TOP ATTRACTIONS

CHINATOWN

The cramped five-foot-ways, dingy alleys and raucous street hawkers are relics of Chinatown’s past.

Yet pockets of history remain in Chinatown, along with more modern sights. You could easily spend a few days wandering through these still-narrow streets.

Chinatown is where Hindu temples and mosques sit right next to Chinese temples. Sri Mariamman Temple and Jamae Mosque are on South Bridge Road, as is the Buddha Tooth Relic Temple.

Family-run goldsmiths, medicinal halls and teahouses ply their trades next to sleeker neighbours such as hipster bars and lifestyle shops. Eat, drink and be very merry

Go for local fare at Chinatown Food Street or check out the trendier eateries and bars along Neil Road, Duxton Road and Keong Saik Road.
If you’re a foodie, try 'char kway teow' (stir-fried noodles) and 'satay' (barbecued meat skewers) at Chinatown Food Street, a row of hawker stalls, shophouse restaurants and kiosks along Smith Street.

For trendier tastes, chic restaurants and bars are in Neil Road, Duxton Road and Keong Saik Road. The vibe is electric in Club Street and Ann Siang Road on Friday and Saturday nights, when locals and expats head down for dinner and drinks.
LITTLE INDIA

Little India is a buzzing historic area that shows off the best of Singapore’s Indian community from vibrant culture to incredible shopping.

But while these places and people are gone, time stands still in pockets of this historic district.

Olden-day trades sit next to newer businesses: flower-garland vendors, modern eateries, boutique hotels, as well as arts groups.

As you walk down Serangoon Road and neighbouring streets, explore their mix of Hindu and Chinese temples, mosques and churches.

Fill your tummy with South Indian vegetarian food, North Indian tandoori dishes and local fare like roti prata (round pancakes) and teh tarik (pulled tea in Malay). Try to spot the brewers ‘pull’ the hot milk tea – it’s amazing showmanship.

Don’t forget to shop. The 24-hour shopping mall Mustafa Centre offers everything from electronics to groceries, or take your pick from open-air Tekka Centre, goldsmith shops and sari stores.

With its proximity to the city and a bohemian vibe, many artists also call Little India home.
Discover Kampong Glam's rich history, living traditions, excellent eateries and trendy shops in this vibrant neighbourhood.

Some say Kampong Glam really is glam (a local term meaning 'glamorous'). The area has an eclectic blend of history, culture and a super-trendy lifestyle scene.

See if this is true on your Kampong Glam journey. Start from the landmark Sultan Mosque, and wander through the many side streets.

From quirky boutiques to shops selling traditional wares, Kampong Glam is every shopper's delight.

Kampong Glam has its origins as a fishing village at the mouth of Rochor River. The Malay word 'kampung' means 'village', and the area was known for the gelam tree (or Paperbark Tree) that grew here and was used for building ships.

Today, the grounds of the 'Istana' ('palace') is home to the Malay Heritage Centre, where you can get to know Malay history and culture better.

You’ll love the culinary delights here, from local delicacies such as nasi padang (steamed rice served with various dishes) and Malay kuih ('cakes') to Middle Eastern, Japanese, Swedish and even Mexican fare.

Shopaholics, head to colourful Haji Lane - a row of multi-label stores, quirky boutiques as well as hip bars and cafes. Or pick up traditional wares such as Persian carpets, kebaya dresses and handmade perfumes from Arab Street and Bussorah Street.
GARDENS BY THE BAY

This sprawling garden in the city provides mesmerising waterfront views across three gardens, spanning over 101 hectares of reclaimed land.

Located next to Marina Reservoir, Gardens by the Bay offers breath-taking waterfront views. This multi-award winning horticultural destination spans 101 hectares of reclaimed land, and is made up of two main areas – Bay South Garden and Bay East Garden.

Super-sized trees
At the Cloud Forest, a 35-metre tall mountain is veiled in mist and covered in lush vegetation amidst the world’s tallest indoor waterfall.

Bay South Garden is the largest of the gardens. Inspired by an orchid, the design resembles Singapore’s national flower, Vanda ‘Miss Joaquim’. You can’t miss the massive Supertrees here. These tree-shaped vertical gardens are between nine to 16 storeys tall. Walk on the suspended walkway between two Supertrees to enjoy a bird’s eye view of the gardens. In the evening, catch the sky show of choreographed lights and sounds at the Garden Rhapsody amidst the Supertrees.

