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1. Geographical location

Copenhagen is the largest city in Denmark beautifully located on the eastern shore of the island of Zealand. It is a part of Øresund region and is separated from Sweden by Øresund water strait.



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2. Neighbouring cities/countries

The Closest Cities To Copenhagen Are Malmo, Sweden (20 Kms); Odense, Denmark (141 Kms); Binz, Germany (155 Kms); Stralsund, Germany (155 Kms); Aarhus, Denmark (160 Kms); Rostock, Germany (178 Kms); Kiel, Germany (214 Kms) And Gothenburg, Sweden (229 Kms) To Name A Few.



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3. Significance

Copenhagen is the capital of one of the happiest countries on this planet. It is also known as the one of the most environment friendly cities in the world. Because of its environmental standards, it was elected as the Top Green City in the Global Green Economy Index in 2014.



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4. History

The history of the city of Copenhagen dates back to the 11th century. It was founded by Bishop Absalon, who was a counselor for the then-king of Denmark. The city grew at a tremendous speed throughout the 12th century due to its prime position and harbour which made it a strong military and political center. In 1443, it was designated as the capital of Denmark. There was a lot of religious upheaval during the 16th and 17th centuries and Copenhagen witnessed major changes. Also with the opening of Bakken, world's first amusement park, a lot of restaurants mushroomed up in the city. During the 19th century, after Copenhagen was fiercely attacked by the British, the city was bombarded heavily and it went into a financial crisis. Despite that, the city witnessed a rapid spike in education sector. Many new schools and colleges were set up during this time and the constitution of Copenhagen was also signed in 1849.

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5. Cultural identity

Copenhagen is a city chockablock with concert halls, theatres, art galleries and numerous historic monuments which act as a window into the rich cultural heritage of the city. The cultural diversity of Copenhagen can be seen in its rich cuisine, magnificent architecture, world class art, theatrical performances and film festivals. The wonderful Copenhagen Opera House is a must visit for the culture vultures. Designed by Henning Larsen, a world famous architect, the Opera House is acknowledged as one of the most modern opera houses in the world. Similarly there are various dance events and music festivals for people to enjoy. If you want to see Danish contemporary dancers, a visit to Dansehallerne centre and The Royal Danish Ballet is a must. The city is also known for its grand film festivals. The folklore is comprised of dance, songs, costumes, legends, traditions and puppets, as passed from one generation to another. So far as the people of Copenhagen are concerned, Danes are officially considered to be the happiest people on Earth. And you will never feel like an outsider in the city.

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6. Natural resources

Lying close to the heart of Copenhagen is the Amager Nature Centre. This big, grassy park is one of the best spots to relax and unwind in Copenhagen. There is also a huge adventure playground close to Amager Nature Centre where visitors can indulge in various games and activities. More popularly known as 'The deer Park', Jægersborg Dyrehave is a forest park lying in the north of the city of Copenhagen. The park houses large populations of red and fallow deer and is visited by more than 7 million people every year. The Deer Park is an old one and its history dates back to more than 300 years. Oil, natural gas, gravel, sand, limestone chalk, clay and salt are some of the natural resources found in the Danish underground.

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7. Key site seeing places (paid and free)

7.1. Paid

7.1.1. Kronborg Castle

It is a charming Renaissance castle from the 16th century on the seashores of Elsinore city, 50 kilometers from Copenhagen. Having played a key role in the history of northern Europe during the 16th and 18th centuries, this castle contributes to the symbolic value of the Danish people. It is renowned all over the world as Elsinore, which was the setting of Shakespeare's Hamlet and has remained intact till present date.

Address : Kronborg 2C, 3000 Helsingør, Denmark

Zipcode: 3000

Location: 56.03901419999999, 12.62115510000001

Contact: +45 49 21 30 78

Website: http://kronborg.dk/

Nearest Public Transport : Kulturværftet Bus Station

Entry Fee : Adults: Dkr 90 Student (by showing valid ID): Dkr 80 Child (4-17

years): Dkr 45 Group (minimum 10 people): Dkr 80 per person

Open & Close Timing: January to March: Tuesday to Sunday 11:00hrs-16:00hrs April to May: Daily 11:00hrs-16:00hrs June to September: Daily 10:00hrs-17:30hrs October: Daily 11:00hrs-16:00hrs November to December: Tuesday to Sunday

11:00hrs-16:00hrs

Time Required : 4 Buy Ticket : No

7.1.2. Amalienborg Palace

If you have ever wondered what the world of the Royal Danish family looks like, head to Amalienborg Palace. Constructed in the 1700s, it is an exemplar of Danish Rococo architecture. The entire complex consists of 4 similar palaces built by 4 noble families and an equestrian statue of Amalienborg's founder, King Frederick V. Changing of the guards ceremony takes place every day at noon.

Address : Amalienborgs, 1257 Copenhagen, Denmark

Zipcode: 1257

Location: 55.6840588, 12.59302009999999

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Contact: +45 3312 2186

Website: http://www.kongernessamling.dk/

Nearest Public Transport : Fredericiagade (København) Bus Station Amalienborg

Bus Station

Entry Fee: When main floor is open: Adults: Dkr 95 Children (0-17): Free admission Students (with ID): Dkr 65 When main floor is closed: Adults: Dkr 75 Children (0-17): Free admission Students (with ID): Dkr 55

Open & Close Timing: January I to April 30: Tuesday to Sunday II:00hrs-I6:00hrs Winter Holiday (week 7): Daily II:00hrs-I6:00hrs Easter Holiday: Daily II:00hrs-I6:00hrs May I to October 3I: Daily I0:00hrs-I6:00hrs December 27 to December 30: II:00hrs-I6:00hrs December 23-26: Closed

Time Required: 3

Expected Wait Time: 5-15 minutes

Buy Ticket: Yes

7.1.3. Tivoli Gardens

Give your adrenaline rush a kick at this enthralling amusement park. Tivoli Gardens is an excellent spot for those who want the best of both worlds: casual strolling as well as adventurous rides. Tagged as the most-visited park in Scandinavia, it experiences around 4 million visitors annually. Best known for its wooden roller-coaster, it features many other rides out of which the carousel stands second-tallest in the world offering panoramic views of the city. It also holds some great musicals, ballets and concerts.

