



SINGAPORE SOJOURN

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Asia, Singapore



5 days from AU\$11,730 pp



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Journey Overview

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Journey Highlights

- Follow Crazy Rich Asians on a vintage Vespa side car adventure
- Embark on a journey through the flavours of Singaporean cuisine
- Go on a night safari at the Singapore Zoo
- Gain access to the world's largest greenhouse at the Flower Dome
- Roam around Pulau Ubin, a paradise for nature lovers
- Stay in colonial splendour at the iconic Raffles Hotel



Itinerary

Day 1: Arrive Singapore

Arrive into 'the Lion City' and transfer privately to your hotel, the city's original grande dame.

The Fullerton Bay Hotel

Day 2: Singapore

Only in Singapore could a street stall be awarded a Michelin star for its exceptional cuisine. In celebration, join your expert guide for the ultimate food tour where you will not only sample sublime street dishes but enjoy an insight into local customs and heritage. You will be met at the hotel and driven to Nanyang Old Coffee located near Chinatown for a traditional breakfast. Enjoy a freshly brewed cup of coffee with a plate of buttered kaya toast to start the day. Eat like a local in Kampong Glam when you sample roti prata, a south Indian flatbread known for its flaky texture and soft middle. This simple dish is eaten around the clock and can be paired with either sugar by day or curry by night. The next stop on your culinary adventure is Maxwell Food Centre, home of the famous Tian Tian Hainanese Chicken Rice. One taste and it's easy to see why this was the first street stall in the world to be awarded a Michelin star. Find out why the Singaporeans love to flavour their food with belacan, a simple shrimp condiment. The smell of Chinese-inspired dishes from dim sum, rice porridge, fish balls and noodles will fill the air in all the hawker centres and wet markets you visit. After a morning of feasting, return to your hotel.

This afternoon transfer to the Bugis street market where your vintage Vespa sidecar adventure begins. The two-hour ride covers locations made famous in the film Crazy Rich Asians: Raffles Hotel, the historic Chijmes complex, Gardens by the Bay, Marina Bay Sands, Chinatown, Tanglin Big House and more.

Before returning to your hotel, a night safari at Singapore Zoo is included. Set on 40 acres, this is the world's first zoo to be located in secondary jungle. Let the mystery and drama of the tropical jungle unfold during a guided buggy ride and walking trail. Find out more about the Asian elephant in an exclusive feeding session and enjoy reserved seating at the Creatures of the Night Show.

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Day 3: Singapore

Discover the gardens of Singapore today starting at the 150-year-old Singapore Botanic Gardens, the Lion City's first UNESCO World Heritage Site. This treasure trove for plant lovers boasts an extraordinary number of botanical specimens from all over the world including the world's largest orchid display, with over 60,000 plants. Stroll through the tropical gardens enjoying the lush vegetation and vibrant floral display.

Later, venture to the waterfront Gardens by the Bay where you have entry to the Cloud Forest, home to one of the world's tallest indoor waterfalls and a lush mountain clad with plants from around the world. Then, visit Flower Dome, the world's largest glass greenhouse housing unusual plants native to a range of unique habitats – from the Mediterranean region, to South African savannahs and arid deserts.

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Day 4: Singapore

Today is an offshore island adventure as you travel by private bumboat to Pulau Ubin. Perhaps the most well-known of Singapore's islands, Pulau Ubin is one of the country's two remaining kampongs (village) and is a living showcase of what Singapore was like in the 1960s. Brimming with rustic charm, the island has a rich ecosystem teeming with flora and fauna, especially in the Chek Jawa wetlands where a stroll down the kilometre-long boardwalk reveals all sorts of wildlife such as carpet anemones and mangrove-dwelling fiddler crabs. After lunch return to the main island and your hotel.

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Day 5: Depart Singapore

Today you are transferred to the airport for your departure flight.

Meals: B

Map



Accommodation

The Fullerton Bay Hotel, Singapore



The Fullerton Bay Hotel whispers glamour.. From your perch on the picturesque marina you'll have staggering views over Singapore's fabulously eclectic skyline, including the jaw-dropping trio of towers that make up the Marina Bay casino complex. Rooms are stylish and modern: the Premier Bay View rooms offer outdoor sun decks while butler service is available in the suites. We like the themed suites, named after former governors and individually designed to characterise the city's heritage, including Chinese, Malay, Indian, Peranakan and Colonial. Dining here is top notch, with the main restaurant, La Brasserie, offering modern French cuisines in an opulent setting that includes an 800-bottle wine library. The informal and airy Landing Point lounge is ideal for snacks and afternoon tea, and Lantern is a style cocktail lounge on the seventh floor, open until 2am. If you can tear yourself away from the views there's a DVD library, gym, pool and Jacuzzi.

The property also encompasses a delightful top-floor bar, which offers panoramic views of the Singapore skyline, plus a fitness room, spa and heated rooftop infinity pool and hot tub. Culinary demonstrations and complimentary heritage tours can be arranged.

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