Head to Bay East Garden for the perfect picnic setting with lush lawns and tropical palm trees. From the waterfront promenade, you will see a picturesque view of the city skyline.

A forest in the clouds
Unique to Gardens by the Bay is the Cloud Forest. Within the enclosed compound, a 35-metre tall mountain is veiled in mist and covered in lush vegetation amidst the world’s tallest indoor waterfall. Here, you will find plant life from tropical highlands up to 2,000 metres above sea level.

The natural beauty of the gardens translates indoors. Dine in style at a range of eateries across the gardens, from casual cafes to posh restaurants, all with interiors designed to reflect the splendour of Gardens by the Bay.
This iconic integrated resort boasts luxury accommodations, upscale shopping and an infinity pool with unparalleled views of the city.

Marina Bay Sands® is a destination for those who appreciate luxury. An integrated resort notable for transforming Singapore’s city skyline, it comprises three 55-storey towers of extravagant hotel rooms and luxury suites equipped with personal butler service. In addition, its architecture is made complete with the Sands SkyPark® which crowns the three towers.

A park in the sky
At the Sands SkyPark®, be prepared to be wowed by the 360-degree views on the observation deck. As hotel guests, you can enjoy the breath-taking experience of swimming in the infinity-edged swimming pool overlooking the horizon. Dive into the pool before dusk and witness the picturesque view of the sunset from the pool’s edge, 200 metres in the sky.

Shopaholics will rejoice in the rows of luxury retailers at The Shoppes at Marina Bay Sands®, which houses the largest collection of coveted designer boutiques in Asia. Complementing the retail space are delectable dining options, which includes restaurants by celebrity chefs, fine dining and casual eateries.

A centre for the intersection of arts and science
ArtScience Museum™ at Marina Bay Sands is the boldly iconic lotus-inspired building that is home to highly raved exhibition, FUTURE WORLD: Where Art Meets Science. The museum also hosts blockbuster touring exhibitions that explores creative processes at the heart of art, science, technology and culture such as Titanic: The Artifact Exhibition, NASA – A Human Adventure, HUMAN+: The Future of Our Species and more.

Other attractions on the grounds include the MasterCard Theatres at Marina Bay Sands®, featuring stunning performances for world-class entertainment.

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**Choose your adventure**
Big Bucket Treehouse water slide at Adventure Cove Waterpark, Resorts World Sentosa. Photo by Afur Wong

From crowd-pleasing attractions like theme and water parks to the magical marine world at the S.E.A aquarium at Resorts World™ Sentosa, this bustling island will not disappoint. Beyond the integrated resort, soak up the sun on the 3.2km long beach and the many outdoor facilities.

Foodies will rejoice at the haute dining opportunities, alongside a varied range of Asian and international cuisines. Golfing enthusiasts will also get to perfect their pitch at the championship-ready courses of Sentosa Golf Club.

**A chic getaway**
Need some peace and tranquility? Head to Quayside Isle at Sentosa Cove. Numerous restaurants and eateries dot this waterfront stretch, located next to the yachting marina and luxurious residences.

When it’s time to snooze, rest and re-charge at over a dozen hotels and resorts on the island. Indulge yourself: book a spa treatment during your stay for the ultimate pampering session.
SINGAPORE BOTANICAL GARDENS

Singapore’s oldest garden is a treasure trove for plant lovers, or those who simply want to have a good time outdoors.

A testament to Singapore’s reputation as a City in a Garden, the Botanic Gardens is the country’s first UNESCO Heritage Site, joining the ranks of iconic landmarks such as Cambodia’s Angkor Wat and The Great Wall of China.

Established in 1859 by the Agri-Horticultural Society, 60 acres of land were transformed from a disused plantation into the popular recreational garden you see today.

As well as being a favourite recreation venue for jogging, dining or just lazing about, the sprawling grounds are also a leading centre for botanical and horticultural research.

Highlights include The National Orchid Garden, which boasts the world’s largest orchid display, with over 60,000 plants and orchids.

Meanwhile, the SBG Heritage Museum features interactive and multimedia exhibits and panels that detail the Gardens' rich heritage, while the CDL Green Gallery displays botanical related exhibits.

And once you’re ready to step back into the concrete jungle, the Orchard Road shopping district is mere minutes away.