



Best Malaysian food – Penang

3 DAYS 2 NIGHTS MALAYSIA GOURMET TOUR

Malaysia is renowned for its diverse cuisines due to its multiculturalism of Malay, Chinese and Indian people. The best thing about eating out in Malaysia is that we have every kind of food to cater to different budgets and tastes, ranging from the popular street side hawker stalls, coffee shops to fine dining restaurants. This tour will help you to understand and explore your way around the array of culinary options in the three areas of Malaysia; Kuala Lumpur, Penang and Langkawi.

KUALA LUMPUR

Day 01 – Kuala Lumpur – Chinatown

Upon arrival at the airport, you will be met and transferred to the hotel. The rest of the day is free at leisure. At 1800 hrs, proceed to Chinatown, a place that is bustling with shops, stalls selling clothes, shoes, watches etc and many varieties of food stalls. Haggling is a cardinal rule here and the place is usually crowded with locals as well as tourists. Stroll along the stalls and restaurants and enjoy sights and smell of this bustling market.

Dinner at the Old China Café, a quaint restaurant offering Peranakan cuisine (a mix of Chinese-Malay influences). As you walk into the dining lobby decorated with antique decorations and ornament, you will be transported to Malaya in the early 1900s. Overnight. (Meal : Dinner)

Day 02 – Kuala Lumpur – Cooking Lesson (Chinese Cuisine)

After breakfast, you will be picked up from your hotel for your cooking class. Learn the art of Chinese cooking conducted by a renowned chef in Malaysia. Non-alcoholic welcome drinks and a souvenir certificate will be given to you at the end of the class.

At 1800hrs, we will pay a visit to the Central Market, once a 'wet' produce market, now a popular centre well known for handicrafts, antiques and arts. It's a great place to pick up some local souvenirs. Our next stop is Little India.

Be dazzled by the potpourri of spices used for cooking as well as shoes and textile shops. Dinner is at Coliseum Café, established in the 1920's. It is an unpretentious restaurant serving Western food. The old furniture and decorative memorabilia, preserved from when it was first opened, creates a unique and nostalgic atmosphere. Overnight. (Meals : Breakfast, Dinner)

Day 03 – Kuala Lumpur – Kuala Lumpur International Airport

After breakfast in the hotel, you will be transferred to the airport for your onward flight or continue your gourmet adventure to the island of Penang. (Meal : Breakfast)

PENANG

Day 01 – Penang – Cooking Lesson – Indian Cuisine

Penang is known as a food paradise. It abounds with fresh seafood and fruits. Despite its distinctive Chinese character, Penang also has a strong Indian presence and there are some popular specialties to savour. On arrival, you will be met and transferred to your hotel. Rest of the day is free at leisure.

In the evening, you will be picked up for your cooking class conducted by a renowned chef where you will be taught to cook Indian dishes. Learn the ways of preparing the Indian favorites such as roti canai, dhal curry and tandoori chicken in a traditional cooking set up. Besides learning skills to cook the dishes, you'll also get to know the cultural and historical background of some foods.

After a sumptuous dinner, enjoy a trishaw ride through the streets of Georgetown. Visit the Hawker Food Centre, a gastronomic sight along the coast selling all kinds of mouth-watering dishes. We will drop you off at a night spot in Georgetown. Recommended places to visit are Irish Pub, Farquhar Street, Soho's Pub at Penang Road or First Avenue at Cititel, Penang Road. Return to hotel on your own. Overnight. (Meal : Dinner)

Note: Kindly be informed that a MYR3.00 Penang Local Government Fee per room per night has been enforced since 1st June 2014. As this is a mandatory State Fee, it will be collected by the respective hotels upon the guest's check out.

Day 02 – Penang Wet Market/Georgetown Tour/ Tropical Fruit Farm Tour

After breakfast in the hotel, we will visit a local wet market at Chowrasta. Enjoy the sight of numerous local fresh produce that are sold there - different fish, vegetables, spices, poultry, meats and dry foods. After that, we continue our walking tour to the inner city of Georgetown – Campbell Street, Kapitan Keling Mosque, Sri Mariammah Temple, Kuan Yin Temple and Little India. Drive to Fort Cornwallis, Reclining Buddha and a Burmese Temple.

1230 hrs, we proceed to a Tropical Fruit Farm, a lush 10ha orchard with over 140 species of tropical and sub-tropical fruit trees. Take a tour around the farm and enjoy the fruit tasting and a choice of one type of fruit juice.

One should not leave Penang without tasting its great seafood as you will with your dinner at Golden Thai Seafood Village. Overnight. (Meals : Breakfast, Dinner)

Day 03 – Penang Hotel – Airport

After breakfast in the hotel, transfer to the airport for your onward flight or continue your gourmet adventure to Langkawi. (Meals : Breakfast)

LANGKAWI

Day 01 – Langkawi Island

Upon arrival, you will be met and transferred to the hotel. Rest of the day at leisure.

In the evening, you will be transferred to Bon Ton Restaurant for dinner. Located near the sea with a wonderful ambience of traditional antique Malay houses and coconut trees, this restaurant is famed for its East meets West cuisines. Overnight. (Meal : Dinner)

Day 02 – Langkawi Island Tour & Cooking Lesson – Malay Cuisine

Breakfast, today's Malay cuisine cooking class will be held in a lavishly crafted wooden Malay house which resembles a palace of a Malay Sultan in a bygone era. The chef will guide you to select herbs grown on the courtyard before the class starts. Lunch will be the very own food that you have cooked.

In the evening, be picked up from your hotel for dinner at Kantan Restaurant, famous for its tantalising traditional Malay food serve in a bona fide Malay house. Overnight. (Meals : Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner)

Day 03 – Hotel – Airport

Breakfast in the hotel. Free at leisure till your transfer to the airport for your onward flight. (Meal : Breakfast) ☐ Tour ends ☐

Note : This flexible programme allows you to chose one, combine any two or three of the gourmet destinations; Kuala Lumpur, Penang and Langkawi.

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