

3-Day LA Itinerary for First-Time Travelers

DAY 1: Arrival & Downtown LA Exploration

Welcome to Los Angeles! Start your trip by settling in and exploring the city's vibrant Downtown.

Morning:

- Arrive at LAX Airport or Downtown LA.
- Check into your hotel and freshen up.
- Optional: Have lunch at Grand Central Market, a foodie paradise with diverse local flavors.

Afternoon:

- Embark on a **LA Walking Tour** to discover the city's history and architecture.
- Optional: Take the Big Bus Tours or Starline Tours (Hop-on, Hop-off) to explore major LA landmarks conveniently.
- If time permits, visit Olvera Street, LA's historic Mexican marketplace.

Evening:

- Enjoy dinner at one of these top picks:
 - Avenue 26 Tacos (for authentic street-style tacos)
 - Zinc Café & Bar (for vegetarian and American dishes)
 - Baar Baar (for contemporary Indian cuisine)

DAY 2: Hollywood & Beachside Adventures

Experience the glitz of Hollywood and the stunning coastal beauty of LA.

Morning:

Explore the Hollywood Walk of Fame and spot your favorite celebrity stars.

- Visit the **TCL Chinese Theatre**, famous for its handprints of Hollywood legends.
- Optional: Tour Madame Tussauds Hollywood to see lifelike wax figures of celebrities.

Afternoon:

- Head to **Santa Monica Pier & Beach** for a relaxing seaside experience.
- Walk along Venice Canals, a hidden gem inspired by Italy's Venice.

Evening:

- Optional: Enjoy a City Cruises Marina del Rey Dinner Experience, featuring ocean views and gourmet cuisine.
- Or explore Santa Monica's vibrant dining scene before heading back to your hotel.

DAY 3: Studio Tours, Wine Tasting & Shopping

A full day of excitement, Hollywood magic, and retail therapy!

Morning & Afternoon: (Choose one of these major attractions)

- Universal Studios Hollywood™ Tour Experience thrilling rides and behind-the-scenes Hollywood action.
- Malibu Wine Tasting (If time permits) Savor fine California wines in picturesque vineyards.
- Catalina Island Tour Take a ferry to this island paradise for water activities and scenic views.

Evening:

- Take a Warner Bros. Studio Tour Hollywood for an inside look at movie sets and iconic props.
- End your trip with a **shopping spree at Citadel Outlets**, where you can find great deals on top brands.