

1 Town Hall Square & Town Hall
Raejoja plats 1
www.tallinn.ee/raekoja
The historic square at the heart of Old Town and the best-preserved Gothic town hall in Northern Europe. Dominating the square's east side is the Town Hall, built in 1402–1404 as the headquarters for the ruling burghers.

2 Town Hall Prison – Museum of Photography
Raejoja 4/6
www.linnamuseum.ee
The history of photography in Estonia, housed in the Town Council's former prison. Displays include an early 20th-century darkroom, fascinating old photos of Tallinn, and hundreds of antique cameras, including a 1930s-era Minox, designed in Estonia.

3 Town Hall Pharmacy
Raejoja plats 11
www.raepiteek.ee
Open since as far back as 1422, this curious little shop on the corner of Town Hall Square is in fact the oldest continuously running pharmacy in Europe. Medieval remedies like burnt bees and powdered unicorn horn have been replaced by their 21st-century counterparts, but one room in the back displays a collection of medicinal bric-a-brac from bygone days.

4 Masters' Courtyard
Vene 6 • www.hoov.ee
Hidden in a quiet courtyard are numerous craft shops, café and a hostel.

5 St. Catherine's Passage
Vene 12
What makes this easily the most picturesque of Old Town's lanes particularly interesting is that it's home to the St. Catherine's Guild, a collection of craft workshops where artists use traditional methods to create and sell glassware, hats, quilts, ceramics, jewellery, hand-painted silk and other wares. The workshops are housed in the small, 15th- to 17th-century rooms on the south side of the lane, and are set up in an open-studio fashion so visitors can watch the artists at work, be it glass-blowing, weaving or pottery making.

6 Dominican Monastery Claustrium
Müürivahe 33
www.moutain.edu.ee
The remaining inner chambers of St. Catherine's Monastery, established in 1246. Visitors shouldn't miss the mysterious 'Energy Pillar' in the cellar, thought to be a source of physical and spiritual health.

7 Dominican Monastery Museum
Vene 16 • www.kloostri.ee
The inner courtyard and passageways of St. Catherine's Monastery. Established in 1246, this is Tallinn's oldest intact building.

8 St. Nicholas' Orthodox Church
Vene 24
Drop inside this neoclassical church built in 1820 to get a glimpse of the treasured iconostasis.

9 Tallinn City Museum
Vene 17 • www.linnamuseum.ee
A well-presented chronicle of Tallinn's history. Housed in a 14th-century merchant house, this modern museum provides an excellent introduction to Tallinn's history from the first settlements right up to the Singing Revolution and 1991 independence.

10 Holy Spirit Church
Pühavaimu 2
www.eek.ee/tallinna.puhavaimu
This is the 14th century spectacular structure both inside and out. The elaborate painted clock on its facade is Tallinn's oldest public timepiece, but don't miss the carved wood interior and 15th-century altar painted by Bert Notke.

11 Kalev Marzipan Room
Pikk 16 • www.kalev.ee
Historic shop combined with museum where the most intricate marzipan creations are displayed and sold.

12 Estonian History Museum – Great Guild Hall
Pikk 17 • www.ajaloomuseum.ee
Films and interactive displays show how people here lived, fought and survived over the last 1,000 years. The museum is housed in the 19th-century Great Guild Hall, itself a spectacular relic of Tallinn's past.

13 Kanuti Guild Hall
Pikk 20 • www.saal.ee
This hall served a guild of skilled craftsmen from various trades. Though the building is much older, its facade dates to 1862–64 and is done in an English, Tudor style, with statues representing St. Kanut and Martin Luther. The hall is now a modern dance theatre.

14 Estonian Handicraft House
Pikk 22 • www.folkart.ee
The largest selection of handicrafts by master craftsmen from all over Estonia.

15 House of the Brotherhood of Black Heads
Pikk 26
www.mustpeadomaja.ee
Tallinn's most ornate guild hall, with Renaissance facade and spectacular doorway. The Brotherhood of Black Heads gets its odd name from the fact that its patron saint, Mauritius, was a dark-skinned Moor. This guild of unmarried German merchants was responsible for organising the town's defenses.

16 Estonian Maritime Museum
Pikk 70 • www.meremuseum.ee
Extensive displays on Estonia's sea-faring history, housed in the historic Fat Margaret's cannon tower. This fat, sturdy defence tower was built from 1510 to 1530 to protect Tallinn from attacks by the sea. Take the stairs to the roof-top for a picture-postcard view of the Tallinn harbour and the Old Town.

