Welcome Pack

Hong Kong Performing Arts Expo

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HKPAX

Welcome to HKPAX 2026

It is our great pleasure to welcome you to the second edition of the Hong Kong Performing Arts Expo (HKPAX). We are excited to reunite with familiar friends and meet new ones as we come together in Hong Kong for five days of performances, showcases, discussions and networking opportunities.

This year, alongside a dynamic international programme, we are proud to present a new Hong Kong Chapter, highlighting and celebrating the remarkable talents of Hong Kong's performing arts sector.

As a platform for artistic exchange and collaboration, HKPAX brings together arts professionals from around the world to connect, share ideas and build meaningful partnerships. We hope your time here will be filled with inspiring encounters, valuable conversations and new opportunities for collaboration.

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GENERAL INFORMATION

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Emergency Contact

In case of an emergency, please dial **999** for immediate assistance. This emergency hotline connects you to the **Police, Fire Services or Ambulance Services** in Hong Kong.

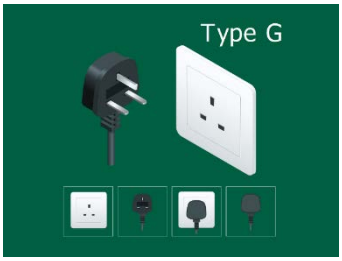
Weather

October is one of the most pleasant times to visit Hong Kong, with warm temperatures, lower humidity and plenty of sunshine. Average temperatures typically range from **around 23°C to 29°C**. Visitors are advised to bring light clothing, as well as a light jacket for cooler evenings or air-conditioned indoor venues.

For the latest weather forecasts and updates, please visit the Hong Kong Observatory (HKO) website: **https://www.hko.gov.hk/en/**.

Voltage

Hong Kong uses a **220V, 50Hz** electricity supply and **Type G three-pin plugs**. Visitors may need a plug adapter for their electronic devices.



Currency & Payment

The local currency is the **Hong Kong Dollar (HKD)**. **Cash**, **credit cards** and **debit cards** are widely accepted throughout Hong Kong.

Visitors may also use an **Octopus Card** for convenient payment on public transport and at many shops, restaurants and convenience stores. It can be purchased in MTR stations and most convenience stores, and can also be added to Apple Wallet and Google Wallet on compatible devices.

Getting to and from Hong Kong Airport

Hong Kong International Airport is well connected to the city by **Airport Express**, **airport buses** and **taxis**.

Transport	Route	Journey Time	Approx. Fare per trip
Airport Express	Airport ⇄ Kowloon Station	~22 mins	HK$100
	Airport ⇄ Hong Kong Station	~24 mins	HK$115
Bus	**A21** Airport ⇄Mong Kok, Yau Ma Tei, Jordan, Tsim Sha Tsui, Hung Hom	~75-80 mins	HK$34.6
	A25 Airport⇄Tsim Sha Tsui, Hung Hom, Kai Tak	~50-70 mins	HK$40.8
	A11 Airport ⇄Central, Admiralty, Wan Chai, Causeway Bay	~70 mins	HK$41.9
Taxi	Direct to destination	~35-60 mins	~HK$260 to HK$365 (Kowloon); ~HK$360 to HK$450 (Hong Kong Island)

For the latest transportation information, journey planning, other bus routes and fare details, please visit the Hong Kong International Airport: https://www.hongkongairport.com/en/transport/to-from-airport/

Transportation

Hong Kong has an efficient and extensive public transport network, making it easy to travel around the city.

MTR (Mass Transit Railway)

The MTR is the fastest and most convenient way to get around Hong Kong. Trains are frequent, clean and easy to navigate. Contactless credit and debit card payments are accepted, while an Octopus Card offers a discounted fares.

Download the MTR App:

(Apple Store) (Google Play)

Bus

Double-decker bus network covers almost every part of the city, including areas not directly served by the MTR. Simply tap your Octopus card, credit card, mobile wallet or cash when boarding. Please note that no change is given when pay with cash.

Bus services are operated by these two major companies:

Kowloon Motor Bus (KMB)

(Apple Store) (Google Play)

Citybus

(Apple Store) (Google Play)

Minibus

Red minibuses mostly just accept coins and cash, while green minibuses accept Octopus Card as well. They travel to everywhere but do not have stops announcement, passengers are advised to pay attention to the route.

