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Kuala Lumpur (or "KL," as the locals say) is the capital of Malaysia. The days when it all began as mud flats and tin deposits (in the 1850's) seem unimaginable compared to it's current state. You will find many traces of history in the beautifully preserved architecture. Today, Kuala Lumpur is the International Garden City of Lights where shoppers are spoiled for choices. From street vendors to luxurious boutiques, connoisseurs broaden their palates, party animals find sanctuaries, and naturists are wowed. Whoever you are, this vibrant, multicultural city awaits with endless offers.



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# THE CITY



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Kuala Lumpur is a melting pot of cross-cultural influences and the result is an exciting mixture of cultures, costumes and cuisines. Kuala Lumpur is the capital and largest city of Malaysia. It is also one of the three Malaysian Federal Territories, together with Putrajaya and Labuan. The city is surrounded by satellite cities like the administrative capital Putrajaya, Cyberjaya, Sunway (great amusement park), Cheras, Shah Alam, Subang and Petaling Jaya. KL consists of various districts with their own identities.

The Classic Centre is where KL was born, at the meeting of Klang and Gombak Rivers. You will find historical sites like the first large mosque Masjid Jamek, Central Market, Little India, Dataran Merdeka, Bangunan Sultan Abdul Samad and the Selangor Club. Lively Chinatown is still authentic and features Petaling Street -Kuala Lumpur's first market and various temples (Buddhist and Hindu). The Petronas Twin Towers and KL Tower in the Grand Jalan Ampang district are hard to miss as they dominate the city's skyline. The nostalgic Lake Gardens boasts the romantic park Taman Tasik Perdana, the Islamic Arts Museum, National Museum and the National Monument is just a stone's throw away. The posh Bangsar is where Kuala Lumpur's rich come out to play. The highlight is Jalan Telawi, packed with nightspots. For shopping, head off into the direction of the hip Bukit Bintang which is dubbed "The Shopper's Paradise." Do the Bintang Walk and find out why! The rest of KL includes sights such as the Batu Caves Hindu Temple, Forest Research Institute of Malaysia (FRIM) Park, Selangor Pewter, and the National Zoo. Or why not take a relaxing day, and just absorb the atmosphere of wandering through such diverse communities as Chinese, Malay, South Indian and East Malaysian and many more. Each community offers its own festivals, food, music, art and fashion, while lending its own unique addition to Malaysian culture.

# DO & SEE



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Kuala Lumpur combines a modern city with an old feeling of the town. Visit for example the Petronas Twin Tower which used to be the highest building in the world or visit the oldest market in town where you can find lovely souvenirs to take home.



### **KL** Tower



From KL Tower you can take in the view from the highest point in Kuala Lumpur. Apart from being a telecommunications

tower, it also houses an observation deck and revolving restaurant.

Photo: leungchopan/Shutterstock.com Address: 2 Jalan Punchak, Kuala Lumpur Public Transport: Bukit Nanas (KL Monorail) Phone: +60 3 20 20 54 44 Internet: www.menarakl.com.my

# Petronas Twin Tower and KLCC



At 452 metres, this used to be the tallest building in the world. Still the tallest twin buildings, it is a true symbol of the new Malaysia. Visitors are

welcome to the skybridge at the 41st floor. Petronas towers are adjacent to one of the busiest shopping malls in Malaysia, Suria KLCC.

Address: Kuala Lumpur City Centre, Kuala Lumpur Phone: +60 3 23 31 80 80 Internet: www.petronastwintowers.com

## Petaling Street (Chinatown)



The oldest market in town is held at Petaling Street in Chinatown. Here you get a chance to buy lovely souvenirs. Haggling is a must and so is tasting the

'cooling' Longan drink at the corner stall.

Photo: Elena Ermakova/Shutterstock.com Address: Jalan Petaling, Kuala Lumpur Public Transport: Pasar Seni (Putra LRT)

### **Batu Caves**



At Batu Caves you can climb up 272 steps (61 metres) and be amazed by the Hindu's Lord Murugan shrines built in natural limestone. Watch

out for the monkeys who unscrupulously steal any loose items or visible food.

Photo: Migel/Shutterstock.com Address: Batu Caves Sri Subramaniam Temple, Kuala Lumpur More Info: Off Jalan Ipoh, 13 km north of KL

## Lake Gardens (taman Tasik Perdana)



Escape from the bustling city and take a boat cruise or visit the Bird Park, Butterfly Farm, Deer Park, Orchid Park and Hibiscus Park. Here

you can find a playground for children, running tracks and exercise stations.

