

The CAPA Sydney Center Neighborhood

Haymarket

So named because of its 1800's cattle and corn markets, the Haymarket area is best known today for its exotic Chinatown. Sydney's original Chinese community settled in The Rocks but moved to the Haymarket area in the early 1900s. Haymarket is adjacent to Darling Harbour and is surrounded by the suburbs of Ultimo, Chippendale, Surry Hills, and the Sydney CBD. The 'Market City' complex contains the markets, The Peak apartment building, a modern shopping center featuring a food court, restaurants, boutiques, specialty shops, and entertainment options, such as a cinema and amusement center.

TRANSPORT

Central Station is located one block from Sydney's largest transport interchange. From Railway Square, you can catch public buses to Sydney's inner and outer suburbs, and it's a short walk to Central Station, which links Sydney's suburban train lines with the regional train network. Central Station is also home to Sydney Coach Terminal, where you can catch Greyhound Buse's interstate.

LOCAL AMENITIES

SHOPS

Market City shopping center is located one block away. On the lower level is the famous Paddy's Markets—this is a great place to grab souvenirs, and is also home to an excellent produce market, with very cheap fruit and vegetables.

SUPERMARKET

Woolworths is a 5-minute walk and is located across from the UTS Library. Alternatively, you can walk up the street to World Square where there is a large, specialized store suited to cater to your specific needs.

MEDICAL CENTRES

There are several medical centers around Haymarket. The closest is Broadway General Practice, on Level 1 of the Broadway shopping center. You must call the



medical center (02 8245 1500) to make an appointment, as they can't guarantee a doctor will be available for walk-in consultations.

BANKS

There are several major banks in Broadway Shopping Centre, including Commonwealth Bank and Westpac, and you should be able to withdraw money or change American currency at any of these.

LIBRARY

The State Library of NSW is the oldest in Australia. It is a large reference and research library with huge reading rooms, and study facilities with outlets and Wi-Fi. The library is located in the Sydney CBD on Macquarie Street, a short walk from Hyde Park, Circular Quay, and Martin Place.

EATERIES AND ENTERTAINMENT

Chinatown is your best bet for a cheap meal. CAPA staff recommend the Chinese Noodle House on Thomas Street for a cheap (and large!) meal. Bring a group and you can eat dinner for as little as \$5 each. Soda Factory at Surry Hills does \$1 hot dogs on Tuesday nights and has free movies on Mondays. For foreign cuisines (such as Mediterranean, Thai, or Italian) try nearby Glebe or Newtown.

OTHER LOCAL ATTRACTIONS

Chinatown & Paddy's Markets: 5-minute walk

The University of Sydney: 15-minute walk

Darling Harbour: 10-minute walk

Circular Quay: 15-minute bus

Sydney Botanical Gardens: 15-minute bus

Sydney Harbour Bridge: 15-minute bus

• Bondi Beach: 40-minute bus