Taxi

Most taxi accept cash, while some may also accept Octopus Card and other electronic payments. Fares are metered, with surcharges applicable for tunnels and luggage. There are 3 types of taxis running around different territories in Hong Kong:

- Red Taxi: Kowloon and Hong Kong Island
- Green Taxi: New Territories
- Blue Taxi: Islands

Tram (Hong Kong Island only)

Known locally as “Ding Ding”, Hong Kong’s iconic double-decker tram operates along the northern corridor of Hong Kong Island. For details, please refer to the tram’s website.

Ferry

The ferry services offer a scenic way to travel across Victoria Harbour. Frequent routes connect Tsim Sha Tsui with Central and Wan Chai, providing an affordable alternative way for travelling between Kowloon and Hong Kong Island. For details, please refer to the Star Ferry’s website.

Smoking

Smoking is prohibited in indoor public places, on public transport and in designated no-smoking areas throughout Hong Kong.

Please note that incoming travellers are prohibited from bringing alternative smoking products into Hong Kong, including electronic smoking products, heated tobacco products and herbal cigarettes, even if they are carried by the incoming travellers themselves. For details, please refer to Tobacco and Alcohol Control Office, Health Department.

GETTING YOUR HKPAX PASS

Pass Collection

Registration & enquiry counters will be set up at two main venues of the Expo and the official hotel. Pass holders are reminded to **bring the confirmation email** and **collect the printed badge** at the registration & enquiry counter:

- **9–13 October 2026:**
  The Marquee, Piazza A, Hong Kong Cultural Centre

- **10–12 October 2026:**
  1/F, East Kowloon Cultural Centre

- **9–11 October 2026:**
  HKPAX Information Desk, G/F, Sheraton Hong Kong Hotel & Towers (only for guests staying at the official hotel, Sheraton Hong Kong Hotel & Towers)

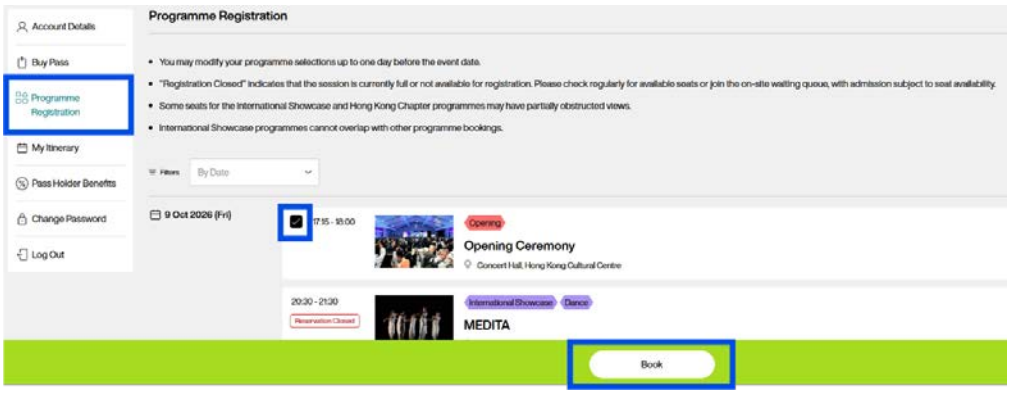
Participants are advised to arrive early to allow sufficient time for registration and to enjoy a smooth and pleasant Expo experience.

The QR code on your badge will be required for entry verification at all venues. Please keep the badge handy to enjoy all the programmes and performances.

