



★ Attractions		
	What is it?	MAP CODE
★1	The Peak Victoria Harbour view from the top of HK Island	C08
★2	Symphony of Light in Tsim Sha Tsui Best place to watch the laser show (show at 8pm)	H02
★3	Big Buddha Second largest sitting bronze Buddha in the world	H01
★4	Wong Tai Sin The most popular temple in HK, fortune telling	D02
★5	The Star Ferry Oldest ferry in HK and rated as must go by NatGeo	A03 & B05 & H02

🌃 Night-Out Places		
	What's known for?	MAP CODE
1	Lan Kwai Fong (LKF) Most popular party scene. Lady's night - Thursdays	C01
2	Soho Stylish bars and restaurants for night out with friends	C01
3	Knutsford Terrace Kowloon's offering of Lan Kwai Fong & Soho	G02
4	Prince Edward/Mong Kok Most popular night out location for the locals!	D02
5	Wan Chai HK red light district! Lady's night - Wednesday	C05

🏝️ Outlying Islands		
	What to see/do?	MAP CODE
1	Lantau Island Big Buddha, Po Lin Monastery, Tai O	A03 (Ferry) H01 (Map)
2	Lamma Island Fishing Village, Seafood, Short Hike	A03 (Ferry) I01 (Map)
3	Cheung Chau Cheung Po Tsai Cave, Local Food, Beach	A03
4	Peng Chau Porcelain, Local Food, Temples	A03

🏛️ Museum		
1	Hong Kong History Museum Best museum in HK, skip to second floor for colonial history MAPCODE - G03 (Free. Close at 6pm and on Tuesday)	
2	Hong Kong Heritage Museum HK heritage, emphasis on art & creative/performance culture MAPCODE - D04 (Free. Close at 6pm and on Tuesday)	

🥾 Hikes		
	What to see/do?	MAP CODE
1	Dragon's Back Sea view, Beach, Surf	B08
2	Lamma Island Fishing village, Sea View, Seafood Restaurant	I01
3	Lion Rock MUCH better than The Peak (according to us!)	D03
4	Sai Kung Best place to hike in HK, Deserted Beach	A05
5	The Peak Experience how people in the past get to the Peak!	C02 & C08

🏢 Skyscrapers & Observation Deck		
	Opening Hour	
1	International Commerce Center Sky 100 - HKD 188 100/F MAPCODE - G01 Mon - Sun 10am - 9pm	
2	International Finance Center Monetary Authority - Free 55/F MAPCODE - B03 Mon - Fri 10am - 6pm Sat 10am - 1pm	
3	Central Plaza Sky City Church - Free 78/F MAPCODE - B05 Service every Sunday at 11am & 6pm	

🍸 Rooftop Bars		
	What's known for?	MAP CODE
1	Ozone Highest bar in the world	G01
2	Felix Best view of Victoria Harbour	H02
3	SEVA Rooftop at the heart of the financial center	B03
4	270 Degrees View from Causeway Bay	B06
5	Ce La Vi The peak of LKF!	C01

🏯 Temples		
	What to see/do there?	MAP CODE
1	Wong Tai Sin Most popular temple in HK and fortune telling!	D02
2	Man Mo Temple Largest Man Mo Temple and evidence of law and order in HK	B02
3	Chi Lin Nunnery Beautiful and tranquil temple in the middle of the city	D03
4	Che Kung Temple Most popular temple in New Territories & fortune telling	E04
5	10,000 Buddhas Temple Would you be impressed to see 10,000 Buddhas in one visit?	D04

🛍️ Markets		
	What do they sell?	MAP CODE
1	Lady's Market Knock Offs	E02
2	Jade Market Jade - Souvenir	F02
3	Temple Street Random stuffs	F02
4	Antique Street Antique - Souvenir	B02
5	Flower Market Flowers	D02
6	Goldfish Market Goldfish & Reptiles	D02

