the country. Bengaluru, which is famous for its pleasant weather didn't disappoint us throughout our trip. We also had most authentic South Indian food in MTR (oldest restaurant chain). It was overall a great experience visiting the Silicon Valley of Asia (IT hub).

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