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HONG KONG, CHINA

Lively, cosmopolitan Hong Kong boasts a transportation network that is spotless and efficient, shopping centers that are sublime, and the contemplative oases of many historic temples. Revel in the contradictions of an international city with multi-Asian influences and Western elements, and you won't be disappointed.

Your Seabourn Tour Office has many shore excursions available that visit the better known highlights. Should you have visited those attractions already, the staff will be pleased to assist you with private arrangements to visit a few of the lesser known places we recommend here.

Phone Codes

Country: 852
No city code
Special Instructions: When calling from outside the country, use an international code (011 for US) + country code + number. When calling inside China, dial 00 + country code + number, when inside Hong Kong, dial just the local number.

"To Eat" Expense Key

\$ Inexpensive
\$\$ Moderate
\$\$\$ Expensive
\$\$\$\$ Very Expensive



TO SEE & DO

There are a few 'don't-misses' when visiting Hong Kong, but allow yourself the time to take in the energetic streetscapes and cultural distinctiveness of this bustling city.

Victoria Peak

At 1,810 feet above sea level, the views of downtown Hong Kong, Victoria Harbour, and Kowloon are striking in every direction. Mt. Austin Rd.
Tram service daily 7AM-midnight
2522 0922

Hong Kong Museum of History

Hong Kong's newest museum uncovers the area's history dating back 6,000 years to the present. An unusual opportunity to see how Hong Kong presents its complicated history to the world.
100 Chatham Rd. South
Mon, Wed-Sat 10-6; Sun 10-7;
Closed Tues
2724 9042

Hong Kong Space Museum

This spherical museum is home to one of the largest planetariums in the world.
10 Salisbury Rd.
Mon, Wed-Fri 1-9; Sat-Sun 10-9;
Closed Tues
2721 0226

Man Mo Temple

One of the oldest and most famous in Hong Kong, this temple is dedicated to the civil and military deities of the 3rd century BC and 2nd century AD.
124-46 Hollywood Rd.
Daily 8-6
2540 0350

Miu Fat Monastery

One of the best-maintained Buddhist complexes in the territory.
19 Castle Peak Rd.
Daily 9-5
2461 8567



TO EAT

Hong Kong's finest restaurants and many smaller spots are renowned for freshness, taste, and presentation in everything from noodles to seafood.

Lotus

A hip eatery with a Thai menu.
37-43 Pottinger St.
\$\$
Lunch daily 12-2
2543-6290

Pierre

Award-winning chef Pierre Gagnaire has a reputation for playfully combining unexpected tastes into a single plate.
5 Connaught Rd., atop the Mandarin Oriental
\$\$\$\$
Lunch Mon-Sat 12-2:30
2825-4001

Crystal Jade La Mian Xiao Long Bao

A local favorite for soup dumplings and pork belly braised in soy sauce.
B224 Times Square
\$\$
Daily 11-10:30
256-0080

Kung Tak Lam

Shanghai-style meatless dishes that are 100% organic and free of MSG.
31 Yee Wo St.
\$\$
Daily 11-11
2881 9966

Caprice

The culinary genius of chef Vincent Thierry, direct from Michelin three-star Le Cinq in Paris.
Four Seasons Hotel, 8 Finance St
\$\$\$\$
Lunch daily 12-2:30
3196 8888

Yung Kee

They farm their own geese, making the roast goose the talk of the town.
32-40 Wellington St.
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Daily 11-11
2522 1624



TO BUY

For visitors and locals alike, shopping is a favorite pastime; look for terrific values on jewelry, electronics, and clothing.

Causeway Bay

A bustling shopping and dining area that embodies Hong Kong's consumer spirit.

Temple Street Night Market

At its best late in the evening, Temple Street is the liveliest night market in Hong Kong and the place to go for inexpensive items of every kind. Bargaining is expected.
Temple St.
Daily 4-12

Premier Jewelry

With one day's notice, you can design your own piece of jewelry and have it waiting for you the next day.
50 Nathan Rd.
Mon-Sat 10-7:30; Sun 10:30-4
2368 0003

Shanghai Tang

Hong Kong fashion was all the rage when David Tang's updated versions of traditional Chinese garments hit this upscale shop.
12 Pedder St.
Mon-Sat 10-8; Sun 11-7
2525 7333

Lock Cha Tea Shop

Try before you buy at this charming shop that sells an endless variety of teas as well as tea accessories.
290b Queen's Rd.
Daily 11-7
2805 1360

W.W. Chan & Sons Tailor

Custom men's and women's wear that is a cut above the rest.
94 Nathan Rd.
Mon-Sat 9-6; Closed Sun
2366 9738