

44. TOURISM

44.1 Tourist Attraction Places in Madurai District 2010-11

Sl. No.	Tourist Places
1	Arulmigu Meenakshi Sundareswar Temple
2	Thirumalai Nayak palace
3	Koodal Azhagar Temple
4	Vandiyur Mariamman Teppakulam
5	The Gandhi Museum
6	Thirupparankundram Murugan Temple
7	Viraganur Dam
8	Azhagar koil
9	Kochadai village temple
10	Athisiyam Water Theme park, Paravai
11	Rajaji Childrens park
12	Cathedral Church, Narimedu, Madurai
13	Madurai Corporation Eco Park, Madurai
14	Lake view Park, Vandiyur, Madurai
15	Kutladampatti water falls
16	Pulluthu, Thuvariman
17	Thiruvappanar Temple

Source: Manager, Tamilnadu Tourism Development Corporation, Madurai.

44.2. Places of Worship in Madurai District 2010-11

Sl. No.	Tourist Places
1	Arulmigu Meenakshi Sundareswarar Thirukkoil, Madurai
2	Arulmigu Subramaniaswamy Thirukkoil, Thirupparankundram
3	Arulmigu Koodalazhagar Thirukkoil, Madurai
4	Arulmigu Mariamman Thirukkoil, Theppakulam, Madurai.
5	Arulmigu Kallagar Thirukkoil, Azhagarkoil
6	Arulmigu Solaimalai Murugan Thirukkoil, Pazhamudir solai, Madurai
7	Arulmigu Kalamegapperumal Thirukkoil, Thirumohur
8	Arulmigu Maragathavalli Mutheeswarar Temple, Teppakulam
9	Arulmigu Inmaiyl Nanmai Tharuvar Thirukkoil, Madurai
10	Arulmigu Srinivasa Perumal Temple, Munichalai, Madurai
11	Arulmigu Prasanna Venkatachalapathy Temple, Tallakulam
12	Arulmigu Prasanna Venkatesa perumal Temple, South Krishnan koil street, Madurai
13	Arulmigu Thirumarainathar Temple, Thiruvadavur
14	Arulmigu Pandimuneeswarar Temple, Karuppayurani,, Madurai
15	Arulmigu Thiruvapudaiyar Temple, Madurai.
16	Goripalayam Dargah, Madurai.
17	St. Rosary Church, Town Hall Road, Madurai.
18	Matha Church, K.Pudur, Madurai.
19	Hajimar Mosque, Madurai.
20	Evangelical Luthern Church, Near Periyar Bus Stand, Madurai.

Source : Assistant Commissioner, HR & CE. Madurai.

44.4 List of Travel Agencies 2010-11

Sl. No.	Name Of The Travel Agency	Phone Number
1	Bose Travels	2334418
2	Somu Travels	25030246
3	Sarma Travels	2336691
4	K.B Travels	2339631
5	Yogalakshmi Travels	2331582
6	PTR Travels	2322333
7	K.P.N Travels	2331942
8	Jayavilas Travels	2331662
9	Kannathal Travels	2331520
10	Sun Travels	2341133

Source : Assistant Director of Statistics, Madurai.

