



TRAVELLING TO NEW PLACES WITH CONFIDENCE

Discover Taiwan

7-Day, 6-Night Journey

Taipei, Taichung, Tainan

This immersive 7-day journey spans Taiwan's dynamic history and stunning scenery. Begin in vibrant Taipei exploring imperial treasures, iconic monuments, and bustling markets. Journey along the wild Northeast Coast to experience surreal geology and traditional sky lanterns in Shifen and Jiufen. Next, travel south via high-speed rail to explore Taichung's futuristic architecture before concluding in Tainan, Taiwan's ancient capital, for a traditional tea ceremony and historic exploration.



National Palace Museum has the world's largest collection of ancient Chinese imperial artifacts.



Liberty Square at Chiang Kai Shek Memorial



Jiufen, an old gold mining town with narrow winding streets and teahouses



Jiufen Old Street is famous for its red lanterns, and a variety of local snacks and souvenirs



Tainan Confucius Temple, established in 1665 as an academy for the civil service



A magical tradition, release a lantern with your hopes and dreams written on it

Highlights

- Tainan Culture - Chinese Tea Ceremony Experience
- Taipei City Tour - Experience an Incredible Evolution
- Northeast Coast with Shifen, Jiufen & Yehliu
- Taichung City Evening Guided Walking Tour
- Tainan City Tour - From Indigenous Roots to Royal Capital

Inclusions

- 4 Excursions & 1 Tea Ceremony Experience
- Handpicked Hotel Accommodations
- Daily Breakfast
- English-speaking tour guides
- Private Airport/Train Station Transfers
- High-Speed Trains (Taipei-Taichung-Tainan)

Exclusions

- International Air Fare
- Government Tourism Fee
- Travel Insurance
- Medical Expenses
- Visa Fee (if applicable)
- Gratuities
- Personal Expenses

Nearby Airport

Taipei – Taiwan Taoyuan International Airport (TPE)

Kaohsiung - Kaohsiung International Airport (KHH)

Itinerary

3 NIGHTS IN TAIPEI

DAY 1: ARRIVE TAIPEI

Arrive at **Taipei** Airport and transfer to your hotel.

The rest of the day is free.

Taipei is the vibrant capital city of Taiwan. It blends modernity with tradition, offering towering skyscrapers like Taipei 101, rich cultural heritage in its temples and museums, and an unforgettable street food experience in its bustling night markets.

[Meals: None]



DAY 2: TAIPEI CITY TOUR - EXPERIENCE AN INCREDIBLE EVOLUTION

Experience Taipei's incredible evolution, from imperial treasures and sacred temples to traditional medicine shops and ultra-modern shopping districts.

This morning, you will join the guided **Taipei City Tour** (group, full day @ 8:30 AM). On this tour, we will explore:

- **National Palace Museum:** A treasure trove housing nearly 700,000 priceless pieces of ancient Chinese imperial art and artifacts, widely considered the finest highest-quality collection of Chinese imperial treasures in the world.
- **Chiang Kai-shek Memorial Hall:** An iconic white-marble monument topped with a striking blue-tiled roof, built to honor Taiwan's former president.
- **Lungshan Temple:** Step into a mesmerizing sanctuary of swirling incense and chanting, where centuries-old architecture intricately unites more than a hundred Buddhist, Taoist, and Confucian deities under one spectacular roof.
- **Ximending:** This vibrant pedestrian shopping district is Taipei's bustling epicenter for lively street performances, diverse local food stalls, and eclectic shopping boutiques.
- **Dihua Street:** Taipei's oldest street beautifully blends preserved historic architecture with traditional medicine shops, heritage tea houses, and modern chic cafés.
- **Xinyi District:** The city's sleek ultra-modern financial hub is famous for luxury shopping malls, upscale nightlife, and the iconic Taipei 101 skyscraper.

[Meals: Breakfast]

DAY 3: NORTHEAST COAST WITH SHIFEN, JIUFEN & YEHLIU

Head through the mountains to Taiwan's wild and rugged stretch of northeast coastline, featuring jagged mountains and breathtaking views over the Pacific Ocean.

