WHERE TO SHOP

GE Kuala Lumpur has a diverse retail landscape that caters to different budget levels & shopping preferences. The air-conditioned shopping complexes in the Bukit Bintang, KLCC, Bangsar and Petaling Jaya area are your best bet if you're after designer merchandise while seeking a reprieve from the humid weather. However, it's KL's street markets that define its shopping experience - these bazaars are the best places to find inexpensive apparel and unique knick knacks while you sample local specialties and chat with the locals.

PAVILION SHOPPING MALL

Located at the centre of the uber trendy Bukit Bintang district, Pavilion Kuala Lumpur is a sprawling 127,000sqm complex that comprised of three major components - a retail mall, an office block and two residential towers. Occupying prime real estate along Jalan Bukit Bintang, the mall was opened in 2007 and is noteworthy as the city centre's trendiest and most popular shopping development. Read more... **Open:** 10:00-22:00 **Location:** Right next to Grand Millennium Kuala Lumpur, across the street from JW Marriott and Starhill Gallery. **How to get there:** By Monorail at Bukit Bintang Station

SURIA KLCC

An upmarket shopping mall situated between the Petronas Twin Towers, Suria KLCC is one of the most touristvisited malls in the city. A popular stopover for tours, the shopping podium sports a classy atmosphere and carries designer marques such as Louis Vuitton, Prada, Marc Jacobs, Hermès and more. The six-storey complex's entertainment offerings include a 12-screen movie theatre, a concert hall, an art gallery, a science discovery centre and a branch of Kinokuniya - a Japanese book store. Read more... **Open:** 10:00-22:00 **Location:** Suria KLCC, Kuala Lumpur city centre. **How to get there:** KLCC LRT

MID VALLEY MEGAMALL

The best shopping opportunity is not actually within Bangsar itself, but very near it; the Mid Valley Shopping mall is one of the largest in Southeast Asia and is arguably Klang Valley's most popular shopping attraction. From Bangsar, it is a mere few minutes away using a large flyover that cuts across the smaller Bangsar roads that lead to other areas. Read more... **Open:** 10:00-22:00 **Location:** Mid Valley City, Lingkaran Syed Putra. **How to get there:** RapidKL buses - U66, U84, U85, U87 and T631 or KTM Mid Valley station

THE GARDENS MALL

Linked to Mid Valley Megamall via a covered pedestrian bridge and underground corridor, The Gardens Mall offers an upscale retail environment with a lengthy roster of luxury labels under its roof. Some of the brands represented at this mall include Burberry, Louis Vuitton, Versace, Hermes, Michael Kors, AX Armani Exchange, Gucci and Calvin Klein. Read more... **Open:** 10:00-22:00 **Location:** Mid Valley City, Lingkaran Syed Putra. **How to get there:** RapidKL buses - U66, U84, U85, U87 and T631 or KTM Mid Valley station

STARHILL GALLERY KUALA LUMPUR

Connected directly to the five-star JW Marriott, Starhill Gallery is a high-end shopping mall with seven floors of luxury retail experience. The Feast and Relish floors feature a myriad of fine-dining options, while the Indulge and Adorn floors showcase a variety of designer labels with the former focusing more on fashion labels. Read more... **Open:** 10:00-22:00 Location: Jalan Bukit Bintang. How to get there: Across the street from Pavilion KL, right next to Fahrenheit

BERJAYA TIMES SQUARE

Comprising 10 floors and more than 700 retail outlets, Berjaya Times Square is a one-stop leisure destination for all ages. Linked to a five-star hotel of the same brand name, it also comes with several food courts, an indoor theme park with an IMAX theatre, a cinema, a spa centre, a games arcade, a karaoke lounge, a supermarket, a post office, a bank, an IT mall and hundreds of retail outlets offering everything from food to fashion. Read more... **Open:** 10:00-22:00 **Location:** Opposite Melia Hotel. How to get there: Imbi Monorail Station

ONE UTAMA SHOPPING MALL

Located away from the city centre, but still within the Kuala Lumpur limits, is the expansive 1 Utama shopping mall (fondly known as 1U to locals). Housing over 650 stores along with a multitude of eateries and entertainment outlets, 1U spans over five million square feet and is located in Bandar Utama, a small suburb just off the Lebuhraya Damansara-Puchong. Read more... **Open:** 10:00-22:00 **Location:** Lebuhraya Damansara-Puchong (LDP Highway).

SUNWAY PYRAMID

Sunway Pyramid is 1.7 million-sqft Egyptian-themed mall adjacent to Sunway Lagoon Theme Park in Bandar Sunway, Subang Jaya. A distinctive retail landmark, it is one of the largest shopping centres in the country and the only one with an indoor ice skating rink. Some of the brands represented at this mall include Coach, Ms. Selfridge, Mango and Timberland. Read more... **Open:** 10:00-22:00 **Location:** Bandar Sunway. **How to get there:** RapidKL buses: U76 from KL Sentral and U623 from Kelana Jaya LRT station.







