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1. Geographical location

Covering an area of 686 square kilometers at an elevation of 26 m above sea level, Helsinki is located at the tip of the southern peninsula on the shore of the Gulf of Finland. A number of islands, peninsulas and bays constitute Helsinki. More than 14,000 hectares of marine fishing waters lie close to the capital region.



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2. Neighbouring cities/countries

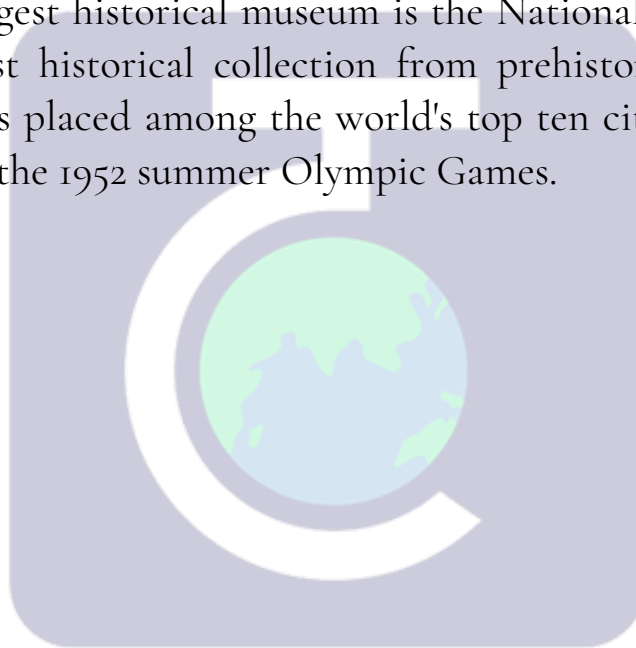
Major Finnish Cities Lying Near To Helsinki Include Espoo, Vantaa, Hyvinkaa, Turku, And Uusikaupunki. The Surrounding Finnish Regions Are Tavastia Proper And Its Capital Hameenlinna On The North, Eastern Uusimaa And Its Capital Porvoo On The East, Päijätne Tavastia And Its Capital Lahti On The Northeast, And Southwest Finland And Its Capital Salo On The West. The City Of Tallinn In Estonia Faces The City Across The Sea From The South. The Neighboring Countries Of The City Include Estonia, Sweden, And Russia.



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3. Significance

Leading seaport and industrial city of the nation, the capital of Finland, offers lots to see, do and experience for visitors of all ages. Helsinki has theatres, an opera and ballet company, and several symphony orchestras. The Helsinki Festival is a yearly expressions and culture celebration, which happens each August. Helsinki is home to numerous art influenced buildings of the romantic nationalism. The biggest historical museum is the National Museum of Finland, which displays a vast historical collection from prehistoric times to the 21st century. Helsinki was placed among the world's top ten cities in 2015 to live in. Helsinki was host to the 1952 summer Olympic Games.



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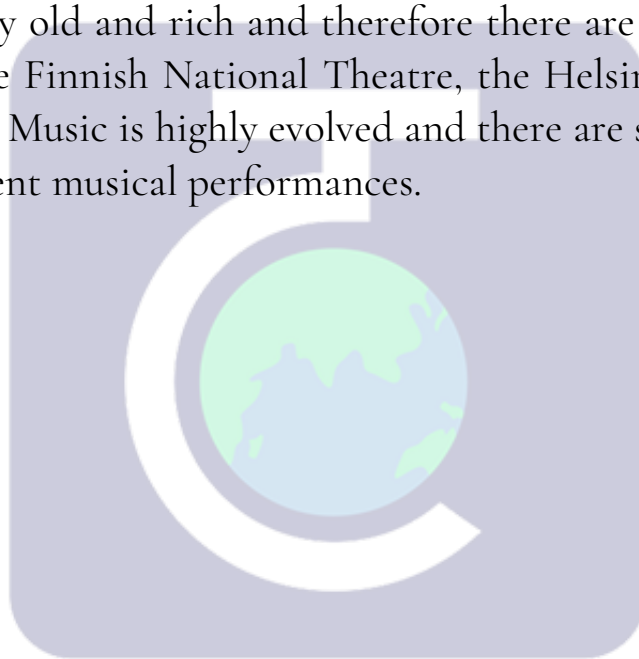
4. History

The city of Helsinki was founded by Swedish ruler Gustavus Vasa on the mouth of river Vantaanjoki in 1550 in as a rival to Tallinn for Baltic Sea Trade. Sweden began construction of Soumenlinna maritime fortress in 1748 as defence against Russian onslaught. Besides countering Russian threat it brought immense prosperity and traders to this city. Post Russian occupation of Finland, in 1809, Helsinki was rebuilt with several opulent buildings being constructed. Rather these monuments show clear influence of regional cultures and religion that have developed over the ages. Following World Wars, Helsinki was a host to Summer Olympics in 1952 which brought international appreciation to Helsinki. The city has also hosted several international summits and conferences and is considered an ideal ground for peace talks.