17 St. Olav's Church
Lai 50 • www.oleviste.ee
Once upon a time, from 1549 to 1625 to be precise, this 14th-century Gothic church was the tallest building in the world. In Medieval days its 159-metre spire would have made it a truly inspiring sight. At 124 metres, the current spire still towers over Old Town, and in spring and summer daring visitors can climb up for an amazing view.

18 Epping Tower
Laboratooriumi 31
www.eppingitorn.ee
A 15th-century tower with displays on Tallinn's fortifications, Medieval weapons and armour.

19 Estonian Health Care Museum
Lai 30
www.tervisohimuseum.ee
A school-oriented museum showing insights into health and physiology. Closed for renovations.

20 Estonian Museum of Natural History
Lai 29 • www.loodusmuuseum.ee
Taxidermed animals and other displays on the nation's flora and fauna.

21 Estonian Museum of Applied Art and Design
Lai 17 • www.etm.ee
Works in glass, ceramics, textile, leather, metalwork and jewellery.

22 Towers' Square
Perfectly picturesque square offering view to Town Wall with its towers. Since 2009 Tallinn Flower Festival takes place here every summer.

23 Town Wall
Gümnaasiumi 3
The power politics of the Middle Ages being what they were, Tallinn was constantly under threat of attack by one ambitious neighbour or another. The solution, starting in the 13th century, was to maintain a system of high, thick walls, guard towers and gates. With 1.3 km of its original city wall still standing, Tallinn boasts one of Europe's best preserved Medieval fortifications. The portion of the wall that's open to the public connects Numa, Sauna and Kuldjala towers.



24 Museum of Puppet Arts NUKU
Lai 1 • www.nukuteater.ee
The interactive NUKU centre and museum consists principally of theatre puppets. Ever since it opened back in 1952, the Estonian Puppet and Youth Theatre has been captivating audiences of all ages with its imaginative stories and colourful characters.

25 Adamson Eric Museum
Lühike jalg 3 • www.adamson-eric.ee
One of the most versatile Estonian artists of the 20th century, Adamson-Eric (1902–1968), worked in a number of disciplines. His creations, displayed in this medieval-merchant-house-turned-museum, include paintings and inventive jewellery.

26 St. Nicholas' Church / Niguliste Museum
Niguliste 3
www.nigulistemuuseum.ee
Saints, dancing skeletons and silver – not to mention the occasional organ concert – are the main attractions at this imposing, 13th-century church. The church houses a museum dedicated to church art, displaying Medieval altarpieces and Tallinn's most famous painting, Bert Notke's Danse Macabre. Destroyed in a World War II bombing raid, it was painstakingly reconstructed in the 1980s. The building's acoustics also make it a prime concert venue, with organ or choir performances held here most weekends.

27 Kiek in de Kiek and Bastion Tunnels
Komanandandi tee 2
www.linnamuseum.ee
This huge 15th century tower is a museum of the town's fortifications and serves as the entrance to the hidden tunnels that run under Toompea hill. The name of this 38m tower means 'peep into the kitchen', since it was so high that guards joked they could see right down the chimneys of the houses below. It was built in the 1470s, but quickly expanded and strengthened, giving it walls up to 4m thick.

28 Estonian Theatre and Music Museum
Müürivahe 12 • www.tmm.ee
Antique instruments and hand-cranked, 19th-century music machines. The hand-cranked, 19th-century music machines – some with moving figures on top – are particularly intriguing.

29 Viru Gates
The 14th century round towers at the bottom of Viru street are actually only the fore-gates of what was a much more complex gate system. They have become a symbol of the town.

30 Heilemann Tower
Müürivahe 48 • www.heilemann.ee
This three-storey tower gives visitors a chance to walk along a 200 m stretch of the wall. Dating to the 14th century, it has been used as a prison and a weapons store, but nowadays houses an art gallery.

31 Toompea Castle and Pikk Hermann Tower
Lassi plats 1 • www.rigikogu.ee
Toompea Castle has been seat of power in Estonia since the German Knights of the Sword built the first stone fortress here in 1229–29. Even these days it's home to the nation's Parliament (Rigikogu). Standing at the southwest corner of Toompea Castle is the Pikk Hermann (Tall Hermann) Tower, a vital symbol of Estonian nationhood. Originally built in 1371, it reached its current, 45m height after reconstruction in 1950.

