WHAT TO SEE

Wat Bowonniwet Vihara
Start your day with a glimpse into Thai history. Featuring a 14th Century statue of Buddha, this classical temple has served as a training and ordination site for several kings of Thailand. Be sure not to miss the golden stupa, a shrine that contains priceless relics from the royal family.
248 Phra Sumen Road, Khwaeng Wat Bowon Niwet, Khet Phra Nakhon, Krung Thep Maha Nakhon, Bangkok, 10200

The Giant Swing
Spend an uplifting afternoon at one of the city’s most popular and unique attractions. Standing at 27 meters tall, the Giant Swing has played a pivotal role in both religious and royal ceremonies for the past two centuries, and is a must-see for Bangkok travelers.
Bamrun Muang Road, Bangkok, 10200

The Democracy Monument
After sunset, there’s nothing quite like the sight of emerging lights from one of Bangkok’s shining monuments. Located at the center of the European-style Ratchadamnern Klang Road, the Democracy Monument is a standing reminder of Thailand’s first constitutional monarchy.
Ratchadamnern Klang Road, Bangkok, 10200

WHAT TO DO

Charoen Krung Road
Featuring bustling areas like Chinatown and the Bang Rak District, this road was Thailand’s first to use modern construction techniques. As you make the rounds on this major boulevard, be sure to see a Thai dance performance at the historic Sala Chalermkrung Royal Theatre.
Sala Chalermkrung Royal Theater, 66 Charoen Krung Road, Bangkok, 10200

Phahurat Road
Home of the massive Phahurat Market, this road was built during King Chulalongkorn’s reign over a century ago and has been a popular destination ever since. With an endless array of shops and food stands, you’ll find more than enough spots to spend an entire day or more. Remember to bring multiple forms of payment on your journey.
Phahurat Market, Phahurat Road, Talat Noi, Samphanthawong, Bangkok, 10100

WHERE TO EAT

Casual & Fine Dining
Whether you’re searching for a quick bite or an elegant meal, here are a few ideas for traditional Thai cuisine:

- Jok Pochana, 96-98 Soi Samsen 2, Talad Nana Bang Lamphu, Bangkok, 10200
- Aquatini Riverside Bar & Restaurant, Navalai River Resort 45/1 Phra Athit Rd., Bangkok, 10200
- Savoey Restaurant Tha Maharaj, Maharaj Road, Tha Maharaj, 2nd Floor., Building G, Bangkok, 10200
- Khinlom Chomsaphan Restaurant, 11/6 Samsan Soi 3, Samsan Road, Bangkok, 10200
- Methavalai Sorndaeng, 78/2 Ratchadamnoen Ave., Bangkok, 10200