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EASTERN & ORIENTAL EXPRESS: FESTIVE MALAYSIA (TOUR CODE: 13980)

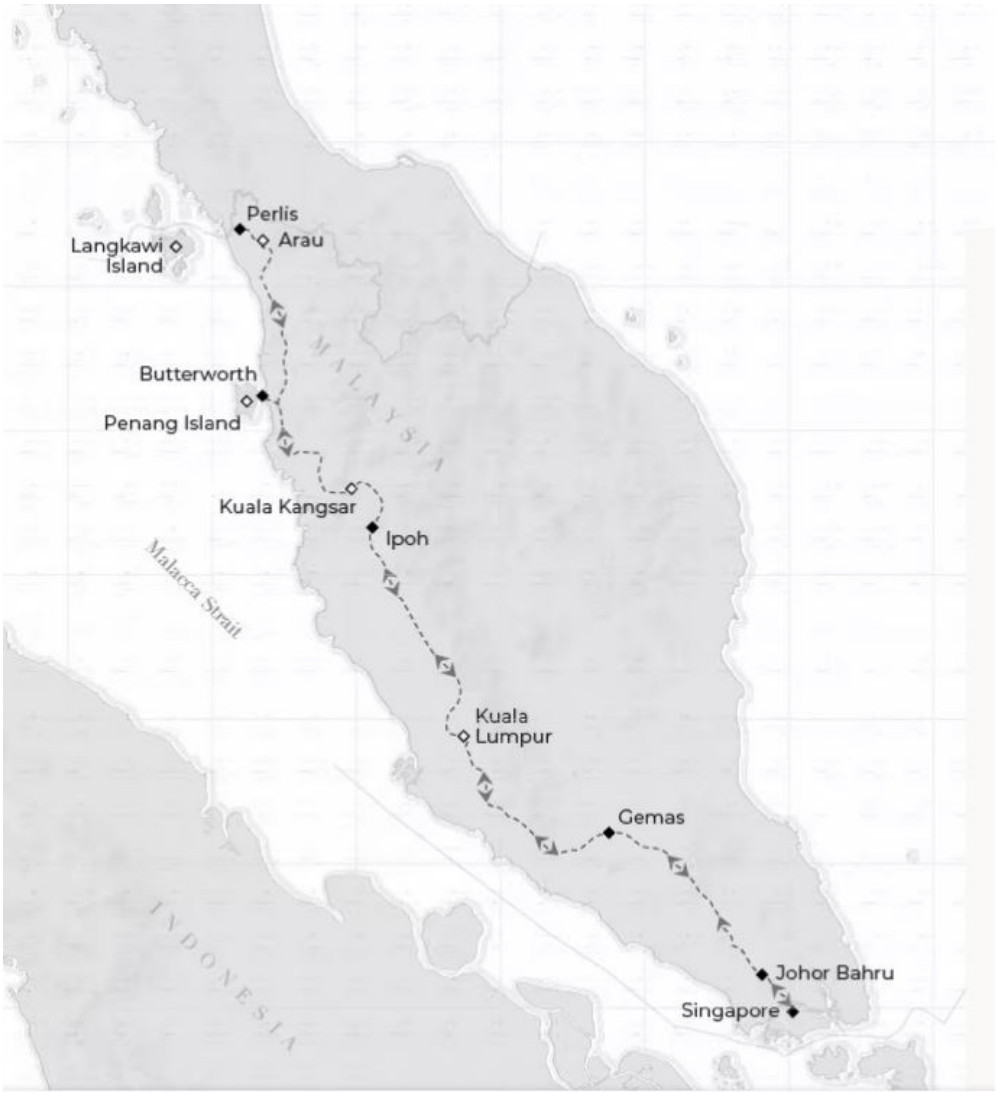
STARTS AND ENDS	TRAVEL PERIODS	EXPERIENCE	TRAVEL STYLE
in Singapore	23 Dec 26 & 23 Dec 27	Luxury Rail	Rail Holiday Packages

In December, Join the Eastern & Oriental Express in Singapore for the festive voyage of a lifetime. Travelling through Kuala Lumpur, Langkawi and Penang, you'll enjoy the perfect blend of relaxation on board and inspiring exploration off the train, always with an atmosphere of celebration.

