

# 8 Reasons Why Kids Love Singapore

*From connecting with nature to meeting their favourite cartoon characters, there's so much to see and do for kids and the young at heart*



**1 TAKE FLIGHT**  
Home to some of the rarest and most exotic birds, the Jurong Bird Park boasts over 500 birds from 135 species. Kids ages six to 12 years old can even join a three-day bird quest camp. Don't miss out on the tallest man-made waterfall in the world (it's 13 storeys high!)



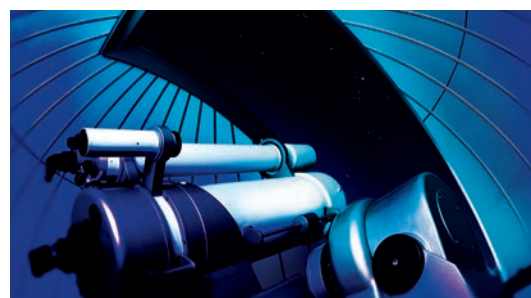
whilst you're there. Feeding times happen daily here, which is undoubtedly the best time to marvel at the hundreds of birds that flock for the food!

For more information on activities at the Jurong Bird Park, visit [www.birdpark.com.sg](http://www.birdpark.com.sg).

**2 DUCK, DUCK, GOOSE**  
The most unique way to take the kids sightseeing around Singapore is via the Duck Tour. It takes you to some of popular spots, like the Fountain of Wealth, the Singapore Flyer and the Civic District which is Singapore's first major war memorial – all on a whacky amphibious vehicle which operates on both land and water. Pretty exciting for kids and adults alike!  
Visit [www.ducktours.com.sg](http://www.ducktours.com.sg) for details on packages and tour details.

**3 ADVENTURE TIME**  
Head to Resorts World Sentosa's Adventure Cove Waterpark, home to Asia's first hydro-magnetic "coaster". Kids get to swim with fishes at Rainbow Reef, feed the stingrays, or simply soak in the sun at Bluwater Bay's wave pool. Take them on a 20-minute tube ride along the 620-metre Adventure River which has a whopping 14 zones, each with gentle whirlpools and animals structures that squirt water at you!  
Visit [www.rwsentosa.com](http://www.rwsentosa.com) for more details.

**4 LITTLE EXPLORERS**  
With a 35,000 sq-ft play area, eXplorer Kid is undoubtedly the largest indoor playground for kids under the age of 12. The Cliff is where kids get to improve their hand-eye coordination with a three-metre-high rock climbing wall while Mega Play is a thrilling three-level obstacle course with plenty of climbing and crawling.  
Visit [www.explorerkid.com](http://www.explorerkid.com) for further information. eXplorer Kid is located at E!hub @ Downtown East.



**5 SEEING STARS**  
Why limit yourself when the universe is your playground? The Singapore Science Centre Observatory holds stargazing sessions every Friday night from 7.50pm to 10pm at their Omni-Theatre building. Depending on what time of the year it is, you will be able to discover constellations and see the moon, star clusters and planets like Jupiter and Venus! With the aid of sophisticated telescopes, your little aspiring astronomers can get closer to the heavenly bodies than ever before.

Visit [www.science.edu.sg](http://www.science.edu.sg) for information on activities held at The Singapore Science Center.

**6 MOTHER NATURE**  
Let your kids connect with nature! Jacobs Ballas Children's Garden is Asia's first garden dedicated to kid, and it aims to provide a place for them to learn, play and explore in the great outdoors. Developed with the theme of 'All Life On Earth Depends On Plants,' it aims to instill love for nature and educate at the same time through interactive installations and fun-filled activities. No need for the iPad here.

Go to [www.sbg.org.sg](http://www.sbg.org.sg) for details.

**7 FOR LITTLE BEACH BUMS**  
Great for kids aged three to 10, Singapore's first kids' club is located on Palawan Beach at Sentosa. As kids go through the activities at Port of Lost Wonder (complete with their own currency) they get to collect stamps and win a special prize at the end of their journey! Keep an eye out for Captain Palawan to hear all about his adventures and help him find lost treasures.

Visit [www.sentosa.com.sg](http://www.sentosa.com.sg) for more.



**8 GO BEYOND THE SCREENS**  
If the kids loved the *Shrek* and *Madagascar* movies, then Universal Studios Singapore is a must-visit. Imagine their excitement as they join Princess Fiona, Shrek and Donkey

on a 4-D adventure packed with surprise water sprays, jumps and air blasts. Kids even get to join the *Madagascar* cast on an adventurous river ride or join in on King Julien's Party-Go-Round!  
Visit [www.rwsentosa.com/Homepage/Attractions/UniversalStudiosSingapore](http://www.rwsentosa.com/Homepage/Attractions/UniversalStudiosSingapore).