



Endless Array of Literature & Arts

1. Zhongshan Underground Book Street
 The underground walkway between MRT Zhongshan and Shuanglian Stations is located between MRT Zhongshan and Shuanglian Stations is the underground walkway that houses the longest book street in Taiwan. The cultural and creative shops and markets along the book street offer visitors a blend of music and literature in an artistic atmosphere.

2. Xinzhongshan Linear Park
 A greenway stretching between MRT Zhongshan and Shuanglian Stations, the linear park is home to several art installations, outdoor performance venues, and leisure spaces for visitors and families with young children, becoming a cosmopolitan hot spot.

Hidden Gems

3. Migo's Cakes
 This cozy Japanese-style dessert shop specializes in chiffon cakes with various seasonal fruits. Soft and moist in texture, the shop's cakes are so scrumptious, said to be second to none.

4. Huo Shih Desserts
 The simple white hut serves traditional shaved ice and other desserts, including the fresh peach flavored ice cream and candied tomatoes shaved ice, and the sweet and sour Strawberry Roselle shaved ice. Come and experience the delightful cool taste of summer.

5. Coffee Dumbo
 Antique Taiwanese-style floor-to-ceiling decorative floral window railing and seats coupled with modern American furnishings, Coffee Dumbo attracts customers with its interior design and pastries such as the cinnamon rolls made of crispy brioche topped with caramel sauce and cinnamon powder.

6. Miss V Bakery
 Renovated from an old house, this hipster coffee shop is famous for a wide variety of cinnamon rolls. All kinds of brunch meals, specialty drinks and the pastries are also popular with customers, attracting them to relax at the bakery the whole day.

7. Tella Tella Cafe
 Pushing open the retro glass door of an old apartment, from the sign and cups inside, visitors can immediately notice the distinctive girlish logo of Tella Tella Cafe. In addition to the desserts and drinks, such as their milkshakes and sodas, the curry with rice and burritos are must-have dishes.

8. BOBBY & FRIENDS. Café
 The spacious café is perfect for a break to enjoy coffee, latte, a refreshing Sicilian or smoky sugar cane cocktail. Besides drinks, light meals such as spicy taco rice, sandwiches, and salads are also worth trying.

9. ABCD . A Better Coffee & Doughnut
 Among their signature coffees and doughnuts, the most popular item "Meringue Lemon Filled" is a doughnut with lemon curd filling and decorated with lemon peel and meringue, which offers a delightful hint of tartness.

Reading Between the Lanes

10. Garden City Publishers & Bookstore
 It's not only a lifestyle bookstore but also a publisher specializing in landscaping, architecture, and urban design. It also serves as a gallery for paintings and photography exhibitions.

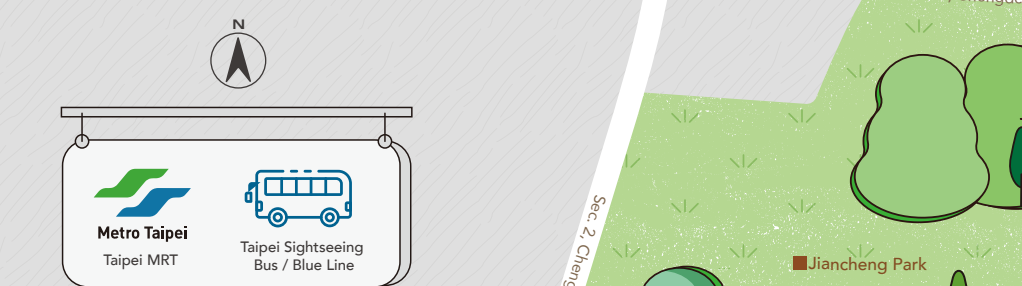
11. Illumination Books
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Festival Highlights

MRT Exit Music Festival
 November-December
 Xinzhongshan Linear Park

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 *For more information, please visit "Taipei Travel Net".



Lifestyle Shops

13. SNAPPP AKA
 Hidden in an alley, this shop sells cameras and other film-related goods. It also provides camera repair and development services. The dazzling array of products along with the retro atmosphere attracts many beginner photography enthusiasts.

14. Banana Cats
 With a curated collection of refurbished second-hand designed clothes and accessories, the well-loved shop features items like retro patterned dresses, embroidered jackets, and vintage bags. Their unique style and affordable prices are reasons why vintage enthusiasts consider this place a paradise.

15. LIGHTWELL
 The avant-garde shop combines high-end fashion with an art gallery. The selected design brands, clothes and accessories, along with the frequent art exhibitions offer a unique shopping experience for all customers.



Landmark Tour

1. Tsai Jui-yueh Dance Research Institute

10, Ln. 48, Sec. 2, Zhongshan N. Rd., Taipei City (02)2523-7547

This Japanese wooden building was once the residence and studio of Tsai Jui-yueh, a Taiwanese pioneer of modern dance. It now serves as an important educational base for nurturing young talent and a venue dedicated to dance performances.



2. Zhongshan 18

18, Ln. 26, Sec. 2, Zhongshan N. Rd., Taipei City (02)2563-5138

Exotic and nostalgic in its own way, this century-old Japanese heritage house was renovated and divided into distinctive boutiques. Visitors are greeted with a chic hair salon, a shop for handmade accessories, a cozy tea house, and so much more.



3. SPOT Taipei Film House

18, Sec. 2, Zhongshan N. Rd., Taipei City (02)2511-7786

Formerly the Embassy of the United States and ambassador's residence, the building now houses a cinema, a café, and several cultural and creative shops. Visitors can watch art-house movies and classic films from around the world, and also enjoy a cup of coffee to round off a relaxing afternoon.



