

Sultanate of Oman

The Sultanate of Oman is considered a hidden jewel at the tip of the Arabian Peninsula. Oman is a wonderful combination of ageless heritage and modern life. A place where one can explore a traditional souq in the morning, and attend a world-class show at the renowned Royal Opera House Muscat in the evening.

A large part of the Sultanate's unique charm is the hospitality of the Omani people. It is common for visitors to be invited for Omani coffee and dates by locals when travelling through the country, an offer that should never be refused. Visitors and adventurers looking for a unique holiday experience will find that Oman has a lot to offer. Hiking, scuba diving, fishing, kitesurfing and caving to name just a few. From tall mountains and deep gorges, to water-filled wadis, endless beaches and some of the world's most stunning desert landscapes, the diversity of Oman is apparent in every part of the country.

The Sultanate of Oman is a country of breath-taking natural beauty, interwoven with a kaleidoscope of history and legends. As the oldest independent state in the Arab World, Oman has embraced modernisation and progress while retaining the core aspects of its culture and heritage – making it the perfect travel destination for those seeking an authentic Arabian experience.

Oman's culture is deeply rooted in the Sultanate's proud heritage and history of seafaring, trading and exploration. Today, long-standing traditions blend seamlessly with modern day living, with the latest fashion and electronics brands sold alongside traditional hand-made crafts, jewellery, and even goats and cattle at souqs around the country.

Omanis are very welcoming of visitors from other countries, a fact that is reflected in the generous hospitality extended to guests.

For more information about the Sultanate of Oman and the places of tourist attraction, visit:
<https://www.omantourism.gov.om/wps/portal/mot/tourism/oman/home>

PLACES TO SEE AND EXPERIENCE IN MUSCAT



Sultan Qaboos Grand Mosque

In the heart of the capital Muscat stands the Sultan Qaboos Grand Mosque like a radiant lighthouse attracting its visitors to interact with the spirit of Islam as a religion, science and civilisation.



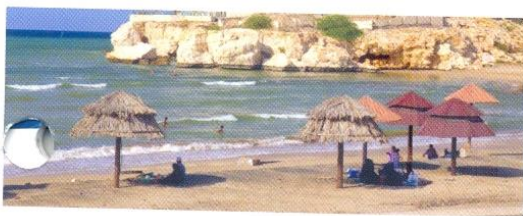
Royal Opera House

The multidisciplinary work of Royal Opera House Muscat showcases rich and diverse artistic creations from Oman, the region, and the world; and inspires audiences and nurtures creativity with innovative programmes.



National Museum

The Sultanate's flagship cultural institution showcases the nation's heritage from the earliest human settlement in the Oman Peninsula some two million years ago through to the present day.



Shatti Al Qurum Beach

Al Shatti is the city's best and liveliest public beach in Oman. Lounge on the golden sands or cool off in the clear blue waters of the Omani Sea. Prop yourself up in one of the cafes and coffee shops lining Al Shatti beach.



Mutrah Souq

Mutrah Souq is one of the oldest markets in Oman, dating back about two hundred years. Its antiquity has perhaps increased the extent of its beauty, magic and allure.

For more information, visit www.experienceoman.om

<https://experienceoman.om/oman-region/muscat/>

ENTRY VISA TO OMAN

The visitor to the Sultanate of Oman can apply for e-visa. The website to apply for e-visa is:

<https://evisa.rop.gov.om/>

Please check the travel requirements in the website.