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A GUIDE FOR COLLECTORS



WHERE **COLLECTORS MEET.**

"Singapore is a paradise for must-have international fashion, trendy bazaars and a whole lot more. Indulge in heritage brands and uncover the local design scene. Visit international flagship stores along Orchard Road for luxury brands. Head to our ethnic enclaves for memorabilia of different cultural influences. If you have a passion for what's in vogue and one of a kind, here's where the collectors—stylemeisters, sneakerheads, designers, trend setters—meet."

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SPECIAL SHOPPING SERVICES



What can be better than shopping? Shopping AND enjoying fabulous services. From getting a personal shopping experience to enjoying complimentary limo rides around town, we'll show how you can get the most out of your rendezvous at Singapore's major shopping malls. Don't just buy, be a collector.

1 PERSONAL SHOPPING SERVICE AT THE SHOPPES

A special, by-appointment only experience, the Personal Shopping Experience lets you shop like a VIP. Update your wardrobe, shop for special gifts, get your hair and makeup done – all these can be arranged for just SGD250 per session (maximum of 3 hours).

Other privileges:

- Complimentary Fragrance Profiling Service by Penhaligon's (upon request).
- TWG Tea Selection Experience (with a complimentary gift) at TWG Tea Salon & Boutique after the session.
- A SGD250 Shopping Voucher, redeemable upon minimum spend of SGD1,000.

Terms and conditions apply.



Marina Bay Sands,
10 Bayfront Avenue
www.marinabaysands.com/shopping
+65 6688 8868





2 FREE LIMOUSINE AIRPORT TRANSFER AT ION ORCHARD

Travel to the airport in style, with this free service. Just spend a minimum of SGD5,000 (from maximum of 4 same-day receipts) and redeem the ride at Singapore Visitors Centre @ ION Orchard on level 1, Concierge Counter. While there, you can also enjoy complimentary wifi and mobile phone charging.

Terms and conditions apply. Free limousine airport transfer available till 31 December 2017. Please check with ION Orchard for updates.

2 Orchard Turn
www.ionorchard.com
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3 FREE LIMOUSINE RIDE TO ANY DESTINATION AT PARAGON

It may get tiring after a whole day of shopping to your heart's content, so rest up and enjoy a ride to anywhere in Singapore, whether it's to your hotel or the airport. All you have to do is spend a minimum of SGD2,000 (from maximum of 3 same-day receipts).

While waiting for your ride, sip on your free drink (available with minimum spend of SGD500).

Terms and conditions apply. Free limousine ride available till 31 December 2017. Please check with Paragon for updates.

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TOURIST REFUND SCHEME

How to get a refund for Goods and Services Tax (GST)

- Purchase more than SGD100 (including GST) at participating stores (look out stores with "Tax Free" shopping sign).
- Share receipts (up to 3 same-day receipts/invoices from shops bearing the same GST registration number to meet this minimum purchase amount of SGD100).
- Claim a refund on the 7% Goods and Services Tax (GST) paid on your purchases from Electronic Tourist Refund self-help kiosks (eTRS kiosks) found at:
  - Changi Airport Departure Check-in Hall (before departure immigration)
  - Changi Airport Departure Transit Lounge (after departure immigration
  - Seletar Airport Immigration & Checkpoints Authority (ICA) duty office

Details at www.visitsingapore.com/travel-guide-tips

BEST KEPT SHOPPING SECRETS BY PRECINCT

You will often hear that Singapore is a shopper's paradise—and that's because retail therapy in the city goes far beyond big brands and flagship stores. Take the time in the various enclaves to scratch beneath the surface and you'll be rewarded with exciting shops and boutiques, from the cutting-edge to the traditional, where you can score many surprising finds.

1 KAMPONG GLAM / HAJI LANE



MUJOSH
53 Haji Lane
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DULCETFIG
41 Haji Lane
www.dulcetfig.com
+65 6396 5648

SIFR AROMATICS
42 Arab Street
www.sifr.sg
+65 6392 1966

MONDAYS OFF
76 Haji Lane
fb.com/mondaysoff



This Malay heritage area dazzles with trendy modern boutiques amid a rich backdrop of cultural landmarks, such as the Sultan Mosque and the Malay Heritage Centre. Be lured by the charms of hipster haven Haji Lane, where beautifully curated boutiques and an eclectic mix of bars and cafés await. Duck into **Mujosh** for chic sunnies, or **Dulcetfig** for an eclectic selection of bags and purses.







But if you want a whiff of the area's rich heritage, pop by **Sifr Aromatics**, which deals in handmade scents, candles and balms that combine modern techniques and old-world ingredients. For a truly special keepsake, customise your own bespoke scent after consulting with the store's professionals.

Other gems? Adding a quirky and laidback vibe to the Haji Lane stretch is this beautifully appointed shop space, **Mondays Off**, which offers an eclectic mix of homewares, accessories, and trinkets sourced from all over the globe.