🍽️ Local Restaurants											
★ means restaurant is not located on ground floor, go inside a building to find it!											
Style	MAP CODE	Style	MAP CODE	Style	MAP CODE	Style	MAP CODE	Style	MAP CODE	Style	MAP CODE
1 Australian Dairy Company	G02	8 Pei Ho BBQ	I03	15 Pei Ho Dai Pai Dong Area*	I03	22 American Restaurant*	C04	2 Jade Market	F02	9 Yat Lok Goose	C01
2 Kau Kee	B01	9 Tung Po*	A08	16 Cuisine Cuisine*	B03 & G02	3 Jade Market	F02	10 Central Restaurant*	H04	23 Ho Lee Fook	C01
3 Lan Fong Yuen	C01	17 Wan Chai Dai Pai Dong Area*	C06	24 Nan Hai No.1*	H02	4 Mak's Noodle	B07 & C01 & C06 & C08 & H02 & G02	11 Lin Heung*	A01 & B01	25 Kai Kai	G02
5 Wai Kee Noodle	H04	18 Chi Lin	D03	26 Leaf Dessert	C01	6 Joy Hing BBQ	C05	12 Tim Ho Wan	B02* & E01 & A08 & D01 & 104	27 LKK Egg Waffle	A08 & C05 & G02
7 Kam's Goose	C05	19 Ginkgo House	B01	28		8 Pei Ho Dai Pai Dong Area*	I03	13 Central Dai Pai Dong Area	B01		
		20 Kung Tak Lam*	H02	14 Mui Kee*	H02	9 Yat Lok Goose	C01	14 Mui Kee*	H02		
		21 Kin Hong	H04			10 Central Restaurant*	H04				

Traveling to China?

How do I go to China?

TYPE	DESTINATION	ADULT FARE	CHILD FARE
Ferry	Sheung Wan* - ShenZhen Airport	235	235
	HK Airport - ShenZhen Airport	295	155 - 220
Train	Hung Hom MTR - Beijing	210	105
	Hung Hom MTR - Shanghai	600 - 1200	400 - 800
	Hung Hom MTR - Shenzhen "Lo Wu"	500 - 1100	350 - 700
Bus	Varies* - Shenzhen Airport	70	70
	Varies* - GuangZhou	130	130
	Varies* - GuangZhou	110	110

*See sign on map for boarding location.

Do I need a visa to go to China?

Assuming you are not travelling through China, almost all travelers need a visa to go to China.

QUESTION	REQUIREMENT
What you need to prepare?	1 Passport 2 Application form 3 Recent photo 4 Itinerary 5 Transport record 6 Proof of hotel reservation
How much? (in HKD)	Everyone else: 150, Fast: +150, 24 Hour: +250 US Nationals: 1020, Fast: +150, 24 Hour: +250 UK Nationals: 450, Fast: +150, 24 Hour: +250
How long does it take?	1 - 3 days from Regular to 24 hour service
How long is the visa valid for?	Single entry, 30 days
Where can I get it?	China Travel Services (CTS) offices A02 E02

Traveling to Macau?

How do I go to Macau?

Ferry. The cost of ferry is around HKD 150 to 200. Please see the map for ferry terminal. A02 & G02

Do I need a visa to go to Macau?
Most passport holders from US, UK, EU, Australia, New Zealand do not need a visa for 7+ days visit.

Do I need to get Macau money/currency?
Businesses in Macau generally take Hong Kong currency (HKD) and assume a 1:1 exchange rate. So it is OK to use HKD in Macau.

Transportation

TRANSPORTATION	SERVICE HOURS	TRAVEL TIME	ADULT FARE (HKD)
MTR	06:00 - 00:00	Depends	4 - 50
Bus	24/7	Depends	4 - 50
Tram	06:00 - 23:30	Depends	2.3
Peak Tram	07:00 - 00:00	<10 minutes	32 - 45 return
Ngong Ping 360	10:00 - 18:00	~25 minutes	145 - 300 return
Star Ferry	07:30 - 22:50	<10 minutes	< 4
Airport Express	06:00 - 00:45	<30 minutes	70 - 115
Tai O to Tung Chung Ferry	10:00 - 18:00	~30 minutes	15 - 30

