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Tour Name

Chinatown Food Adventure

Tour City

Singapore

Tour Snapshot

Ever wondered what the food culture in Singapore is like? Or perhaps why Singaporeans calls their Chinatown 'Niu Che Sui'? Or just what the heck a hawker centre is anyway?! Join this Singapore food tour through Chinatown to leave no stone, rice cake, or *poh piah* unturned and to learn all about one of the most unique neighbourhoods in Singapore.

Highlights

- Discover the fascinating world of hawker centres in Singapore
- Experience the charm of traditional Chinatown in the heart of cosmopolitan Singapore
- Feast on typical goodies like rice cakes, *poh piah* (fresh spring roll), chicken rice, and more
- Learn all about the origins of Singapore's diverse Chinatown neighbourhood and how the early migrants came to live there
- Chow down on a delicious meal with freshly-squeezed sugar cane juice – yum!

Inclusions: Local English speaking guide, food as referenced in itinerary, and non-alcoholic drinks. Please note that we may not be able to accommodate some guests with dietary concerns. The food is provided on a sharing basis and for general consumption only.

Exclusions: Alcoholic beverages, additional food, items of a personal nature, tips / gratuities for your guide.

Schedule details

- Duration:3.5 hours
- Meeting point:
Chinatown North East line MRT station (inside the station), outside the ticketing gate next to passenger service office (near Exit A) .
- View location on What3words:
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- Starting time: 2.00 PM
- Ending point:
Chinatown MRT station (NE line)

Full Itinerary

Your Singapore food fest will begin at the Chinatown complex, the largest hawker centre in Singapore, with over 220 stalls. With all those options, you may feel a little overwhelmed, but you'll have a knowledgeable local by your side to show you the ropes.

Your guide will introduce you to the hawker centre and help you pick out some of the most authentic, tasty Singaporean treats. Savour the famous chicken rice along with delicious poh piah (fresh spring roll). Then try some mouth-watering local Chinese delights such as chwee kueh (water rice cake) with freshly crushed, ice cold sugar cane juice.

While you chow down on your food, your local guide will be sharing with you some Singapore history, information about the city's rich culture, and some local know-how on how this food is prepared. You'll also learn how hawker centres came to be, and why this tradition is so close to the Singaporeans' hearts. This tour is interactive – we encourage you to ask your local guide plenty of questions about all that you can see and taste.

After our first dose of deliciousness, we'll take a stroll through the wet market to explore local food sources. Check out some interesting livestock and fresh ingredients used in our local food. Next, we hit the streets of Chinatown to we continue our Singapore tour. Learn about the history of the early migrants in this area, and how they came to settle and build their lives here. You'll experience how people from all kinds of places live in harmony in Chinatown as we visit some religious sites dotted along the same street. We take a respite from the outdoor heat with a visit to the air conditioned Urban Redevelopment Authority (URA) gallery to understand how the city planners built Singapore from a humble fishing village to a great cosmopolitan city!

After all that exploration, we'll finish up our Singapore tour with a freshly brewed teh or kopi tarik (pull tea / coffee) and a taste of Singaporean fusion with a tasty roti prata to complete our day tour. While you eat, your tour guide will fill you in on a few final bits of local knowledge, give you an opportunity to ask them any more burning questions you may have, and some tips and tricks for the rest of your time in the magical city of Singapore.

Additional information

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Dress standard: This is a walking tour and guests will be exposed to elements such as sun and rain. Therefore, casual clothes and good walking shoes are appropriate. Tops with sleeves and bottoms covering the knees are necessary due to local customs at the temples. We also suggest you bring a hat, water, pack of tissues, and some money for personal purchases. A small umbrella is ideal in case of rain.

Your Trip: For your Urban Adventure you will be in a small group of a maximum of 12 people.

Confirmation of booking: If you have your voucher, your booking is confirmed. We'll see you at the start point. Get in touch if you have any concerns or require more information via the email address or phone number (business hours only) on your voucher.

Additional Information: Food on the tour is provided on a sharing basis. Due to that, we may not be able to accommodate some guests with dietary concerns.

Child Policy: Children between the ages of 6 and 11 inclusively are permitted on this tour at the rate listed above. Please select 'child' above when booking. Children below the age of 6 are not permitted on this tour.

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