5. Cultural identity

Helsinki has several Museums and Art galleries in the city. The most important museum is the National Museum of Finland which has wide collections of things dating back to pre-historic times. The museum itself is designed in Neo-medieval style and is a major tourist hub. The Design Museum is also a major attraction as it displays Finnish and other foreign designs including fashion and graphics. The theatre culture is very old and rich and therefore there are many theatre groups and theatres like The Finnish National Theatre, the Helsinki City Theatre and the Swedish Theatre. Music is highly evolved and there are several opera theatres which hold magnificent musical performances.



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6. Natural resources

It has a rich reserve of natural resources and that includes timber, iron ore, copper, lead, zinc, chromite, nickel, gold, silver, and limestone. It has a variety of flora and fauna.



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7. Key site seeing places (paid and free)

7.1. Paid

7.1.1. Suomenlinna

An inhabited sea fortress established on 6 islands, Suomenlinna is a UNESCO World Heritage Site frequented by locals as well as tourists. Also known as Sveaborg, it was built as a protection against Russian expansionism, but today this destination serves as an amazing weekend or a day getaway. This is a popular tourist attraction which is just a ferry ride away from Helsinki and should definitely be on your list while visiting this enchanting city.

Address : 00190 Helsinki, Finland

Zipcode : 00190

Location : 60.14539999999999, 24.9881401

Contact : +358 29 5338410

Website : <http://www.suomenlinna.fi/>

Nearest Public Transport : Suomenlinna, huoltol Ferry Terminal

Entry Fee : Guided Tours: Adults: €11 Children: €4 Groups: Adults: €700 Children: €560

Open & Close Timing : Suomenlinna Museum: 10:30hrs-16:30hrs Manège of the Military Museum: 11:00hrs-18:00hrs Toy Museum: 11:00hrs-16:00hrs

Time Required : 2.5

Expected Wait Time : 5 minutes

Buy Ticket : No

7.1.2. Ateneum

With an envious collection from classical to contemporary Finnish art, the Ateneum is the most popular art museum in Helsinki. For an art connoisseur, the ultimate treasure here is Vincent Van Gogh's 'Street in Auvers-sur-Oise' which became a part of the museum's international collection in 1903.

Address : Kaivokatu 2, 00100 Helsinki, Finland

Zipcode : 00100

Location : 60.1701774, 24.9440924

Contact : +358 (0)294 500 401

Website : <http://www.ateneum.fi/>

Nearest Public Transport : Rautatientori Bus Station

Entry Fee : Normal Admission: €15 Discount Admission: €13 Under 18 years: Free admission S Privilege Card Holders: €14

Open & Close Timing : Tuesday to Friday: 10:00hrs-18:00hrs Wednesday and Thursday: 10:00hrs-20:00hrs Saturday and Sunday: 10:00hrs-17:00hrs Monday Closed

Time Required : 2

Expected Wait Time : 10 minutes

Buy Ticket : No

7.1.3. Kiasma

With the main aim of making contemporary art famous, Kiasma exhibits artwork which belongs to the Finnish National Gallery. Housing works of over 4,000 artists, the museum opened in 1998 and attracts thousands of visitors annually.

Address : Mannerheiminaukio 2, 00100 Helsinki, Finland

Zipcode : 00100

Location : 60.1720037, 24.9366797

Contact : +358 0294 500 501

Website : <http://www.kiasma.fi/>

Nearest Public Transport : Postitalo Bus Station

Entry Fee : Tickets: Adults: €14 Concessions (students, pensioners, conscripts, non-military servicemen): €12 Children below 18 years of age, 1st Friday of the month: Free admission

Open & Close Timing : Tuesday: 10:00hrs-17:00hrs Wednesday to Friday: 10:00hrs-20:30hrs Saturday: 10:00hrs-18:00hrs Sunday: 10:00hrs-17:00hrs Monday Closed

Time Required : 2

Expected Wait Time : 10 minutes

Buy Ticket : No

7.1.4. The National Museum of Finland

A millennium of Finnish history illustrated through an amazing collection of objects and artefacts ranging from the Stone Age to the 19th century makes this national museum every history lover's paradise in Finland. The museum building

itself is an architectural marvel, giving visitors the perfect welcome to its world from the past.