Address: Vesterbrogade 3, 1630 København V, Denmark

Zipcode: 1630

Location: 55.6736841, 12.568147100000033

Contact: +45 3315 1001

Website: http://www.tivoli.dk/

Nearest Public Transport : Hovedbanegården Bus Station Copenhagen Central

Station

Entry Fee : Adults (8+): Dkr 110 Children (0-7): Free admission

Open & Close Timing: Monday to Thursday: 11:00hrs-23:00hrs Friday: 11:00hrs-00:00hrs Saturday: 10:30hrs-00:00hrs Sunday: 10:30hrs-23:00hrs Christmas Eve: 11:00hrs-16:00hrs 25th December: 11:00hrs-00:00hrs 26th December:

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11:00hrs-23:00hrs New Year's Eve: 11:00hrs-00:30hrs

Time Required : 12 Buy Ticket : No

7.1.4. Rosenborg Castle

Having been the royal residence till around 1710, Rosenborg Castle features 400 years of art treasures and renaissance architecture. It houses a museum that has Royal collections, artefacts related to royal Danish culture, Crown Jewels and Danish Crown Regalia on display. Being well-preserved, it promises an enchanting journey in time and makes your visit very interesting.

Address: Øster Voldgade 4A, 1350 Copenhagen, Denmark

Zipcode: 1350

Location : 55.6858274, 12.5772686999999

Contact: +45 3315 3286

Website: http://www.kongernessamling.dk/rosenborg/

Nearest Public Transport: Georg Brandes Plads, Parkmuseerne Bus Station

Entry Fee : Adults: Dkr 105 Children (0-17) and Adolescents: Free admission Students (With valid ID): Dkr 70

Open & Close Timing: January 2 to April 30: Tuesday to Sunday 10:00hrs-14:00hrs Winter Holiday (week 7) + Easter Holiday: Daily 10:00hrs-16:00hrs April 16 to June 15: 10:00hrs-16:00hrs (Closed on 24th April) June 16 to August 31: Daily 09:00hrs-17:00hrs September 1 to October 31: 10:00hrs-16:00hrs November 1 to December 22: 10:00hrs-14:00hrs (Monday closed) December 23 to December 26: Closed December 27 to December 30: 10:00hrs-16:00hrs December 31 and January 1: Closed

Time Required : 2

Buy Ticket: No

7.1.5. Round Tower

One of the historical landmarks of the city, Round Tower or Rundetaarn as it is locally known, is a 17th-century tower which was originally built as an astronomical observatory. The tower is 36 meters tall but you will have to walk around 209 meters to get to the top of the tower. It is one of the innumerable architectural projects of Christian IV and definitely worth a visit.

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Address : Købmagergade 52A, 1150 Copenhagen, Denmark

Zipcode : 1150

Location: 55.681347, 12.575730000000021

Contact: +45 33 73 03 73

Website: http://rundetaarn.dk/

Nearest Public Transport : Nørreport Bus Station Nørreport Railway Station Entry Fee : Adults: Dkr 25 Children (5-15): Dkr 5 Free with Copenhagen Card Open & Close Timing : March 22 to May 20: Daily 10:00hrs-18:00hrs May 21 to September 20: Monday to Sunday 10:00hrs-20:00hrs September 21 to October 15: Daily 10:00hrs-18:00hrs October 15 to March 19: Thursday to Monday 10:00hrs-18:00hrs; Tuesday to Wednesday 10:00hrs-21:00hrs

Time Required: 1

Expected Wait Time: 5 - 10 minutes

Buy Ticket: No

7.1.6. Copenhagen City Hall

Designed in National Romantic style, Copenhagen City Hall is a classical building with an outstanding clock that definitely demands a visit. Københavns Rådhus, as called in Danish, has a lavishly decorated front, a statue of Absalon above the balcony, and a tall slim clock-tower. The City Hall is beautiful and draws a lot of traffic all throughout the year, especially gathering special attention during rain showers.

Address : Rådhuspladsen 1, 1550 Copenhagen, Denmark

Zipcode : 1550

Location: 55.6767398, 12.56855089999991

Contact: +45 33 66 33 66

Nearest Public Transport : Rådhuspladsen (København) Bus Station

Entry Fee : General admission: Dkr 30

Open & Close Timing : City Hall Monday to Friday: 08:30hrs-16:30hrs Saturday 10:00hrs-13:00hrs Tower: Monday to Friday: 11:00hrs and 14:00hrs Saturday: Noon

Guided tours in English: Monday to Friday at 15:00hrs

Time Required: 1.5

Buy Ticket: No

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7.1.7. Ripley's Believe It or Not!

Full of fascinating facts, Ripley's World Record Museum is a great place to spend an hour or two when in Copenhagen. This unique museum has interactive games, video productions and excellent displays. With perplexing wonders, this place is definitely worth a visit.

Address : Rådhuspladsen 57, 1550 København, Denmark

Zipcode: 1550

Location: 55.6763409, 12.56989329999999

Contact: +45 3332 3131

Website: http://www.ripleys.com/copenhagen/

Nearest Public Transport : Rådhuspladsen (København) Bus Station

Entry Fee: HC Andersen's Wonderful or Mysterious Exploratorie: Adults: Dkr 54 Child (4-11 years): Dkr 36 Guiness World Records and Ripley's Believe It or Not!: Adults: Dkr 81 Child (4-11 years): Dkr 45 Combination Ticket (Guiness World Records and Ripley's Believe It or Not!) Adults: Dkr 135 Child (4-11 years): Dkr 77 Combination Ticket (Guiness World Records and Mysterious Exploratorie): Adults: Dkr 112 Child (4-11 years): Dkr 67 Combination Ticket (HC Andersen's Wonderful and Ripley's Believe It or Not!): Adults: Dkr 112 Child (4-11 years): Dkr 67 Fun Pass Child (All 4 attractions): Adults: Dkr 195 Child (4-11 years): Dkr 120 Open & Close Timing: Sunday to Thursday: 10:00hrs-18:00hrs Friday and Saturday: 10:00hrs-20:00hrs

Time Required: 2

Expected Wait Time: 5 - 10 minutes

Buy Ticket: No

7.1.8. Thorvaldsens Museum

Thorvaldsens museum is the only museum in the world which lets you experience all the works of art by Danish artist Bertel Thorvaldsen (1770-1844). It also contains his drawings and sketches for sculptures and reliefs as well as collections of paintings from Greek, Roman, and Egyptian antiquity.

Address : Bertel Thorvaldsens Plads 2, 1213 København K, Denmark

Zipcode : 1213

Location: 55.67674719999999, 12.578391600000032

Contact: +45 33 32 15 32

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Website: http://www.thorvaldsensmuseum.dk/

Nearest Public Transport : Stormbroen, Nationalmuseet (Vindebrogade) Bus

Station

Entry Fee : Adults: Dkr 50 Youths and children under 18: Free admission Annual

pass: Dkr 150 Free admission to the Museum on Wednesdays

Open & Close Timing: Tuesday to Sunday: 10:00hrs-17:00hrs Monday closed,

closed Dec 24, 25, 31 and Jan 1

Time Required : 2 Buy Ticket : No

7.1.9. SMK - Statens Museum for Kunst

Taking the visitors on an exciting journey through 700 years of art and its history, Statens Museum for Kunst (SMK) has collections ranging from the Renaissance period to cutting-edge contemporary. The museum contains close to 9,000 paintings and sculptures, approximately 240,000 works of art on paper, and more than 2,600 plaster casts of people from ancient times. It collects, registers and maintains Danish and foreign art dating from the 14th century to present day.