HKPAX PROGRAMME REGISTRATION

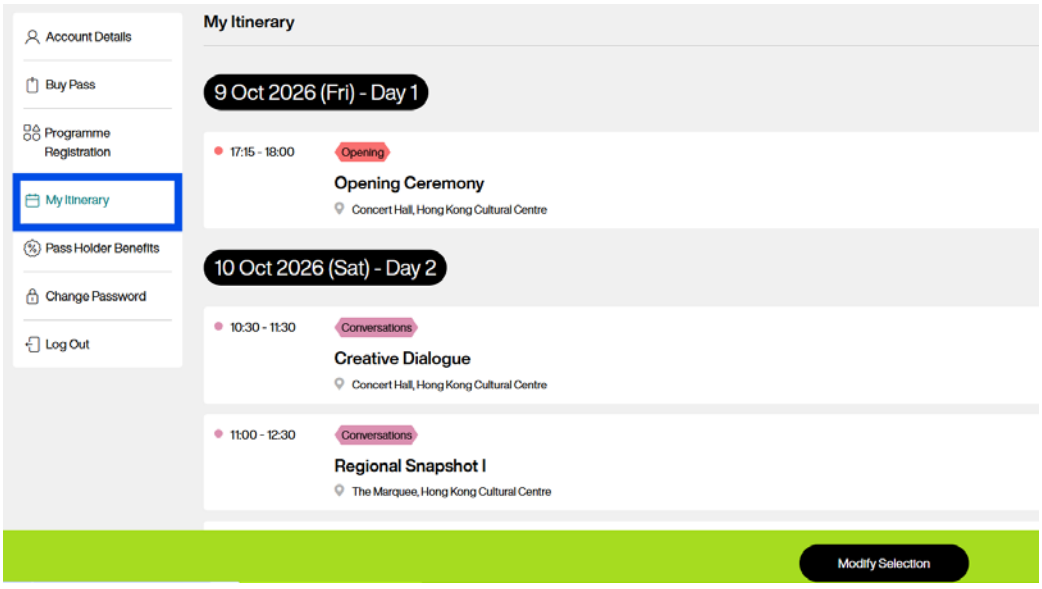
Programme Registration & Modify Reservation

Please log in to the account on the HKPAX website and navigate to “Programme Registration” to register and modify the programme selections. Pass holders may modify the selections up to two hours before the event.



View Itinerary

Please log in to the account on the HKPAX website and navigate to “My Itinerary” to view the reservations for performances and activities.



Arrival and Seat arrangement

All programmes offer free seating, on a first-come, first-served basis. Registered participants are required to arrive and be seated 15 minutes before the scheduled programme start time. Seats will be held until the scheduled start time; any unoccupied seats at that time will be released to standby attendees.

Standby queue

No online waitlist will be available for each programme. An onsite standby queue will be arranged at each programme venue. **Eligible pass holders who are unable to secure a booking online but wish to attend may join the standby queue at the venue. Admission will be subject to seat availability**.

For more details on programme registration, please refer to the FAQ page on HKPAX website.

HKPAX PROGRAMME SCHEDULE

Please find the full programme schedule on HKPAX website.

HKPAX SHUTTLE BUS SCHEDULE

Please find the HKPAX shuttle bus schedule on HKPAX website.

HKPAX PROGRAMME VENUE

This year's programme will take place across seven main venues listed below:

Main HKPAX Venues	Address	Nearest MTR stations
Hong Kong Cultural Centre	10 Salisbury Road, Tsim Sha Tsui, Kowloon	📍 Tsim Sha Tsui station (Exit E) 📍 East Tsim Sha Tsui station (Exit J3) *It is also accessible by Star Ferry between Tsim Sha Tsui and Central*
East Kowloon Cultural Centre	60 Ngau Tau Kok Road, Ngau Tau Kok, Kowloon	📍 Kowloon Bay station (Exit B)
Xiqu Centre, WestK	88 Austin Road West, Tsim Sha Tsui, Kowloon	📍 Austin station (Exit E) 📍 Hong Kong West Kowloon station (Exit G)
Hong Kong City Hall	5 Edinburgh Place, Central, Hong Kong Island	📍 Hong Kong station (Exit A) 📍 Central station (Exit K) 📍 Admiralty station (Exit B) *It is also accessible by Star Ferry between Tsim Sha Tsui and Central*
Hong Kong Fringe Club	2 Lower Albert Road, Central, Hong Kong Island	📍 Central station (Exit D)
Tai Kwun	10 Hollywood Road, Central, Hong Kong Island	📍 Central station (Exit D) 📍 Hong Kong station (Exit E) **It is connected with the Central to Mid-Levels Escalator from Central*

Main HKPAX Venues	Address	Nearest MTR stations
Kwai Tsing Theatre	12 Hing Ning Road, Kwai Chung, New Territories	Kwai Fong station (Exit C)

ACCOMMODATION

HKPAX has partnered with a range of hotels and offered discounted rates to HKPAX pass holders, including:

Hotel	Nearest MTR Station	Getting there from HK airport & Bus Journey Time	
Official Hotel			
Sheraton Hong Kong Hotel & Towers *20 Nathan Road, Kowloon*	📍 Tsim Sha Tsui station (Exit C2) 📍 East Tsim Sha Tsui station (Exit J / K)	• Bus A21 (📍 Middle Road, Nathan Road) • Bus A25 (📍 East Tsim Sha Tsui Station, Salisbury Road)	~70 mins ~60 mins
Partnered Hotels			
B P International *8 Austin Road, Tsim Sha Tsui, Kowloon*	📍 Austin station (Exit F) 📍 Jordan station (Exit C2)	• Bus A22 (📍 Sheunghai Street, Jordan Road) • Bus A25 (📍 Wui Cheung Road, Canton Road)	~50 mins ~50 mins
Eaton Hong Kong *380 Nathan Road, Kowloon*	📍 Jordan station (Exit B1)	• Bus A21 (📍 Nathan Hotel, Nathan Road) • Bus A22 (📍 Chi Wo Street, Jordan Street)	~60 mins ~50 mins
Hotel Stage *1 Chi Wo Street, Jordan, Kowloon*	📍 Jordan station (Exit B2)	• Bus A21 (📍 Nathan Hotel, Nathan Road) • Bus A22 (📍 Chi Wo Street, Jordan Street	~60 mins ~50 mins

Hotel	Nearest MTR Station	Getting there from HK airport & Bus Journey Time	
Partnered Hotels			
ibis Hong Kong Central & Sheung Wan *28 Des Voeux Road West, Sheung Wan, Hong Kong Island*	📍 Sheung Wan station (Exit C)	• Bus A11 (📍 Macao Ferry, Connaught Road Central) • Airport Express (📍 Hong Kong station)→Island Line (📍 Sheung Wan station)	~50 mins ~40 mins
Prince Hotel *23 Canton Road, Harbour City, Tsim Sha Tsui, Kowloon*	📍 Tsim Sha Tsui (Exit A1) 📍 Austin station (Exit F)	• Bus A21 (📍 Cameron Road, Nathan Road) • Bus A25 (📍 Xiqu Centre, Canton Road)	~70 mins ~50 mins
The Park Lane Hong Kong *310 Gloucester Road, Causeway Bay, Hong Kong*	📍 Causeway Bay (Exit E)	• Bus A11 (📍 Causeway Bay – Sugar Street, Yee Wo Street)	~70 mins

HKPAX APP

(Apple Store) (Google Play)

Participants may download the HKPAX App to explore programmes content, plan the schedule, and connect with fellow participants.

VISA ARRANGEMENT

While many visitors may enter Hong Kong visa-free, participants are encouraged to check the visa requirements for Hong Kong and Mainland China (if you plan to extend your stay to the Greater Bay Area and beyond), and apply for any required visas in advance of your departure.

For the visa requirements for some countries and regions, please visit:

https://hkpax.org.hk/uploads/media/global/GBATour/visa_requirements_table_en.pdf

EXPLORE HONG KONG

Hong Kong is a vibrant cosmopolitan city where East meets West. Renowned for its rich cultural diversity, dynamic lifestyle, and unique heritage, the city offers visitors an exceptional blend of modern urban energy and authentic local traditions.

To explore the city's attractions, please visit:
https://www.discoverhongkong.com/eng/attractions.html

Muslim visitors will find a range of facilities and services across Hong Kong, including mosques, prayer rooms, and Muslim-friendly dining options. These facilities are available in various areas of the city to support a comfortable and convenient visit.

For more information on Muslim-friendly travel resources, please visit:
https://www.discoverhongkong.com/eng/themed-travel/muslim-travel.html.

OTHER USEFUL CONTACT

Hong Kong International Airport	Tel: (852) 2181 8888 Web: http://www.hongkongairport.com/
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Hong Kong Customs and Excise Department	Tel: (852) 2815 7711 Email: customsenquiry@customs.gov.hk Web: http://www.customs.gov.hk/en/home
Hong Kong Post Service	Tel: (852) 2921 2222 Email: hkpo@hkpo.gov.hk Web: http://www.hongkongpost.hk/en/home

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Linkedin	
Youtube Channel	

FAQ

Please refer to the FAQ page on HKPAX website for more information.