

## PEXGT-PJ C : 9D8N PENINSULA JOURNEY - CLASSIC



**Day 01 ARRIVE KUALA LUMPUR** Arrival, meet and greet at KLIA. Transfer to your chosen hotel in Kuala Lumpur and check in. In the afternoon, explore the charm of KL on a sightseeing tour that blends old-world character with a modern metropolis that makes this city exciting with traditions of each races still being practiced in daily routine. Places to visit; King's Palace (photo stop), Thean Hou Temple, War Memorial, Parks and Gardens (pass by), Old Railway Station (pass by), National Mosque, Merdeka Square, KL City Gallery and Petronas Twin Towers (photo stop). Overnight (-/-/-)

**Day 02 MELAKA TOUR** Founded in 1400, the Sultanate of Melaka was once the greatest and most powerful empire and seaport in South East Asia. For hundreds of years, the Portuguese, Dutch and British successively established supremacy over the wealth of Malacca's silk and spice trade. This rich heritage is evident in the unique mix of architectural styles. Visit the street of Harmony where you see the oldest Chinese temple, mosque and Hindu Temple in Malaysia, the Dutch Stadhuys and Porta de Santiago. Walk through the ruins of St Paul's Church where St Francis Xavier was once buried. Melaka is also one of the birthplaces of the culture of the 'Babas' - a mix of Chinese and Malay cultures uniquely its own. (ABF/L/-)



**Day 03 KUALA LUMPUR / CAMERON HIGHLANDS** In the morning, after breakfast, depart for Cameron Highlands en-route tour to Batu Caves - the most famous landmark in Kuala Lumpur, which also doubles up as a religious site for Hindus. Ascend 272 steps to reach the top where you can admire the limestone formations and watch devotees pray to their shrines. Cameron Highlands which is 1542 metres above sea level and famous for its tea plantation and cool temperatures. On the way visit Lata Iskandar Water fall, an aboriginal settlement and a bamboo basket-making stall. Sweaters are recommended for evenings The temperature can drop to 15 degrees Celsius during night time or when it is raining. Overnight. (ABF/-/-)



**Day 04 CAMERON HIGHLANDS / PENANG** Cameron Highland tour starts in the morning. Since the discovery of the Cameron Highlands by William Cameron in 1885, the highlands have not only been transformed into a farming land and a retreat for the wealthy Chinese businessman but have also become the most popular destination for local and foreign holiday makers alike. This half-day tour will take you to one of the tea plantations to watch the processing of black tea and later to sample various kinds of tea in the tea house. Other places to visit such as Butterfly , Insect and Reptile Farm. Proceed to Penang with en-route visit to the Sam Poh Tong Temple in Ipoh, the Ubudiah Mosque, Iskandariah Palace and Istana Kenangan Museum at Kuala Kangsar. Cross the Penang Bridge that links the Peninsula and Penang Island. Overnight. (ABF/-/-) Note: The tea factory is closed every Monday (and also on Tuesdays if the preceding Monday is a public holiday).

**Day 05 PENANG** Georgetown, the capital city of Penang was named after King George III of England, is an interesting land of the old and new. It is worth to note that Penang has one of the largest Colonial building in South East Asia. Tours include a stop at Fort Cornwallis - built in 1808. Fort Cornwallis also marks the spot where Sir Francis Light first landed on this island. You'll be driven through Street Harmony which houses the Anglican Church, Kuan Yin Chinese Temple, Mahamariamman Indian Temple and the Kapitan Keling Mosque. Followed by a visit to the State Museum, built in 1821 which houses a fine collection of old photographs, maps, charts and pass by the colorful Little India and bustling Chinatown. Next stop, the world's fourth largest reclining Budha statue at Wat Chayamangkalaram. Afternoon, free at leisure. Overnight. (ABF/-/-)



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**Day 06 PENANG / KOTA BHARU** In the morning after breakfast depart for Kota Bahru. The journey takes us through the main mountain range that offers a breathtaking view of the tropical rainforest. Upon arrival if there is still time will be done a visit to the traditional craft centers such as the silver handicraft, kite making and top spinning. Overnight. (ABF/-/-)



**Note:** Friday in Kota Bahru and whole of Kelantan is the weekly rest day. Museums, offices, handicraft workshop will be closed to the public.



**Day 07 KOTA BHARU / TERENGGANU** In the morning visit the colorful wet market and take a stroll around the cultural zone, which offers an invaluable insight into the history of Kelantan. Visit places like the Royal Museum, Handicraft Village, Istana Balai Besar, Merdeka Square and the State Mosque. Depart for Terengganu with en route stop at Merang fishing village and Duyong Island to view a traditional boat making process. Overnight. (ABF/-/-)

**Day 08 TERENGGANU / KUANTAN** After breakfast check out and visit a local cottage industry producing the traditional Batik cloth and brassware under the same roof. A short scenic drive along the coastal road will bring you into the state of Pahang and to Cherating. Stop at Kijal to sample local Malay delicacies The popular “lemang” (glutinous rice cooked in bamboo stem) and proceed for Cherating Village where you will see pandanus leave being weaved into bags, mats and crafts and also visit brown sugar making and Beserah fishing village.. Enjoy the afternoon here on your own on the beach. Overnight. (ABF/-/-)



**Day 09 KUANTAN / ONWARDS** Breakfast at hotel. Proceed to KLIA for your onward flight to your next destination. (ABF/-/-)

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**Important:** This tour will not be conducted during Monsoon Season in the East-Coast of Peninsula Malaysia from November to March (TBA).