Address : Sølvgade 48-50, 1307 København, Denmark

Zipcode : 1307

Location: 55.6888127, 12.578330300000061

Contact: +45 33 74 84 94

Website: http://www.smk.dk/

Nearest Public Transport : Georg Brandes Plads, Parkmuseerne (Sølvgade) Bus

Station

Entry Fee : Adults: Dkr 110 Under 30: Dkr 85 Under 18: Free 1 adult + 1 child: Dkr 90 Annual pass holders: Free admission Groups (10+): Dkr 100 per person

Open & Close Timing: Tuesday to Sunday: 11:00hrs-17:00hrs Wednesday: 11:00hrs-20:00hrs Monday Closed

Time Required : 2 Buy Ticket : No

7.1.10. Designmuseum Danmark

The Designmuseum Danmark or Danish Museum of Decorative Art is a museum for Danish and international design and crafts. The museum comprises of the

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biggest library for design in Scandinavia along with a medley of Chinese and German porcelain. In 1926, the museum was shifted to its new building, the disused Frederick's Hospital, which was a gift by the banker Emil Glückstadt.

Address : Bredgade 68, 1260 København, Denmark

Zipcode: 1260

Location: 55.6865563, 12.59284219999995

Contact: +45 33 18 56 56

Website: http://designmuseum.dk/

Nearest Public Transport : Fredericiagade (Bredgade) Bus Station

Entry Fee: Tickets: 100 Dkr Students (with valid student ID) and people under 26 years: Free admission Season ticket: 250 Dkr (admits one person) Season ticket: 375 Dkt (admits one person + guest) Groups (minimum 10 persons)/pensioners 70 Dkr

Open & Close Timing: November 1 to April 30: Tuesday to Sunday 11:00hrs-17:00hrs Wednesday 11:00hrs-21:00hrs Monday closed May 1 – October 31: Tuesday to Sunday 10:00hrs-18:00hrs Wednesday 10:00hrs-21:00hrs Monday closed Closed: 1 January, Easter Monday, Whit Monday, 24, 25, 26 and 31 December

Time Required : 2 Buy Ticket : No

7.1.11. Christiansborg Palace

With several of its parts used by the Danish Monarch, Christiansborg Palace is a government building in the hub of Copenhagen and also the seat of Parliament, Prime Minister's Office, and Supreme Court. The main area of the current palace exhibits the historicist Neo-baroque style and was finished in 1928, whereas the chapel is in Neoclassical style and the showgrounds in Baroque style.

Address : Prins Jørgens Gård 1, 1218 København, Denmark

Zipcode: 1218

Location: 55.67674069999999, 12.57911050000007

Contact: +45 33 92 64 92

Website: http://kongeligeslotte.dk/da/slotte-og-haver/christiansborg-slot.html

Nearest Public Transport : Børsen (Børsgade) Bus Station

Entry Fee : Combination Ticket: Adults: Dkr 150 Student: Dkr 125 Child (ages 4

to 17): Dkr 75 Groups (more than 10 persons): Dkr 125 School class: Dkr 900

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Open & Close Timing: Royal reception Rooms, Royal Kitchen and The Ruins: Daily 10:00hrs-17:00hrs (October-April Closed on Mondays) The Royal Stables: Daily 13:30hrs-16:00hrs (October-April Closed on Mondays) Palace Chapel: 10:00hrs-17:00hrs every Sunday, during the Easter holidays (19 - 28 March), the entire month of July and the Autumn holidays (15 - 23 October) 24/12: The palace is closed 25/12: The palace is closed 26/12-29/12: The palace is open 30/12: The Royal Stables are closed 31/12-5/1: The Royal Reception Rooms, The Kitchen and The Royal stables are closed The Ruins are only closed 31/12 & 1/1

Time Required : 2

Expected Wait Time: 10 minutes

Buy Ticket: No

7.1.12. Det Kongelige Bibliotek (The Royal Library)

An enormous library amongst the Nordic countries, Det Kongelige Bibliotek contains innumerable historical treasures and copies of works that were printed in the country dating back to the 17th century. In 1999, Black Diamond was opened beside the old one and was labeled such because of the outside coat of black marble and glass. It also houses a concert hall in addition to the library.

Address: 1219 Copenhagen, Denmark

Zipcode: 1219

Location: 55.6733994, 12.58265879999999

Contact: +45 33 47 47 47

Website: http://www.kb.dk/da/index.html

Nearest Public Transport : Børsen (Slotsholmsgade) Bus Station

Entry Fee: Guided Tours: Monday to Friday until 17:00hrs: 975 Dkr Monday to Friday after 17:00hrs and Saturday: 1.375 Dkr The price includes free access to the exhibitions in The Black Diamond.

Time Required : 1.5 Buy Ticket : No

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7.2. Free

7.2.1. The Marble Church

More popularly known as the Frederik's Church, The Marble Church is celebrated for its beautiful rococo architecture and its characteristic copper green dome which is one of the largest in all of Scandinavia. The church is surrounded by statues of prominent figures including a famous Danish philosopher, which is worth admiring for its history and beautiful design.

Address : Frederiksgade 4, 1265 Copenhagen, Denmark

Zipcode: 1265

Location: 55.6849738999999, 12.589566500000046

Contact: +45 33 15 01 44

Website: http://marmorkirken.dk/

Nearest Public Transport : Fredericiagade (København) Bus Station

Open & Close Timing : Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Saturday: 10:00hrs-17:00hrs Wednesday: 10:00hrs-18:30hrs Friday, Sunday: 12:00hrs-17:00hrs Services on

Sundays and feasts: 10:30hrs

Time Required : 1 Buy Ticket : No

7.2.2. The Little Mermaid

One of the most popular tourist attractions in the city, the bronze statue of The Little Mermaid was created on August 23, 1913, by Carl Jacobsen of Carlsberg as a gift to Copenhagen. Having been placed on a rock by the waterside, the statue is visited by a million visitors every year and is an iconic statue symbolizing the city.

