



CINCINNATI CITY GUIDE

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Cincinnati, Ohio is a vibrant city located on the Ohio River. It is known for its beautiful 19th century architecture, museums, and world famous chili. Rich in history, Cincinnati is home to The National Underground Railroad Freedom Center and the Cincinnati Art Museum (one of the oldest art museums in the United States). This walkable city is a great vacation destination for any age.



ATTRACTIONS

Duke Energy Children's Museum

- Located inside the Cincinnati Museum Center, the Duke Energy Children's Museum is a fun exploratory experience for all ages. Kids and adults can enjoy hands on learning in eight different play areas.
- www.cincymuseum.org/

Krohn Conservatory Botanical Garden

- The Krohn Conservatory was built in 1933 and continues to be an ecological escape for the city. You'll find over 3,500 plant species from every corner of the globe. The Conservatory hosts five exhibits each year including the famed Butterfly exhibit, open March through June.
- www.cincinnatiiparks.com/krohn/

Taft Museum of Art

- The Taft Museum of Art is located in Downtown Cincinnati. Visit the permanent collection and rotating exhibits, featuring painting, sculptures, and photography. The museum is closed Mondays, Tuesdays, and some holidays. Children under 18 and active military are free. Adult tickets range from \$8-\$12.
- www.taftmuseum.org

National Underground Railroad Freedom Center

- The National Underground Railroad Freedom Center highlights a difficult past for the United States while inspiring a future of change. There are three floors of exhibits surrounding the history of slavery. We recommend hopping on a guided tour to get the most out of the museum. Tickets range from \$10-\$15, children under three are free.
- www.freedomcenter.org/





HOTELS

If you're looking to treat yourself during your trip to Cincinnati, check out the luxury hotel locations below. We recommend the Cincinnati Hotel for a classic experience and the Clifton House B&B for cozy relaxation.

Symphony Hotel and Restaurant (\$\$)

- 210 W 14th St
- +1 (513) 721-3353
- symphonyhotel.com

21c Museum and Hotel (\$\$\$)

- 609 Walnut Street
- +1 (513) 578-6600
- 21cmuseumhotels.com/cincinnati

Renaissance Cincinnati Downtown Hotel (\$\$\$)

- 36 E Fourth St
- +1 (513) 333-0000
- [marriott.com/hotels/travel/cvgbr-renaissance-cincinnati-downtown-hotel/](https://www.marriott.com/hotels/travel/cvgbr-renaissance-cincinnati-downtown-hotel/)

The Cincinnati Hotel (\$\$\$)

- 601 Vine St
- +1 (513) 381-3000
- [hilton.com](https://www.hilton.com)

The Clifton House B & B (\$\$)

- 500 Terrace Ave
- +1 (513) 221-7600
- [thecliftonhouse.com](https://www.thecliftonhouse.com)

Hilton Cincinnati Netherland Plaza (\$\$\$)

- 35 W 5th St
- +1 (513) 421-9100
- [hilton.com](https://www.hilton.com)





LIVE MUSIC

When visiting Cincinnati, whether for work or vacation, finding a great evening of music is never a challenge. From Jazz to rock, check out these locations below for live music.

Arnold's Bar & Grill

- 10 E 8th St
- +1 (513) 421-6234
- Music Venue, Bar, Late Night Snacks
- arnoldsbarandgrill.com

Northside Tavern

- 4163 Hamilton Ave
- +1 (513) 542-3603
- Music Venue
- northsidetav.com/cincy

Bogart's

- 2621 Short Vine St
- +1 (513) 872-8801
- Music Venue
- bogarts.com

Symphony Hotel Restaurant & Jazz Club

- 210 W 14th St
- +1 (513) 721-3353
- Lounge, Jazz, Hotel
- symphonyhotel.com

MOTR Pub

- 1345 Main St
- +1 (513) 381-6687
- Music Venue, Bar, Late Night Snacks
- motrpub.com

The Comet

- 4579 Hamilton Ave
- +1 (513) 541-8900
- Music Venue, Mexican Food, Bar
- cometbar.com





NIGHTLIFE

Cincinnati rivals other major cities when it comes to late night entertainment. Check out The Video Archive for a fun and unique speakeasy experience.