Photo: Zhukova Valentyna/Shutterstock.com Address: Jalan Perdana, Kuala Lumpur Public Transport: Stop: Old Railway Station (KTM Commuter Train)

#### Masjid Jamek Mosque



Located at the convergence of the Klang and Gombak rivers you'll find Masjid Jamek, one of the oldest mosques in the city. Its three elegant

domes dominated the KL skyline long before skyscrapers came into the picture.

Photo: mrfiza/Shutterstock.com Address: Jalan Tun Perak, Kuala Lumpur



# **Old Railway Station**



This beautiful Moorish inspired architecture was built in 1910. The minarets, arches and spirals make it one of the most attractive buildings.

It still works as one of the city's railway stations.

Photo: Leonid Andronov/Shutterstock.com Address: Jalan Hishamuddin, Kuala Lumpur Phone: +603 2267 1200

#### **National Museum**



The museum is a recap on Malaysia's cultural, human, and natural history. The collection starts on the first floor and goes on for two

floors. This is well worth a visit!

Photo: Monkey Business Images/Shutterstock.com Address: Jalan Damansara, Kuala Lumpur Public Transport: KL Sentral Phone: +60 3 2267 1111 Internet: www.muziumnegara.gov.my

## Malaysia Heritage Walks



The perfect introduction to Malaysian culture and history, the Malaysia Heritage Walk, offers seven different paths throughout the Kuala

Lumpur region. From single day trips to four day adventures, the many options offer something for everyone. While discovering the amazing Malaysian nature, the participant will also experience the richness of the cultural heritage.

Photo: R.M. Nunes/Shutterstock.com Address: 02-03 Mezzanine Floor, Central Market Annex, Jalan Hang Kasturi, Kuala Lumpur Phone: +60 3 2032 1031 Internet: www.malaysiaheritage.net Email: Info@malaysiaheritage.net More Info: Most of the tours starts at Be Tourist Information & Service Center, Central Market Annexe

# Berjaya Times Square Theme Park



Berjaya Times Square Theme Park offers exciting rides for thrill-seekers and fun activities for families. The two levels are "Galaxy

Station" (for thrill-seekers) and "Fantasy Garden" (for families). Measuring 133,000 square feet, the theme park has a space/futuristic theme, with fictitious mad scientist Professor Cosmo being the official mascot.

Photo: Marcel Jancovic/Shutterstock.com Address: 1 Jalan Imbi, Kuala Lumpur Public Transport: Imbi Station (via KL Monorail) Phone: +603 2117 3118 Internet: www.berjayatimessquarethemeparkkl.com Email: tpcoordinator@timessquarekl.com

# **Islamic Arts Museum**



In a lush area of central Kuala Lumpur's Lake Gardens, the Islamic Arts Museum is located. This is the largest museum of Islamic art in Southeast

Asia and exhibits more than 7,000 objects.

Photo: ppart/Shutterstock.com Address: Jalan Lembah Perdana, Kuala Lumpur Phone: +60 3 2274 2020 Internet: www.iamm.org.my



# Aquaria KLCC



Give yourself an adventure among the marine wonders at Aquaria KLCC. This attraction is located in KLCC just next to

Petronas Twin Towers. Over 5,000 different animals are shown here and if you want to get really close to them book one of their packages including diving with sharks or Cage Ride.

Photo: umarazak/Shutterstock.com Address: Kuala Lumpur Convention Centre Complex, Kuala Lumpur Phone: +603 2333 1888 Internet: www.aquariaklcc.com

## Sri Mahamariamma



This Indian temple, founded in 1873, is the oldest and richest Hindu temple in Kuala Lumpur. Its decoration with beautiful colours and

statues of different Hindu gods is breathtaking. The temple is located just 5 minutes walk from Chinatown.

Photo: ZM\_Photo/Shutterstock.com Address: Jalan Bandar, Kuala Lumpur

# **Petrosains Science Discovery Centre**



This science centre is fun for the whole family but focus mainly on the children. There are several different interactive stations and

funny objects to watch. The professional and friendly staff is there to answer all questions popping up. Photo: Chubykin Arkady/Shutterstock.com Address: Suria Klcc, Jalan Ampang, Kuala Lumpur Phone: +603 2331 8181 Internet: www.petrosains.com.my More Info: Located on level 4, Suria KLCC, Petronas Towers.