CENTRAL TO OUTLYING ISLANDS				
- Lamma (Yung Shue Wan)	07:30 - 23:30	30 minutes	17 - 25	
- Lamma (Sok Kwu Wan)	07:20 - 22:40	30 - 40 minutes	21 - 30	
- Peng Chau	07:00 - 23:30	25 - 40 minutes	15 - 42	
- Cheung Chau	07:00 - 23:45	35 - 60 minutes	13 - 30	
- Mui Wo	07:00 - 23:00	35 - 60 minutes	13 - 30	

TAXI FEE	Airport/Lantau	Central	Hung Hom	Mong Kok	Tsim Sha Tsui
Causeway Bay	292	60	77	94	77
Tsim Sha Tsui	244	85	43	43	
Mong Kok	244	100	51		
Hung Hom	250	85			
Central	280				

Fare approximation includes 10 minutes waiting time but not include toll charge as follow:
 Central Cross Harbour 20 Eastern Cross Harbour 40
 Western Cross Harbour 70 Lantau Link (Airport) 30

Please note that taxi in Hong Kong has three different colours. Red taxi can go anywhere in Hong Kong (except Big Buddha), green taxi can only stay within New Territories, and blue taxi can only stay in certain parts of Lantau Island (Big Buddha).

HK Weather Signals

- Tropical cyclone warning signals explained:
- 1** Standby - A tropical cyclone is centred within 800 km of Hong Kong.
 - 3** Strong Wind - Strong winds are expected or blowing generally near sea level.
 - 8 or higher** Storm - Almost everything shuts down. Stay indoors.

- Please check website for weather cancellations
- Heavy rain warning signals explained:
- Amber 黃** - Heavy rain has fallen or is expected to fall generally over HK. Bring an umbrella.
 - Red 紅** - Heavy rain has fallen, exceeding 50 mm/hour, and is likely to continue. Students stay home.
 - Black 黑** - Very heavy rain has fallen, exceeding 70 mm/hour. Almost everything shuts down. Stay indoors.
- Please check website for weather cancellations

The main map shows Hong Kong with 28 numbered markers corresponding to the lists. Key locations include Sheung Wan, Central, Admiralty, Causeway Bay, and Tin Hau. Inset maps provide detailed views of Stanley (9), The Peak (3), and Shau Kei Wan (2). A 'MAP OF HONG KONG' inset shows the New Territories, Kowloon, and Hong Kong Island. A 'The HK Free Tour' marker is shown in Central.



Important Phone numbers:
 Emergency 999
 HK International Airport +852 2181 8888
 HK Immigration department +852 2824 6111
 HK Tourism Board Hotline +852 2508 1234
 Telephone directory enquiries 1081
 Weather 1878 200

Internet and Apps

Should I buy SIM card for my mobile?
 Yes, most SIM cards cost around HKD 100 for a week worth of data & calls. We recommend buying a SIM card at Sham Shui Po because it is much cheaper there!

Is there free WiFi in Hong Kong?
 In general, free WiFi is available at most tourist attractions, shopping malls, government buildings, MTR stations, 7-Eleven and Circle K.

Can you recommend some good apps?

- Wi-Fi.hk** - This app works without internet connection (duh!) but you need to look up the street name to find the spot.
- Google Maps** - This is the app that combines all transportation information (bus, MTR etc.) in Hong Kong!
- Open Rice** - This is THE app for looking up restaurants in HK. Don't believe too much on the rating, use this for location only.

TrailWatch - Worried you might get lost during your hike? Download this app and it will guide you through the trail!

My HK Guide - This is the official tourist app created by the HK Tourism Board. Contains info for most tourist attractions and events.

General

What are the general business/opening hours for places?

- Shopping malls - 10am to 6-7pm
- Ladies & Temple Market - 12pm to 10pm
- Goldfish and Flower Market - 10am to 7pm
- Restaurants - 8am to 11pm
- Banks - Mon to Fri 9am to 4:30pm, Sat to noon
- 7-11 or Circle K - 7am to 11pm, or 24/7

What's the legal drinking age? Can I drink on the street?
 18. Yes, you can drink on street in Hong Kong.