Blind Lemon

- 936 Hatch St
- +1 (513) 241-3885
- Wine Bar, Music Venue,
- theblindlemon.com

Tokyo Kitty

- 575 Race St
- +1 (513) 744-0909
- Karaoke, Bar
- thattokyobar.com

Japp's Since 1897

- 1134 Main St
- +1 (513) 381-1524
- Lounge, Bar

The Video Archive

- 965 E McMillan St
- +1 (513) 559-9500
- Speakeasy, Bars, Novelty

16-Bit Bar & Arcade

- 1331 Walnut St
- +1 (513) 381-1616
- Arcade, Bar
- 16-bitbar.com/cincy

Overlook Lodge: A Rustic Watering Hole

- 6083 Montgomery Rd
- +1 (513) 351-0035
- Cocktail Bar, Lounge
- thatshiningbar.com





RESTAURANTS

Cincinnati boasts some of the finest dining in the area. Try Bauer Farm Kitchen for a modern European dining experience or Arrechissimo Restaurant for an exceptional Venezuelan meal.

Bauer Farm Kitchen (\$\$\$)

- 435 Elm St
- +1 (513) 621-8555
- Modern European
- bauercincinnati.com

Salazar (\$\$\$)

- 1401 Republic St
- +1 (513) 621-7000
- American, New
- salazarcincinnati.com

Maplewood Kitchen & Bar (\$\$)

- 525 Race St
- +1 (513) 421-2100
- American, Breakfast & Brunch
- maplewoodkitchenandbar.com

Camp Washington Chili (\$)

- 3005 Colerain Ave
- +1 (513) 541-0061
- Breakfast & Brunch, Sandwiches
- campwashingtonchili.com

Orchids at Palm Court (\$\$\$)

- 35 W 5th St
- +1 (513) 421-9100
- American
- orchidsatpalmcourt.com

The Eagle (\$\$)

- 1342 Vine St
- +1 (513) 802-5007
- American, Southern Comfort
- theeagleotr.com

Sartre (\$\$)

- 1910 Elm St
- +1 (513) 579-1910
- American, French
- sartreotr.com

Arrechissimo Restaurant (\$)

- 8100 Blue Ash Rd
- +1 (513) 793-3100
- Venezuelan
- Arrechissimo.com



SHOPPING

Shopping in Cincinnati can take up an entire vacation. From boutique shopping in Over-the-Rhine to Sunday morning strolls through Findlay Market, you're sure to find something you're looking for. We recommend some more great locations below.

Findlay Market

- 1801 Race St
- +1 (513) 665-4839
- Findlay Market is a fun, cute, outdoor shopping area with local vendors and restaurants. You'll be impressed by the European atmosphere and flowers at every turn. [findlaymarket.org]

MiCA 12/v

- 1201 Vine St
- +1 (513) 421-3500
- MiCA is one of the gems of Cincinnati - a design based gift shop selling local and international products. You can find anything from clothing to pottery. [shopmica.com]

Ohio Valley Antique Mall

- 7285 Dixie Hwy, Fairfield, OH 45014
- +1 (513) 874-7855
- This impressive Antique Mall has over 85,000 square feet of shopping space and more than 600 booths and glass cases. It's open 7-days a week for visitors traveling from far and wide! [ohiovalleyantiques.com]

Jungle Jim's International Market

- 4450 Eastgate S Dr
- +1 (513) 674-6000
- Jungle Jim's is a grocery store PLUS. Alongside groceries, Jungle Jim's hosts events, wine tastings, and demonstration classes year round. [junglejims.com]

Mannequin

- 1311 Main St
- +1 (513) 813-3982
- Mannequin is a unique vintage shop with a philanthropic mission. They donate 100% of their proceeds to seven local non-profits. [mannequinboutique.org]



TRAVEL TIPS

Transportation/Airport

- After you arrive at the Cincinnati/Northern Kentucky International Airport, transportation to Downtown Cincinnati is a breeze. For \$2 a trip, we recommend taking the Airporter, the fastest and most affordable way to get downtown. Once you arrive, you'll discover an incredibly walkable city. With the Duke Convention center as a hub, you have access to hotels, restaurants, concert venues, and so much more. Cincinnati offers an electric streetcar and Metro bus system.
- <http://www.go-metro.com/>

Brewery Tours

- Cincinnati has a long history of brewing beer that began in 1812, survived Prohibition and is still thriving today.

Choose from various tours focusing on the Prohibition era, beer plus pizza, craft brews, walking tours, and haunted history.

Chili is a Way of Life

- Cincinnati has a love for chili, especially served on top of spaghetti or hot dogs! You can order your chili five different ways, depending on your preferences. You can find Cincinnati chili at over 250 locations throughout the city. We recommend these top rated spots: Camp Washington Chili, Skyline Chili, and Silver Ladle.





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