



1 Day One-Day Slow Travel Tour → Chiayi - A Journey to Savor, a Place to Remember, Ranked Taiwan's Top 100 Destination

Shortlist



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TAIWAN TOURISM
100 SPOTLIGHTS

A
Route

A Journey Above the Clouds

Taiping Sky Bridge



Highlight

Stroll across Taiwan's highest scenic suspension bridge and witness the sweeping view of sea of clouds.

A-1
Taiping
Suspension Bridge (Yunzhinan Trail)

Taiwan's highest-altitude scenic suspension bridge

A-3
Themed Factory Tour

(Umetonya, Ball Planet, Gaia Manor, Château De Jourdeiness, T.K. Food City Square, CarolBrass Tourism Factory)

Family-friendly theme factories with interactive experiences

A-4
2026
Taiwan Lantern Festival in Chiayi

March 3 to March 15, 2026

A-2
Taiping Old Street

A charming village nestled in the mountain at 1,000 meters above sea level



C A Journey of Cultural Inspiration

Southern Branch of National Palace Museum



Highlight

Discover exquisite Asian art works, explore Chiayi's sugar factory railway heritage, and trace the rhythm of culture in motion!

C-1
Southern Branch of the National Palace Museum

A museum dedicated to Asian art and culture

C-3
Tsui-to-thau Creative Cluster

Chiayi County's first cultural hub, featuring historic Japanese-style buildings

C-4
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C-2
Suantou Sugar Factory Cultural Park

Savor shaved ice, enjoy mini rail rides, and explore preserved Japanese-style dormitories



B
Route

A Taste of Indigenous Life

Explore Veovoana Tribe



Highlight

Visit the lowest-altitude indigenous village in the Alishan area and experience Cou indigenous culture alongside a beloved sika deer sanctuary - perfect for families!

B-1
Cou Veovoana Cultural and Creative Park

Hands-on introduction to Alishan's Cou cultural heritage

B-3
Jhongpu Granary Agricultural Park - Rang Rang Shop

Curated quality local goods from Chiayi

B-2
Niupuzi Love Prairie

A romantic open field with whimsical art installations

B-4
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D Slow Down and Explore Nature

Fenqihu Getaway



Highlight

Breathe deep in the forest trails, sample street food along old streets, and soak in the charm of a misty mountain town.

D-1
Fenqihu & its Trails

Ride the Forest train, enjoy trail walking, explore charming old streets, and savor tasty local food

D-3
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D-2
YUYUPAS Cou Cultural Tribe Park

Marvel at spectacular mountain views, terraced tea fields, and traditional Cou architecture

E
Route

E A Tranquil Journey Through Tea Fields and Mountain Trails

Best Place to Experience the Sea of Clouds - Eryanping Trail

Highlight

One of the most beloved trails along the Alishan Highway, leading to a hidden Cou sanctuary where clouds drift leisurely and your worries fade away!

E-1

Eryanping Trail



Best place to experience the sea of clouds, rolling clouds, and stunning sunsets

E-3

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E-2
Danaiku Ecological Park

Stroll through the fish-watching trail and experience traditional Cou dance and music

E-3

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One-Day Slow Travel

Railway Slow Travel

Ride the iconic Alishan Forest Railway, climbing from 30 meters to 2,216 meters above sea level—into one of the "52 Places to Go in 2025" selected by *The New York Times*.



Main Line

Chiayi Railway station



Beimen

Lumachan



Mululiao

Zhangnaoliao



Liyuanliao

Jiaoliping



Shueisheliao

Duolin

Shizilu



Pingzhena

Erwanping



Alishan (Altitude 2216m)

Duigaoyue



Zhushan (Altitude 2451m)

Taiwan's largest wooden train station, featuring a gently curved platform supported by half-arched timber columns

The highest railway point in Taiwan, often hailed as "the most beautiful station above the clouds"

Alishan Express

Formosensis

Vivid Express

Ticket Information

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Public Transport

Day1 Chiayi → Zhuqi → Fenqihu (Stay for 1.5 hours) → Alishan → Overnight Stay

Day2 Alishan → Zhuqi → Chiayi → (Transfer) 2026 Taiwan Lantern Festival

Self-Guided Road Trip

Day1 Experience Cou indigenous culture → Alishan tea & coffee → Overnight Stay

Day2 Alishan Station → Zhushan Station (Sunrise viewing) → Leisure walk in Alishan National Forest Recreation Area → Fenqihu Old Street & Trails → 2026 Taiwan Lantern Festival



Railway Slow Travel

Transportation Information

Some remote tribal communities in the Alishan area are not accessible by bus. Visitors are advised to book transportation services with local B&Bs in advance.

Taiwan High Speed Rail (THSR)

From THSR Chiayi Station, you can transfer to the BRT shuttle bus to reach Zhuqi City or Chiayi Railway Station, then transfer to Chiayi County bus or Chiayi Bus services to reach various attractions.

Taiwan Railway (TR)

Take any train on the Western Trunk Line to Dalin, Minxiong, Jiabei, Chiayi, Shuishang, or Nanjing stations. From there, transfer to Chiayi County bus or Chiayi Bus services to reach tourist destinations.

By Car

Take National Freeway No. 1 and exit at Dalin, Minxiong, Jiabei, Chiayi, Shuishang, or the Chiayi System Interchange, or take National Highway No. 3 and exit at Meishan, Zhuqi, Jhongpu, or the Shuishang System Interchange. You may also connect via Provincial Highway 82 (East-West Expressway) and then continue on local roads to reach the scenic spots.



Taiwan Railway Chiayi Railway Station

TEL/0466-3000

No. 168, Gaotie West Road, Taibao City, Chiayi County



Chiayi Bus (Zhongshan Station)

TEL/05-2228904

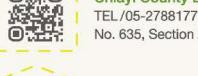
No. 528, Zhongshan Road, Chiayi City



Alishan Forest Railway Network Ticketing System

TEL/05-2768094 (Beimen Station)

TEL/05-2679200 (Alishan Station)



Chiayi County Bus Service Administration

TEL/05-2788177

No. 635, Section 2, Daya Road, Chiayi City



Taiwan Tourist Shuttle

Ruili Route (operates on holidays only),

Southern Branch of the NPM route

Alishan Route A & B, and

The West Coast Expressway

TEL/0800-011765



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