Address : Mannerheimintie 34, 00100 Helsinki, Finland

Zipcode : 00100

Location : 60.1749786, 24.9316106

Contact : +358 29 5336000

Website : <http://www.kansallismuseo.fi/fi/kansallismuseo>

Nearest Public Transport : Kansallismuseo Light Rail Station

Entry Fee : Adults: €10 With S Privilege Card: €9 Reduced Ticket: €7 Under 18 years: Free admission Special Exhibition (The Renaissance): Adults: €15 With S privilege card: €14 Reduced ticket: €11 With Museumcard and Helsinki card: €5

Open & Close Timing : Tuesday to Sunday: 12:00hrs-16:00hrs

Time Required : 2

Expected Wait Time : 10 minutes

Buy Ticket : No

7.1.5. Korkeasaari

Home to the Helsinki Zoo which is the biggest in the country, the Korkeasaari Island offers unlimited natural delights to visitors with its extensive collection of flora and fauna. The night walks that are held twice or thrice in a year offer rare opportunities to spot the nocturnal creatures of the zoo.

Address : Mustikkamaanpolku 12, Korkeasaari, 00270 Helsinki, Finland

Zipcode : 00270

Location : 60.1749718999999, 24.9860535

Contact : +358 (09) 310 37409

Website : <http://www.korkeasaari.fi/helsinki-zoo/>

Nearest Public Transport : Korkeasaari Bus Station (Not Recommended)

Entry Fee : 1-day ticket Adults: €12 Child under 4 years: Free admission Child 4-17 years: €6 Student, senior: €8 Group ticket (2 Adults + 4 to 17 children): €36

Open & Close Timing : October to March: 10:00hrs-16:00hrs April, September: 10:00hrs-18:00hrs May to August: 10:00hrs-20:00hrs

Time Required : 2

Expected Wait Time : 5 minutes

Buy Ticket : No

7.1.6. Mannerheim Museum

Mannerheim Museum is exclusively dedicated to the memory of Finnish statesman, Carl Gustaf Emil Mannerheim. The museum displays a notable collection of his personal items like medals, honors, books, gifts, portraits and much more. The rooms and furnishings of his house are preserved and exhibited in its original state to reflect the life of this renowned military officer.

Address : Kallioliinantie 14, 00140 Helsinki, Finland

Zipcode : 00140

Location : 60.158838, 24.960283

Contact : +358 9 635443

Website : <http://www.mannerheim-museo.fi/>

Nearest Public Transport : Olympiaterminaali Bus Station

Entry Fee : Adults: €10 Children under 12 years: Free admission Pensioners, students and groups of over 10 persons: €10 Special Tours (Wednesday and Thursday): Groups of 1 to 10 persons: €240 Groups of more than 10 persons: €24 per person

Open & Close Timing : Friday to Sunday: 11:00hrs-16:00hrs Tours for groups can be arranged by appointment on Wednesdays and Thursdays.

Time Required : 2

Expected Wait Time : 10 minutes

Buy Ticket : No

7.1.7. Natural History Museum of Helsinki

This museum in Helsinki can make you time travel from a summer archipelago to a wintry zone in Lapland through its exhibits that show a great diversity of nature. Various categories of exhibitions are lined up, each being a part of various activities and themes where few display the course of evolution whereas the others talk about the secrets of bones. It is an extensive collection of taxidermy models and geological items and is a must-visit for people of all ages.

Address : Pohjoinen Rautatiekatu 13, 00100 Helsinki, Finland

Zipcode : 00100

Location : 60.171412, 24.9312608

Contact : +358 29 4128800

Website : <https://www.luomus.fi/fi/luonnontieteellinen-museo>

Nearest Public Transport : Pohj. Rautatiekatu Bus Station

Entry Fee : Adults: €13 Children (7–17 years): €6 Discount groups: €8 Family Ticket (max 2 adults and 1 to 4 children): €32 Groups of 10 or more adults: €8 per person Kindergarten, daycare and school groups (of under 18-year-olds): €4 per person

Open & Close Timing : Winter: Tuesday, Wednesday, and Friday: 09:00hrs-16:00hrs Thursday: 09:00hrs-18:00hrs Saturday and Sunday: 10:00hrs-16:00hrs Monday Closed Summer: Tuesday to Thursday: 10:00hrs-18:00hrs Friday to Sunday: 10:00hrs-17:00hrs Monday Closed

Time Required : 2

Expected Wait Time : 10 minutes

Buy Ticket : No

7.1.8. Design Museum Helsinki

Housed in a neo-Gothic building, this is a unique museum that exhibits the design history of Finland and other countries. Embracing all aspects of design to cover industrial, handicraft, fashion, and graphic art, the museum has an impressive collection of drawings and objects that reflect the design concepts of the 19th century to the present day.

