

Singapore Food & Heritage Trail: Chinatown to Little India

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📍 Destination
Singapore

🕒 Duration
4 Nights 5 Days

🏠 Starting from
Rs. 45,000 / person

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📍 Chinatown · 2N

📍 Orchard / City Centre · 1N

📍 Little India · 1N

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Overview

Discover Singapore on the "Singapore Food & Heritage Trail: Chinatown to Little India" — a flavorful 4 nights / 5 days Singapore tour package designed for families and culture lovers. This Singapore Family tour package blends guided food walks, heritage neighborhood explorations, signature city highlights, and relaxed family-friendly experiences. Ideal as a 4-night stay to experience the best of Chinatown, Little India, Kampong Glam and Marina Bay, with options to upgrade to 5-night family packages.

✓ **What's Included**

- ✓ 4 nights accommodation (as per chosen category), daily breakfast, guided Chinatown food walk, guided Little India food walk, Singapore River cruise (shared), airport transfers (arrival & departure), city orientation tour (shared), Gardens by the Bay Supertree Grove light show viewing (entry excluded), local SIM card on request, taxes and service charges.

✗ **Not Included**

- ✗ International flights, travel insurance, visa fees (if applicable), personal expenses, gratuities, optional paid attractions (Marina Bay Sands SkyPark, Cloud Forest & Flower Dome entries, Sentosa attractions) unless specified, peak season surcharges.

Day-by-Day Itinerary

Day

1

Welcome to Singapore — Arrival and Chinatown Evening Food Walk

Arrive at Changi Airport and transfer to your hotel in Chinatown. After check-in and a short rest, meet your local guide for the signature Chinatown food walk. Taste local favorites and learn about the area's rich Chinese heritage, street markets and temples. Evening at leisure or explore the vibrant night market along Pagoda Street.

Day

2

Civic District, Singapore River Cruise & Marina Bay Highlights

Explore Singapore's colonial and civic landmarks in the morning: National Museum, Asian Civilisations Museum, and Raffles Hotel. Enjoy a relaxing Singapore River cruise from Clarke Quay to Marina Bay. Afternoon visit to Marina Bay Sands precinct, with optional SkyPark visit and the evening light and water show at the waterfront.

Day

3

Little India Food & Heritage Immersion

Dive into the colors, scents and flavors of Little India. A guided food trail introduces you to South Indian delights, traditional sweets and local vegetarian staples at Tekka Centre and nearby eateries. Visit the Sri Veeramakaliamman Temple and the Indian Heritage Centre for cultural context and heritage stories.

Day

4

Kampong Glam, Arab Street & Evening at Gardens by the Bay

Explore Kampong Glam — the Malay-Arab quarter — visiting the iconic Sultan Mosque, colorful Haji Lane boutiques and aromatic spice shops on Arab Street. Afternoon free for shopping at Bugis Junction or Orchard Road. End the day with a stroll through Gardens by the Bay and watch the Supertree Grove light show after dusk.

Day

5

Last-Minute Shopping, Hawker Fare & Departure

Enjoy a relaxed breakfast and a final morning visit to a local hawker centre for last bites — choose between Lau Pa Sat or Tiong Bahru Market. Check out of the hotel and transfer to Changi Airport for your onward flight. If you have a late flight, consider a short stop at Mustafa Centre (Little India) for 24-hour shopping).

Frequently Asked Questions

❓ **What is the best time to visit Singapore?**

Singapore has a tropical climate year-round (25–32°C), making it a great destination anytime. The prime seasons are December–February (cooler breezes, festive lights, vibrant events), June–July (school holidays, retail promotions), and September (F1 Grand Prix week). The monsoon season (November–January) brings frequent showers but cooler evenings. Summer (March–June) has hotter afternoons with occasional thunderstorms. Expect brief daily showers throughout the year, so pack a compact umbrella. December and Chinese New Year period see higher crowds and accommodation rates. For Indian travelers, the weather is quite similar to Indian summers but with more humidity and regular rain showers.

❓ **How do I get to Singapore from India?**

Flying is the most practical option from India to Singapore's Changi Airport (SIN), consistently rated among the world's best airports. Flight times are approximately 4–6 hours from major Indian cities like Delhi, Mumbai, Bangalore, and Chennai. Major airlines operating this route include Singapore Airlines, Air India, IndiGo, and Scoot. Changi Airport features the stunning Jewel complex with the world's tallest indoor waterfall (Rain Vortex). From the airport, take the MRT (Mass Rapid Transit) directly into the city, which takes about 45 minutes to reach the central areas. Taxis and ride-hailing services like Grab are also readily available for door-to-door convenience.

