



Time: 6 hours

Maximum height: 4,450 meters

Difficulty: Moderate.

Season: All year

Lake Churup is an excellent acclimatization hike, located close to Huaraz. Trekkers will revel in the beauty of the lake, the glaciated Nevado Churup, and expansive views of Huaraz and the Callejon de Huaylas.

At 7am, we head east of Huaraz in private transportation to see one of the most beautiful lakes of Huascaran National Park, located in the Cordillera Blanca. We will pass through the picturesque villages of Unchus and Llupa, and arrive at Pitec (3850 m.a.s.l.), where the bus will leave us to start our 3 hour walk.

We begin our trek through the Churup gorge, climbing steep terrain until reaching lake Churup. Trekkers will marvel at the changing color variation of the lake, the spectacular view of Nevado Churup, and the vegetation surrounding the area. After an hour to soak up the views and eat our lunch, we will begin the descent to Pitec, where our transportation awaits us to go to Huaraz.



INCLUDED:

- Private transportation.
- Professional guide
- Boxed lunch
- First aid kit.

NOT INCLUDED:

- Entrance to the Huascarán National Park.

RECOMMENDED ITEMS:

- Day pack.
- Trekking poles.
- Rain jacket.
- Sunscreen.
- Camera, recorder, binoculars.
- Lightweight clothes.
- Warm Layers.