# DINING



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The Malaysian kitchen is a fusion of cultural diversity. For instance, Nasi Lemak is Malay food, Rojak is Indian Muslim, Char Kuay Teow is Chinese and Laksa is Nyonya (a mix of Malay and Chinese). Each culture emphasises different ingredients, exploiting different flavours, for example the Malay curry tastes tangier compared to the Indian's.

## Chynna



Chynna is funky Shanghai-themed, serving Cantonese dim sum and traditional herbal cooking. This restaurant is authentic yet

innovative with focus on healthy eating.

Photo: bebarley/Shutterstock.com Address: 3 Jalan Stesen Sentral, Kuala Lumpur Public Transport: Stop: KL Sentral Phone: +60 3 22 64 22 64 Internet: life.hiltonkl.com/Restaurants/Chynna/ More Info: Hilton Kuala Lumpur



## Bijan



Bijan is a chic restaurant and bar, serving the upmarket version of traditional regional Malay fare. The recipes are a mix of old generations

combined with new influences.

Photo: ThamKC/Shutterstock.com Address: 3 Jalan Ceylon, Kuala Lumpur Public Transport: Raja Chulan (KL Monorail) Phone: +60 3 20 31 35 75 Internet: www.bijanrestaurant.com Email: admin@bijanrestaurant.com

# Jalan Alor



This is the street parallel to Jalan Bukit Bintang, jam packed with Chinese restaurants and hawkers, street stalls serving everything from

barbecued seafood to local desserts. Good food at a good value.

Photo: Baiterek Media/Shutterstock.com Address: Jalan Alor, Kuala Lumpur

# Dining in the Dark KL



The first restaurant in total darkness in Malaysia, Dining in the Dark, offers a completely new experience. A specifically designed

three-course menu gives your taste palate an adventure, through the varying flavours offered. This unique experience presents the ultimate taste test, as it forces you to really taste. Dining in the Dark is something that the curious-minded and adventurous should try while in Kuala Lumpur. Photo: Africa Studio/Shutterstock.com Address: 50A Changkat Bukit Bintang, Kuala Lumpur Phone: +60 3 2110 0431 Internet: www.dininginthedarkkl.com Email: customerservice@dininginthedarkkl.com

## **Pinchos Tapas Bar**



Enjoy delicious tapas in a lively and friendly atmosphere at this authentic Spanish restaurant right in the city centre. Pinchos

Tapas Bar is a must-visit when you long for some Spanish tidbits and cooling Sangria.

Photo: Lucky\_elephant/Shutterstock.com Address: 18 Changkat Bukit Bintang, Kuala Lumpur Phone: +603 2145 8482 Internet: www.pinchoskl.com Email: pinchostapas@gmail.com

# **Din Tai Fung Pavilion KL**



This is one of four Din Tai Fung outlets in Kuala Lumpur. Whether you choose to visit this one or another one you are able to order carefully and

freshly made Xiao Long Bao, a kind of more delicate dumplings. This chain is awarded with one Michelin Star and has been voted Top 10 Restaurants in the World by The New York Times.

Photo: abhimages/Shutterstock.com Address: 168 Jalan Bukit Bintang, Kuala Lumpur Phone: +603 2148 8292 Internet: www.dintaifung.com.my More Info: Lot 6.01.05, Level 6, Pavilion



## **Betel Leaf**



For a spicy Indian culinary experience you should head to Betel Leaf. They started their business in 2009, and their focus lies in cooking

flavourful food made from fresh ingredients. To ensure the quality of products, they use vegetables and meat from their own farm in Mantin, Negeri Sembila.

Photo: Sumit.Kumar.99/Shutterstock.com Address: 77A Leboh Ampang, Kuala Lumpur Phone: +603 203 25932 Internet: www.betel-leaf.com Email: info@betel-leaf.com

# Gobo Upstairs Lounge & Grill



As the name reveals, this restaurant has its focus on grilled dishes. Steaks and seafood are cooked to perfection and efficient and professional waiters

are there to serve the guests. This is a good place to go when you long for typical Western cuisine.