Address : Korkeavuorenkatu 23, 00130 Helsinki, Finland

Zipcode : 00130

Location : 60.16309099999999, 24.946493

Contact : +358 9 6220540

Website : <http://www.designmuseum.fi/fi/>

Nearest Public Transport : Johanneskyrkan Light Rail Station

Entry Fee : Adults: €10 Pensioners: €8 Students: €5

Open & Close Timing : Winter: Tuesday: 11:00hrs-20:00hrs Wednesday to Sunday: 11:00hrs-18:00hrs Monday Closed Summer: Daily 11:00hrs-18:00hrs

Time Required : 1.5

Expected Wait Time : 5 minutes

Buy Ticket : No

7.1.9. Sinebrychoff Art Museum

Masterpieces of Old European Masters are carefully preserved in this museum. History lovers and art buffs have plenty to explore amid the vast collection of paintings, porcelain, silver, and miniatures.

Address : Bulevardi 40, 00120 Helsinki, Finland

Zipcode : 00120

Location : 60.1625196, 24.9325427

Contact : +358294 500 460

Website : <http://www.sinebrychoffintaidemuseo.fi/>

Nearest Public Transport : Hietalahdentori Light Rail Station

Entry Fee : €12/ €10 Children under 18 years: Free admission Free admission on the 1st Wednesday of the month at 17:00hrs-20:00hrs Free admission to the House Museum on the 2nd floor!

Open & Close Timing : Tuesday and Thursday to Friday: 11:00hrs-18:00hrs Wednesday: 11:00hrs-20:00hrs Saturday and Sunday: 10:00hrs-17:00hrs

Time Required : 1.5

Expected Wait Time : 5 minutes

Buy Ticket : No

7.1.10. Museum of Finnish Architecture

Being the second oldest museum in the world dedicated to architecture, the Museum of Finnish Architecture offers a journey to the architectural glory of the country through a series of drawings, photographs, and architectural scale models. The organized exhibitions showcase foreign architecture along with national architectural marvels.

Address : Kasarmikatu 24, 00130 Helsinki, Finland

Zipcode : 00130

Location : 60.1631599, 24.9478066

Contact : +358 9 85675100

Website : <http://www.mfa.fi/>

Nearest Public Transport : Johanneskyrkan Light Rail Station

Entry Fee : Adults: €10 Students: €5 Design Museum combi-ticket: €12 Children under 18: Free admission Museum Card: €59 Guided Tours: Weekdays: €60 Weekends: €90

Open & Close Timing : Tuesday to Sunday: 11:00hrs-18:00hrs Wednesday:

11:00hrs-20:00hrs

Time Required : 2

Expected Wait Time : 10 minutes

Buy Ticket : No

7.1.11. Tropicario

A unique aquarium for reptiles, this place is claimed to have the largest collection of constrictors in Scandinavia. The glass walls of the terrariums that house a vast collection of snakes and lizards offer a thrilling opportunity to meet the most venomous snakes and intriguing species of lizards.

Address : Sturenkatu 27, 00510 Helsinki, Finland

Zipcode : 00510

Location : 60.1936842999999, 24.9563723999999

Contact : +358 9 750076

Website : <http://www.tropicario.com/>

Nearest Public Transport : Elimäenkatu Bus Station

Entry Fee : Adults: €13 Children (4 to 14 years): €8 Students, pensioned, special groups: €10 Family Tickets (2 adults + 2 children): €38; Following child: €6 per child Group Tickets (Minimum 15 persons): Adults: €11 Children (4 to 14 years): €6 Students, pensioned, special groups: €8

Open & Close Timing : Daily 10:00hrs-19:00hrs

Time Required : 2

Expected Wait Time : 10 minutes

Buy Ticket : No

7.1.12. Helsinki Art Museum

This museum, popularly known as HAM, acts as the caretaker of the city's artworks that are displayed all over Helsinki in public places like parks, roads, schools, offices, and libraries. The museum is practically all over the city while the building that houses the official museum has permanent exhibitions for contemporary art.

Address : Eteläinen Rautatiekatu 8, 00100 Helsinki, Finland

Zipcode : 00100

Location : 60.1697236, 24.930237

Contact : +358 9 31087001

Website : <https://www.hamhelsinki.fi/>

Nearest Public Transport : Kamppi (M) Bus Station

Entry Fee : Normal: €10 Reduced: €8 Children (under 18 years): Free admission

Museum Card: €59

Open & Close Timing : Tuesday to Sunday: 11:00hrs-19:00hrs Monday Closed

Time Required : 2

Expected Wait Time : 10 minutes

Buy Ticket : No

7.1.13. Finnish National Theatre

With 4 permanent stages, this is the oldest theater in Finland that organizes theatrical performances in the Finnish language. For those looking for an evening of art and entertainment, the Club Scene in the theater offers soirees, discussions, drama, poetry nights, and much more.

