

Seven-Day Hong Kong Immersion: Culture, Cuisine & Countryside (7 Nights)

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Destination
Hong Kong

Duration
7 Nights 8 Days

Starting from
Rs. 98,000 / person

ITINERARY ROUTE

↖ **Hong Kong Island · 3N**

↖ **Kowloon · 2N**

↖ **Lantau & New Territories · 2N**

Overview

Discover Hong Kong with this carefully curated Hong Kong tour package that blends urban highlights, local cuisine, and serene countryside escapes. Ideal for first-time visitors and repeat travelers alike, the itinerary offers a balanced pace across Hong Kong Island, Kowloon, and Lantau, plus a choice of spiritual and cultural visits for those seeking a pilgrimage experience.

Highlights:

- Victoria Peak panorama and Peak Tram experience
- Star Ferry crossing and Tsim Sha Tsui promenade
- Authentic street food in Mong Kok and Temple Street Night Market
- Day trip to Lantau Island: Big Buddha (Tian Tan Buddha) and Po Lin Monastery
- Traditional Tin Hau and local temple visits for a reflective pilgrimage element
- Scenic village life at Tai O fishing village and Ngong Ping cultural village
- Optional worship stops and guided visits to notable temples and shrines

✓ **What's Included**

- ✓ 7 nights accommodation (standard or upgraded options available)
- ✓ Daily breakfast
- ✓ Airport arrival and departure transfers
- ✓ Selected guided tours and entrance fees as per itinerary
- ✓ Ngong Ping cable car (subject to weather) or coach transfer
- ✓ Star Ferry experience and selected public transport passes
- ✓ Local guide for pilgrimage-focused visits (scheduled days)
- ✓ Farewell local gifts and informational booklet
- ✓ Note: Group-size variations and private guide upgrades are available on request.

✗ **Not Included**

- ✗ International flights to/from Hong Kong
- ✗ Travel insurance (mandatory)
- ✗ Visa fees (if applicable)
- ✗ Personal expenses (meals not specified, tips, laundry)
- ✗ Optional activities and private guides unless specified
- ✗ Peak-season surcharges for accommodation or special events
- ✗ Important: Sunday temple or festival dates may affect opening hours; guests will be informed in advance.

Day-by-Day Itinerary

Day

1

Arrival, Transfer & Victoria Harbour Orientation

Arrive at Hong Kong International Airport and transfer to your hotel. Settle in and enjoy an orientation walk along the Tsim Sha Tsui Promenade for iconic skyline views. In the evening, experience the Symphony of Lights show from Kowloon waterfront or take the Star Ferry to feel the city pulse.

Tip: Light activity recommended after international flights; allow time to adjust to the timezone.

Day

2

Peak Tram, Central Sights & Local Cuisine

Board the historic Peak Tram to Victoria Peak for sweeping views of the skyline and harbor. Walk through Central to see colonial-era architecture, Man Mo Temple, and bustling Lan Kwai Fong (daytime calm). Afternoon food walk in SoHo and Sheung Wan—sample dim sum and local snacks.

Pilgrimage option: Short visit to nearby Man Mo Temple for incense and quiet reflection.

Day

3

Cultural Kowloon: Markets, Museums & Temple Visits

Transfer to Kowloon and explore Mong Kok markets: Ladies' Market, Sneaker Street, and goldfish market. Visit the Hong Kong Museum of History for context on local culture and the Kowloon Walled City Park. Evening pilgrimage visit to Tin Hau or a local temple and stroll through Temple Street Night Market.

Tip: Keep small change handy for market bargaining and street snacks.

Day

4

Day Trip to Lantau: Big Buddha, Po Lin Monastery & Ngong Ping

Take the scenic cable car or bus to Ngong Ping 360. Visit the majestic Tian Tan Buddha (Big Buddha) and Po Lin Monastery—a highlight for spiritual travelers and those seeking pilgrimage elements. Explore Ngong Ping Village and return to Tung Chung or head back to the city in the evening.

Note: Cable car operation is weather dependent; an alternative coach route will be arranged if needed.

Day

5

Traditional Village Life: Tai O Fishing Village & Cultural Walks

Venture to the charming Tai O Fishing Village to experience stilt houses, local markets, and tranquil waterways. Enjoy a boat ride to spot pink dolphins (seasonal) and savor seafood specialties. Late afternoon return to the city with time for rest or a relaxed evening of dining.

Pilgrimage note: Quiet temple visits in Tai O are available upon request for a more intimate spiritual experience.

Day

6

Hong Kong's Spiritual & Pilgrimage Circuit

A day curated for pilgrimage seekers: guided visits to significant spiritual sites such as Po Lin Monastery (if revisited), Chi Lin Nunnery, Nan Lian Garden, and lesser-known local temples. Time for prayer, meditation, and ceremonies if desired. Opportunities for local Buddhist and Taoist cultural interactions.

Tip: Dress respectfully for temple visits; shoulders and knees should be covered.

Day

7

Leisure, Shopping & Optional Experiences

Free day to personalize your journey: visit Causeway Bay shopping districts, take a food tour focusing on Cantonese specialties, or choose an optional guided hike (Dragon's Back) for coastal views. Evening options include a harbour cruise, rooftop bars, or a cultural performance at the Hong Kong Cultural Centre.

Special note: Optional add-ons available—private spiritual guide, customized temple visits, or culinary masterclasses (additional charges).

