



Flagship Singapore Cultural Tour

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Itinerary

Welcome to our flagship Singapore Cultural City Tour, where we'll take you on a journey through the rich history and vibrant culture of this fascinating city. Our tour covers the most iconic areas in central Singapore, including Chinatown, where you'll discover the colourful history of the first Chinese settlers, and the Civic District, where you'll delve into Singapore's colonial past and visit iconic landmarks like the Padang, National Gallery Singapore, and Parliament House.

We'll then travel to Kampong Glam, the original seat of power for Malay royalty in the 19th Century. You'll be charmed by a kaleidoscope of old-world history, including the Sultan Mosque, originally built in 1824 and which still stands today, and the vibrant energy and modern street art of Haji Lane, before stepping back in time to the iconic Raffles Hotel, where you'll learn about its fascinating history and have the chance to try the infamous Singapore Sling*!

Visit Singapore's first UNESCO World Heritage Site – the Singapore Botanic Gardens and walk through the National Orchid Garden. You can discover over 60,000 orchids in zones inspired by the four seasons at the National Orchid Garden. If you have eyes for a vivid spectacle, are fond of distinctive flora, or enjoy the photo ops of a mesmerizing walkway, you will be in for a treat at the National Orchid Garden.

Join us for a truly unforgettable experience as we unpack the many layers of Singapore's unique culture and history on our flagship Cultural City Tour.

Details

- 💰 Tour Price: SGD 115 nett per pax
- 📅 Tour Dates : 23, 24, 30 May 2024
- 🕒 Tour Times : 9.00am – 1.30pm
- 📍 Meet & End Point: Ground Floor, Sands Expo and Convention Centre, in front of Origin + Bloom Coffee stand near Expo Hall A



Inclusions

- Vehicle during Tour duration
- English speaking guide services for 4 hours
- National Orchid Garden entrance ticket
- Local lunch

Exclusions

- Gratuities for guide
- *Singapore Sling at own cost and if there is no queue



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Activity

1. We begin our tour in Chinatown, a vibrant and historic neighborhood that's home to traditional shophouses, temples, and markets. Take a walk through the bustling streets and explore iconic landmarks such as the Buddha Tooth Relic Temple and Museum. We'll show you some typically hidden secret spots and buildings such as The Majestic, originally an Art Deco cinema that has been converted into a multi-purpose events space, the Chinatown Complex, home to a traditional "wet" market and a food centre, and famed local go-to traditional bakery.

2. Next, we drive through Singapore's civic district which includes the Padang, National Gallery Singapore, and Parliament House, some of Singapore's most important cultural and political institutions. The Padang has a significant role in Singapore's history, the National Gallery Singapore was once home to the Supreme Court and City Hall, and Parliament House is the seat of the Singaporean government. These landmarks offer a glimpse into Singapore's past and present and are must-see destinations for anyone interested in the city's rich history and culture.

3. We then take a short drive to Kampong Glam a vibrant neighborhood in Singapore that is steeped in history and culture. It was originally a fishing village and became a bustling trading hub in the early 19th century. The area was named after the Malay word for "village by the river", and is home to the iconic Sultan Mosque, one of the most recognizable landmarks in Singapore. The neighborhood is also known for its colorful shophouses and trendy boutiques, as well as its vibrant arts and culture scene.

4. We'll visit Haji Lane, a narrow street in the heart of Kampong Glam that's lined with trendy boutiques, cafes, and street art. Explore the colorful alleyways and check out the local street art, and grab a coffee or a bite to eat at one of the many stylish cafes in the area.

5. Following Kampong Glam, we visit the iconic Long Bar at the Raffles Hotel! You get a chance to rest your feet and sip on the iconic Singapore Sling, a refreshing gin- based cocktail that was first created at this historic hotel in 1915 (Singapore Sling at an additional cost). We end the tour with a local lunch.

Conditions

- Booking Period: Now until 13 May 2024
- Advance booking is required
- Prices in Singapore Dollars, nett, per person basis
- Tours are non-refundable once confirmed
- Tour is on a seat-in-coach basis



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