Should I get an Octopus card?
 Yes. It is the electronic payment system widely used in HK and very convenient. You can use it for small transaction amounts like transportation, retail shops and fast food restaurants.

You can get it at the service centre of all MTR stations. Don't get it from convenience stores.

To buy an adult card it is HKD 150: HKD 50 for a deposit and your card is loaded with HKD 100. You can collect your deposit by returning your card but a HKD 9 handling fee will be charged.

Shopping

Where do the locals go shopping?
 Average locals do not go to the shops at Tsim Sha Tsui or the Ladies market!

- Kwai Chung Plaza** - By far the most popular in Hong Kong. Located at Kwai Fong MTR Exit D.
- Argyle Centre** - A good shopping place in Mong Kok. Located at Mong Kok MTR Exit D1 or D2.
- LaForet** - Probably slightly expensive because of the location. Causeway Bay MTR Exit D1.

The Hong Kong Free Tours presents HONG KONG MAP & TRAVEL INFO



The Hong Kong Free Tours Itinerary

One Day in Hong Kong

- 10:00** Join our Hong Kong Free Tour for an introduction of Hong Kong
- 12:30** Head to Mong Kok and have lunch in the neighbourhood. We Mui Kee - try their slice raw fish & fish belly congee
- 14:00** Join our Kowloon Free Tour to see the local markets and explore the hidden poverty and injustice in the city

One Day Alternative Hong Kong

- 10:00** Do one of the following things in the morning:
 - Experience Traditional Chinese Dim Sum at Lin Heung Tea House
 - Visit Wong Tai Sin Temple for fortune telling and Chi Lin Nunnery to enjoy traditional Chinese gardening
 - Visit Hong Kong History museum to learn our cultural history and official history
- 13:00 or 14:00** Join our Dragon's Back Hiking tour or Bike tour to explore the nature of Hong Kong.
- 19:00 or 20:00 (after Dragon's Back Tour)** Go to Shau Kei Wan Main Street East to explore the local restaurants or go to Tung Po to have local Dai Pai Dong style dinner.
- 20:00 (after Bike Tour)** Go to Happy Valley to enjoy a night out with horse racing or have Chinese Basin Dish for dinner near Tai Mei Tuk.

One Day in Lantau Island

- 10:00** Arrive Tung Chung MTR. Get a cable car ticket or take bus 23 to Ngong Ping
- 11:00** Big Buddha and Po Lin Monastery
- 12:30** Lunch at Ngong Ping village or at the monastery. (Try Tofu Pudding for dessert)
- 14:00** Take bus 21 from Ngong Ping bus terminal to go to Tai O village

One Day in Lamma Island

- 10:20** Take the ferry to Sok Kwu Wan from Central Pier 4
- 11:00** Visit the fish farm to explore the life style of the boat people
- 12:00** Lunch at one of Sok Kwu Wan seafood restaurants
- 13:30** Hike from Sok Kwu Wan to Yung Shue Wan (1 hour walk)
- 15:30 - 16:30** Arrive at the beach at Yung Shue Wan. Have a drink and relax for a moment.
- 17:00 - 18:00** Catch a ferry from Yung Shue Wan and return to Central



Please check Hong Kong Free Tours website for latest schedule or weather cancellation

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Most people come to HK only visited The Peak, Big Buddha and Ladies Market and they think they have been to Hong Kong.

We design the Hong Kong Free Tours as a platform to share with you what really we care about as a local Hong Konger, giving you a realistic perspective of Hong Kong.

What is One Country Two Systems?
 How's our relationship with China?
 How HK got to where we are and what will happen into the future.....

Everyday 10am
 Meet at Admiralty MTR station Exit A

Capitalism of Hong Kong and as a result the inequality and injustice in the city. How come people live in a house with the size of a cage?

Monday to Saturday 2pm
 Meet at Mong Kok MTR station Exit B3

You have other tours?
 Yes! We got other tours to show you a different side of Hong Kong: exotic food, disappearing industry, hiking and biking! Visit our website for more detail!

How to book?
 You can book through our website or simply show up at the meeting point at the meeting time!

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