Highlights

- Excursion to Langkawi Island with a luxury picnic set and wellness activities
- Christmas celebration in Penang Island with a choice of cultural tours or independent exploration
- Final celebratory evening with champagne, exquisite cuisine and fabulous entertainment

Celebrate the festive season in unforgettable style aboard the Eastern & Oriental Express. This 3-night journey begins in vibrant Singapore, gliding north to Malaysia's dynamic capital, Kuala Lumpur. Continue to the tranquil shores of Langkawi for a day of relaxation or adventure, then uncover Penang's rich cultural heritage with curated experiences on the island. As the train returns via Butterworth to Singapore, savour gourmet dining, elegant celebrations and the glamour of luxury rail travel. A magical seasonal escape combining heritage, indulgence and the joyful spirit of the holidays.



INCLUSIONS

- 3 nights aboard the Eastern & Oriental Express luxury train with a festive makeover and dedicated 24-hour steward service
- Daily continental breakfast served in your cabin and daily three-course lunch and afternoon tea
- Daily four-course dinner (seasonal table d'hôte menu, including coffee, tea and petits fours)
- All house wine, house spirits and local beer. Premium drinks and drinks ordered to your cabin will be an additional charge
- Excursion to Langkawi Island with a luxury picnic set and wellness activities
- Christmas celebration in Penang Island with a choice of cultural tours or independent exploration
- Transfers to/from Woodlands train station in Singapore at the start and end of tour

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Day 1 Singapore Kuala Lumpur

Board the exquisite green and cream carriages of the Eastern & Oriental Express at Woodlands Station, Singapore. For this very special journey, the train has been given a festive makeover. Settle into your air-conditioned cabin, a sanctuary of cherrywood panelling, Malaysian embroidery and Thai silks.

Admire the lush passing landscapes as your steward serves an exquisite afternoon tea in your cabin. As evening slowly falls, it's time to dress for dinner. Savour the flavours of locally inspired specialities in the Dining Car, followed by engaging entertainment on board.

Overnight onboard ***The Eastern & Oriental Express.***

Dinner



VIEWS FROM THE TRAIN

Day **2** Kuala Lumpur Langkawi

After breakfast in your cabin, soak up the vistas as the train courses past the rice paddies and timeless rural villages of western Malaysia. Following lunch, there is a choice of enticing excursions. Alight at Arau Station for a car transfer to the jetty followed by a speed boat cruise to one of Langkawi's most beautiful beaches. Enjoy easy relaxation in idyllic seclusion, reconnecting with nature and sampling wellness activities. Unwind with yoga, a sound bath and a massage, take a dip in the ocean or the nearby swimming pool, and enjoy tropical fruit, skewered delicacies and healthy drinks. Your glimpse of paradise continues with a boat ride through the narrow channels of Kilim Geoforest Park, where mangrove forests meet coastal karst in an otherworldly natural landscape.

Alternatively, opt for an adventurous discovery of Perlis Geopark, recently recognised as Malaysia's 10th National Geopark for its remarkable geology and biodiversity. Embark on a cycle ride through breathtaking landscapes teeming with primates and birds, before entering an atmospheric former tin mine and unearthing its fascinating history. Or choose the final option for an immersion in the rich art and culture of Perlis. Learn to make your own batik, visit the personal collection of an antique enthusiast and prepare your own afternoon tea in a traditional Malaysian coffee shop. Returning to the train, an evening of lively celebrations with local entertainers awaits in the Piano Bar Car, accompanied by a delicious dinner.

Overnight onboard ***The Eastern & Oriental Express.***

Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner



DINING CAR

Day 3 West-Coast Line Butterworth

Today, a merry Christmas is promised as you arrive in Penang Island, Malaysia's cultural melting pot. Islanders of all religion love a celebration – you're sure to spot glittering trees and decorations, and even hear a carol or two. Choose from three excursions to make the most of your time in Georgetown.

- The first is a discovery of the culinary art of Peranakan cooking, where you will visit a spice shop and traditional grocery stores to purchase herbs and vegetables, before trying your hand at making some enticing local dishes.
- The second suits those with a passion for culture and art, taking you to Georgetown Old Quarter to see stunning temples, a contemporary studio and an opera and puppet house.
- Lastly, you can choose to explore the city independently: with a map, a tri-shaw and a driver, navigate Georgetown's picturesque streets at your own pace. Your driver will take you anywhere you want to go, from grand attractions to hidden corners. Rejoin the train at Butterworth for lunch and a leisurely afternoon on board.

A final celebratory evening beckons. Pop the champagne, indulge in irresistible cuisine and enjoy fabulous festive entertainment. If you're still up shortly after midnight, glance at the views of Kuala Lumpur as the train passes through.