32 St. Alexander Nevsky Cathedral
Lassi plats 10
www.hot.ee/insobor
One piece of Old Town architecture that seems out of place here among its Medieval neighbours is the colourful, very Russian-looking, onion-domed church that looms over the city from atop Toompea hill. It was established here in 1900. Now the cathedral is the main place of worship for Estonia's Russian Orthodox faithful.

33 Cathedral of Saint Mary the Virgin (Dome Church)
Toom-Kaoli 6
www.eek.ee/tallinna.toom
The Dome Church, Estonia's main Lutheran church, once served Tallinn's nobles and still displays their coats of arms. Established before 1233 and repeatedly rebuilt since, the church displays a mix of architectural styles. Visitors can climb the 69m baroque bell-tower for amazing views.

34 Viewing platforms
In the old days the nobles living on Toompea hill would look down – both literally and figuratively – on the merchants and artisans living in the town below. Now so can you. Two viewing spots in particular, the Kahtu street and Patkuli panoramas, give sweeping panoramas of Old Town's rooftops, towers and beyond. From the Kohtu street platform there's an unforgettable view of the city's Medieval neighbourhood against the backdrop of its new financial district. The Patkuli platform, on the other hand, offers the best vantage point to see Tallinn's fairy tale city wall and towers, as well as St. Olav's Church and the Art Nouveau structure still belongs to the 'Estonia' theatrical company. Eesti Kontsert, is also headquartered here.

35 Danish King's Garden
Lühike jalg 9A
On one slope of Toompea hill, between the city wall and Lower Town, you'll find an open, gardenlike area and a terraced set of steps that lead down to a courtyard on Rüütli street. This relaxing spot was supposedly where King Valdemar II of Denmark and his troops camped before conquering Toompea in 1219.

36 Maiden's Tower
Lühike jalg 9A
This tower next to the Danish King's Garden dates to the 14th century. Naming it 'Maiden's' or 'Virgin's' Tower is another example of that wacky, Medieval irony. It used to house a prison for prostitutes.

37 Museum of Occupations
Toompea 8 • www.okupatsioon.ee
Dedicated to the 1940–1991 time period when Estonia suffered German and Soviet occupations. It's a must-see for 20th century history buffs and anyone who wants to understand modern Estonian society.

38 Freedom Square
Vabaduse väljak
Tallinn's showcase square has traditionally been a place of national symbolism and civic pride. The large pillar with the cross that dominates the west side of the square is the Monument to the War of Independence, fought from 1918 to 1920.

39 AHHAA Science Centre
Vabaduse väljak 9
www.ahhaa.ee
Modern activity centre aims to make science fun for the whole family.

40 Bank of Estonia Museum
Estonia pst 11 • www.kestipank.ee
Exposition on the history of Estonian money and on the activities of the central bank. Visitors will learn the role of money in the society, have explained the arcane mysteries of central bank policy, and get an overview of how the financial system works.

41 National Opera Estonia
Estonia pst 4 • www.opera.ee
Tallinn's main venue for opera and ballet, built in 1906. Built in 1913, the grand, Art Nouveau structure still belongs to the 'Estonia' theatrical company. Eesti Kontsert, is also headquartered here.

42 Hotel Viru & KGB Museum
Viru väljak 4 • www.sokohotels.fi
In Soviet times it was rumoured that the KGB had files on everyone and that they operated in Viru Hotel. The latter rumour turned out to be true. Those intrigued by the city's secret history can take a guided tour at this museum on 23rd floor.

43 Rotermann Quarter
The 19th century industrial quarter has been given a modern architectural make-over. Trendy, cultural shopping centre with shops dedicated to cheese and wine.

44 Museum of Estonian Architecture
Ahtri 2
www.arhitektuurimuuseum.ee
Grand limestone structure the Rotermann's Salt Storage is the ideal place for this museum dedicated to Estonian architecture through the times.