**44.5 Railway Time Table - Arrival and Departure in Madurai Junction
Broad Gauge**

Sl. No	Train No.	Days of departure from Originating station	From	To	Departure at Originating Station	Madurai		Arrival at Destn.	Days of Arrival at Destination station
						Arrival	Dep.		
1	16733	Fri	Rameswaram	Okha	20.50	00.05	00.05	15.15	Mon
2	56721	Daily	Madurai	Rameswaram	--	--	00.10	03.45	
3	16736	Thu	Thiruchendur	Chennai	19.35	00.15	00.20	11.40	Fri
4	56705	Daily	Villupuram	Madurai	14.50	00.35	--		
5	16351	Tue, Sat	Mumbai CST	Nagercoil	12.05	00.35	00.40	05.35	Thu, Mon
6	56706	Daily	Madurai	Vilupuram	--	--	00.45	12.15	
7	16609	Daily	Nagercoil/Tuticorin	Coimbatore	20.30/21.30	01.00	01.05	07.30	
8	12633	Daily	Chennai Egmore	Kannaiyumari	17.30	01.55	02.00	06.50	
9	12790	Sun, Tue, Fri	Kannaiyumari	Rameswaram	22.00	02.10	02.20	05.20	Mon, Wed, Sat
10	16610	Daily	Coimbatore	Nagarcoil/Tuti	20.30	02.05	02.10	06.55/06.10	
11	16735	Fri	Chennai Egmore	Thiruchendur	16.05	02.55	03.00	08.00	Sat
12	12642	Sat	Nizamuddin	Kanyakumari	06.00	03.25	03.30	08.45	Mon
13	12667	Thu	Chennai Egmore	Nagarkoil	18.50	03.25	03.30	08.10	Fri
14	12652	Tue, Thu	Nizamuddin	Madurai	07.25	03.45	--	03.45	Thu, Sat
15	16723	Daily	Chennai Egmore	Tiruvanam	19.15	03.50	03.55	11.05	
16	56722	Daily	Rameswaram	Madurai	00.05	04.05	--		
17	12693	Daily	Chennai Egmore	Tuticorin	19.35	04.15	0.20	07.30	
18	12661	Daily	Chennai Egmore	Senkottai	20.05	04.40	04.45	08.15	
19	12631	Daily	Chennai Egmore	Thirunelveli	20.50	05.25	05.30	08.30	
20	56701	Daily	Kollam	Madurai	18.10	05.40	--	--	
21	16779	Fri, sun	Tirupathi	Madurai	13.35	06.00	--	--	Sat, Mon
22	12637	Daily	Chennai Egmore	Madurai	21.15	06.15	--	--	
23	56723	Daily	Madurai	Rameswaram	--	--	06.15	10.05	
24	12636	Daily	Madurai Vaigai	Chennai Egmore	--	--	06.45	14.35	
25	12689	Fri	Chennai Central	Nagarkoil	18.15	06.40	06.45	11.05	Sat
26	12665	Mon	Howrah	Kannaiyumari	16.10	06.40	06.45	11.40	Wed
27	56731	Daily	Madurai	Sengottai	--	--	07.15	10.50	

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28	16732	Daily	Mysore	Tuticorin	18.00	07.20	07.25	11.00	
29	56710	Daily	Madurai	Dindigul	--	--	07.45	09.15	
30	12793	Fri, Sun	Chennai	Madurai	22.45	08.50	--	--	Sat, Mon
31	16537	Thru	Bangalore	Nagarkoil	23.05	09.00	09.05	14.00	Fri
32	56707	Daily	Dindigul	Madurai	07.55	09.10	--	--	
33	56826	Daily	Thirunelveli	Erode/Mylai	05.30	09.15	09.20	14.15/16.45	
34	56724	Daily	Rameswaram	Madurai	05.25	09.20	--	--	
35	16352	Thu, Sun	Nagarkoil	Mumbai	04.40	09.45	09.50	20.50	Fri, Mon
36	56732	Daily	Sengottai	Madurai	07.00	10.45	--	--	
37	16128	Daily	Guruvayur	Chennai	20.50	11.00	11.10	21.15	
38	56733	Daily	Madurai	Sengottai	--	--	11.25	15.05	
39	16340	Mon, Tue, Wed, Fri	Nagarkoil	Mumbai CST	06.55	11.45	11.50	20.50	Tue, Wed, Thu, Sat
40	11043	Fri	Kurla	Madurai	00.15	12.30	---	--	Sat
41	12666	Sat	Kanyakumari	Howrah	07.50	12.35	12.40	03.20	Mon
42	56319	Daily	Nagarkoil	Coimbatore	07.30	12.50	13.00	20.45	
43	56320	Daily	Coimbatore	Nagarkoil	07.10	14.20	14.30	20.25	
44	16788	Mon, Thu	Jammutawi	Thirunelveli	23.45	14.50	15.00	18.20	Thu, Sun
45	56734	Daily	Sengottai	Madurai	12.00	15.50	--	--	
46	16734	Tue	Okha	Rameswaram	06.05	16.00	16.10	19.50	Thu
47	16127	Daily	Chennai	Guruvayur	07.40	16.35	16.40	06.40	
48	16538	Sat	Nagercoil	Bangalore	12.45	16.55	17.00	04.00	Sun
49	56735	Daily	Madurai	Sengottai	--	--	17.20	21.05	
50	56825	Daily	Mylai/Erode	Thirunelveli	11.00/13.00	17.45	17.55	22.20	
51	11044	Sat	Madurai	Kurla	--	--	18.00	05.45	Mon
52	56708	Daily	Madurai	Dindigul	--	--	18.10	19.40	