Address : Läntinen Teatterikuja 1, 00100 Helsinki, Finland

Zipcode : 00100

Location : 60.1725226, 24.9438176999999

Contact : +358 107 3311

Website : <http://www.kansallisteatteri.fi/>

Nearest Public Transport : Helsingin päärautatieasema Train Station

Open & Close Timing : Monday to Saturday: 09:00hrs-19:00hrs

Time Required : 1.5

Expected Wait Time : 10 minutes

Buy Ticket : No

7.1.14. Tamminiemi

Once a presidential residence, this beautiful villa is currently Urho Kekkonen Museum dedicated to the President Urho Kekkonen who had lived here for 3 decades. The beachside park estate where the preserved house is located also comprises of a famous sauna facing the sea.

Address : Seurasaarentie 15, 00250 Helsinki, Finland

Zipcode : 00250

Location : 60.1831024, 24.8860495

Contact : +358 9 40509650

Website : <http://www.kansallismuseo.fi/fi/tamminiemi>

Nearest Public Transport : Heikinniementie Bus Station

Entry Fee : Adults: €9 Reduced ticket: €6 Children (7 to 17 years): €3 Family ticket: €20 Children below 7 years: Free admission Joint ticket with Seurasaari

Open-Air Museum: Adults: €10 Children (7 to 17 years): €4 Family ticket: €25

Open & Close Timing : Wednesday to Sunday: 11:00hrs-17:00hrs

Time Required : 2

Expected Wait Time : 10 minutes

Buy Ticket : No

7.1.15. Seurasaari Open-Air Museum

Located on a picturesque island, the open-air museum is made up of transplanted wooden structures that complete the idyllic atmosphere of the forested region. The mid-summer bonfire is a visual treat that can be enjoyed in the landscape of the island as well as from boats in the waters around.

Address : Seurasaari, 00250 Helsinki, Finland

Zipcode : 00250

Location : 60.18298, 24.8860198999999

Contact : +358 9 40509660

Website : <http://www.kansallismuseo.fi/fi/seurasaari>

Nearest Public Transport : Seurasaari Bus Station

Entry Fee : Adults: €6 to €9 Reduced ticket: €6 Children (7 to 17 years): €3

Family ticket: €20 Children under 7 years (when accompanied by an adult): Free admission

Open & Close Timing : Daily 11:00hrs-17:00hrs

Time Required : 2

Expected Wait Time : 5 minutes

Buy Ticket : No

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7.2. Free

7.2.1. Linnanmaki

Fuel your adrenaline at Linnanmaki while in Helsinki, by experiencing a wide selection of rides ranging from scary to easy-going. The 65-year-old roller coaster is the major highlight of the park along with many diverse arcade rooms with latest games. With a good location and great atmosphere, this park is a favorite among locals and tourists and is well-equipped with thrilling rides.

Address : Tivolikuja 1, 00510 Helsinki, Finland

Zipcode : 00510

Location : 60.1881704, 24.940430300000003

Contact : +358 20 385 677

Website : <http://www.linnanmaki.fi/>

Nearest Public Transport : Kulttuuritalo Bus Station

Open & Close Timing : Hours of operations vary depending on the day of the week/month. The park usually opens at 11:00hrs and closes anywhere between 20:00hrs-23:00hrs depending on the day of the week. It is advisable to check the same once you finalize the day of visit.

Time Required : 12

Expected Wait Time : 10 minutes

Buy Ticket : No

7.2.2. Temppeliaukio Church

Built into a rock, this Lutheran Church is also called the Rock Church and is an architectural delight complete with a skylight on the copper dome for letting natural light in. The raw and unpolished interiors offer the best acoustics for concerts.

Address : Lutherinkatu 3, 00100 Helsinki, Finland

Zipcode : 00100

Location : 60.17297549999999, 24.92516369999999

Contact : +358 9 23406320

Nearest Public Transport : Sammonkatu Light Rail Station

Open & Close Timing : Daily 10:00hrs-17:00hrs

Time Required : 0.5

Expected Wait Time : 5 minutes

Buy Ticket : No

7.2.3. Senate Square

A historically and politically significant city center surrounded by landmarks and old buildings, the Senate Square presents the brilliant mastery of the renowned architect, Carl Ludwig Engel. The square is a favorite venue for art performances and quite popular among history and heritage lovers from all over the world.

Address : 00170 Helsinki, Finland

Zipcode : 00170

Location : 60.1694794, 24.9522865999999

Contact : +358 9 31013300

Website : <http://www.hel.fi/www/helsinki/fi>

Nearest Public Transport : Senaatintori Light Rail Station

Open & Close Timing : Open 24 hours

Time Required : 0.5

Buy Ticket : No

7.2.4. Seurasaari

Mainly known for the open-air museum that the island houses, Seurasaari is a favorite spot for the city dwellers to get away from the city's conundrum. The greenery and the wildlife offer a refreshing escape in a rural setting. The nudist beach in this island is also quite popular.

