**40th KNOW INDIA PROGRAMME (KIP)**

**27th Dec.2016 – 20th Jan. 2017**

**Partner State - West Bengal**

**West Bengal**

**Day 01** **Tuesday, December 27, 2016**

Arrival and Visit to Birth Place of Rabindra Nath Tagore (Thakubarti) at Jorasanko. Visit to Birth Place of Swami Vivekananda and Indian Museum. Post lunch visit to Belur Math and Boating in the Hooghly River

**Day 2 Wednesday, December 28, 2016**

Visit to St. Paul's Cathedral Church,Birla Industrial & Technological Museum, Eden Garden and Missionaries of Charity. Post lunch Science City, Eco Park (details to be confirmed by West bengal Govt.)

**Day 03, Thursday, December 29, 2016**

Call on Dignitaries, His Excellency Governor, Hon'ble CM, Minister (Independent Charge) Youth services, Chief Secretary, West Bengal. Post Lunch Cultural Programme at Town Hall

**Day 04 Friday, December 30, 2016**

Visit to Sundarbans National Park (Distance 120 KM) , Stay at Sajnekhali Tourist Bunglow

**Day 05 Saturday, December 31, 2016**

Visit to Sundarbans National Park (Distance 120 KM) , Stay at Sajnekhali Tourist Bunglow

**Day 06 Sunday, January 01, 2017**

Visit to Bolpur/ Santiniketan/ Sriniketan /Mayapur/ Bishnupur (Distance 140 KM) , Stay at Santiniketan

**Day 07, Monday, January 02, 2017**

Visit to Bolpur/ Santiniketan/ Sriniketan /Mayapur/ Bishnupur (Distance 140 KM) , Stay at Santiniketan

**Day 08 & 09th Tuesday & Wednesday, January 03 and 04 , 2017**

Visit to Place of interest of Darjeeling District (Distance 550 KM), Stay at Darjeeling/Siliguri

**West Bengal - Bengaluru**

**Day 10, Thursday, January 05, 2017**

Arrival at Bangaluru by flight

**Day 11, Friday January 06 ,2017**

Local tour near Bengaluru

**Day 12, Saturday, January 07, 2017**

Youth Pravasi Bharatiya Divas

**Day 13 Sunday, January 08, 2017**

Pravasi Bharatiya Divas

**Bengaluru – Delhi – Agra**

**Day 14 Monday, January 09, 2017**

Arrival at New Delhi Airport

Transfer by surface to Agra and Check In at Hotel

08:00 PM Dinner and overnight stay at hotel

**Agra – Delhi**

**Day 15 Tuesday, January 10, 2017**

07:00 AM Early Breakfast and departure for Fateh pur Sikri

08:30 AM Visit Fateh pur Sikri

11:30 AM Return to Hotel and Check out

00:30 PM Lunch

01:30 PM Visit Taj Mahal

04:00 PM Travel by surface to Delhi

08:00 PM Arrival at Delhi and check-in at Hotel

09:00 PM Dinner and overnight stay at hotel

**Day 16 Wednesday, January 11, 2017**

09:00 AM Breakfast and departure for Foreign Services Institute

10:00 AM Arrive at Foreign Services Institute

10:30 AM Interactive session at Foreign Services Institute

01:00 PM Lunch at Foreign Services Institute

02:00 PM Session continues at Foreign Services Institute

05:00 PM Return to Hotel

08:00 PM Dinner and overnight stay at hotel

**Day 17 Thursday, January 12, 2017**

09:00 AM Breakfast and departure for Foreign Services Institute

10:00 AM Arrive at Foreign Services Institute

10:30 AM Interactive session at Foreign Services Institute

01:00 PM Lunch at Foreign Services Institute

02:00 PM Session continues at Foreign Services Institute

05:00 PM Return to Hotel

08:00 PM Dinner and overnight stay at hotel

**Day 18 Friday, January 13, 2017**

10:00 AM Breakfast and departure for Parliament House

11:00 AM Visit to Parliament House

01:30 PM Lunch

03:00 PM Visit to National Gallery of Modern Arts

05:00 PM Return to Hotel

08:00 PM Dinner and overnight stay at hotel

**Day 19 Saturday, January 14, 2017**

10:00 AM Breakfast and departure for President House & Raj Ghat

11:00 AM Visit to President House & Raj Ghat

01:30 PM Lunch

02:30 PM Visit Redfort and Jama Mosque

04:30 PM Visit Chandni Chowk

06:00 PM Return to Hotel

08:00 PM Dinner and overnight stay at hotel

**Day 20 Sunday, January 15, 2017**

08:00 AM Breakfast and departure for Qutub Minar

09:00 AM Visit to Qutub Minar

11:00 PM Visit to Lotus Temple

01:00 PM Lunch

02:30 PM Visit to Humayun Tomb

04:00 PM Visit Laxmi Narayan Temple (Birla Temple)

05:00 PM Visit Bangla Sahib Gurudwara & Secred Heart Cathedral

06:30 PM Return to Hotel

09:00 PM Dinner and overnight stay at hotel

**Day 21 Monday, January 16, 2017**

09:00 AM Breakfast and departure for Industrial visit

10:00 AM Industrial visit

01:00 PM Lunch

05:00 PM Return to Hotel

09:00 PM Dinner and overnight stay at hotel

**Day 22 Tuesday, January 17, 2017**

10:00 AM Breakfast and departure for Yoga Session in Morarji Desai

National Institute of Yoga

11:00 AM Arrival at Morarji Desai National Institute of Yoga and enjoy

session of Yoga from an instructor

01:00 PM Lunch

02:30 PM Visit NGO – Prayas

04:30 PM Visit NGO – Asha

05:30 PM Return to Hotel

09:00 PM Dinner and overnight stay at hotel

**Day 23 Wednesday, January 18, 2017**

10:00 AM Breakfast and departure for Akshardham Temple

11:30 AM Visit to Akshardham Temple

01:30 PM Lunch

03:15 PM Visit to India Gate

04:00 PM Return to Hotel

08:00 PM Dinner and overnight stay at hotel

**Day 24 Thursday, January 19, 2017**

09:00 AM Breakfast and departure for MEA

10:00 AM Visit to MEA

02:00 PM Lunch

04:00 PM Visit to Shrine of Hazrat Nizamuddin Aulia

05:00 PM Return to Hotel

08:00 PM Dinner and overnight stay at hotel

**Day 25 Friday, January 20, 2017**

Departure of 40th KIP participants as per scheduled flight timings