2 BRAS BASAH BUGIS



BUGIS JUNCTION
200 Victoria Street
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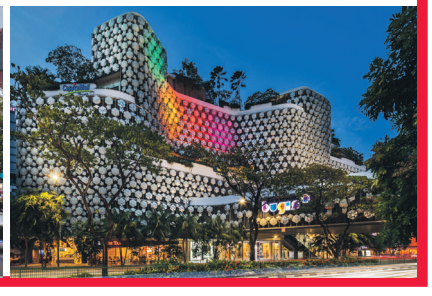
BUGIS+
201 Victoria Street
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+65 6634 6810

BUGIS STREET MARKET
4 Bugis Street

SUPERMAMA
265 Beach Road
supermama.sg
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Shop for high street brands at **Bugis Junction** then cross the connecting bridge to **Bugis+**, with its massive, crystal-like facade. Then, pick up bargains from over 600 shops at the revamped **Bugis Street market**. Walk over to **Supermama** by Edwin and Meiling Low. Its flagship on Beach Road is home to giftware that represents the contemporary Singapore culture.







3 CHINATOWN

GOLDEN SCISSOR CHEONGSAM

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People's Park
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Take time to wander around the touristy bits of Chinatown's bustling markets, and you'll be duly rewarded with unexpected finds. For every Merlion keychain, there is an exquisite calligraphy painting; for every fridge magnet of the city skyline, you'll find perfume and make-up at jaw-droppingly low prices. But if it is quality traditional garb you are after, look out for this name: **Golden Scissor Cheongsam**. There are no ill-fitting off-the-rack finds here. The shop offers custom-made cheongsam (traditional Chinese dress), tailored to every curve of your silhouette and designed in your choice of modern or traditional fabrics, patterns and trims.

4 LITTLE INDIA



The vibrant sights and sounds of Little India are gifts in themselves: the rich fragrance of curries, the colours of hanging garlands, the sounds of prayer chants filling the air. But what if you want to bring home a memento that's more tangible? Other than the gorgeous textiles and addictive snacks—murukku (savoury crackers) comes to mind—make a stop at **Mustafa Centre**, a secret among local night owls and bargain hunters. This mega-mall is open round-the-clock, and sells over 300,000 items that include beauty products, jewellery, groceries and electronics.

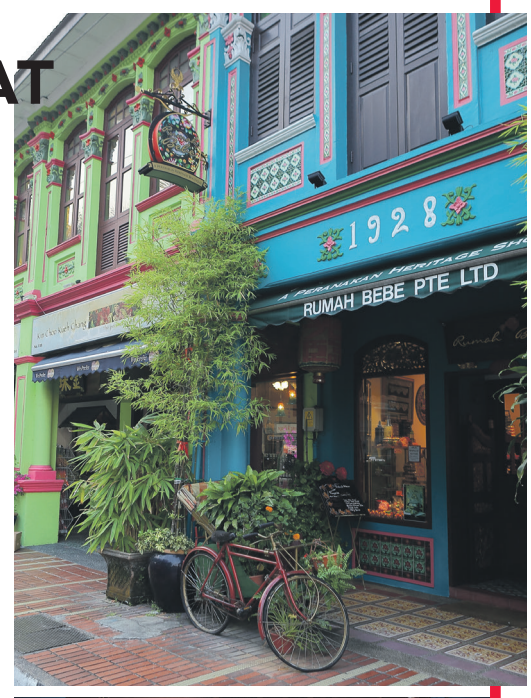


MUSTAFA CENTRE

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5 KATONG /JOO CHIAT



The Joo Chiat/Katong neighbourhood is a beloved gem in the East, and it's easy to see why. The heady mix of old and new draws you in as you spot traditional shophouses alongside chic yoga studios and traditional coffee shops beside hip cafés that crank out cold-brewed coffees. At every turn, you'll be met with a unique take on local heritage.

Visit Peranakan (Straits-born people of Chinese and Malay/Indonesian heritage) shop **Rumah Bebe** to pick up rich fabrics and embroidered pouches, and then head over to **Cat Socrates**. This charming shop, founded by Hellen Jiang, specialises in Singaporean literature and quirky local-inspired bric-a-brac—think cushions that resemble kueh tutu (steamed cakes with crushed peanut or grated coconut filling), terrariums, feline-related merchandise and Singlish (a colloquial form of English) postcards.





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6 ORCHARD

On this iconic street of international designer labels and high-street brands such as Chanel, Abercrombie & Fitch and Zara, there are also many local brands that call this premier shopping belt home. For instance, local design retailer **Naiise** - that sells everything from homeware, stationery, clothing and conserves.

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There is also **Rockstar** at Cineleisure that stocks breezy local and international apparel for you to nail that casually put-together style. But if you want something one-of-a-kind, get yourself a custom notebook or leather pouch handmade by craftsmen at **Bynd Artisan**. You can even attend a craft workshop to make one yourself, if you like.

NAIISE
277 Orchard Road,
or chardgateway
1 Scotts Road,
Shaw Centre, #03-02
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ROCKSTAR
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#03-08 Orchard Cineleisure
fb.com/rockstarsingapore
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BYND ARTISAN
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byndartisan.com



7 TIONG BAHRU

BooksActually stocks plenty of local titles and retro knick-knacks – you may spend hours at the store just browsing through everything.

Tiong Bahru is the oldest housing estate in Singapore, and when you visit this quaint community, you'll immediately notice an intriguing mix of old and new.

Besides the many hip cafes to get coffee and take Instagrammable shots, it's also a great place to go for a spot of retail therapy. Independent bookstore **BooksActually** stocks plenty of local titles and retro knick-knacks – you may spend hours at the store just browsing through everything. For all the music lovers out there, **Curated Records** offers a selection of vinyl, from rare vintage LPs to mainstream hits.



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