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To-Do List: Places to Visit in Lisbon and Surroundings



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Historic center of Lisbon:

Visit the Baixa Pombalina, admire the Praça do Comércio/Terreiro do Paço and take the Elevador de Santa Justa for a panoramic view of the city.



Visit the Pena National Palace in Sintra, a romantic palace located in the hills above the city.



Explore the Quinta da Regaleira, a mysterious garden with grottoes, tunnels and esoteric symbols.



Visit the National Tile Museum, dedicated to the history and production of Portuguese tiles.



São Jorge Castle: A historic fortress with stunning views of the city.



Belém Tower: An iconic tower located by the river.



Jerónimos Monastery: A beautiful 16th-century monastery, a UNESCO World Heritage Site.



National Coach Museum, which houses a collection of carriages and coaches that belonged to the Portuguese Royal Family from the 16th to the 19th centuries.



Lisbon Oceanarium: One of the largest aquariums in Europe, with a great variety of marine life.



Night:

Enjoy a typical Portuguese dinner in one of the restaurants in the Bairro Alto, the lively nightlife center of Lisbon.



Watch a fado show, the traditional Portuguese music, in one of the many casas de fado in Lisbon.



Enjoy a dinner with river views at the Cais das Colunas- Terreiro do Paço.



Beaches:

Lisbon has several beaches accessible by public transport, such as Carcavelos Beach and Costa da Caparica Beach.



Markets:

Mercado da Ribeira: A traditional market with stalls selling fresh produce, fish, meat, cheese, and flowers.



Feira da Ladra: An open-air flea market held every Saturday morning, where you can find everything from antiques to vintage clothing.



LX Factory: A former industrial space transformed into a creative hub with shops, restaurants, bars, and art galleries.



Restaurants Portuguese Cuisine:

Taberna da Rua das Flores: This cozy restaurant in Baixa serves authentic Portuguese dishes at friendly prices. Try the bacalhau à brás (shredded codfish - €16) or cozido à portuguesa (stew - €18).



Cervejaria Ramiro: Renowned for its fresh seafood, this lively brewery in Bairro Alto offers flavorful dishes without breaking the bank. Try the duck rice (arroz de pato - €18) or clams à Bulhão Pato (garlic and white wine sauce - €15).



Tasca da Esquina: This traditional restaurant in Alfama boasts a warm atmosphere and classic Portuguese dishes at reasonable prices. Sample the codfish à lagareiro (roasted with olive oil and garlic - €17) or grilled octopus (polvo à lagareiro - €19).



O Tasco: Located in Chiado, this family-run restaurant serves comforting Portuguese home-style dishes in a casual setting. Try the frango à portuguesa (chicken - €14) or cozido à portuguesa (stew - €16).



Cantinho do Avillez: This restaurant by Chef José Avillez in Chiado offers reinvented Portuguese dishes with a modern twist. Sample the duck rice with clams (arroz de pato com amêijoas - €22) or cod confit with broccoli (bacalhau confitado com brócolos - €20).



Pharmacia: This bar and restaurant in Chiado offers creative cocktails and delicious dishes in a unique setting. Try the ginjinha (cherry liqueur - €4) or cheeseburger (€15).



Shopping Districts:

CHIADO

The biggest shopping district in town used to be home to the most exclusive local stores, but they're now mostly international names like Zara and H&M. The main streets are Rua do Carmo and Rua Garrett, where you'll also find the world's oldest bookstore (Bertrand) and the city's most beautiful jewelry shop (Tous - Ourivesaria Aliança).

PRINCIPE REAL

This has become the most interesting shopping district, down one long street (Rua Dom Pedro V, which eventually becomes Rua da Escola Politécnica). There are galleries, independent boutiques and design shops for the city's hippest crowds, as well as the most beautiful and appealing shopping gallery in a palace from the 1800s called Embaixada.

AVENIDA DA LIBERDADE

Think of this as the local Champs-Élysées, a long tree-filled boulevard that's home to the major luxury brands. There's Louis Vuitton, Prada and Gucci, but also some of the best local jewelry and shoe stores.

BAIXA

This is a mix of tourist kitsch "Made in China" and more genuine local souvenir shops, international chains, and archaic-but-charming shops like haberdashers surviving on low rents. The main pedestrian shopping street in town, Rua Augusta, offers both local and international brands.

BAIRRO ALTO

Bairro Alto is no longer the alternative shopping district but a few interesting shops do survive, especially on Rua do Norte, Rua das Salgadeiras, Rua da Atalaia, and Rua da Rosa.

Lisbon Cultural Agenda:

<https://www.agendax.pt/?lang=en>

Relax and enjoy your visit to Lisbon!