Day

8

Departure & Farewell to Hong Kong

Final morning at leisure for last-minute shopping or temple visits. Transfer to Hong Kong International Airport for your departure. Receive a small farewell package with local treats and a booklet highlighting recommended temples and pilgrimage points visited during the trip.

Tip: Confirm airport transfer timing and check-in requirements at least 24 hours before departure.

? Frequently Asked Questions

❓ **What is the best time to visit Hong Kong and what's the weather like?**

The best time to visit Hong Kong is October to early December, featuring clear blue skies, comfortable temperatures (19–26°C), low humidity, and perfect conditions for outdoor activities. This prime season is ideal for skyline views, hiking, and harbour cruises. Winter (December–February) offers cool, dry weather (12–20°C) with festive lights and comfortable sightseeing. Summer (April–June) brings humid conditions (24–31°C) with occasional showers. Monsoon season (June–September) is hot and humid (27–33°C) with frequent rain and possible typhoon warnings. Download the Hong Kong Observatory app to monitor weather alerts and typhoon signals during your visit.

❓ **How do I reach Hong Kong from India and what are the transportation options?**

Hong Kong International Airport (HKG) at Chek Lap Kok is the main gateway, with direct flights from major Indian cities including Delhi, Mumbai, Bengaluru, Chennai, and Hyderabad. Flight time is typically 5.5–6.5 hours for non-stops. From the airport, take the Airport Express train for rapid city access, taxis (colour-coded by area), or buses. Within the Greater Bay Area, high-speed rail connects to Mainland China from West Kowloon Station. Cross-boundary buses link to Shenzhen and Macau via the Hong Kong–Zhuhai–Macau Bridge. Regional ferries operate to various islands and Macau for day trips.

❓ **Do Indian citizens need a visa to visit Hong Kong?**

Indian passport holders typically require Pre-Arrival Registration (PAR) for short visits to Hong Kong. This online system allows eligible travelers to visit without a traditional visa. If PAR is not approved, you'll need to apply for a proper visa through the Hong Kong Immigration Department or authorized agents. Requirements and policies can change, so always check the latest entry requirements on the official Hong Kong Immigration Department website before booking your trip. Ensure your passport is valid for at least 6 months from your planned departure date and has blank pages for entry stamps.

❓ **What are the local transportation options in Hong Kong?**

Hong Kong offers excellent public transport. The MTR (metro) is fast, clean, and comprehensive. Buses and minibuses (green/red) reach all areas including beaches and hiking trails. Iconic trams ('Ding Ding') provide scenic rides on Hong Kong Island. The Star Ferry offers stunning harbour crossings with skyline views. Taxis are colour-coded by region and metered. Ride-hailing services like Uber operate citywide. The Octopus Card is essential – a contactless stored-value card accepted on almost all transport and many shops. Purchase at any MTR station; unused balance and deposit are refundable when you leave.

❓ **Where should I stay in Hong Kong and what accommodation options are available?**

Tsim Sha Tsui (TST) is ideal for first-time visitors, offering harbour views, shopping, dining, and easy access to attractions. Central provides business district convenience and luxury hotels. Wan Chai offers mid-range options with great nightlife. Luxury hotels include The Peninsula, Rosewood, and Four Seasons. Design hotels like The Upper House and K11 ARTUS offer unique experiences. Mid-range options include Cordis, Harbour Grand, and Hyatt Regency. Budget travelers can choose ibis hotels or Holiday Inn Express. Book early during peak seasons (October–December, Chinese New Year) as prices rise significantly during festivals and holidays.

❓ **What are the must-visit attractions in Hong Kong?**

Essential attractions include Victoria Peak via the historic Peak Tram for panoramic city views, and Tsim Sha Tsui Promenade for the Symphony of Lights show. Visit Ngong Ping 360 cable car and Tian Tan Buddha on Lantau Island. Family favorites are Hong Kong Disneyland and Ocean Park. Cultural highlights include Man Mo Temple, Wong Tai Sin Temple, and Chi Lin Nunnery with Nan Lian Garden. Explore Tai O fishing village for traditional stilt houses. The M+ museum in West Kowloon showcases contemporary Asian art. Don't miss a Star Ferry harbour crossing and Temple Street Night Market for authentic local atmosphere.

❓ **What local food and cuisine should I try in Hong Kong?**

Hong Kong's culinary scene is world-renowned. Must-try dishes include dim sum (siu mai, har gow, char siu bao), roast meats (char siu, roast goose), wonton noodles, and claypot rice. Sample Hong Kong-style milk tea and egg tarts from local cha chaan tengs (tea restaurants). For Indian tourists, excellent options include CHAAT at Rosewood, Bombay Dreams, Gaylord, Kailash Parbat for chaat, and Saravanaa Bhavan for South Indian cuisine. Vegetarian, Jain, and Halal options are abundant in TST, Central, and Wan Chai. Visit local markets for street food and traditional bakeries like Tai Cheong for fresh egg tarts.

★ **Traveller Reviews**



Rajat Malhotra

★★★★★ 5/5

An Adventure of a Lifetime

This trip to Hong Kong was more than just a holiday; it was an adventure I will cherish forever!



Kavita Iyer

★★★★☆ 4/5

So Much to Explore!

The diverse attractions covered were fantastic. Never a dull moment during the entire tour.



Suresh Choudhury

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Ruchi Agarwal

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Family-Friendly Fun

My kids had a blast in Hong Kong! The tour had something for everyone in the family.



Ashok Mehta

★★★★☆ 4/5

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The evening cruise experience was fantastic! The city lights were stunning from the boat.

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