Address : Seurasaari, 00250 Helsinki, Finland

Zipcode : 00250

Location : 60.1814921, 24.8840972

Nearest Public Transport : Seurasaari Bus Station

Open & Close Timing : Open 24 hours

Time Required : 1

Buy Ticket : No

7.2.5. Uspenski Cathedral

Overlooking the city from a hill, this Eastern Orthodox cathedral houses precious icons. Russian flavor is visible in each element of the church with its deep red

walls, and green and gold onion domes. Marvel at the Golden cupolas and redbrick facade of one of the largest Orthodox churches in Western Europe.

Address : Kanavakatu 1, 00160 Helsinki, Finland

Zipcode : 00160

Location : 60.1685436, 24.959949999999999

Contact : +358 9 85646100

Nearest Public Transport : Tove Janssonin p. Light Rail Station

Open & Close Timing : Daily 12:00hrs-15:00hrs

Time Required : 0.5

Buy Ticket : No

7.2.6. Market Square

To those who want to relish Finnish food and get some souvenirs, the Market Square presents the regional spirit of the city. Check out the display of antique American cars held on the first Friday of each month.

Address : Eteläranta, 00170 Helsinki, Finland

Zipcode : 00170

Location : 60.1676653, 24.9536778

Contact : +358 9 31023565

Nearest Public Transport : Kauppatori Light Rail Station

Open & Close Timing : Monday to Friday: 06:30hrs-18:00hrs Saturday: 06:30hrs-16:00hrs Summer season: Daily 10:00hrs-17:00hrs

Time Required : 0.5

Buy Ticket : No

7.2.7. Helsingin Päärautatieasema

An architectural journey is assured at the Central Railway Station with its Finnish granite covering, clock tower, and the spherical lamps held by statues that guard the entrance to the station. The green top of the clock tower makes it a distinguishing element of the whole structure.

Address : Kaivokatu 1, 00100 Helsinki, Finland

Zipcode : 00100

Location : 60.1718729, 24.941421699999999

Contact : +358 600 41902

Nearest Public Transport : Rautatientorin metroasema Subway Station

Open & Close Timing : Open 24 hours

Time Required : 0.5

Buy Ticket : No

7.2.8. Sibelius Monument

Commemorating the Finnish composer, Jean Sibelius, the monument is an abstract sculpture of hollow steel pipes that are woven to resemble an organ. Situated at the Sibelius Park, this sculpture by the Finnish artist, Eila Hiltunen is also called Passio Musicae.

Address : Sibeliuksen puisto, Mechelininkatu, 00250 Helsinki, Finland

Zipcode : 00250

Location : 60.1821132, 24.9134219999999

Contact : +358 9 31087041

Nearest Public Transport : Rajasaarentie Bus Station

Open & Close Timing : Open 24 hours

Time Required : 0.5

Buy Ticket : No

7.2.9. Helsinki Cathedral

A popular landmark accentuating the cityscape, this Finnish Evangelical Lutheran cathedral with its green domes border the Senate Square. The Neoclassical structure designed by Carl Ludvig Engel houses a cylindrical pulpit along with zinc statues of the Twelve Apostles placed at the apexes and corners of the roofline, which are a spectacle to behold.

Address : Unioninkatu 29, 00170 Helsinki, Finland

Zipcode : 00170

Location : 60.1704191, 24.9521651

Contact : +358 1 019 0071

Website : <http://www.helsinginseurakunnat.fi/>

Nearest Public Transport : Hallituskatu Light Rail Station

Open & Close Timing : Monday to Friday: 08:00hrs-16:00hrs

Time Required : 0.5

Expected Wait Time : 5 minutes

Buy Ticket : No

7.2.10. Finlandia Hall

The impressive hall is the most sought after venue for meetings, exhibitions, festivals, concerts, and international congresses. The architectural elements attract thousands of visitors who explore the piazza, various halls, auditorium, galleries, and restaurants that the main building houses.

Address : Mannerheimintie 13e, 00100 Helsinki, Finland

Zipcode : 00100

Location : 60.1756992, 24.93360919999999

Contact : +358 9 40241

Website : <https://www.finlandiatalo.fi/fi>

Nearest Public Transport : Kansallismuseo Light Rail Station

Open & Close Timing : Monday to Friday: 09:00hrs-19:00hrs

Time Required : 0.5

Buy Ticket : No

7.2.11. The Parliament House

An impressive medley of various architectural styles, the Parliament House with its columns and balusters offers a sober vision. Guided tours take the visitors to 5 unique floors with white marble staircase and paternoster lifts.

