



ARKA

BY UTKALIO

A NOTE FROM THE FOUNDERS

Arka was created from our love for Odisha and its quiet beauty — the stories hidden in its temples, traditions, and coastline. Every room and every detail here is inspired by that spirit. We invite you to slow down, feel at home, and experience the warmth, culture, and timeless charm that make Odisha truly special.

Welcome to the sanctuary

Welcome to Arka



WHY ARKA?

The name Arka comes from the ancient Sanskrit word for the Sun. In Odisha, the sun is not just a star; it is the architect of our history, famously celebrated at the Konark Sun Temple. Utkalio means of Utkala, the ancient name of our glorious land.



Together, **Arka by Utkalio** is our tribute to this land, a space inspired by its heritage, craftsmanship, and timeless spirit. Through thoughtful design and meaningful details, we invite you to slow down, connect with Odisha's soul, and experience the warmth of a culture that has flourished for centuries.



SIX TALES FROM SIX ROOMS

Nilachala

Nabagunjara

Mahodadhi

Swarna
Arka

Gita
Govinda

Nila
Kandara

Part of 2 BHK Unit

NILACHALA

Nilachala, meaning "the Blue Hill," is another name for Puri — the sacred abode of Lord Jagannath. Rooted in faith and belonging, this name reflects the calm and spiritual essence of the city.

Inspired by that feeling, this room is designed to be a peaceful retreat — simple, comforting, and deeply connected to the land it is named after.





Part of 2 BHK Unit

SWARNA ARKA

Swarna means gold and Arka means the sun. Together, they represent the golden sun — a symbol closely tied to Odisha's heritage and the timeless grandeur of Konark.

Inspired by its warmth and radiance, this room is designed to feel bright, uplifting, and full of positive energy.



Suite Room

MAHODADHI

Mahodadhi, meaning "the Great Ocean," is the sacred sea that embraces the shores of Puri. For centuries, it has witnessed prayers, traditions, and countless journeys.

Inspired by its calm strength and endless horizon, this room is designed to feel open, soothing, and refreshing. Complete with a private jacuzzi, it's a space to unwind, slow down, and enjoy moments of pure relaxation.





Deluxe Room

NABAGUNJARA

Nabagunjara is a mysterious form of Lord Vishnu, created from nine different animals. A unique symbol from Odisha's rich mythology, it reminds us that not everything is meant to be explained — some things are meant to be experienced.

Inspired by this idea, the room celebrates curiosity, creativity, and the beauty of the unexpected.



Deluxe Room

GITA GOVINDA

Gita Govinda is a timeless collection of poems written by the Odia poet Jayadeva, celebrating the divine love between Lord Krishna and Radha.

Its verses continue to be sung in the Jagannath Temple, making it an enduring part of Puri's cultural heritage.

Inspired by its grace and emotion, this room is designed to feel warm, peaceful, and harmonious — a space that reflects beauty, devotion, and quiet charm.