Photo: MaraZe/Shutterstock.com Address: Kuala Lumpur City Centre, Kuala Lumpur Phone: +60 3 2332 9910 Internet: www.shangri-la.com Email: goboupstairs.thkl@tradershotels.com More Info: Located at level 6 in Traders Hotel

# Loco Bar and Restaurant



Tacos, Tortillas, Burritos and Margaritas, all of these Texmex-delicacies are found on the menu of Loco Bar and Restaurant. The fish tacos are said to be one of the specialties and the Margaritas comes in 25 different flavours.

Photo: George Dolgikh/Shutterstock.com Address: 22 Changkat Bukit Bintang, Kuala Lumpur Phone: +603 2142 8260 Internet: www.locokl.com Email: manager@locokl.com

# CAFÉS



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Kuala Lumpur offers many café options, for the regular coffee drinker to the casual one. There is also a mixture of the types of cafés offered, from the outdoor locations where the locals hang out, to the indoor cafés for a convenient shopping break. The numerous options of popular franchise chains and local cafés offer great choices for all coffee experiences.

## The Coffee Bean & Tea Leaf



This café chain is kept close to the heart of coffee-drinkers in Kuala Lumpur. You find it at locations all over the city and it is easy to find for a

good cup of coffee.

Photo: suwijaknook6644689/Shutterstock.com Address: Bukit Bintang, Kuala Lumpur Opening hours: Daily: 9am - 11pm Phone: +60 3 2110 1732 Internet: www.coffeebean.com.my



More Info: Located at Lot G-3A & G-3B, Low Yat Plaza

# Coliseum Café



This café from 1921 will transport you back to the 30's and 40's colonial era. The sizzling steak is scrumptious and well worth the price!

Photo: Y Photo Studio/Shutterstock.com Address: 98-100 Jln Tunku Abdul Rahman, Kuala Lumpur Phone: +60 3 26 92 62 70 More Info: Little India

# LOKL Coffee Co.



Housed in a bright and airy space with a courtyard, LOKL Coffee Co. serves comfort food with an Asian twist and some of the specialties

includes buttermilk fried chicken, pulled beef burger and Hainanese meatloaf. Pop in for breakfast, lunch, dinner or just for a coffee. When here, try coffee done in the local way buttery local blends, hand-filtered and served with sticky sweet condensed milk?

Photo: Yulia Grigoryeva/Shutterstock.com Address: 30 Jalan Tun H.S. Lee, Kuala Lumpur Opening hours: Daily: 8am - 6pm Phone: +603 2072 1188 Internet: loklcoffee.com Email: eat@loklcoffee.com

## Antipodean Cafe - Tan & Tan



Only using quality coffee beans, Antipodean Cafe serves a good variety of coffees including Vietnamese ice coffee. Besides serving coffee, they also have a café food menu that includes BLT on sour dough bread, salmon fish cakes, shredded chicken salad and a good variety of healthy breakfast choices. If you are craving for something sweet, do not worry, they also have cakes and biscuits like carrot cake, cashew cakes, raisin loaf and much more.

Photo: Shebeko/Shutterstock.com Address: 207 Jalan Tun Razak, Kuala Lumpur Opening hours: Sunday - Wednesday: 7.30 - 17.00, Thursday & Friday: 7.30 - 19.00 Phone: +603 2161 0752 Internet: www.antipodeancoffee.com Email: tantan@antipodeancoffee.com More Info: Located at Menara Tan & Tan

## Coffee Amo



A hidden gem located in Chinatown, Coffee Amo is a popular café where locals and tourist rest their feet after shopping or just enjoying a cup of

warm beverage. What makes this café special, is the 3D coffee art they are making with foam. Drop by and have a look what the fuss is all about, you won't be disappointed.

Photo: Parichat Snguanwongwan/Shutterstock.com Address: 54 Jalan Sultan, Kuala Lumpur Phone: +60 3 2857 2677 Email: management@coffeeamo.com More Info: 1st Floor



# **BARS & NIGHTLIFE**



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Malaysia is a Muslim country, but non-Muslims are free to enjoy alcohol and other aspects of the night-life. If you look close enough, you will notice the assimilation of local culture in the bars. As the dusk falls, Kuala Lumpur transforms into a vibrant city of entertainment and fun, becoming a playground for

party-goers—regardless of nationality. The club culture is concentrated mainly in Jalan Telawi and Jalan P Ramlee.

## Luna Bar



Luna Bar is crowning the rooftop of Kuala Lumpur's glam hotel. This bar offers splendid views so you have to dress up to compete with the city

skyline.

