



MALTA

Transport

Public Transport Hub: Valletta

See <https://www.publictransport.com.mt/en/routes-timetables> for latest bus routes

Taxis

- eCabs: <https://www.ecabs.com.mt/>
- Uber: <https://www.uber.com/global/en/cities/malta/>
- Bolt: <https://bolt.eu/en/cities/malta/>

Car Rentals (recommended if you're planning to travel around)

Various reputable large or local companies (e.g. <https://josefcarhire.com/>)

We drive on the left (like the UK)

Ferries

Malta → Gozo

- Passenger-only fast ferries from Valletta to Gozo (~45mins)
- Passenger (+ car optional) ferry from Ċirkewwa to Gozo (~30mins but you have to get to Ċirkewwa)

Malta → Comino

- Ferries from Ċirkewwa or Marfa (both in the north)

Gozo → Comino

- Ferries from Mġarr Harbour

Sliema → Valletta

Bormla → Isla → Valletta

Others

- Horse-drawn carriages (mainly Mdina)

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An aerial photograph of a natural rock pool. The pool is surrounded by rugged, light-colored rock formations. The water is clear and turquoise, with some darker patches of seaweed or rocks visible at the bottom. Two people are swimming in the pool. The ocean is visible in the upper right corner, with a deep blue color and white foam from waves. The text "Things to Do" is overlaid in the center of the image in a large, white, sans-serif font.

Things to Do

A panoramic view of Valletta, Malta, showing the city built on a hillside overlooking the sea. The city is characterized by its yellowish-tan stone buildings and a prominent large dome. A tall, thin spire is visible on the left. The foreground shows the blue sea with a few boats, including a bright green one. The sky is bright blue with scattered white clouds.

Valletta

Capital City



Mdina

Old Capital (known as the Silent City)



Megalithic Temples

Among the oldest free-standing structures in the world (*according to [UNESCO](#))

An aerial photograph of the Dingli Cliffs in Malta. The image shows a long, narrow strip of land with a steep, layered cliffside that meets the deep blue sea. The top of the cliff is covered in green vegetation. In the distance, a white lighthouse with a glass-enclosed lantern room is visible on the horizon. The sky is clear and blue.

Combine with a walk along

Dingli Cliffs

An aerial photograph of a rugged coastline. The sea is a deep, vibrant blue, transitioning to a lighter turquoise near the shore where the seabed is rocky. A prominent, light-colored limestone cliff face descends from a sandy, vegetated plateau to the water's edge. A large, dark sea cave is visible in the cliffside. In the distance, a small boat is visible on the horizon under a clear blue sky with a few wispy clouds.

Down to the

Blue Grotto

(and maybe a boat tour of the caves)



Fishing village of

Marsaxlokk

Fish market open Sundays

(until approx. 12:30, recommend arriving early)

An aerial photograph of the Mosta Dome in Malta during sunset. The large, circular, domed structure is illuminated by the warm light of the setting sun, casting a golden glow. The dome is surrounded by a classical portico with columns. In the foreground, a busy city street with a roundabout is visible, featuring a central monument and several cars. The sky is filled with soft, colorful clouds in shades of blue, purple, and orange.

Mosta Dome

Third largest unsupported rotunda dome in the world
(* according to [some sources](#))



Victoria, Gozo

The Citadel (Cittadella) in Gozo's capital city



Ta' Mena, Gozo

Wine & traditional food tasting



Comino

(+ swim in the Blue Lagoon)

Beaches

Mellieħa Bay (Għadira)

Paradise Bay

Armier Bay (Kayak to Coral Lagoon)

Golden Bay (pictured)

Għajn Tuffieħa

St. Peter's Pool (South)

(*recommend checking whichbeach.com.mt)

An underwater photograph showing two divers swimming in clear blue water. The water is filled with many small fish. In the background, there is a large, dark, rectangular structure, possibly a wreck or a large piece of driftwood, partially covered in coral and seaweed. The lighting is bright, suggesting a shallow depth.

Diving

Ċirkewwa (Rożi and P29 wrecks)
Gozo (Blue Hole and Cathedral Cave)
+ many others



Food

Try Pastizzi (pictured), Kinnie and Twistees

Some restaurant recommendations:

- Il-Barri, Mġarr (Maltese bragioli, rabbit, horsemeat, quail)
 - Sole by Tarragon (St Julian's)
- Tartarun, Marsaxlokk (particularly for Seafood)
 - Bacchus & Medina (Mdina)
- Sciacca & The Harbour Club (Valletta)
- Boathouse, Tmun, Fat Rabbit (Gozo)

Activity Ideas

- Horse Riding (Golden Bay)
- Rent Quad Bikes around Gozo
- Rent Segways around Comino
- Rent a self-drive boat for a day (no license required)
 - Go on a Jet Ski safari around Comino
 - Snorkelling with Tuna
 - Windsurfing (Mellieħa)
- + many more



Language

Maltese is the only Semitic language
written in the Latin script and is spoken
by ~500k people worldwide

A scenic sunset over a rocky coastline. The sun is low on the horizon, casting a golden glow across the sky and reflecting on the water. The foreground shows dark, rugged rocks. The text 'Have a great EACL'24!' is overlaid in white, bold, sans-serif font.

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