

USS Midway

San Diego, California Travel Itinerary

Two Days – Drive In from Los Angeles / Orange County (Day One)

Morning	Pack your bag for a wonderful weekend or mid-week retreat in beautiful San Diego, California. Don't forget your camera!
<u>Option A</u> San Diego Zoo	Span the globe, viewing rare wildlife from around the world. Be immersed in tropical settings like its newest habitats, Elephant Odyssey, Monkey Trails and Forest Tales! 10 minutes from Downtown San Diego and the USS Midway Museum. http://www.sandiegozoo.org/zoo/index.php
<u>Option B</u> Sea World	Take your family below the surface, above the waves and beyond your expectations at SeaWorld San Diego. 15 minutes from Downtown San Diego and the USS Midway Museum. http://www.seaworld.com/sandiego/default.aspx
<u>Option C</u> Balboa Park	The nation's largest urban cultural park, home to 15 major museums, renowned performing arts venues, beautiful gardens and the San Diego Zoo, the Park is a must-see San Diego attraction. 10 minutes from Downtown San Diego and the USS Midway Museum. http://www.balboapark.org
<u>Option D</u> Old Town San Diego	The weather, the food and the history make Old Town one of the best places to visit in San Diego. Enjoy the adventure that is Old Town, 15 minutes from Downtown San Diego and the USS Midway Museum. http://www.oldtownsandiegoguide.com/

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Two Days – Drive In from Los Angeles / Orange County (Day Two)

Morning	USS Midway Museum located in Downtown San Diego - Experience life at sea without leaving port! The USS Midway Museum is San Diego's newest visitor attraction, this real naval aircraft carrier offers a once in a lifetime opportunity for everyone. (4 hours)
Information	The USS Midway is open daily, 10am-5pm, last admission at 4pm. The Midway is closed on Christmas and Thanksgiving days. Parking is available on Navy Pier (alongside Midway) for a rate of \$5 up to 1 hour, \$7 for 1-4 hours, \$10 for 4-10 hours or \$12 for 10-24 hours. Buses will be allowed to drop off and pick up groups at the Midway ticket booth, but are not allowed to stage on Navy Pier. Upon request a map and detailed directions on bus parking can be provided.
Lunch	While onboard the USS Midway Museum, take a break, sit, relax, and enjoy the scenic view of Harbor Drive and San Diego's downtown at Midway's Fantail Café. (30 minutes)
Fantail Cafe	The Fantail Café offers patio dining with a casual and friendly atmosphere. From fresh salads and fun snacks to tasty sandwiches and hearty burgers, the Café's family-pleasing menu will satisfy your budget as well (\$6-\$11). http://www.fantailcafe.com/
Evening	After an action-packed stay in San Diego, please be sure to drive safely!

USS Midway – Embarcadero

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Full Day – Option #1

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Lunch	The very best dining that San Diego has to offer can be found right on the downtown San Diego Embarcadero. (1 hour)
Restaurants	A relaxing lunch overlooking the water, or a quick bite to eat – a variety of dining options is just a click away. http://www.thebigbay.com/index.php/sobi2/Dining.html
Afternoon	See the waterfront and take a cruise of the San Diego Bay. 2 minute walk from the USS Midway Museum. (1-4 hours)
Information	For a complete list of San Diego boat tour operators, visit the link: http://www.thebigbay.com/index.php/Visitor-Services/Touring/Water.html

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Full Day – Option #2

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Afternoon	Maritime Museum of San Diego has one of the world's finest collections of historic ships, including the world's oldest active ship, the <i>Star of India</i>. 5 minute walk from the USS Midway Museum. (2 hours)
Information	The Maritime Museum is open every day of the year, 9am-8pm. For admission rates and more information visit: http://www.sdmaritime.com

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Half Day

Morning

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Afternoon

Take a walking tour of downtown San Diego's unique Embarcadero. Start at the USS Midway Museum. (1 hour)

Information

Start by browsing the shops at Seaport Village, then visit the several Memorials dedicated to honoring our Military like the Aircraft Carrier Memorial and the USS San Diego. Finish by visiting the San Diego Bay's public art collection, by the Port of San Diego – The "Tideland's Collection"

<http://www.thebigbay.com/index.php/Art-on-the-San-Diego-Bay.html>

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