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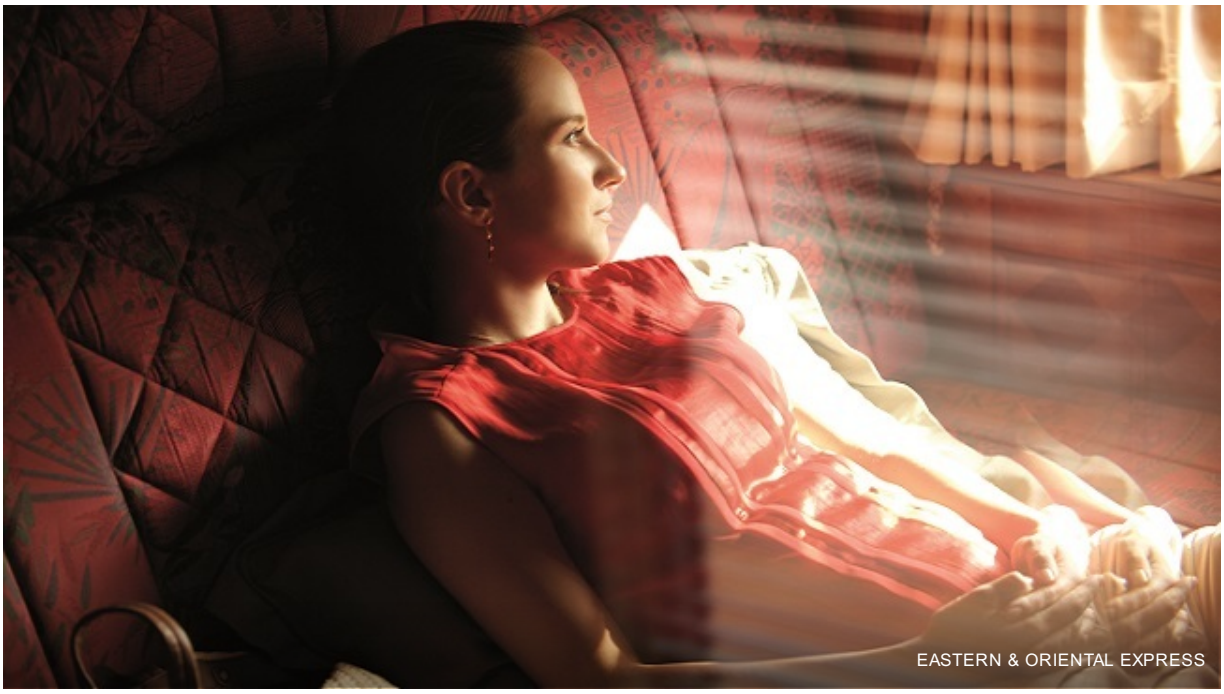
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Day 4

Johor Singapore

Enjoy your first breakfast of the New Year in your cabin or the Dining Car as you travel through the southernmost state of Johor, known for its beaches and rainforest. Soon, the Eastern & Oriental Express train crosses the strait to Singapore, where you Festive Malaysia journey comes to an end. Disembark the train with magical memories that you will cherish for a lifetime.

Breakfast



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ACCOMMODATION

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UPGRADE AVAILABLE

A paradise of vintage charm, the twin bed setting of the Pullman cabins dazzles and delights. Relax onto plush seating by day as your cabin is flooded with light, courtesy of the two large windows. After the stars emerge, enjoy upper and lower berths cosy with crisp linens. Pullman cabins are fully air-conditioned and fitted with ensuite shower and WC.



Room Upgrades

State Cabin

The light, airy State Cabins of the Eastern & Oriental Express connect you to the passing landscapes outside. Recline in spacious elegance by day; toast the day's adventures with a nightcap before settling into two single lower-level beds at night. Marvel at the unique designs of the State Cabins, as Malaysia rushes by. State cabins are fully air-conditioned and fitted with ensuite shower and WC.



Prices are dynamic based on travel dates. Please proceed to Book Now or Contact Us for details.

Presidental Suites

The Presidential Suite offers supreme space with extra luxury touches and a large bathroom with enhanced amenities. Use the Wi-Fi onboard and set the ambience with your own music as you recline in the plush seating area. Presidential Suites are fully air-conditioned and fitted with ensuite shower and WC.



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ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Excluded

- International airfares and taxes
- Domestic airfares and taxes, unless otherwise specified in our holiday package
- Visa expenses, processing and issuance fees
- Meals other than as specified in our holiday package
- Travel Insurance or expenses of a personal nature (mini-bar, phone call, laundry, etc.)
- Tips or gratuities to guides, drivers, porters, hotel, restaurant or boat staff, etc.
- Or any other travel expense that has not been included in our holiday package