



WHAT TO DO IN BOGOTA

Check the activities, attractions and the city agenda in:

www.BogotaDC.travel

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Emergency line: 123

Information numbers

Toll free number: 018000-127400

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Tourist information Email: informacionturistica@idt.gov.co

Virtual chat: www.BogotaDC.travel

instagram: [bogotadc.travel](https://www.instagram.com/bogotadc.travel)

WHEN HANDLING MONEY



Exchange currency only at authorized exchange houses or at your hotel



Inside the bank, remember to make cash transactions only with the tellers.



Try to use ATMs located at shopping centers or other commercial establishments.



After your purchase, keep your documentation (ID card, passport, credit cards) at all times.



Avoid receiving help from strangers



You can support waiters, chefs and service personnel of bars and restaurants when you visit with a voluntary tip of 10% on your bill. The establishment should always ask you if you want to include this tip in your bill.



DURING YOUR STAY



Take care of your personal belonging



Avoid receiving food on the street.



Avoid receiving invitations from strangers



Always use authorized vehicles



Although many establishments accept credit card payments, always carry cash (Colombian pesos) in your wallet.



If you want to tour the city, use authorized services provided by the hotel or those with RNT certificates (National Tourist Registration).



Bogotá's weather is unpredictable, and the rain can come at any time. Nights are always cold.



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WELCOME TO BOGOTÁ

Travel and safety tips and recommendations to enjoy your trip



AT THE AIRPORT



El Dorado International airport was awarded as Best Airport in South America by Skytrax. It is the largest airport in Latin America for passenger arrivals.



Use only authorized transportation services



Take care of your luggage



Find the Tourism Information Center on the second floor



TRANSPORTATION



Bogotá has different tourist transportation services, such as yellow taxis and white cars (a premium private service). The white car service can be booked at hotels and agencies.

Always request your taxi service by phone or using mobile applications.

All yellow taxis must display a Fare rate card (fare per unit of distance) with the driver's identification, picture of the driver, and taxi's license plate.

CYCLE THE CITY



With 540 km of bike paths, Bogotá is one of the World's Biking Capitals. Every Sunday, Bogotá closes over 120 km of its vehicular roads to make way for thousands of people using their bikes, jogging, walking, or skating.

PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION

Transmilenio BRT Bus system:
www.transmilenio.gov.co



TOURIST INFORMATION CENTERS



Monserate

Mon. 7:00 a.m to 1:00 p.m
Sat. 2:00 p.m to 4:00 p.m

Sun. 8:00 a.m to 2:00 p.m



Historical center Temple al Libertador

Mon. 7:00 a.m to 1:00 p.m
Sat. 2:00 p.m to 4:00 p.m

Sun. 8:00 a.m to 2:00 p.m



International Center

Mon. 9:00 a.m to 1:00 p.m
Sat. 2:00 p.m to 6:00 p.m

Sun. 8:00 a.m to 2:00 p.m



Salitre Terminal Bus

Mon. 7:00 a.m to 12:00 p.m
Sat. 1:00 p.m to 4:00 p.m

Sun. 8:00 a.m to 2:00 p.m



El Dorado Airport

Mon. 8:00 a.m to 8:00 p.m
Sat. 8:00 a.m to 8:00 p.m

The capital of Colombia is a vibrant cosmopolitan city of 9 million inhabitants that combines tradition, heritage, and modernity. Bogotá is located in the Andean Mountain Range 2.600 mts (8,660 ft.) above sea level, which provides cool year-round temperatures, and the Eastern Hills majestically surround it. You'll find numerous parks and natural attractions in the city area, such as ravines, moorlands and wetlands. It offers a diverse cultural agenda throughout the year: Concerts, film and theater festivals, art exhibitions and more. Bogotá was named the City of Music by UNESCO in 2012. Take the time to enjoy museums, monuments, handcrafted goods and historic buildings in La Candelaria. Enjoy the world's best coffee in authentic and excellent small coffee shops all over the city. Enjoy a world-class gastronomic scene. Visit genuine local marketplaces and sophisticated food districts. Whether it's an arepa on the street or an artistic 13-course meal at an haute cuisine establishment, your taste buds will know that Bogotá has it all! A vibrant nightlife: bars, rooftops, nightclubs, +300 playing live music.

Bogotá is a special place where visitors are welcomed with open arms.

COMMERCIAL SEXUAL EXPLOITATION OF CHILDREN (CSEC) IS A CRIME SEVERELY PENALIZED IN COLOMBIA Physical, sexual, psychological violence, human trafficking and forced prostitution are serious crimes in Colombia therefore severely penalized by law. Those who offer, sell, traffic or induce and also those who accept, solicit, buy and/or use a child's body may be subject to a sentence of up to 32 years in prison. subject of a sentence of up to 32 years in prison. If you receive or witness this kind of offer, including child pornography, please report it to the emergency line 123



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