Photo: Sergey Mironov/Shutterstock.com Address: KH Tower, Jalan Punchak, Kuala Lumpur Public Transport: Bukit Nanas (KL Monorail) Phone: +60 3 2332 7777 Internet: www.pacific-regency.com/dining/lunar-bar/ More Info: 34th Floor Pacific Regency Hotel Apartments Menara Pan Global

#### Zeta Bar



This exclusive bar is the hub of Kuala Lumpur late night socialites. It offers sophisticated decor, fashionable crowd and delightful drinks.

Photo: Maxim Blinkov/Shutterstock.com Address: 3 Jalan Stesen Sentral, Kuala Lumpur Public Transport: KL Sentral Station Phone: +603 2264 2264 Internet: life.hiltonkl.com/Bars-Lounges/Zeta-Bar/ More Info: 5th Floor Hilton KL

## Zouk KL



One of the most lavish nightspot in Kuala Lumpur, Zouk Kl is an iconic superclub that attracts a trendy crowd. With several clubs, a VIP

bar lounge, member's lounge, café and rooftop deck, this is truly the place to party the night away. Also hosting themed party nights and international DJ's are playing mixed music to get the crowd moving.

Photo: bbernard/Shutterstock.com Address: 436 Jalan Tun Razak, Kuala Lumpur Public Transport: Dang Wangi (Putra LRT) Phone: +60 3 2110 3888 Internet: www.zoukclub.com.my Email: info@zoukclub.com.my

#### Marini's On 57



Located on the 57th level of the twin towers, Marini's On 57 is an exclusive Italian restaurant, bar and lounge. Enjoy the view

that the floor-to-ceiling windows offer while



# sipping on a glass of champagne.

Photo: Monkey Business Images/Shutterstock.com Address: Persiaran KLCC, Kuala Lumpur Phone: +60 3 2386 6030 Internet: www.marinis57.com Email: reservations@marinisgroup.com More Info: Level 57 at Menara 3 Petronas

## **View Rooftop Bar**



Sexy, sassy and chic are just a few words used to describe View Rooftop Bar. This is a luxury environment with great cocktails and cool music,

but the main reason to why this is one of the most popular places is, of course, the stunning view.

Photo: leungchopan/Shutterstock.com Address: 199 Jalan Tun Razak, Kuala Lumpur Phone: +60 3 2168 1881 Internet: www.view.com.my Email: ask@view.com.my More Info: Located on Level 29 at GTower

## Esperance Nightclub



Esperance Nightclub is one of Kuala Lumpur´s hottest entertainment complexes. They offer their guests a pumping nightclub, cigar lounge,

live music venue and a fine-dining rooftop restaurant.

Photo: Anthony Mooney/Shutterstock.com Address: Jalan Metro Pudu, Kuala Lumpur Phone: +6011 2814 1551 Email: reservations@esperance.my More Info: Fraser Business Park

#### Mojo Restaurant & Bar



Housed in an 80-year-old prewar building, Mojo Restaurant & Bar is located in the Asian Heritage Row. A cosy get-together place with a

chic décor where to enjoy scrumptious food and outstanding drinks. They even have a garden, the perfect place where to chill with friends.

Photo: Africa Studio/Shutterstock.com Address: 42 Jalan Doraisamy, Kuala Lumpur Phone: +60 3 2697 7999 Email: orangemgm@gmail.com More Info: Asian Heritage Row

# SHOPPING



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Shoppers will find their trip to Kuala Lumpur worthwhile to say the least. There are many ways to pursue your shopping needs from a shop house to a street stall, or from a night market ("Pasar Malam") to a shopping mall. You may not always find exactly the same product but you have a lot of choice in price and quality. There are great shopping malls in Kuala Lumpur, namely Suria KLCC (just below the Twin Towers) and Mid Valley Megamall, Bangsar Village. However, the most famous area for shopping is Bukit Bintang, with the highest density of malls and shops in the city. You can find anything from the smartest Japanese hi-tech gadget to the



latest French designer piece. So let yourself loose!

# Star Hill



Starhill gallery is the place to go if you are looking for luxurious products and designer labels. Louis Vuitton, Gucci and Valentino are

some of the top designers you will find here.