Room with Kitchen & Balcony

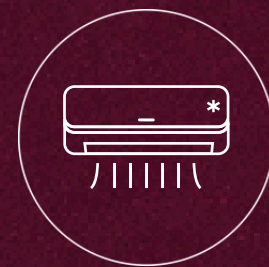
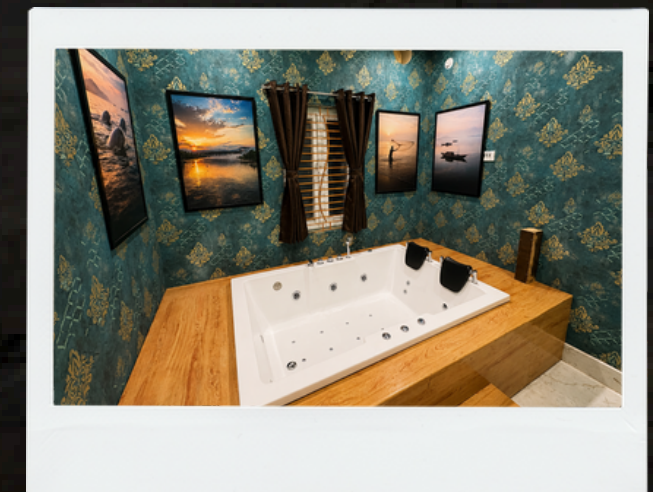
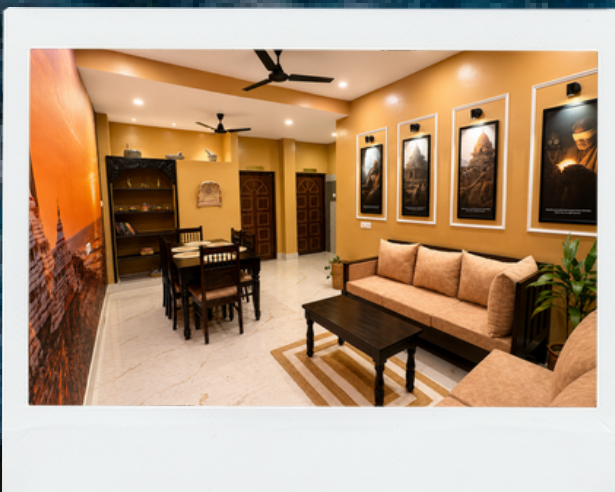
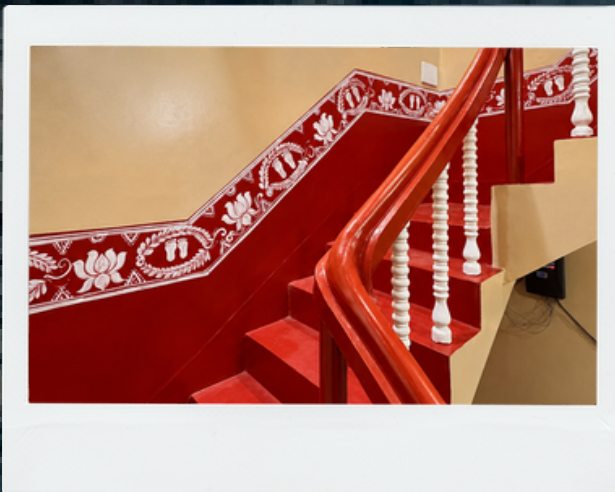
NILAKANDARA

Nilakandara is believed to be the hidden cave where Lord Nilamadhava was worshipped long before the emergence of Lord Jagannath.

Tucked away in nature, it symbolizes devotion in its purest and most peaceful form.

Inspired by its sense of mystery and stillness, this room is designed as a quiet retreat — a place to slow down, disconnect, and simply be.

Amenities



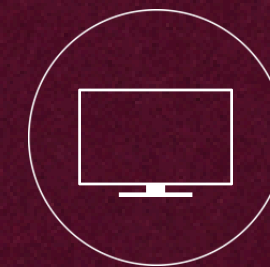
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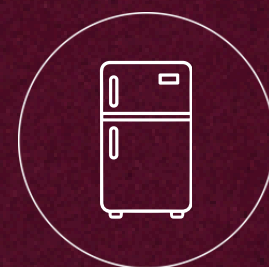
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Parking