4. Museum of Contemporary Art (MoCA) Taipei

39, Changan W. Rd., Taipei City (02)2552-3721

MoCA Taipei occupies a historical building once used as a primary school during the Japanese era. Dedicated exclusively to contemporary art exhibitions, the museum is a perfect place for families with young children, while promising to bring innovations and art into the city.



5. Zhongshan Employment Agency (Zhongshan 15)

15, Changan W. Rd., Taipei City (02)2522-2486

Originally set up as a public employment agency during the Japanese era, it is now the venue for exhibitions, lectures, and non-profit activities. It also provides social life and job opportunities for mentally and physically challenged people. The Zhongshan Tea Academy next door has an elegant ambience, making it an ideal place to enjoy an afternoon tea.



Fine Dining

6. S.A.S.A. Sushi (Michelin Selected)

6, Ln. 42, Sec. 2, Zhongshan N. Rd., Taipei City (02)2561-1246

From appetizers, sashimi, nigiri to delicatessen and desserts, the chef gives serious thoughts to every detail to give his guests a satisfying dining experience. Seasonal fish is preferred as the food ingredient and aged for different periods of time to enhance the taste and texture.



7. Impromptu by Paul Lee (2019-2022 Michelin 1-Star)

B1, 3, Ln. 39, Sec. 2, Zhongshan N. Rd., Taipei City (Regent Taipei) (02)2521-2518

Four years in a row to be listed as Michelin 1-Star, Impromptu has earned its name from the way Head Chef Paul cooks, just like a fun improvisation inspired by his personal experiences. Renowned for combining local Taiwanese delicacies, guests are allowed to truly bond with the chef team, sitting in the open plan kitchen, surrounded by the ambience of French fine dining.



8. Robin's Teppanyaki (Michelin Selected)

2F, 3, Ln. 39, Sec. 2, Zhongshan N. Rd., Taipei City (Regent Taipei) (02)2521-5000#3930

Featuring perfectly prepared premium steak that melts in your mouth and beautifully presented lobsters in an elegant dining atmosphere, every dish provides an impressive visual for customers. Live music is frequently performed to create a sophisticated dining experience.



9. Silks House (Michelin Selected)

3F, 3, Ln. 39, Sec. 2, Zhongshan N. Rd., Taipei City (Regent Taipei) (02)2567-7898

Chinese calligraphy etched and backlit on glass screens in the corridor creates an elegant dining setting for this authentic Cantonese restaurant. Their signature crispy roast duck, the exquisite har gow (steamed shrimp dumplings) sporting springy prawns that glisten with translucent skin, and many more, are not-to-miss dim sum dishes.



10. Toh-Ka-Lin

3F, 9, Sec. 1, Nanjing E. Rd., Taipei City (The Okura Prestige Taipei) (02)2181-5136

Famed for its neo-Cantonese menu, the elegant and stylish restaurant offers the best Cantonese dim sum, set menu and banquet dishes. Any taste bud would be tickled with their elaborate menu, ranging from luxury seafood, like abalone and sea cucumber, to tantalizing Peking duck.



11. Le Palais (2018-2022 Michelin 3-Star)

17F, 3, Sec. 1, Chengde Rd., Taipei City (Palais de Chine Hotel) (02)2181-9985 / 2181-9986

Listed as a Michelin 3-Star restaurant five years in a row, Le Palais serves famous Chinese cuisine and is renowned for its authentic Cantonese dim sum and Chinese banquet dishes. Tender and juicy meat with delicious chewy soft bones, the Crispy Roast Baby Duck is a signature dish, promising to impress the pickiest gourmand.



Exploring Downtown Flavor

Ningxia Night Market

12. Rong's Pork Liver

(2018-2022 Michelin Bib Gourmand)

Street Vendor No. 010, Ningxia Rd., Taipei City 0932-007-229

13. Yuan Huan Pien Oyster Egg Omelette

(Michelin Selected)

46, Ningxia Rd., Taipei City (02)2558-0198

14. Fang Chia Shredded Chicken on the Rice

(2019-2022 Michelin Bib Gourmand)

Street Vendor No. 060, Ningxia Rd., Taipei City

15. Liu Yu Zi (2018-2022 Michelin Bib Gourmand)

Street Vendor No. 091, Ningxia Rd., Taipei City 0920-091-595

Eateries in Shuanglian

16. Atong Abao Sishen Soup (Four Herbs Soup)

153, Minsheng W. Rd., Taipei City (02)2557-6926

17. Man Ting Xiang Braised Pork Rice

23, Shuanglian St., Taipei City (02)2553-4839

18. Xiang Man Yuan

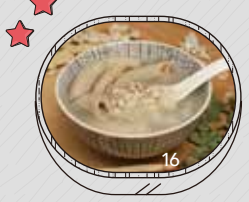
Corner of Ln. 8, Wanquan St., Taipei City (02)2557-2229

19. Shuanglian Sweet Rice Balls

136, Minsheng W. Rd., Taipei City (02)2559-7595

20. Inside Alley Taiwanese Sausage

20, Ln. 25, Nanjing W. Rd., Taipei City (02)2550-8765



Tiaotong Commercial District

21. Fei Qian Wu

13, Ln. 121, Sec. 1, Zhongshan N. Rd., Taipei City (02)2561-7859

22. Long Izakaya Restaurant

23, Ln. 145, Linsen N. Rd., Taipei City (02)2531-3342

23. Hamamatsuya (2018 Michelin Bib Gourmand)

12, Ln. 119, Linsen N. Rd., Taipei City (02)2567-5705

24. Sato (Teng) Restaurant & Bar

67, Ln. 85, Linsen N. Rd., Taipei City (02)2100-1255

* Excessive drinking is hazardous to your health.

