

Cave & Mangrove Adventure



Approximately 4 hours



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Equipped with binoculars and a pair of sturdy walking shoes, you'll come as close as possible on this outing to being the Indiana Jones of the East. This expedition is designed to please the senses as you **cruise** and explore an ecosystem of winding rivers, mangrove forests, isolated islands and limestone rock formations. Visit the fabled **Bat Cave** to see these nocturnal mammals enjoying their daytime siesta. Hundreds of them hang upside down, clinging to the ceiling of the cave. The formations of stalagmites and stalactites and other rock formations are quite stunning as well. Leaving the cave, you'll next have a chance to snap some close-up shots of **eagles** as they zoom down with accuracy. Three species of wild eagles vie for food that is tossed to them from your boat. Next, visit a **fish farm**, to learn about aquaculture. You'll **walk** on platforms that separate the nets in the sea to see the variety of fish that are raised here.

Notes:

This is an adventure tour and requires walking up stairs and along uneven paths. Sensible shoes are mandatory. Bring a flashlight and binoculars.

Craft Complex & Underwater World



Approximately 5½ hours



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Langkawi is a beautiful tropical island paradise and renowned as the Isle of Legends. While the lifestyle has changed since it became a duty free port in 1987, it has managed to retain its own identity through the ages. Langkawi is still very much the land of *kampungs*(villages), beaches, rice fields, legends and friendly people with intriguing lifestyles. The **Craft Cultural Complex** is a major attraction dedicated solely to showcasing Malaysian handicrafts. An exclusive assortment of craftwork items ranges from forest-based products, batik fabrics, ceramics, metal artifacts to beautiful art objects, wood products, baskets, rattan-based products, and costume jewelry. Also housed inside this complex are two galleries. A **heritage museum** showcases a number of handicrafts and musical instruments representing the various Malaysian ethnic groups, and the Wedding Gallery features the colorful traditional wedding costumes worn by the various communities of multi-ethnic Malaysia. Don't miss a **stroll** through **Eagle Square** with its monumental sculpture embraced by the seafront of Kuah. The huge monument is a tribute to this island, which is named after the brown eagle. Proceed to the **Underwater World**—a 32,700-square-foot facility with more than 5,000 examples of colorful marine life and tropical fish in 100 specially designed tanks. The most impressive and unique interior architectural concept of this magnificent aquarium is the gigantic hexagon tank and walk-through tunnel tank. The hexagon tank, with a capacity of 21,000 gallons of water, houses shoals of exotic queen angelfish, damselfish, clownfish and butterfly fish. Keep an eye out for sharks, huge turtles, stingrays, Moray eels and giant groupers. The Sub-Antarctic Ecosystem display includes a spectacular **penguinarium** with an underwater tunnel for visitors to view penguins at work and play.

Island Explorer



Approximately 4½ hours



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Enjoyed it?



5 out of 5

Value



4 out of 5

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Swim and bask in the sun among the 103 islands scattered around Langkawi Island. Let loose and step aboard a **boat** for a cruise to **Pregnant Maiden Island** and **Wet Rice Island**. This is an opportunity to get away and indulge in an endless list of doing nothing. The large freshwater lake on the Pregnant Maiden Island is a fascinating geological feature surrounded by a mysterious legend. It is separated from the sea by a very thin ridge of limestone. Climb up the steps to reach the **swimming** spot in the freshwater lake. Next, hop back aboard the boat and head to Wet Rice Island, where white sandy beaches offer a beautiful place swim and work on your tan.

Notes:

Wear your swimsuit under your clothing; bring a towel, sunscreen and a hat. This tour requires extensive walking and climbing over 200 steps at the Pregnant Maiden Lake.

Langkawi Highlights



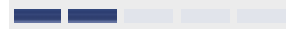
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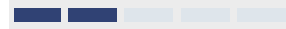


Enjoyed it?



2 out of 5

Value



2 out of 5

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Enjoy a panoramic view of Langkawi as you travel by **cable car** to the top station at the summit of majestic Machincang Mountain. The ride promises breathtaking vistas of the many islands scattered around Langkawi. En route you will pass scenic paddy fields with groups of buffaloes resting in muddy ponds. Quaint Malay *kampungs* (villages) are scattered all over the island, giving you a true insight into the landscapes of Langkawi. Visit the **Rice Garden**, one of Langkawi's eco-tourism attractions, where visitors can view all aspects of rice cultivation. This is the oldest industry in Malaysia. Appreciate its rich heritage and chart its history, including recent developments, while viewing fascinating exhibits at the **museum**. You'll stop at the **Harbour Park** to appreciate the scenery before heading back to the ship—the many beautiful yachts moored here speak to significant local prosperity.

Notes:

Participants must be able to walk approximately 400 yards over flat and undulating garden paths. Some steps will be encountered. Wear comfortable walking shoes, light cotton clothing, sunscreen and a hat. Not suitable for guests with a fear of heights. Cable car operates weather dependent. In the event of inclement weather, a visit to the Underwater World will be substituted. Expect long lines at the cable car during school holidays and peak season.

Langkawi Overview



Approximately 4½ hours



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The island of Langkawi is renowned for its many legends. You will visit the **Mausoleum of the Martyred Princess**—the subject of a much-discussed legend concerning a local woman whose husband was called to serve in the army. In his absence, she was wrongly accused of adultery and was sentenced to death. She was stabbed with a sacred sword and is said to have bled white blood—proof (albeit too late) of her innocence. On a more pragmatic note, you will also visit a functioning **rubber estate** for a close-up view of the process known as rubber tapping. The professional rubber tapper shows you how his skillful cut makes the rubber tree bleed—the fluid is collected and made into latex. As you travel, you'll pass scenic paddy fields with groups of buffaloes resting in muddy ponds. Quaint Malay *kampungs* (villages) are scattered all over the island. Next is a visit to **Eagle Square**, where a monumental sculpture faces the seafront of Kuah. A stop at a **handicraft studio** gives you a chance to shop for **souvenirs** of Langkawi.