

Wild Malaysia by Luxury Train

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Overview

The Highlights

- Travel through one of the world's oldest rainforests, spotting wildlife from the train's large open-air observation car
- Explore the Taman Negara National Park with fabulous wildlife experts
- Discover Penang Island with your choice of tours: culinary, art or historical
- Three nights' accommodation aboard the *Eastern & Oriental Express* luxury train
- Dedicated 24-hour steward service

- Daily continental breakfast served in your cabin
- Daily three-course lunch & four-course dinner
- House wine, house spirits, and local beer included

The Tour

Venture into one of the world's oldest rainforests aboard the luxurious *Eastern & Oriental Express*. Malaysia's Taman Negara Rainforest is home to elusive Sumatran tigers and rhinos, as well as elephants, monkeys and a plethora of tropical birds. Tour Penang Island with your choice of focus on art, culinary or history. Enjoy fabulous meals, excellent service and unique on-board entertainment.

Itinerary

Day 1: Depart Singapore

Depart Singapore's Woodlands station aboard the *Eastern & Oriental Express* and begin your journey northeast. Settle in to your private cabin and enjoy afternoon tea and an elegant dinner on board, followed by entertainment in the bar car.

Day 2: Taman Negara

After breakfast in your cabin, admire the views of the Jungle Line as the train courses through some of the wildest parts of Malaysia. Following lunch on board, you arrive at Merapoh station and alight for an extraordinary experience. Conservation is at the heart of the *Eastern & Oriental Express* philosophy, and the Malayan tiger is the national animal of Malaysia, emblazoned on both the coat of arms and our train's emblem. As part of our ongoing partnership with Save Wild Tigers, we invite you to discover the "tiger territory" of Taman Negara National Park, meeting local villagers and organizations who are working on the ground to protect this noble, critically endangered wild cat and its habitat. Taman Negara was formed 130 million years ago, making it one of the oldest tropical rainforests in the world. The dense jungle, wide rivers and lush mountains are home to wildlife ranging from water buffalo to macaques, tapirs to hornbills - a true explorer's paradise.

Returning to the train, a lively evening with local entertainment awaits in the Piano Bar Car, preceded by a delicious dinner.

Day 3: West Coast line - Penang

Enjoy breakfast and lunch on board, before alighting for the crossing to Penang Island. Here, we've created a choice of immersions that make the most of Malaysia's cultural melting pot. Art

lovers can explore Georgetown Old Quarter with a guide, delving into temples, a contemporary studio and an opera and puppet house. Food aficionados can embark on a discovery of Peranakan cooking, purchasing specialties from spice and grocery stores before mastering delicious local dishes in a cookery class. Or, for those who prefer to explore independently, we present you with a trishaw, a driver and a map, so that you can wind through Georgetown's enchanting streets and visit its attractions at whim. Rejoin the train at Butterworth for a convivial final evening on board with sublime cuisine and fabulous entertainment.

Day 4: Johor - Singapore

Your cabin steward delivers your breakfast as the train travels through the southernmost Malaysian state of Johor before crossing the Straits and arriving back into Singapore.

Dates & Prices

2026 Dates

July 20 - July 23

July 27 - July 30

August 3 - August 6

August 10 - August 13

August 31 - September 3

September 7 - September 10

September 14 - September 17

September 21 - September 24

September 28 - October 1

October 5 - October 8

October 12 - October 15

October 19 - October 22

October 26 - October 29

Accommodation	Double	Single	Deposit
Pullman	From \$4,650	From \$9,300	15%
State Cabin	From \$6,550	From \$13,100	15%
Presidential Suite	From \$11,850	From \$23,700	15%

Prices are per person.

Pricing varies based on availability and date. Prices are subject to change daily. Contact us to confirm pricing and availability for your desired departure.

2027 Dates

April 5 - April 8
 April 12 - April 15
 April 19 - April 22
 April 26 - April 29
 May 3 - May 6
 May 17 - May 20
 July 19 - July 22
 July 26 - July 29
 August 2 - August 5
 August 9 - August 12
 August 16 - August 19
 September 20 - September 23
 September 27 - September 30
 October 4 - October 7
 October 11 - October 14
 October 18 - October 21
 October 25 - October 28

Accommodation	Double	Single	Deposit
Pullman	From \$5,200	From \$10,400	15%
State Cabin	From \$6,900	From \$13,800	15%
Presidential Suite	From \$12,200	From \$24,400	15%

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