This expert guided **Northeast Coast tour** (full day, @12:00 PM) takes you to:

- **Yehliu Geopark:** Stand on a surreal coastal edge where millions of years of ocean erosion have sculpted volcanic rock into bizarre sci-fi shapes like the famous "Queen's Head".
- **Shifen Old Street:** Walk the active train tracks in this nostalgic vintage village. Paint your personal wishes onto a massive sky lantern and launch it into the mountain skies.
- **Shifen Waterfall:** Venture deep into the lush Pingxi Valley to witness the thunderous roar of this magnificent mist-veiled cascade, dubbed the "Niagara of Taiwan" for its massive horseshoe drop.
- **Jiufen:** Continue up the coast to a breathtaking vertical mountain town with steep stone staircases, glowing red lanterns, and historic tea houses that look like a living movie set overlooking the Pacific Ocean.

[Meals: Breakfast]

1 NIGHT IN TAICHUNG

DAY 4: TAIPEI – TAICHUNG | TAICHUNG CITY EVENING GUIDED WALKING TOUR

Travel to **Taichung** via High-Speed Rail with a private transfer.

Later, join the guided **Taichung City Evening Walking Tour** (group tour, 3 hours @5:00 PM) to explore:

- **National Taichung Theater:** Marvel at this futuristic architectural wonder, designed entirely without straight walls to mimic a flowing organic "sound cave".
- **Rainbow Village:** Stroll through a whimsical vibrant neighborhood hand-painted in brilliant technicolor.
- **Miyahara Ice Cream:** Indulge in artisanal treats inside a beautifully restored 1920s eye clinic styled like a Hogwarts library.
- **Fengjia Night Market:** Dive into a legendary food-lover's paradise packed with hundreds of stalls serving Taiwan's best street food.
- **Taichung Park:** Relax in the city's oldest green oasis, featuring a historic Qing Dynasty pavilion and a tranquil boating lake.
- **National Taiwan Museum of Fine Arts:** Explore one of Asia's largest art museums, featuring a serene outdoor sculpture park and modern masterpieces.

[Meals: Breakfast]

2 NIGHTS IN TAINAN

DAY 5: TAICHUNG – TAINAN | TAINAN CULTURE - CHINESE TEA CEREMONY EXPERIENCE

Travel to **Tainan** via High-Speed Rail with a private transfer.

Immerse yourself in Tainan's rich heritage with a guided **Chinese tea ceremony** (group tour, 3 hours @4:30 PM). Discover the intricate craftsmanship behind traditional Gaiwan porcelain and terracotta teapots, and learn how they elevate the flavor of premium Oolong teas. It's a relaxed hands-on cultural experience perfect for savoring Taiwan's timeless flavors and artisanal traditions.

[Meals: Breakfast]

DAY 6: TAINAN CITY TOUR - FROM INDIGENOUS ROOTS TO ROYAL CAPITAL

Long before it became Taiwan's historic soul, Tainan was a vital home to the island's indigenous peoples, later transforming into a powerful 17th-century Dutch colony and ultimately serving as Taiwan's very first capital. Today, the legendary history and timeless beauty of this ancient capital remain vividly alive—and you are about to experience them firsthand on this incredible day tour.

Join this expert guided **Tainan City Tour** (group, full-day @12:00 PM) to discover:

- **Sicao Green Tunnel:** Cruise on a raft through a serene breathtaking mangrove canal known as Taiwan's miniature Amazon.
- **Anping Old Fort:** Explore the historic 17th-century brick foundations of a seaside stronghold originally built by the Dutch East India Company.
- **Anping Tree House:** Walk through a fascinating abandoned warehouse, completely swallowed by the massive sprawling roots of ancient banyan trees.
- **Anping Old Street:** Stroll Taiwan's very first merchant street to sample traditional local snacks like shrimp crackers and candied fruits.

- **Chikanlou:** Visit this landmark heritage site where an 18th-century Chinese pavilion sits directly atop the remains of a historic Dutch outpost.
- **Tainan Grand Mazu Temple:** Admire the exquisite historic architecture of Taiwan's first officially sanctioned temple dedicated to the beloved Sea Goddess.

[Meals: Breakfast]

DAY 7: END OF TOUR

Check-out after breakfast and transfer to **Kaohsiung Airport (KHH)** for your flight home.

[Meals: Breakfast]

*Hotel check-out time is generally around 11 am. If your flight departs in the evening or past midnight, we suggest you consider adding a post-tour hotel night during booking, to be comfortable and well rested before your flight home.

*The duration and start time of excursions are subject to change without prior notice.