



## ***Must see places in Saint Petersburg***

- Hermitage
  - Russian museum
  - Kunstkamera
  - Peter and Paul fortress
  - St.Isaac cathedral
  - Church of the Savior on Spilled Blood
  - Kazan cathedral
  - Trinity cathedral
  - Smolny convent
  - Bronze Horseman, Peter the Great monument
  - Summer Garden
  - Mikhailovsky Garden
  - Singer Building (House of Books)
  - Admiralty building
  - Mariinsky theater
  - St.Petersburg metro; Admiralteyskaya, Avtovo, Bukharestskaya stations
  - Peterhof; palace, park, fountains. Day trip from St.Petersburg
  - Tsarskoye Selo; Catherine palace and park, Amber room. Day trip from St.Petersburg
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## ***Must do things in Saint Petersburg***

- Walk through the city center
- Take a boat tour
- Watch Palace bridge opening at night
- Admire the city from St.Isaac cathedral colonnade
- Stroll through the Nevsky avenue
- Watch ballet or opera
- Visit suburbs; Peterhof, Tsarskoye Selo
- Explore St.Petersburg metro
- Visit city museums; Hermitage, Russian museum
- Try Russian food; pelmeni, pancakes (blini), pies (pierogi) etc.

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## ***More attractions in Saint Petersburg***

- Nikolsky cathedral
- Alexander Nevsky cemetery
- Marble Palace
- Stroganov Palace
- Mikhailovsky castle
- Mikhailovsky theater
- Alexandrinsky theater
- Mosque
- Philharmonic Hall
- Court Chapel
- Yeliseev Merchant's Shop
- Bankovsky bridge
- Anichkov bridge
- Veliky Novgorod, oldest Russian town. A day trip from St.Petersburg




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## ***Off the beaten track in St.Petersburg***

- Faberge museum
- Grand Maket Rossiya (Russia Layout)
- Street Art museum
- Erarta Modern Art museum
- Cruiser Aurora
- Museum of Defence and Siege of Leningrad
- New Holland Island
- Rosenstein House
- Egyptian Sphinxes
- Chizhik Pyzhik, a bird sculpture
- Courtyards of the city center
- Pyshechnaya (doughnut place)
- Ruskeala, Marble Quarry. Day trip from St.Petersburg

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## *Not to miss in the Hermitage*

- Treasure Gallery
- Grand Church
- Principal Staircase
- Pavilion Hall
- Lodges of Raphael
- St. George's Hall
- Armorial Hall
- Malachite Room
- Madonna Litta painting by Da Vinci
- Benois Madonna painting by Da Vinci
- Crouching Boy sculpture by Michelangelo
- Madonna and Child painting by Raphael
- The Rembrandt Room, many paintings by Rembrandt including
- European art of XIX-XX centuries, paintings by Monet, Van Gogh, Picasso etc. in the General Staff building.
- Atlantes, sculptures at the entrance to the New Hermitage

## *Notes*

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