Address : Mannerheimintie 30, 00100 Helsinki, Finland

Zipcode : 00100

Location : 60.17257, 24.93297529999999

Website : <https://www.eduskunta.fi/fi/Sivut/default.aspx>

Nearest Public Transport : Kansallismuseo Bus Station

Open & Close Timing : Open 24 hours

Time Required : 1

Buy Ticket : No

7.2.12. Finnish National Gallery

With an aim to preserve and develop the cultural heritage of Finland, the Finnish National Gallery functions as an important art museum institution which is the largest of its kind in the country. The large collection of art and archival

materials offer plenty of objects for research and information gathering.

Address : Kaivokatu 2, 00100 Helsinki, Finland

Zipcode : 00100

Location : 60.1702663, 24.9439624

Contact : +358 9 173361

Website : <http://www.kansallisgalleria.fi/en/>

Nearest Public Transport : Mikonkatu Light Rail Station

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

Time Required : 1.5

Buy Ticket : No

7.2.13. Hietaniemi Cemetery

The political and military history of early and mid 20th-century Finland is buried in the tombs and graves of the Hietaniemi Cemetery. The picturesque landscape lends an ethereal aura to the somber atmosphere where lie the war heroes and statesmen of the country.

Address : Hietaniemenkatu 20, 00100 Helsinki, Finland

Zipcode : 00100

Location : 60.1708088, 24.9145886999999

Nearest Public Transport : Vainämöinenplanen Bus Station

Open & Close Timing : Open 24 hours

Time Required : 1

Buy Ticket : No

7.2.14. Old Church

This Evangelical Lutheran Church is a wooden structure in a neoclassical style designed by Carl Ludwig Engel. Nestled in the greenery of the Old Church Park, the church lies close to the graves and memorials of the war heroes of the 1918 Civil War.

Address : Lönnrotinkatu 6, 00120 Helsinki, Finland

Zipcode : 00120

Location : 60.16640659999999, 24.93934309999999

Contact : +358 (0)9 2340 6128

Website : <http://www.helsinginkirkot.fi/fi/kirkot/vanhakirkko>

Nearest Public Transport : Vanha kirkkopuisto Bus Station

Open & Close Timing : Monday to Wednesday & Friday: 12:00hrs-15:00hrs
Thursday: 12:00hrs-20:30hrs

Time Required : 0.5

Buy Ticket : No

7.2.15. Havis Amanda

Located at the Market Square, Havis Amanda is a nude statue of a mermaid cast in bronze and placed in a granite fountain. The mermaid emerges from seaweed with 4 water-spouting fish and 4 sea lions at the base.

Address : Kauppatori, 00130 Helsinki, Finland

Zipcode : 00130

Location : 60.1675833, 24.9513508999999

Nearest Public Transport : Kauppatori Light Rail Station

Open & Close Timing : Open 24 hours

Time Required : 0.5

Buy Ticket : No

7.2.16. Central Park

A woodland with no gardens and dotted by gravel paths, the Central Park is more like a thinly forested area. The sprawling park includes natural reserves, a café, a sauna, and recreational areas, all within the deciduous forest region.

Address : 00630 Helsinki, Finland

Zipcode : 00630

Location : 60.2237671, 24.9165203

Contact : +358 9 3101673

Nearest Public Transport : Santavuorentie Bus Station

Open & Close Timing : Open 24 hours

Time Required : 1.5

Buy Ticket : No

7.2.17. Suomenlinna Church

This onion domed church was once an Eastern Orthodox garrison church with distinctive features like gun barrels and chains that proclaimed the association of

the church with the Russian troops. The central dome is also a lighthouse that blinks as the letter H in Morse Code.

Address : Suomenlinna C 43, 00190 Helsinki, Finland

Zipcode : 00190

Location : 60.1478549, 24.9863485999999

Contact : +358 9 23406126

Website : <http://www.helsinginseurakunnat.fi/>

Nearest Public Transport : Suomenlinna, huoltol Ferry Terminal

Time Required : 0.5

Buy Ticket : No

7.2.18. Helsinki City Museum

If you want to explore the everyday life and history of the city's people, this museum is the ideal place to look for the heritage of Helsinki. The city's past in its vibrant colors is depicted in about a million photos that the museum houses.

Address : Helsinki City Museum, P.O. Box 4300, 00099 Helsinki

Zipcode : 00099

Location : 60.1690226, 24.9541365999999

Contact : +358 9 310 36630

Website : <http://www.helsinginkaupunginmuseo.fi/en/>

Nearest Public Transport : Ritarihuone Light Rail Station

Open & Close Timing : Monday to Friday 11:00hrs-19:00hrs Saturday & Sunday: 11:00hrs-17:00hrs

Time Required : 1.5

Buy Ticket : No

7.2.19. Liesjärvi National Park

A great destination for camping in trailers and tents, the Liesjärvi National Park offers a slice of rural Finnish life. Heritage Farms provide you with the opportunity to get involved in farm chores in the traditional way. The scenic forests and lakes further make this a perfect getaway.