Smart TV



Mini Fridge



Jacuzzi



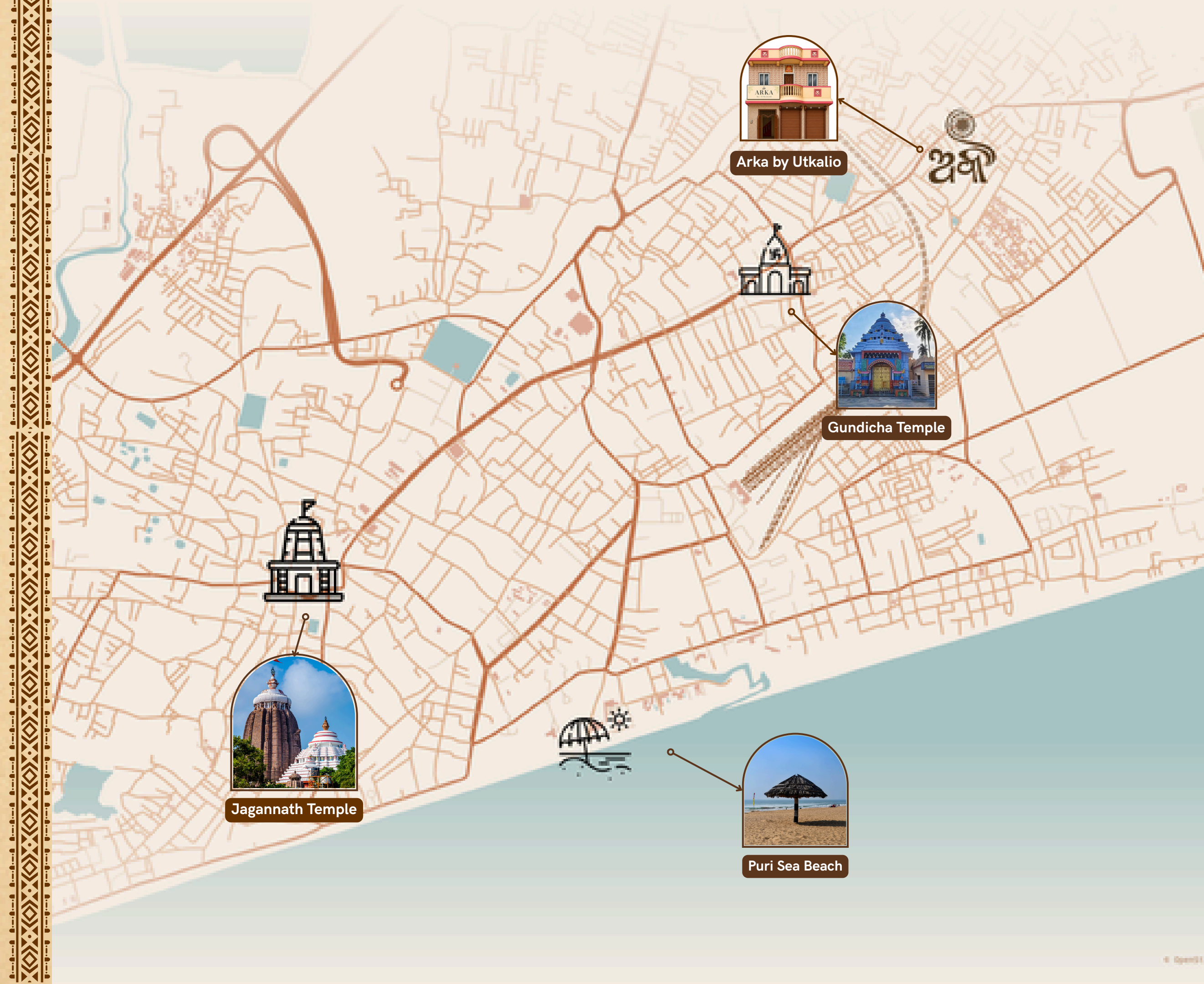
Kitchen



Hot Kettle

LOCATION

Jagannath Temple	3.5 KM
Gundicha Temple	1 KM
Niladri Beach	5 KM
Golden Beach	7.5 KM
Sidhamahavir Temple	450 M
Railway Station	2.5 KM
Bus Stand	1 KM
Airport	55 KM



House Guidelines

- Check-in: 10:00 AM | Check-out: 8:00 AM
- Please help us keep the rooms and common areas clean and tidy.
- Evenings at Arka are meant to be calm and relaxing, so we kindly request you to keep noise levels low after 10:00 PM.
- All books, décor pieces, and artworks in the common areas are for everyone to enjoy. Please keep them where they belong and do not take anything without informing us.
- If you use a common space, we'd appreciate it if you leave it just as welcoming for the next guest.
- Please switch off lights, air-conditioning, and other appliances when not in use.
- Smoking is permitted only in designated areas.
- If something gets damaged during your stay, please let us know. These things happen, and we'll be happy to assist.
- Visitors who are not staying at Arka are not allowed inside guest rooms without prior approval.
- Any illegal activities are strictly prohibited within the property.



WELCOME TO THE WORLD OF UTKALIO

Utkalio is a collection of thoughtfully designed stays inspired by the culture, history, and stories of Odisha.

Each property is built around a unique theme, giving travelers more than just a place to stay.

From ancient legends and forgotten traditions to local art and architecture, every **Utkalio** stay is designed to help you connect with the spirit of a place.

Some stays may take you closer to nature, while others may transport you back in time.

Arka is the first chapter of this journey, and many more stories are yet to be told.

THE HEARTS BEHIND ARKA



BIBHU & MANASMITA

We are a husband-and-wife team united by a love for Odisha, its culture, and the stories that often go untold. Bibhu brings the vision and curiosity to dream big, while Manasmita adds warmth, creativity, and care to every detail.

Together, we find joy in creating experiences that feel personal, meaningful, and deeply connected to the place we call home. Our journey has always been shaped by a belief that travel should go beyond sightseeing, it should help people connect with the soul of a place, its people, and its traditions.



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