Kalamaja Rocca al Mare



45 Discovery Centre Energy
Põhja pst. 29
www.energiakeskus.ee
Science is made fun in this family-oriented, hands-on science centre located in a former power station. Interactive see-and-do displays on electricity, optics and other branches of the physics fill all three floors of the vast museum. In addition, you may order gripping science and space shows at the planetarium.
Closes for renovations in July 2012. **MUST SEE!**

49 Tallinn Zoo
Paldiski mnt. 145
www.tallinnzoo.ee
Home to hundreds of species. Plus aquariums, an elephant house and a petting zoo. **MUST SEE!**

50 Estonian Open Air Museum
Vabõõlumuseumi tee 12
www.evm.ee
This museum lets you travel back in time to the rural Estonia of old. The vast, forested park is filled with thatched, 18-20th century farm buildings, windmills, a wooden chapel and a village school, with staff demonstrating how people lived and worked in times past. Visitors can buy handicrafts and try out the traditional food served in the village tavern Kolu Kõrts. **MUST SEE!**

46 Children's Museum
Kotzebue 16
www.linnamuuseum.ee
Hundreds of dolls, teddy bears and other toys. The hand-cranked, 19th-century music machines - some with moving figures on top - are particularly intriguing. The rarest item in the collection is a 250-year-old rococo fashion doll from Holland. **MUST SEE!**

51 Tallinn Song Festival Grounds
Narva mnt 95
www.lauluväljak.ee
A large park and amphitheatre that was the birthplace of the Singing Revolution in the late 1980s. Most famously the site is home to the Estonian Song and Dance Celebration, an unforgettable event that takes place every five years, drawing together up to 34 000 performers and 200 000 spectators. Next to the concert arena is the 42m Song Grounds Light Tower. **MUST SEE!**

47 Seaplane Harbour
Küti 17
www.seaplaneharbour.eu
This region's biggest sea centre tells exciting stories about the Estonian maritime and military history. Take a look at life size submarine and replica seaplane among many other exhibits. On the outdoor area visitors can tour a collection of historic ships, including the Suur Tõli, Europe's largest steam-powered icebreaker. Seaplane Harbour operates in architecturally unique hangars built almost a century ago, in 1916 and 1917, as a part of Peter the Great sea fortress. **MUST SEE!**

52 Estonian History Museum - Maarjamae Palace
Pirita tee 56
www.ajaloomuuseum.ee
Maarjamae Palace is now home to a large-scale exhibition devoted to the Republic of Estonia. It tells the story of the birth, development, occupation and regained independence of the republic. The museum's courtyard is full of Soviet era demounted monuments offering different kind of view to art. **MUST SEE!**

48 Estonian Design House
Kalasadamäe 8
www.estoniandesignhouse.ee
This is home to Estonian Association of Designers, design companies and studios. Showroom here is the best place to purchase local creations. A café right next door, makes the design shopping even more worth while.