Address : Langelinie, 2100 København Ø, Denmark

Zipcode : 2100

Location: 55.69286, 12.599282799999969

Nearest Public Transport : Indiakaj Bus Station

Open & Close Timing : Open 24 hours

Time Required : 1 Buy Ticket : No

7.2.3. Botanical Garden

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Located in the heart of Copenhagen, the Botanical Garden is spread across 10 hectares housing an impressive collection of living plants and also makes available preserved plants and fungi for research purposes. With more than 13,000 species, the garden has been divided into various sections and also has one of the oldest trees 'Taxodium' from 1806. It is worth an evening stroll, especially during spring and summer.

Address : Øster Farimagsgade 2C, 1353 København K, Denmark

Zipcode : 1353

Location: 55.68740149999999, 12.573058700000047

Contact: +45 35 32 22 22

Website: http://botanik.snm.ku.dk/

Nearest Public Transport : Kommunehospitalet Bus Station

Open & Close Timing: Daily 08.30hrs-18:00hrs (Summer) Daily 08.30hrs-16:00hrs

(Winters)

Time Required : 2 Buy Ticket : No

7.2.4. City Hall Square

Known as the heart of Copenhagen, this square is centrally located and surrounded by notable buildings, famous sculptures, and a line-up of restaurants and bars. It is perfect for shopping or just for a pleasant stroll around the city. Spread over an area of 9,800 square meters, it is one of the largest and most beautiful squares in the city. Occasional outdoor exhibitions and concerts are also held here.

Address : Rådhuspladsen, 1550 Copenhagen, Denmark

Zipcode : 1550

Location: 55.67591419999999, 12.569128399999954

Contact: +45 33 66 25 85

Nearest Public Transport : Rådhuspladsen (København) Bus Station

Open & Close Timing: Open 24 hours

Time Required : 1.5 Buy Ticket : No

7.2.5. Copenhagen Cathedral

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Designated as the National Cathedral of Denmark, the Church of Our Lady is an architectural brilliance and a must-see for all visitors. The church seats more than 1,100 people and the interior is decorated with 12 apostles. This church has one of the largest and oldest bells in Denmark that dates back to 1490. The place has a special ambiance and you will instantly feel the serenity once you enter its premises.

Address : Nørregade 8, 1165 Copenhagen, Denmark

Zipcode: 1165

Location: 55.6793385999999, 12.572358699999995

Contact: +45 33151078

Website: http://domkirken.dk/

Nearest Public Transport : Jarmers Plads Bus Station

Open & Close Timing: Daily 08:00hrs-17:00hrs

Time Required : 1 Buy Ticket : No

7.2.6. Amaliehaven

This so-called petite park was a gift to the city of Copenhagen and is situated between Amalienborg Palace and the waterfront presenting an outstanding view of the city. Founded in 1983, the garden has an extensive variety of plants and flowers as well as a lovely fountain and sculptures. It was designed by the Belgian landscape artist, Jean Delogne, and is embellished with sculptures by an Italian artist, Arnaldo Pomodoro.

Address: Larsens Plads, 1257 København, Denmark

Zipcode: 1257

Location: 55.6835645, 12.595152999999982

Contact: +45 33 95 42 00

Nearest Public Transport : Amalienborg Bus Station

Open & Close Timing: Open 24 hours

Time Required : 2 Buy Ticket : No

7.2.7. St. Ann's Square

Originally a site of a canal, St. Ann's Square today is a key point for relaxation in

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Copenhagen. It has a beautiful centrally located garden and many fine old buildings nearby. Also known as Sankt Annæ Plads, it is a long narrow rectangle with an equestrian statue of Christian X of Denmark facing towards Belgrade.

Address : 1250 København, Denmark

Zipcode: 1250

Location: 55.681633, 12.591357

Nearest Public Transport : Amalienborg Bus Station

Open & Close Timing: Open 24 hours

Time Required : 1 Buy Ticket : No

7.2.8. Amager Strandpark

Located on the island of Amager, Amager Strandpark is a beautiful seaside public park stretching over more than 4 kilometers of white sand beach. The artificial island is separated by a lagoon and can be reached by 3 bridges. The beach has been divided into 2 sections and the marina and lagoon have low water areas as well as deep swimming areas. This man made beach has many kiosks and cafés and also offers various water sporting opportunities.

Address : Amager Strandvej, 2300 København S, Denmark

Zipcode: 2300

Location: 55.654478, 12.649281999999971

Contact: +45 33 66 33 19

Website: http://amager-strand.dk/

Nearest Public Transport : Svend Vonveds Vej Bus Station

Open & Close Timing: Open 24 hours

Time Required : 2 Buy Ticket : No

7.2.9. Roskilde Cathedral

A great tourist attraction and a UNESCO World Heritage Site, Roskilde Cathedral is a grand Gothic as well as Romanesque cathedral made of red bricks and one of the finest architectural monuments in the country. It has tall spires and accommodates a considerable number of graves of many kings and queens. The church experiences over 125,000 visitors annually and also hosts concerts

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throughout the year.

Address : Domkirkepladsen 3, 4000 Roskilde, Denmark

Zipcode: 4000

Location: 55.6426323, 12.080524500000024

Contact: +45 46 35 16 24

Website: http://roskildedomkirke.dk/

Nearest Public Transport : Stændertorvet Bus Station

Open & Close Timing: Open 24 hours

Time Required : 1 Buy Ticket : No

7.2.10. Birger Christensen

One of the best places to buy fur in the world, Birger Christensen offers a plethora of choices in international fashion, guaranteeing that you don't return empty-handed.

Address: Østergade 38, 1100 København K, Denmark

Zipcode: 1100

Location: 55.6796098, 12.5818802

Time Required : o Buy Ticket : No

7.2.11. WAVES

With more than 100 shops, Waves is among the largest shopping centers in the country. It is located in the Greve Municipality and boasts of its wide variety of stores and spacious parking area. Head here to spend your leisure time and also take some souvenirs along with you!

Address : Over Bølgen 2A, 2670 Greve, Denmark

Zipcode: 2670

Location: 55.59813519999999, 12.327561400000036

Time Required : o Buy Ticket : No

7.2.12. Frederiksberg Centret - FRB.C Shopping

Just 15 minutes from the City Hall, Frederiksberg is a big shopping plaza with 60

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diverse shops, a supermarket and a recreational space for children, known as Capella Play Area. The mall is situated in the affluent locality of Frederiksberg near the harbor on the outskirts of Copenhagen.

Address : Falkoner Alle 21, 2000 Frederiksberg, Denmark

Zipcode: 2000

Location: 55.681423, 12.533771900000033

Time Required : o Buy Ticket : No

7.2.13. Stilleben

Here you can choose from a contemporary collection of glassware, artisan jewelry, textiles and handcrafted ceramics by leading international designers. Opened in 2002, Stilleben exudes a sense of style and is visited by a large number of people.

