

# HONG KONG STOPOVER



Why not break up your trip to Europe or America with an exciting Hong Kong stopover?  
Experience a taste of Asia's World City in just 48 or 72 hours...

## Fast Facts

**Geography** - situated on the south-eastern coast of China. Hong Kong is comprised of Hong Kong Island, Kowloon, New Territories and over 260 outlying islands.

**Currency** - Hong Kong dollars (HK\$)

**Electricity** - 220V/50Hz UK plug

**Visas** - Australian and New Zealand passport holders **DO NOT** require a visa for stays up to 90 days in Hong Kong

**Language** - Cantonese, Mandarin, English

## Transport

### **Airport Express Link**

One of the world's leading Airport railway systems, offers you a swift and inexpensive trip between Hong Kong International Airport (HKIA) and either Kowloon (22 mins) or Hong Kong Station (24 mins)

**Single ticket cost** - HK\$100 (Kowloon) or HK\$110 (HK Island)

**Return ticket cost** - HK\$185 (Kowloon) or HK\$205 (HK Island)

### **Octopus Card**

This is an electronic fare card accepted on most public transport, most fast food chains and stores. Can be purchased at any MTR station, Airport Express and Ferry Customer Service. Easy and convenient to use and can be topped-up anytime.



## Must do's in Hong Kong

### **Attractions**

- The Big Buddha
- Star Ferry
- HK Disneyland
- Street Markets
- The Peak

### **Day Tours**

- Big Bus Tours
- Hong Kong Island Tour
- Victoria Harbour Cruise
- Hong Kong Foodie Tours

### **Dining**

- Dim sum
- Chinese BBQ
- Fusion
- Fine dining
- Local snacks

### **Shopping**

#### Shopping areas

- Hong Kong Island - Central, Causeway Bay
- Kowloon - Tsim Sha Tsui, Nathan Road

#### Malls & Department stores

- Hong Kong Island - IFC Mall, Times Square
- Kowloon - Harbour City
- Lantau Island - Citygate Outlets

#### Street Markets

- Hong Kong Island - Stanley Markets, Jardine's Crescent
- Kowloon - Ladies Markets, Temple Street Night Markets



# SAMPLE ITINERARIES



## 48 hours in Hong Kong

### Day One

- Start with a **Hong Kong Island Tour** which includes The Peak, Aberdeen and Stanley Markets
- Back in town, hit the shops at **Causeway Bay** followed by local tastes of dim sum for dinner
- Then for a night on the town, head to **Lan Kwai Fong** for drinks and dancing

### Day Two

- Take a leisurely stroll in **Kowloon Park** and enjoy the tranquil oasis hidden amongst the urban city
- Catch the MTR to Mongkok to explore the **Ladies Markets** and a variety of themed shopping streets
- To top off the evening, Tsim Sha Tsui offers great harbour views and be sure to see the **A Symphony of Lights** laser show at 8pm

## 72 hours in Hong Kong

### Day One

- For the first-timers, try one of the hop-on-hop-off **Big Bus Tours** for a hassle-free introduction to Hong Kong Island, Kowloon and Stanley
- Try getting around on public transport to get a local viewpoint, it's easy and cheap! Ride on the **Hong Kong Island tram** or cross Victoria Harbour on the **Star Ferry** in less than ten minutes
- In the evening, explore **Temple Street Night Markets** and find souvenirs, local snacks and even get your fortune told

### Day Two

- Enjoy a day at one of Hong Kong's theme parks for lots of family-fun:
  - Embark on a magical adventure to **Hong Kong Disneyland** on Lantau Island where you'll find non-stop fun day and night for all ages. Don't miss out on the new "Ant-Man and The Wasp Experience" coming in 2019
  - Located on the south side of Hong Kong Island, **Ocean Park** offers you eight attraction zones with thrilling roller coaster rides, animal exhibits including pandas and 360° aquarium

### Day Three

- Explore the local culture on Hong Kong's largest outlying island, **Lantau Island**
- Start your journey with the **Ngong Ping 360**, a 25-minute cable car ride up to Ngong Ping Village
- Once there, explore the **Po Lin Monastery** and enjoy a vegetarian lunch or climb 268 steps to the **Big Buddha**
- Head back down to Tung Chung to grab a bargain at **Citygate Outlets** which features over 80 international brands
- Ride the MTR back to town to unwind with an **evening cruise** on Victoria Harbour to enjoy the breathtaking skyline



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