

## **AVFG guest/student accomodations in Auroville**

GUEST PASS: While staying in Auroville there is a daily contribution to be paid for a guest pass enabling you to:

- have a 'bank' account in Auroville (no direct money exchange)
- use various AV services (guest administration, bus, libraries, shops, etc.)
- participate in common Solar Kitchen (extra charge).

The fee is: Rs. 60/day for adults, (1800/month).

Rs. 30/day for students/minors (-18), (900/month).

In case you come to Auroville to live here permanently, you need to follow visa procedures, which you can check out on the Auroville web site.

RESERVATIONS ETC.: There are two seasons: one from December to May, and the other June to November. If you plan for the first season, make arrangements long before you arrive. (International dial: 0091-0413). Mind: alcohol and drugs are not a part of the Auroville experience. When (below) for accomodation the word: "capsule" is mentioned, this stands for a somewhat pyramid shaped hut, with palm leaf roofing, raised on pillars.

### **Farm: Annapurna Farm**

Facility - 1 single and 1 double room / common bathroom / 12V power.

Cost per day - Rs. 200 per day (plus work).

Meals – breakfast-lunch-dinner: vegetarian (incl.) / in common kitchen.

Laundry - taken care of (incl.).

Transport - no.

Work - 4 hours a day / 6 days a week.

Minimum duration of stay - the longer the better.

Others - only for those with a really strong interest in farming.

Contact – **Brooks/Thomas**: tomas@auroville.org.in / tel: 98423-43001

### **Farm: Aurogreen**

Facility - capsule, solar, open-air toilet/shower, common kitchen.

Cost per day – Rs. 150

Meals – included - breakfast-lunch-dinner (help to prepare it).

Laundry - taken care of (incl.).

Transport – one 3speed bicycle, one old bicycle (incl.).

Work – depends on workload at the farm.

Minimum duration of stay - 5 days

Others - give 3 days advance notice.

Contact - **Charlie**: charlie@auroville.org.in / tel 622927

**Farm: Buddha Garden (see also Siddartha Farm)**

Facility - two capsules with sitting room/kitchen and common bathroom/toilet.

Cost per day - Rs. 50/day (plus work).

Meals - breakfast Monday to Friday (incl.), cooking facilities for other meals.

Laundry - taken care of at extra cost.

Transport - bicycle available (excl. small repairs).

Work - four hours work 06.00 - 10.00 am / Monday to Friday.

Minimum duration of stay - 2 weeks (long stay for research is possible).

Others - free to work on other AVFG farm.

Contact: preferably by e-mail: [priya@auroville.org.in](mailto:priya@auroville.org.in) / tel. (after 10.30): 622653 or 622940. Website: [www.buddhagarden.org](http://www.buddhagarden.org) .

**Farm: Discipline Farm**

Facility - One capsules with common facilities.

Cost per day - Rs. 200 or Rs. 100 plus work.

Meals - incl. lunch (at Solar Kitchen).

Laundry - taken care of (incl.).

Transport - No.

Work - Minimum half a day, six days/week.

Minimum duration of stay - work students/volunteers: two weeks.

Contact - **Jeff/John**, tel: 622510 / e-mail: [jeff@auroville.org.in](mailto:jeff@auroville.org.in)

**Farm: Kottakarai Farm**

Facility - one single and one double room, common bath room

Cost per day - single Rs. 150, double Rs. 250.

Meals - breakfast possible, but not included.

Laundry - not included.

Transport - not included.

Work - optional with possible reduction of room price.

Minimum duration of stay - one week.

Contact – **Sundaram**: tel. 622535 / e-mail [babu@auroville.org.in](mailto:babu@auroville.org.in)

**Farm: Service Farm**

Facility – available at near by farms or in AV.

Cost per day – depends on input in work.

Meals – lunch is available.

Laundry -

Transport -

Work – 4 hours daily for serious students/volunteers.

Minimum duration of stay – one month.

Others – reservation through AVFG office.

Contact – **Lloyd**: [lloyd@auroville.org.in](mailto:lloyd@auroville.org.in) / tel: 622107.

**Farm: Siddartha Farm (see also Buddha Garden)**

Facility - two double rooms/kitchen and shared bathroom/toilet.

Cost per day - Rs. 50 per person (plus work).

Meals - cooking facilities.

Laundry - taken care of at extra cost.

Transport – bicycle possible via Buddha Garden (excl. small repairs).

Work - 3 hours a day Monday to Friday.

Minimum duration of stay - 2 weeks.

Others - free to work on other AVFG farm.

Contact – **Priya** - preferably by e-mail: [priya@auroville.org.in](mailto:priya@auroville.org.in) / tel. (after 10.30):  
622653 or 622940.

**Farm: Solitude Farm.**

Facility – two capsules with common bathroom/kitchen.

Cost per day - Rs. 100 (depending on work)

Meals – use of common kitchen.

Laundry – use of common facilities.

Transport -

Work – price of capsule depends on work input.

Minimum duration of stay – one week.

Others – the best is to first visit the farm.

Contact - **Vengadesh**: tel: (c/o Ayarpady) 622864.

**Farm: Windarra Farm.**

Facility - 3 capsules with common bathroom/kitchen

Cost per day - Rs. 150 (incl work)

Meals - not included

Laundry - is taken care of (incl.).

Transport - 1 bicycle (incl.).

Work - 3 hours morning 6 days week

Minimum duration of stay - open

Others -

Contact - **Friederike**: [friederike@auroville.org.in](mailto:friederike@auroville.org.in) / tel: 622482.