Address: Niels Hemmingsens Gade 3, 1153 København K, Denmark

Zipcode: 1153

Location : 55.6789859999999, 12.57772599999984

Time Required : o Buy Ticket : No

7.2.14. Strøget

Shopping in Copenhagen is majorly centered around Strøget which is the longest pedestrian street in Europe. This premier shopping street runs from Kongens Nytorv till the City Hall Square and is an upbeat melange of shops, brand boutiques, and cafés. This street bustles with international brands and departmental stores making it a great place to indulge in some retail therapy.

Address: Strøget, 1160 København, Denmark

Zipcode: 1160

Location: 55.6786784, 12.577489900000046

Time Required : o Buy Ticket : No

7.2.15. Købmagergade

Yet another popular shopping street in Copenhagen is Købmagergade, which runs in the Old Town and connects Amagertorv to Nørreport station.

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Købmagergade is just as busy as Strøget and draws a lot of shoppers. You can head to the Latin Quarter of the city if you are looking for some trendy clothes stores, as well as new and old books.

Address : Købmagergade, 1150 København K, Denmark

Zipcode : 1150

Location: 55.6809009, 12.577026899999964

Time Required : o Buy Ticket : No

7.2.16. Nyhavn

With a canal stretching from Kongens Nytorv to the harbor, Nyhavn is a vivacious district with a beautiful waterfront. The major highlight of this area are the brightly-colored 17th and 18th-century houses, bars, cafés, and restaurants lined up along the northern side which gives the area an appealing touch whereas the southern side has lavish mansions including the Charlottenborg Palace. There is also the Great Memorial Anchor, a monument commemorating the people who sacrificed their lives during World War II.

Address : Nyhavn, 1051 København K, Denmark

Zipcode : 1051

Location: 55.6808063999999, 12.588068300000032

Nearest Public Transport : Nyhavnsbroen (Holbergsgade) Bus Station Sankt

Annæ Plads, Skuespilhuset Bus Station Open & Close Timing : Open 24 hours

Time Required : 1.5 Buy Ticket : No

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8. Key sites sports & adventure

They say, when in Denmark, you are never more than 50 kms away from the coast. The country is a perfect destination for watersports holidays. It a must-go place for adrenaline junkies as it has many activities in store for them.

• Bungee Jumping -

Address : Refshalevej v. 325 1432 København K

Location: 55.6963678,12.6083151999999

Contact No: +45 5071 0072

Website: http://bungyjump.dk/

Nearest Public Transport : Refshaleøen Bus Station

Entry Fees : Single jump- Dkr 550 Extra jump- Dkr 250

Open / Close Time : Daily 10:00hrs-16:00hrs

Time Required: 3

Københavns Klatrecenter Blocs & Walls -

Address : Refshalevej 163D 1432 København K

Location: 55.6929576,12.6109635999999

Contact No: +45 3257 2500

Website: http://www.blocs-walls.dk/

Nearest Public Transport : Refshaleøen Bus Station

Entry Fees: Adults: Dkr 115 Child: Dkr 60

Open / Close Time : Saturday and Sunday: 10:00hrs-20:00hrs

Time Required : 3

Urban Ranger Camp -

Address : Refshalevej 177, 1432 København, Denmark

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Location: 55.6923119999999,12.6158659999999

Contact No : +45 51 20 77 03

Website: http://urbanrangercamp.dk/?lang=en

Nearest Public Transport : Refshaleøen Bus Station

Entry Fees: Dkr 395 per person

Open / Close Time : Monday to Friday: 09:00hrs-17:00hrs

Time Required: 3



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9. Adventure sports, Local sports, stadiums

The flat landscape and perfectly manicured greens of Copenhagen make the city ideal for playing golf. You will find many golf clubs in the city, one of which is the Copenhagen Golf Club, which is also the oldest golf club in Scandinavia.

• Københavns Golf Klub - Royal Copenhagen Golf Club:

Address: Dyrehaven 2, 2800 Kongens Lyngby, Denmark

Location: 55.802698,12.574021000000016

Contact No: +45 39 63 04 83

Website: http://www.kgkgolf.dk/

Open/Close time : Summer (from 1st April to 31st October) Monday - Thursday 07:00hrs-18:00hrs Friday 7:00hrs-17:00hrs Saturday, Sunday and Holidays 07:00hrs-15:00hrs Winter: (1st November to 31st March) Monday - Friday 10:00hrs-15:00hrs Saturday, Sunday and Holidays Closed

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10. Spas and relaxation

After a long day of sightseeing in Copenhagen, you might want to relax and rejuvenate for the next day. The city offers a range of beauty and health treatments that can be availed at discounted prices if booked in advance.

Arndal:

Address : St. Kongensgade 21, 1264 København, Denmark

Location: 55.6823829,12.585869399999999

Contact No : +45 33 33 02 42 Website : http://arndalspa.dk/

Amazing Space:

Address: Hovedvagtsgade 3, 1103 København, Denmark

Location: 55.68049449999999,12.584329700000012

Contact No: +45 33 33 82 33

Website: http://www.amazing-space.dk/

AC Hotel Bella Sky Copenhagen:

Address : Center Boulevard 5, 2300 København, Denmark

Location: 55.639567,12.578236800000013

Contact No : +45 32 47 30 00

Website: http://www.marriott.com/default.mi

Ni'mat Spa:

Address : Ellehammersvej 20, 2770 Kastrup, Denmark

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Location: 55.6305111,12.650923199999966

Contact No : +45 33 15 89 55 Website : http://nimat.dk/



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11. Events calendar

Month

Events Copenhagen Fashion Week

It is Nordic Region's biggest event held every February and August. Industry movers and shakers get dressed for a week of sartorial extravagance exhibiting more than 2500 collections of Danish and international fashion trends. Copenhagen Puppet Festival

The first Copenhagen puppet festival took place in 2007 and this biannual adult puppet festival showcases the talent of Danish and international puppet artists.

Copenhagen Beer Festival

Copenhagen Beer Festival brings together most epic brewers from around the world paired with incredible live music.
Celebrations include beer tasting and musical extravaganza in the Carlsberg Beer Historic site of Copenhagen. You can taste over 800 types of beer in the festival.
Roskilde Festival

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Cultural Harbour festival

Also known as Kulturhavn, it is a 3-day annual festival of dance, music and theatre held at Islands Brygge Harbour Park. It fills city's waterways with life and activity. It has developed into the nation's largest cultural harbour festival over 14 years with over 100,000 visitors.