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53	56725	Daily	Madurai	Rameswaram	--	--	18.15	22.35	
54	16780	Thu, Sat	Madurai	Tirupati	--	--	19.15	10.20	Fri, Sun
55	16787	Mon, Fri	Tirunelveli	Jammutawi	15.45	19.00	19.20	13.10	Thu, Mon
56	56736	Daily	Sengottai	Madurai	15.50	19.30	--	--	
57	56709	Daily	Dindigul	Madurai	18.00	19.35	--	--	Sat
58	16731	Daily	Tuticorin	Mysore	16.35	19.45	19.50	10.10	Fri, Sun
59	12635	Daily	Chennai (Vaigai)	Madurai	12.45	20.50	--	--	Fri, Sat, Sun, Tue
60	12638	Daily	Madurai Pandian	Chennai		--	20.35	05.35	
61	12668	Fri	Nagarcoil	Chennai	17.05	21.00	21.05	06.00	
62	12794	Thu, Sat	Madurai	Chennai	--	--	21.10	07.20	
63	16339	Wed, Thu, Fri, Sun	Mumbai CST	Nagercoil	12.05	21.15	21.20	03.15	
64	56726	Daily	Rameswaram	Madurai	17.35	21.20	--	--	
65	12632	Daily	Tirunelveli	Chennai	18.50	21.25	21.30	06.40	
66	12634	Daily	Kanniyakumari	Chennai	17.20	21.45	21.50	06.50	
67	12662	Daily	Sengottai	Chennai	19.00	22.05	22.10	07.05	
68	12694	Daily	Tuticorin	Chennai	19.45	22.45	22.10	07.40	
69	56700	Daily	Madurai	Kollam	--	--	22.50	09.05	
70	16724	Daily	Tiruvandram	Chennai	16.20	23.00	23.05	08.40	
71	12789	Mon, Thu, Sat	Rameswaram	Kanniyakumari	20.45	23.30	23.40	04.05	Tue, Fri, Sun
72	12641	Wed	Kanniyakumari	Nizamuddin	19.15	23.45	23.50	18.00	Fri
73	12690	Sun	Nagercoil	Chennai Central	19.40	23.45	23.50	12.25	Mon
74	12651	Mon, Sat	Madurai	Nizamuddin	--	--	23.55	18.00	Wed, Mon

44.6 Air Service Timing 2010-11

Name of The Airport : Madurai

Sl. No	Flight No	Airline	From	Arrival Time (IST)	To	Dep.Time (IST)	Schedule
1.	JAI27211 /JAI2722	Jet Airways	CHENNAI	0810	CHENNAI	0840	Daily
2.	SEJ291/ SEJ304	SPICE JET	CHENNAI	0940	CHENNAI	1015	Daily
3.	JAI2767/ JAI2768	JET AIRWAYS	CHENNAI	1700	CHENNAI	1730	Mon, Wed, Thu, Fri, Sun
	JAI 2767/ 2768	JET AIRWAYS	CHENNAI	1530	CHENNAI	1200	Tue, Sat
4.	AIC671/ AIC672	AIR INDIA	CHENNAI	1245	CHENNAI	1345	Daily
5.	KFR4467/ KFR4468	KINGFISHER	BANGALURU	1525	BANGALURU	1605	Mon, Wed, Thu, Fri, Sun
	KFR4467/ KFR4468	KINGFISHER	BANGALURU	1310	BANGALURU	1410	Tue, Sat
6.	KFR2415/ KFR2416	KINGFISHER	CHENNAI	1620	CHENNAI	1650	Mon, Wed, Thu, Fri, Sun
	KFR2415/ KFR2416	KINGFISHER	CHENNAI	1750	CHENNAI	1815	Tue, Sat
7.	SEJ303/ 296	SPICE JET	CHENNAI	1815	CHENNAI	1840	Daily
8.	JAI 2723/ 2752	JET AIRWAYS	CHENNAI	2025	CHENNAI	205	Daily

Source : Airport Authority of India, Madurai Airport, Madurai.