Photo: Karramba Production/Shutterstock.com Address: 181 Jalan Bukit Bintang, Kuala Lumpur Phone: +60 3 2782 3800 Internet: www.starhillgallery.com

## Sungei Wang Plaza



If you are looking for trendy accessories, apparels and shoes you should go to Sungei Wang Plaza. Prices are usually negotiable and there are

500 shops in 33 different categories.

Photo: Rawpixel.com/Shutterstock.com Address: Jalan Bukit Bintang, Kuala Lumpur Phone: +60 3 2141 3724 Internet: www.sungeiwang.com

#### **Central Market**



Enjoy a relaxing moment in this neatly preserved building from 1888 while you pick your souvenirs. This was originally a wet market, but it is now

focusing mainly on arts and crafts including fashion and accessories.

Photo: Rashpal21/Shutterstock.com Address: Jalan Hang Kasturi, Kuala Lumpur Public Transport: Pasar Seni (Putra LRT) Phone: +60 3 20 31 03 99 Internet: www.centralmarket.com.my Email: info@centralmarket.com.my

## **Mid Valley Megamall**



Mid Valley Megamall is located about 15 min by car from central Kuala Lumpur. This modern mall has everything and more that you may need,

not only are the shops excellent but so are also the bars and restaurants.

Photo: Blend Images/Shutterstock.com Address: 75 Lingkaran Syed Putra, Mid Valley City, Kuala Lumpur

Internet: www.midvalley.com.my More Info: The Gardens South Tower

### Sephora



Sephora is one of the leading cosmetic brands in the US and in Europe. The brand's six leading words are experience, freedom, information,

choice, service and guarantee. Whatever you are looking for, they have that, and more!

Photo: Africa Studio/Shutterstock.com Address: KLCC, Kuala Lumpur Phone: +60 3 2164 9688 Internet: www.sephora.com.my More Info: C22, Suria KLCC, Concourse Level, Kuala Lumpur City Centre, 50088 Kuala Lumpur, Federal Territory of Kuala

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# **ESSENTIAL INFORMATION**



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## Airports



There are two airports: Kuala Lumpur International Airport (KLIA) at Sepang, 55 km from the city, and Subang Airport is 12 km from the

city—just a quick taxi ride away. Subang Airport caters mostly domestic flights.

From KLIA to the Kuala Lumpur city centre you can take the high speed train KLIA Ekspres & KLIA Transit. Travelling time is 28 minutes for KLIA Ekspres and 35 minutes for KLIA Transit. www.kliaekspres.com

Photo: Juan Garces Phone: +603 8776 2000 (KLIA) Internet: www.klia.com.my More Info: www.malaysiaairports.com.my

## **Public Transport**



Since most people don't live downtown, the most common way of getting around in Kuala Lumpur is driving. There may be light traffic jams during

rush hours, but nothing serious. However, for

the visitor, the public transport system is well-expanded and consists of an underground system, a monorail line, a series of different train lines and several bus operators.

Photo: Pierre-Luc Auclair Internet: www.myrapid.com.my More Info: www.klsentral.com.my

## Taxi



If you are not familiar with the city and only staying for a short period, taxis can be the most convenient way of getting about. Taxis are easily

available and economical. Fares are charged according to the zone and are subject to change. An extra 50 percent is added for services between 24.00 (midnight) and 6.00. All taxis should use meters.

Phone: +60 3 62 59 20 20 Internet: www.publiccab.com.my

## Post



There are several post offices in Kuala Lumpur. Most of them are open Monday to Saturday but each post office has different opening or

## closing hours.

Photo: Andy Fuchs Internet: www.pos.com.my



# Telephone



Country code: +60 Area code: 3

Photo: Jardson Almeida

# Electricity

220-240 volts, 3 pin plugs



Photo: Stirling Tschan

**Population** 1.6 Million

**Currency** Malaysian Ringgit (MYR) RM1 ~ US\$0,25

**Opening hours** Banks: Monday-Friday 10.00 -15.00, Saturday 9.30 -11.30 Shops: Daily 10.00-22.00 Museums, galleries and parks: Daily 9.00-17.00

**Newspapers** New Straits Times Press The Star Papers Faces Magazine

**Emergency numbers** Police and Ambulance: 999 (112 from a mobile telephone) Tourist Police: +60 32149 6590

**Tourist information** Malaysia Tourist Information Counter (MATIC) 109 Jalan Ampang 50450, Kuala Lumpur +60 3 9235 4848 Information Counter: Daily 8.00-22.00