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Also known as Kulturnatten, it is a night of adventure and entertainment with over 500 events to indulge in. It is the night where Copenhagen bustles with life, entertainment, experiences and adventures for children and adults of all ages. Tivoli Christmas Market

Just outside the Tivoli amusement park, you will find shops for some old-fashioned festive shopping. Other highlights include fireworks and Christmas cabaret. The entire garden will be full of decorated wooden houses, snow covered trees. Santa's reindeer, Christmas lights and true Nordic Christmas atmosphere.

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12. Key local guides and tours

Copenhagen is small enough to explore by yourself. However, if you are not a big fan of walking alone or you are not very familiar with the good sights, you might like to book a private tour guide. The city has end number of sightseeing tours that allow you to explore city like a local. It has 48 hour hop on hop off tour which you can tailor as per your likes and interests. Also very well-known is the bike tour which goes on for 3 hours and lets you explore the city on cycles. You can get a comprehensive overview of the city in the Copenhagen walking tour, which is also for people who run short on time. For people who like tasting different cuisines, a food tour also takes place here, where you are taken for a short walk through the center to taste and understand the culinary scene of Denmark.

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13. Transportation hubs

Airport: Copenhagen Airport or Kastrup is the main international airport of Copenhagen. You can take a metro from the Metro Station in Terminal 3. It takes 15 minutes and costs DKR 34.50. You might also like a train to downtown Copenhagen. It leaves every 20 minutes from CPH and takes around half an hour. A one-way ticket costs DKR 34.50. Taxis can be had for DKR200 approximately. Railway Station: Copenhagen Central Station is also the largest railway station in the country. It stands just across the street from the Tivoli Gardens in the western part of the city. From here, you can take a metro, bus or taxi to your destination. A two-zone ticket costs DKR 25 approximately.





14. Transportation cost

Copenhagen has an integrated system for metro, trains, buses and taxis. a) Metro: Ranked as one of the best metros in the world, the Copenhagen Metro is in service round the clock. Trains leave every 2-5 minutes and you can use the same ticket on buses and trains in Copenhagen as well. b) Trains The suburbs and the nearby towns of Copenhagen are connected by the red colored 'S' trains. They run between 5 am till 12.30 am. c) Buses Buses in Copenhagen have the same ticketing system as the metro and S trains. The primary buses are A-buses. They serve at all hours and leave every 3-10 minutes. Night buses operate from 1 am till 5 am. d) Taxi The three most popular taxi operators in Copenhagen are Taxa 4x35, Dantaxi and TaxiNord. The minimum fare is Dkr 40 and Dkr 15 for every 1 kilometer thereafter. e) Bikes Copenhagen is among the most bike-friendly cities in the world. Its cycle tracks are extensively used and even other cities are beginning to adopt Copenhagen's biking style and infrastructure. You can easily rent a bike from your hotel or a rental shop. City pass and Copenhagen Card If you want to enjoy unlimited travel on metro, buses and trains in Copenhagen within zones 1-4, you might like getting a City Pass. There are two types of passes: 24-hour pass which costs Dkr 80 for adults and Dkr 40 for children and a 72-hour pass which costs Dkr 200 for adults and Dkr 100 for children. There is a Copenhagen Card too that qualifies you to enter 75 main attractions of Copenhagen free of cost. It also allows discounts on restaurants, shops and car hires in the city. The card can be obtained upon arrival in Copenhagen Airport. A 24 hour pass costs Dkr 380 for adults and Dkr 200 for children whereas a 72 hour pass costs Dkr 530 for adults and Dkr 270 for children.

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15. Baggage allowance

There is no set limit on the amount of luggage you can bring on public transport in Copenhagen. You can take baby prams without any charge on all means of public transportation. Small pets can also travel for free on metro, buses and trains when carried in a bag not bigger than $100 \times 60 \times 30$ cms.



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16. Must try food and local savouries

To describe Danish food in one sentence: It is organic and made of seasonal ingredients. In the past, Danish cuisine was not greatly sought but there has been a drastic change over the years, especially after the opening of 'Noma'. Copenhagen, today, has become a leading gastronomic destination! i) Smørrebrød Smørrebrød, a typical Danish lunch item, is an open faced sandwich and almost every restaurant in Copenhagen serves it. It comes in many varieties (Rullepølse, Røget laks, Stjerneskud etc) and is commonly served with the famous Danish Beer. When in Denmark, you must try it. Schønnemann is the place to go for the best Danish smørrebrød (open sandwiches) and schnapps in Copenhagen. ii) Gule ærter This is a delicious pea soup served with salted pork and vegetables. iii) Brunede kartofler These are caramelized potatoes. They form a popular part of the Christmas dinner in Copenhagen. iv) Akvavit (snaps) Typical Danish herbed spirit made of potatoes and served chilled along with food. v) Æbleflæsk (Apple pork) Originating from the rural Danish country kitchens, Apple Pork is one of the oldest dishes in the Danish cuisine. It is made from three simple ingredients: apples, onions and streaky pork and forms an important part of the Danish Christmas dinner. vi) Øllebrød A delicious pudding made from rye bread, beer and sugar. vii) Boller i karry This is a traditional Danish pork recipe. It is made of meatballs with curry sauce and cucumber salad. It is a hot favourite of Danes of almost all age groups. viii) Rye bread and beer This combination has for thousands of years been a basic part of the daily food consumption in Denmark. Danish Rye bread is less sweet and darker as compared to the rye bread from other Scandinavian countries. The Danish also have an impressive variety of fruit wines and bitters. When in Copenhagen during winters, you must try Gløgg which is a hot spiced punch made from red wine, brandy and sherry or Mjød (mead). For those who are looking out for something non-alcoholic in Copenhagen, the city has the finest cup of hot chocolate or hot Hyldeblomstsaft waiting for you.

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17. Restaurant & Nightlife

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Restaurant Schønnemann:

Address : Hauser Pl. 16, 1127 København K, Denmark

Location: 55.6827558,12.5761542000000

Contact No: +45 33 12 07 85

Website: http://restaurantschonnemann.dk/

Open / Close Time : Monday to Saturday 11:30hrs-17:00hrs Closed on

Sundays

Restaurant Ida Davidsen:

Address : Store Kongensgade 70, 1264 København K, Denmark

Location: 55.6844823000000,12.5879972000000

Contact No : +45 33 91 36 55

Website: http://idadavidsen.dk/

Open / Close Time: Monday to Friday 10.30hrs-17:00hrs

Noma:

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Address : Strandgade 93, 1401 København K, Denmark

Location: 55.677899999999,12.596299999999

Contact No : +45 32 96 32 97 Website : http://noma.dk/

Open / Close Time : Tuesday-Saturday: 12:00hrs-16:00hrs,

19:00hrs-00:30hrs

• Harry's Place and Døp for hotdogs:

