

PORT AT A GLANCE

- Kotor can accommodate cruise ships at the port or anchors in the bay (tender).
- The Old Town is right next to the main berth. If you tender, you'll arrive nearby and can walk directly to the Old Town.
- Actual walking route and time depend on your ship's berth or landing location.
- A scenic, atmospheric medieval town with stone streets, churches, cafés and beautiful bay views.
- Currency: Euro (€). Cards are widely accepted.
- Check your ship's arrival details, tender times and all aboard time.

BAY OF KOTOR – YOUR OPTIONS

NOT FOR NAVIGATION



GETTING AROUND

DOCKED AT KOTOR PORT
Walk from ship to the Old Town, right next to the berth.

AT ANCHOR (TENDER)
- Ships may use tenders. You'll arrive near the Old Town and can walk into town.

TENDER LANDING
- Confirm landing location with your ship. Walking route and time depend on the landing point.

TO PERAST
- Reach by local bus, taxi or organised tour, or by boat. Check current options, timings and availability.

TO OUR LADY OF THE ROCKS
- Take a short boat trip from Perast. Timings depend on the season and weather.

TO BEACHES
- Several beaches are outside Kotor. Reach by local bus, taxi or boat. Check options and timings.

GOOD TO KNOW

- Actual distances and travel times vary.
- St. John Fortress has steep, uneven steps and is strenuous. Paid admission. Check access, hours and heat conditions.
- Services, transport options and opening hours can change – always confirm locally.
- Check current travel advice for Montenegro and ensure activities are suitable for you.
- Be prepared for sun, heat and uneven terrain.

1 KOTOR OLD TOWN



- UNESCO World Heritage Site.
- Atmospheric medieval streets, churches, squares and palaces.
- Clock Tower and main square.
- St. Tryphon Cathedral (12th century).
- Shops, cafés, restaurants and plenty of photo opportunities.
- Compact and easy to explore on foot from the port.

2 ST. JOHN FORTRESS



- Steep and strenuous stone steps to the top with incredible views over Kotor and the bay.
- Paid admission. Check current entry fee, access and opening hours.
- Allow plenty of time and bring water, hat and sunscreen.
- Not suitable for everyone due to heat and uneven steps.
- One of the best viewpoints in Montenegro.

3 PERAST



- Beautiful baroque town with palaces and stone houses.
- Reach by road (bus, taxi or tour) or by boat from Kotor.
- Explore the waterfront, churches and small museums.
- Combine with a visit to Our Lady of the Rocks.
- Check current transport options, timings and availability.

4 OUR LADY OF THE ROCKS



- Man-made island with a beautiful church and museum.
- Short boat crossing from Perast.
- Timings depend on the season and weather conditions.
- Combine with a visit to Perast.
- A unique and memorable stop in the bay.

5 SCENIC BOAT TOURS



- Explore the stunning Bay of Kotor by boat.
- Options include Perast, Our Lady of the Rocks, submarine tunnels and Blue Cave (seasonal).
- Relaxing way to see multiple highlights.
- Great for all ages.
- Fantastic photo opportunities from the water.

6 BEACHES



- Several beaches around the bay.
- Popular options include Dobrota (close), Markov Rt, Orahovac and Jaz Beach (Budva).
- Pebble beaches with clear water and mountain views.
- Reach by local bus, taxi or boat.
- Best visited if you have a longer port day.
- Check current transport options.

7 LOCAL FOOD & DRINK



- Fresh seafood (mussels are a local specialty – often buzara style).
- Grilled octopus, squid and fresh fish.
- Local cheeses, prosciutto and olives.
- Montenegrin wine and local beers.
- Waterfront restaurants in Kotor and Perast.
- Enjoy a meal with a beautiful view of the bay.

8 PHOTO SPOTS



- Kotor Old Town from the city walls.
- Panoramic views over the bay.
- St. Tryphon Cathedral and charming stone streets.
- Perast and Our Lady of the Rocks.
- Colourful doors, balconies and flowers.
- And of course, the famous Kotor cats (you'll see them around town)!

WHAT TO BRING

- Comfortable walking shoes
- Lightweight, breathable clothing
- Sunscreen, hat and sunglasses
- Refillable water bottle
- Small backpack or day bag
- Camera or phone for photos
- Swimwear (if visiting a beach)

WHAT TO EXPECT

- A spectacular scenic bay with mountains
- Rich history, charming towns and villages
- Mix of cultural sights, boat trips and local food
- Some walking and uneven surfaces
- Port operations and transport options may vary – stay flexible
- A memorable and rewarding port of call

IMPORTANT NOTES

- Port can dock at Kotor or anchor with tenders.
- Confirm with your ship's daily programme.
- Transport options, timetables and opening hours can change.
- St. John Fortress is strenuous – check your fitness level and the weather.
- Timings for boat trips depend on the season and weather.

PERFECT FOR

- History and culture lovers
- Scenic views and photography
- Foodies and wine lovers
- Couples and honeymooners
- Families (easy Old Town, optional beach lovers)
- Boat tour enthusiasts
- Cosy and animal charm

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