

List of Local San Diego Attractions

*****Note: Crowne Plaza provides shuttle service to these attractions. Check at hotel lobby for availability and hours of operation.**

Old Town San Diego State Historic Park - The Old Town San Diego State Historic Park is a living history museum that commemorates and preserves numerous historic buildings dating from the 19th century. The attraction incorporates various aspects of San Diego's early history and culture from 1820 until 1870 as it transitioned from Mexican to American rule. In addition to heritage architecture, the historic district features shops and restaurants offering authentic handicrafts and cuisine. Address: 4002 Wallace St., San Diego, 92110. Hours: Mon-Thurs, 10 AM-4 PM., Fri- Sun, 10 AM-5 PM. Free guided walking tours Wed-Sun, 11 AM and 2 PM. Phone: (619)220-5422. 1.3 miles/6 minutes.

San Diego Zoo - The World Famous San Diego Zoo is located in Balboa Park. It houses over 3,700 animals of more than 650 species and subspecies. It is one of the few zoos in the world that houses and successfully breeds the giant panda. The zoo offers a guided tour bus that traverses 75% of the park. There is also an overhead gondola lift called the Skyfari that provides an aerial view of the zoo. Address: 2920 Zoo Dr, San Diego, 92101. Hours: Open every day, 9 AM-5 PM. Phone: (619)231-1515. 4.5 miles/11 minutes.

SeaWorld - SeaWorld San Diego is an animal theme park, oceanarium, outside aquarium, and marine mammal park. Address: 500 SeaWorld Dr., San Diego, 92101. Hours: Mon-Thurs, 11 AM-6 PM, Fri, 11 AM-7:30 PM, Sat, 9 AM-7:30 PM, Sun, 11 AM-7:30 PM. Phone: (619)222-4732. 3.9 miles/8 minutes.

Mission San Diego de Alcalá – This historic mission was the first Franciscan mission in The Californias, a province of New Spain. It was founded on July 16, 1769 by Spanish friar Junípero Serra in an area long inhabited by the Kumeyaay people. Address: 10818 San Diego Mission Rd., San Diego, 92108. Hours: Guided tours – Mon-Fri, 9AM, 11:00AM, 1:00PM. Phone: (619)283-7319. 6.4 miles/13 minutes.

Balboa Park - Balboa Park is a 1,200-acre urban cultural park in San Diego. It is home to more than 16 museums, multiple performing arts venues, lovely gardens, trails, and many other creative and recreational attractions, including the San Diego Zoo. Check www.balboapark.org for specific museum and other attraction hours. 3.6 miles/8 minutes.

Fashion Valley Mall - San Diego's finest collection of stores in a beautiful outdoor shopping center featuring 200 stores and restaurants including an 18 screen movie theater. Five department stores include: Neiman Marcus, Nordstrom, Macy's, Bloomingdale's and JCPenney. Restaurants include: The Cheesecake Factory, PF Chang's China Bistro, California Pizza Kitchen, Stacked Well Built, Love Boat Sushi and twelve bistro cafes. Address: 7007 Friars Rd, San Diego, 92108. Hours: Mon-Sat, 10 AM-9 PM, Sun, 11 AM-8 PM. 2.1 miles/5 minutes.

SEAPORT VILLAGE - A 14 acre waterfront shopping, dining and entertainment complex recreating a harbor side setting of a century ago. Includes 54 one of a kind shops, 13 casual dining eateries, 4 fine dining waterfront restaurants. Address: 849 W. Harbor Dr., San Diego, 92101. Hours: Mon-Sat, 10:00 AM-9:00 PM. Restaurant hours may vary. 6.2 miles/14 minutes.