Address : Købmagergade 52, 1150 København K

Location: 55.681253,12.57603180000001

Contact No : +45 3020 4025

Website: http://www.xn--dp-lka.dk/

Open / Close Time: Daily 11:00hrs-18:30hrs

Kødbyens Fiskebar:

Address : Flæsketorvet 100, 1711 København, Denmark

Location: 55.6679150999999,12.5592139999999

Contact No : +45 32 15 56 56 Website : http://fiskebaren.dk/

Open / Close Time: Sunday to Thusday: 17:30hrs-00:00hrs Friday and

Saturday: 17:30hrs-02:00hrs

• Restaurant Marv & Ben:

Address : Snaregade 4, 1205 Copenhagen K, Denmark

Location: 55.6773098,12.5769380000000

Contact No: +45 33 91 01 91

Website: http://cargocollective.com/marvogben

Open / Close Time : Tuesday to Saturday: 18:00hrs-00:00hrs

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• Radio:

Address : Julius Thomsens Gade 12, 1632 København, Denmark

Location: 55.682049,12.5543569999999

Contact No: +45 25 10 27 33

Website: http://restaurantradio.dk/

Open / Close Time : Saturday: 12:00hrs-16:00hrs, 17:00hrs-00:00hrs

Tuesday - Thursday: 17:30hrs-00:00hrs Friday: 12:00hrs-16:00hrs,

17:30hrs-00:00hrs Sunday, Monday: Closed

· Bakken:

Address : Flæsketorvet 19, 1711 København, Denmark

Location : 55.668637,12.559746099 Website : http://bakkenkbh.dk/

Open / Close Time : Saturday: 12:00hrs-05:00hrs Thursday, Friday:

17:00hrs-05:00hrs

Culture Box:

Address: Kronprinsessegade 54, 1306 Copenhagen K, Denmark

Location: 55.6863928,12.584025699999984

Contact No: +45 33 32 50 50

Website : http://culture-box.com/

Open / Close Time : 21:00hrs till late. Can vary on special nights.

• Loppen:

Address : Sydområdet 4B, 1., 1440 København, Denmark

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Location: 55.673854,12.5970780000000

Contact No : +45 32 57 84 22 Website : http://loppen.dk/

Open / Close Time : Doors open: Sunday - Thursday: 20:30hrs till late

Friday - Saturday: 21:00hrs till late.

Jolene Bar:

Address : Flæsketorvet 81, 1711 København V, Denmark

Location: 55.667338699999,12.5612284999999

Contact No: +45 35 85 69 60

Open / Close Time : Thursday 20:00hrs-03:00hrs Friday, Saturday

19:00hrs-04:00hrs

• Rust:

Address : Guldbergsgade 8, 2200 København N, Denmark

Location: 55.691235,12.5592894000000

Contact No : +45 35 24 52 00

Website: http://rust.dk/

Open / Close Time : Friday to Saturday 20:30hrs-05:00hrs

• KB18:

Address : Kødboderne 18, 1714 København, Denmark

Location: 55.665985,12.558864999999999

Contact No : +45 33313933 Website : http://kb18.net/

Open / Close Time : Thursday, Friday, Saturday: 21:00hrs-06:00hrs

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18. Average meal cost

Meal at an in expensive restaurant - Dkr 120 Meal at mid-range restaurant (three-course) - Dkr 600 McMeal at McDonalds (or equivalent combo meal) - Dkr 70 Domestic/Imported Beer - Dkr 40 Cappucino - Dkr 33 Coke/Pepsi/water - Dkr 18



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19. Shopping

Copenhagen has Danish design at every corner, a modern take on the cool, open minded spirit and contemporary fashion. It is a shopping haven for the visitors. The main and most visited shopping streets are Strøget and Købmagergade studded with international brands and famous other stores. In Copenhagen you will find both beautiful, classic department stores as well as modern shopping malls offering everything. So far as souvenirs go, don't forget to bring home the world famous 'Danish sweets' like Pålægschokolade (chocolate bread), Flødeboller (chocolate covered marshmallows), and Søemods Bolcher (traditional candy). You may also choose from a nice selection of Christmas ornaments and Porcelain.





20. Tourist benefits

The VAT is 25% and is refundable to non-EU residents. You can get a refund (minus fees) in Denmark if it is the last EU country visited before your return home. To be eligible, you need to spend at least 300 DKR in one shop on one day. You will be given a form and check that need to be stamped by the custom authorities. It can be cashed with two companies: Global Blue Denmark A/S and

Tax Free Worldwide Denmark.



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21. Essential local apps

CPH Airport is the official app of Copenhagen Airport. It is available on both Android and Google Play. Another great mobile application is Mobilbilletter which can be used for finding the ticket price and location the best route for your destination.



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22. Driving

Resident of EU Countries, USA, Canada, or Australia don't need an International License for driving in Copenhagen or Denmark in general. You must carry your actual license along with International License (International Driving Permit), in case you are not from the above mentioned countries.



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23. Travel essentials

The standard electricity supply in Denmark is 220-240 volt, 50 Hz AC and it has its own socket. The Danish standard plug has two round pins. The non-grounded Europlug and Schuko will fit without an adapter. If coming from the United States, you will also need a converter to change the voltage. Electric sockets in Denmark are either the "Type K" or "Type F" although the former is more common. If essential, carry travel adapters for both type of sockets. Also the Voltage supplied in Copenhagen is 220 - 240V. Some devices only work at 110 - 120 V and if that's the case, you might like purchasing a step down transformer. Finding a pharmacy even a 24-hour one should not be a problem in Copenhagen, however if you are on some special medication or are allergic to particular medicines, you should carry your own medication.

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24. Essential clothes

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25. Local currency

The currency in Denmark is Danish Krone (Dkr or DKR). 1 US \$ = 6.53 Dkr.



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26. Change vendor's commission, ATM charges

Money exchange is not hard in Denmark as there are numerous banks and exchange kiosks. There are places that accept Euros and USDs and give back the change in Kroners. This is not the best way to transact in Copenhagen as the exchange rate won't be to your benefit. It is generally cheaper to withdraw money from an ATM and it can be easily located in the city. Please confirm with your bank if they charge any fee for cash withdrawal overseas. Visa and Mastercard are widely accepted in Copenhagen with one exception. Supermarkets, however, usually accept only Danish cards. Banks are open from 10 am till 4pm, Monday to Friday. Be careful while paying with a foreign Credit Card in Copenhagen. Most shops charge a fee of 2-3% on credit cards, often without telling the customers. Most banks in Copenhagen will charge you a fee for ATM withdrawals (5-10% usually) in addition to the fee charged by your banks. Kindly check with your bank for the same.

