



MUMBAI STORIES ON THE MOVE

A GUIDED DRIVE THROUGH THE CITY'S ICONS – WITH STOPS TO SOAK IT ALL IN

November 14, 2025

Start Time: 11:15 AM

Meeting Point 1: National Gallery of Modern Art (NGMA),

Meeting Point 2: St. Xavier's College

Duration: 2-2.5 Hours

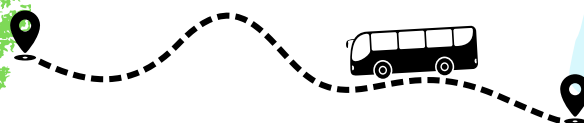
Transport: Bus

Experience Type: Heritage Ride with Storytellers Onboard

Route Highlights

Here's what you'll see, hear, and feel as we journey through the city

- **Start: National Gallery of Modern Art (NGMA):** Our meeting point is a quiet, culturally rich corner of Fort. As we roll out, we dive straight into Mumbai's art and colonial past.



- **Oval Maidan – Gothic vs. Art Deco:** On one side: intricate Victorian excess. On the other: sleek Art Deco minimalism. A rare urban stand and a UNESCO-recognized moment of magic.

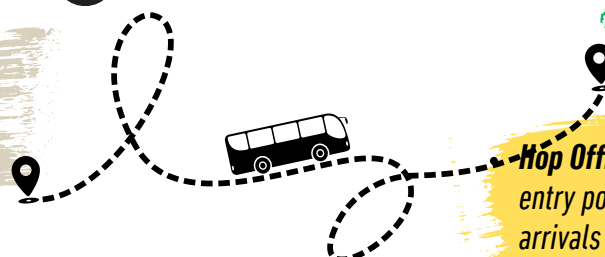
- **Kala Ghoda Art District:** Heritage meets creativity in this cultural hotspot. Our guides bring alive tales of merchants, artists, and architects who gave this neighbourhood its distinct Indo-European charm

- **Flora Fountain :** Once the city's beating heart, this 1864 fountain tells tales of Victorian engineering and Bombay's emergence as the 'Urbs Prima in Indis'.



- **Asiatic Society of Mumbai :** A Greco-Roman masterpiece and a seat of knowledge since 1804. Learn about its priceless collections, colonial origins, and how it became one of Mumbai's most iconic steps.

- **Bombay High Court :** With its soaring arches and intricate carvings, this Gothic marvel is where law meets legend. Stop for a closer look—and a quick story about cricket, curses, and colonial judges.



- **Mumbai University & Rajabai Clock Tower:** Big Ben's cousin with a stained-glass soul. As we drive past, we explore the fascinating story of the Rajabai Tower's Parsi patron and the university's European design.

- **Marine Drive – Queen's Necklace :** The ride opens up here. Deco buildings to your left, the Arabian Sea to your right. It's not just scenic—it's cinematic. Let the sea breeze carry the stories.

- **Coastal Road Drive (New Addition) :** A bold new chapter in Mumbai's infrastructure saga. Learn about the project's engineering feats, environmental controversies, and its promises for the future.

- **Chhatrapati Shivaji Maharaj Terminus (CSMT):** UNESCO World Heritage Site and a visual spectacle. Step down to marvel at its turrets, stained glass, and the seamless blend of Victorian Gothic with Indian detail.

- **Hop Off: Gateway of India & Taj Mahal Palace Hotel:** The ceremonial entry point to the city—and a fitting place to wrap up. From British arrivals to modern protests, this is where Mumbai has welcomed and resisted change.

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