❓ **Do Indian citizens need a visa for Singapore?**

Yes, Indian passport holders generally require a pre-approved visa to enter Singapore. You must apply for a Singapore visa through the official channels before traveling. Additionally, all travelers must submit the SG Arrival Card online within 3 days before arrival – this is mandatory regardless of visa status. The process is straightforward but requires advance planning. Visa requirements can change, so always check the latest requirements on the official Singapore immigration website or consult with the Singapore embassy/consulate before your trip. Tourist visas are typically valid for multiple entries within a specific period, allowing flexibility for regional travel if you plan to visit nearby countries like Malaysia or Indonesia.

❓ **How do I get around Singapore?**

Singapore has an excellent public transport system. The MRT (Mass Rapid Transit) and LRT are fast, air-conditioned, and extensive – the easiest way to explore the city. Public buses are clean, frequent, and cashless. Use contactless Visa/Mastercard payments or buy an EZ-Link/NETS card for seamless travel. Tourist day passes are available for unlimited rides. Ride-hailing apps like Grab, Gojek, and TADA operate island-wide, while traditional metered taxis are reliable. Walking is pleasant in downtown areas with shaded paths, and cycling is popular along park connector networks. Important tip: No eating or drinking is allowed on public transport, and fines apply for violations.

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

Singapore offers diverse accommodation options across different areas. Marina Bay is ideal for iconic experiences with hotels like Marina Bay Sands (famous infinity pool) and The Fullerton Hotel. Orchard Road provides shopping convenience with properties like Shangri-La Singapore. Sentosa Island offers resort-style stays like Capella Singapore for a tropical retreat. For cultural immersion, consider hotels near Chinatown or Little India. Budget-friendly options include YOTEL Singapore and Iyf Funan for smart, centrally-located stays. Luxury seekers can choose Raffles Singapore or The Ritz-Carlton Millenia. Book early during peak seasons (December, Chinese New Year, F1 weekend) when rates increase significantly. Most areas are well-connected by MRT, making location less critical.

❓ **What are the must-visit attractions in Singapore?**

Top attractions include Marina Bay Sands SkyPark for panoramic city views and Gardens by the Bay with its iconic Supertrees and climate-controlled domes. Sentosa Island houses Universal Studios Singapore, S.E.A. Aquarium, and beautiful beaches. The UNESCO-listed Singapore Botanic Gardens offers serene nature walks and the National Orchid Garden. Mandai Wildlife Reserve features the world-famous Singapore Zoo, Night Safari, River Wonders, and Bird Paradise. Cultural districts like Chinatown, Little India, and Kampong Gelam showcase Singapore's multicultural heritage with temples, mosques, and heritage streets. Don't miss Jewel Changi Airport's Rain Vortex and shopping complex. The Southern Ridges, including Henderson Waves bridge, provides 10km of elevated green walkways with stunning city views.

❓ **What local food should I try in Singapore?**

Singapore's food scene is UNESCO-recognized and phenomenal. Must-try dishes include Hainanese Chicken Rice (national favorite), Chilli Crab and Black Pepper Crab, Laksa (coconut-spicy noodle soup), and Satay with peanut sauce. For Indian-Singaporean specialties, try Roti Prata, Fish Head Curry, Murtabak, and Teh Tarik. Visit hawker centers like Maxwell Food Centre (famous Tian Tian Chicken Rice), Lau Pa Sat, and Tekka Centre for authentic experiences. Indian vegetarians will find excellent options at Komala Vilas, MTR Singapore, and Saravana Bhavan. Don't miss local breakfast of Kaya Toast with kopi. For upscale dining, try Jumbo Seafood for chilli crab or Michelin-starred Candlenut for Peranakan cuisine. The variety spans from street food to fine dining.

★ **Traveller Reviews**



Sita Nair

★★★★★ 5/5

Excellently Organized

The entire trip was excellently organized! Transfers, sightseeing, and hotels were all top-notch.



Anjali Sharma

★★★★★ 5/5

Wonderful Family Trip

Our family loved the Singapore tour! The guide was knowledgeable, and we enjoyed the Merlion and Gardens by the Bay.



Ravi Kumar

★★★★★ 5/5

Amazing Experience!

I had a fantastic time exploring Singapore! The tour package was very well organized and covered all the major attractions.



Mohit Joshi

★★★★★ 5/5

A Food Lover's Paradise!

The local food tour was a highlight of my trip. I enjoyed a variety of delicious dishes!



Vinay Mehra

★★★★★ 5/5

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