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27. Staying connected

It is easy to connect to the Internet in Copenhagen. The S-trains serving the city have free Wi-Fi, for which you only need to have registered with Gratis Danmark beforehand to access. McDonalds, other chains and petrol stations offer Wi-Fi too, but usually for a nominal fee. There are also many internet cafés and libraries that allow tourists to connect. There are several Wi-Fi spots in the city and also you can get free Wi-Fi in most hotels and hostels in Copenhagen. There are 4 major mobile network providers in Denmark: ● TDG ● Telenor ● Telia ● 3(Tre) The coverage is good for all networks in the country. You may get a new SIM card for around Dkr 30 - Dkr 50 with the same amount credited to you. You can also use any data plans which cost around Dkr 100 for 5 GB of data.

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28. Time Zone

Copenhagen falls in CET (UTC/GMT +1 hour). The daylight saving time is in effect from March to October.



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29. Languages

The official language of Copenhagen is Danish. English is very common as a second language. German is also spoken.



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30. Political Scenario

Denmark has a one-chamber parliament called Folketinget. It comprises of 179 members and is based in Copenhagen in the Christiansborg Palace. The municipal council of Copenhagen has 55 representatives and is chaired by the Lord Mayor. The members are elected every 4 years and they hold weekly meetings around topics of employment, health care, finance, social services, leisure

etc.



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31. Economic Scenario

Copenhagen is among the key financial centres of Northern Europe. The city has a healthy economy with a long term stable growth and low rate of unemployment. Income per capita is above the national average and the city accounts for as much as 40% of Denmark's total output. Tourism also plays an important role in the city's economy. The city has ambitious targets and aims to

be carbon neutral by the end of 2025.



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32. Religious belief

Christianity (Evangelical Lutheran followed by 95%) is the most prominent religion in Copenhagen. Protestants and Roman Catholics form the next 3%. Remaining 2% of the total population are muslims. Although Denmark is not exactly a secular country, most Danes consider themselves to be secular.



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33. Visa requirements

Visa is not required for entry into Denmark if one is a citizen of a Nordic country or EU/ EEA country. It is advisable to keep 2 pages free in your passport for arrival and departure stamps. In certain cases, it has been observed that applying and receiving a visa can be a process of 20-30 days. Hence, it is essential that you check the timeline with the relevant authority in the country where you intend to make the visa application. In addition to this, there are several countries that are exempt from a VISA requirement for Denmark, which are listed at: https://www.nyidanmark.dk/en-us/coming_to_dk/visa/need_visa/who_needs_visa.htm



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34. Essential vaccination

In general, no special immunizations or medications are necessary for travel to Denmark. Because of a recent increase in measles cases, all travelers born after 1956 should make sure they have had either two documented measles immunizations or a blood test showing measles immunity. Vaccinations: Measles, mumps, rubella (MMR): Two doses recommended for all travelers born after 1956, if not previously given Tetanus-diphtheria: Revaccination recommended every 10 years Influenza: Recommended for all travelers from November through April

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35. Theft and Safety

Denmark is a very safe country and there are very few incidents of theft or violent crime. You should not face any problems, although it is good to exercise a little caution in crowded areas. Copenhagen is considered one of the safest cities in Europe. There have been some cases of gang violence recently, but those have never been targeted at tourists. Exercise your common sense, avoid abandoned or poorly-lit areas at night and always take care of your belongings. Try to stay away from the Nørrebro neighborhood (or "little Arabia") at night – this is the main hub of gang-related conflicts. There may be peddlers and various gamblers on the pedestrian streets – never engage them, you will lose your money for sure. The tap water is safe to drink in Denmark.

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36. Embassy/Consulate

Several countries have their consulates in Copenhagen. If you want to check if your country has representation in Copenhagen, visit: http://embassy.goabroad.com/embassies-in/denmark



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37. Accessibility

The city of Copenhagen is well-prepared for the disabled. Many sites are wheelchair-accessible, except for a few shops may which may be hard to get to. Visit the tourist office opposite the main station for a brochure with extensive information regarding accessibility in Copenhagen.



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38. Emergencies

Citizens of EU with compulsory health insurance are covered for medical expenses which are reimbursed to you if you present a European Health Insurance Card (EHIC) to the medical practitioner. Visitors who come from a country outside of the EU are advised to take out a valid, private medical insurance to cover medical expenses in Copenhagen. Bispebjerg Hospital (55.712854, 12.541008) is one major hospital in Copenhagen and also has a 24-hour emergency ward. Emergency numbers: Emergency assistance: 112 Police assistance: 114



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39. Do's and Don'ts

Dos • Do carry your passport • Do carry your ID at all times • Do rent a bike when in Copenhagen. That is the most 'local' way to get around and explore the city. • Do visit the museums. The Danish collections are amazing. • It is advisable to carry a certified doctor's prescription along with the medicines to ensure hassle free import clearance. • It is advisable that do not carry unsealed/unbranded food articles as the same may be banned for import. Don'ts • Do not forget to carry an umbrella with you. The weather in Copenhagen is changeable and you can get totally soaked in no time. • Do not walk in the bicycle lanes. • Do not mock at the royal family as this can cause great offense. • Do not enter into discussions about religion. • Avoid dark/ unlit places, especially if you are alone.

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40. Tipping basics

Service charges are included in the bill. If you have been really satisfied with the service, rounding up the bill is always appreciated. Most restaurants and bars in Copenhagen add a service charge to your bill, so tipping is not necessary. You may round up the payable amount. It is common to tip taxi drivers 10% over the fare.



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41.Pet info

A lot of Danes have pets, especially dogs and you should not have problems with finding accommodation that suits your pets or other facilities which may be required when traveling with pets. Denmark has similar regulations on pets as other EU nations like vaccination for pets with microchip tagging that has to be done at least 21 days before entry into Denmark. For pets coming from countries with high incidence of rabies, it is very important that the pets pass the titer test. Unvaccinated pets cannot enter Denmark and since Rabies vaccination cannot be given before 12 weeks, the youngest a puppy can enter Denmark is 3 months and 22 days. Some dog breeds are not permitted in Denmark.

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Conclusion - Why to select this destination

Beautiful cobbled streets, cultural attractions, quirky boutiques, extensive art collections, buzzing nightlife, jazz music festivals, modern Nordic food and what not - Copenhagen has a lot to keep the tourists busy. The city is a perfect mix of historic and modern. Its ancient and new world architecture can be seen in its numerous castles, museums, historic buildings and churches. The city also has a good number of parks and harbours to entertain its guests all round the year. Copenhagen is one of the most user-friendly capitals in the entire Europe and promises an unforgettable adventure for young and old alike. It is compact and extremely easy to navigate and you shouldn't have much trouble walking around.

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