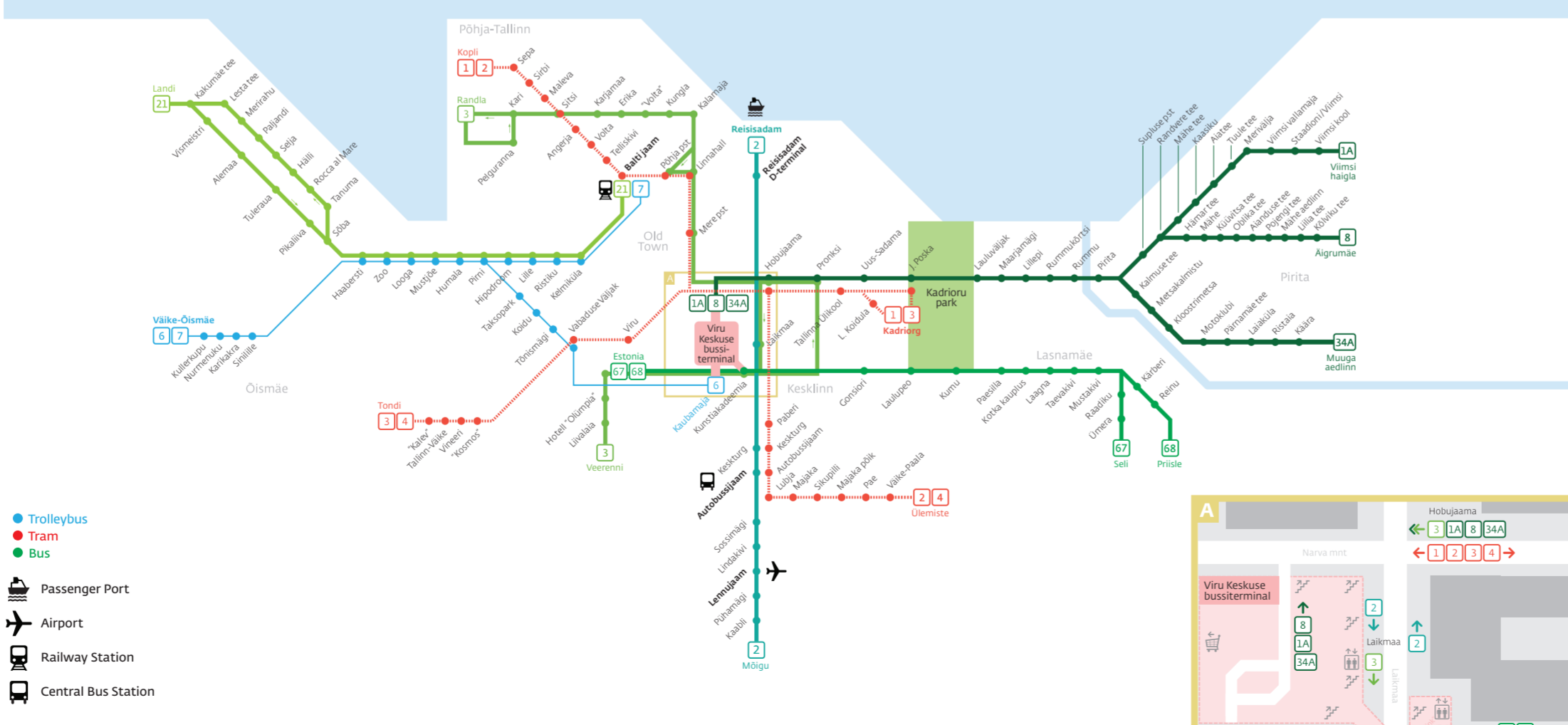
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- 57 Kadriorg Park**
Central Tallinn's main park is this Baroque ensemble founded nearly 300 years ago by Peter the Great. Criss-crossed with paths and dotted with statues, it positively dominates the neighbourhood. A good stopping spot is the rectangular Swan Pond, with its fountain, gazebo and nearby cafés.
- 60 Kumu Museum**
Weizenbergi 34/ Valge 1
www.kustumuseum.ee
The nation's premier art museum, housed in immense, high-tech facility. **MUST SEE!**
- 64 A. H. Tammsaare Museum**
Koidula 12 A
www.linnamuuseum.ee
A chronicle of the life and works of Estonia's greatest writer, set in his 1930s home. His most famous work is the five-part epic, Truth and Justice, which covers all strata of Estonian society. **MUST SEE!**
- 61 Mikkel Museum**
Weizenbergi 28
www.mikkelimuseum.ee
An extensive collection of antique Chinese porcelain, Flemish and Dutch paintings and Italian engravings. **MUST SEE!**
- 65 Japanese Garden**
www.kadriorgpark.ee
The North-East corner of Kadriorg Park's natural landscape with tall trees and heavy rocks is home to Japanese garden designed by renowned landscape designer from Japan, Masao Sone. It is the largest public, rhododendrons garden in the region.
- 59 Peter the Great's Cottage**
Mäekalda 2
www.linnamuuseum.ee
A small house in the park where Russian Tsar Peter the Great lived during his visits to Tallinn. This humble, 17th century cottage is where the mightiest of the Russian tsars spent his Tallinn stays while the nearby Kadriorg Palace was being built. **MUST SEE!**
- 62 Miia-Milla-Manda Museum**
Koidula 21C
www.linnamuuseum.ee
Pleasant and playfully themed hands-on museum for 3 to 11 year olds. **MUST SEE!**
- 66 Russalka**
Pirita tee
This is a monument to the armoured ship Russalka, which headed out from Tallinn to Helsinki in 1893. A storm prevented it from reaching its destination and it took all 177 crewmen to the bottom of the sea. The angel shaped memorial was installed in 1902 to commemorate the ship's crew.
- 63 Eduard Vilde Museum**
Rahelina aas 3
www.linnamuuseum.ee
This house museum is dedicated to one of Estonia's principle writers, Eduard Vilde (1865-1933). **MUST SEE!**

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