Address : 31380 Liesjärvi, Finland

Zipcode : 31380

Location : 60.6666667, 23.8833333

Contact : +358 20 5644630

Website : <http://www.luontoon.fi/liesjarvi>

Nearest Public Transport : Kynäriä P Bus Station

Open & Close Timing : Open 24 hours

Time Required : 2

Buy Ticket : No

7.2.20. Kaapelitehdas

Originally a cable factory, today the building is a popular cultural center for events, concerts, fairs, festivals, and other art and cultural happenings in the city. With 3 museums, galleries, dance theaters, studios, radio station, and eateries, the structure offers a wholesome entertainment venue.

Address : Tallberginkatu 1, 00180 Helsinki, Finland

Zipcode : 00180

Location : 60.1621432, 24.9041264999999

Contact : +358 9 47638300

Website : <http://www.kaapelitehdas.fi/>

Nearest Public Transport : Länsisatamankatu Bus Station

Open & Close Timing : Monday to Friday: 08:30hrs-19:00hrs

Time Required : 0.5

Buy Ticket : No

7.2.21. Esplanadi

The park and esplanade designed by Carl Ludwig Engel is a busy area with several walking paths and statues. The promenade is frequented by locals for entertainment and relaxation as there are numerous spots where you can spend time leisurely watching live performances.

Address : Pohjoisesplanadi, 00101 Helsinki, Finland

Zipcode : 00101

Location : 60.1674815, 24.9476095

Nearest Public Transport : Kauppatori Light Rail Station

Open & Close Timing : Open 24 hours

Time Required : 1.5

Buy Ticket : No

7.2.22. Old Market Hall

Old Market Hall is a bustling market space where you can find almost everything. The broad hallways offer plenty of space to move about even on a busy day. This is one of the best food markets where a variety of local cuisines will invite your their irresistible aromas and flavors.

Address : Eteläranta, 00130 Helsinki, Finland

Zipcode : 00130

Location : 60.1664595999999, 24.952798

Nearest Public Transport : adj Dogpole Bus Station

Open & Close Timing : Monday to Saturday: 08:00hrs-18:00hrs

Time Required : 1

Buy Ticket : No

7.2.23. Stockmann Helsingin keskusta

Located right in the heart of Helsinki, Stockmann offers a wide range of quality products, from fashion cosmetics and home products to souvenirs, groceries, restaurants and cafés. Spread across an area of 538,000 square meters, it is among the largest shopping malls in the city.

Address : Aleksanterinkatu 52, 00100 Helsinki, Finland

Zipcode : 00100

Location : 60.1683033, 24.9421922999999

Time Required : 0

Buy Ticket : No

7.2.24. Itis

Labeled as the largest shopping mall among the Nordic countries, Itis houses nearly 300 shops and restaurants. It is the hub for fashion and lifestyle, and also comprises of departmental stores, restaurants and a kids' play area.

Address : Itäkatu 1-7, 00930 Helsinki, Finland

Zipcode : 00930

Location : 60.2120166, 25.0830532999999

Time Required : 0

Buy Ticket : No

7.2.25. Galleria Esplanad

Zipcode : 0

Location : 60.168289, 24.946617999999999

Time Required : 0

Buy Ticket : No

7.2.26. Kamppi Center

Kamppi Center is the biggest shopping mall in the city with over 20 cafeterias and restaurants and over 120 stores. Spread over an area of 37,000 square meters, it is one of the most frequented malls in the city by tourists and locals alike.

Address : Urho Kekkosen katu 1, 00100 Helsinki, Finland

Zipcode : 00100

Location : 60.1691569, 24.933227699999999

Time Required : 0

Buy Ticket : No

7.2.27. Kauppakeskus Kluuvi

Zipcode : 0

Location : 60.1690443, 24.947881

Time Required : 0

Buy Ticket : No

7.2.28. Aleksanterinkatu

Thronged by locals and tourists, Aleksanterinkatu is a major shopping area in Helsinki. There are all sorts of antiques, souvenir fashion stores and art galleries. Besides, there are several local markets that sell fresh food items.

Address : Aleksanterinkatu, 00100 Helsinki, Finland

Zipcode : 00100

Location : 60.1690103, 24.9500802

Time Required : 0

Buy Ticket : No



8. Time Zone

Helsinki follows Eastern European Time Zone with UTC + 02:00 hours.



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