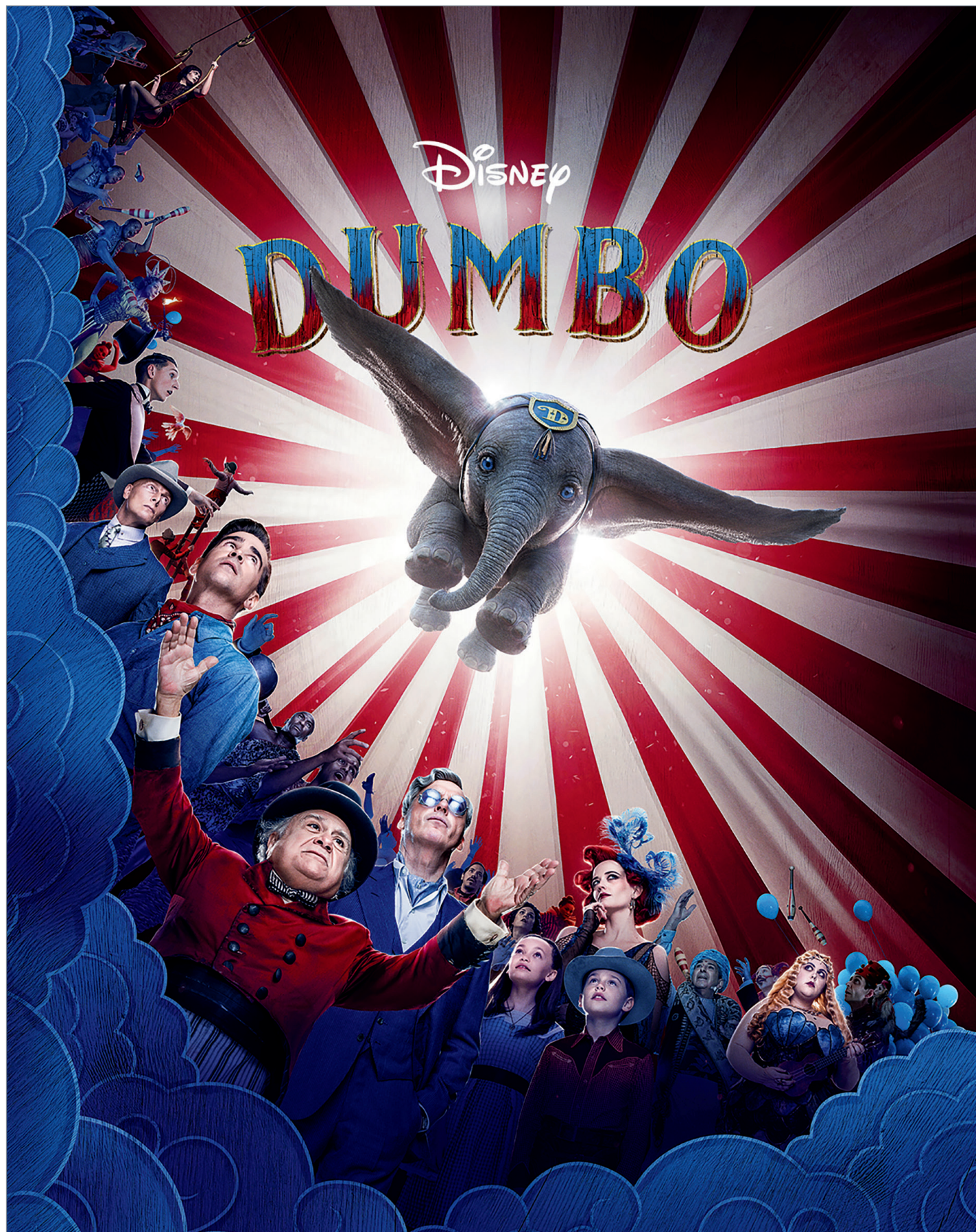


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WANT HELP WITH WHAT TO WATCH THIS MONTH? FILMMAKER AND DIRECTOR KAM RASLAN MAKES THE CASE FOR THESE MOVIES.



↑ THE MATRIX (1999)

Time is the curse for science fiction movies. What looked clever when the movie came out can look clunky and silly when time rolls by. Only a few science fiction movies have had a lasting grip on the imagination with their evocation of the future. We don't have a space station on the moon but 1968's *2001: A Space Odyssey* remains awe-inspiring, as is 1982's *Blade Runner*, even though it is set in 2019 and we still don't have flying cars despite the best efforts of the Malaysian car industry.

Only a very few sci-fi movies get the future right, and on its 20th anniversary, *The Matrix* is one, because today, in a sense, we all live inside the Matrix. We exist in the real world of people, jobs and buildings, but we also live in a cyber world where our lives are better and where lies can be truth. Who is to say which world is more real anymore?

When *The Matrix* came out in 1999, the Internet was in its dial-up infancy (buffering... buffering...), but the movie's directors, the Wachowski brothers (who have since become sisters), understood the future duality of our lives. They created a world where our real physical world is an illusion constructed by machines and where we humans actually exist in a far darker realm. Only an extremely stylish and small resistance movement stands in the way of the machines and their computer-world villainous agents. And most importantly, they all seek the Chosen One: Keanu Reeves in his standout role as Neo.

Since *The Matrix*, every sci-fi movie has its Chosen One: an ordinary person who doesn't realise that he/she is the preordained leader and saviour. The Internet and social media have given us this need and hope by simultaneously feeding us with the sense that we must be special and reminding us that we are helpless.

Even after 20 years, *The Matrix* remains a knockout visual and philosophical feast that has a lasting impact on sci-fi movies and has given Hong Kong stuntmen more work than they can handle. It makes me want to ask Siri to confirm that the Matrix doesn't actually exist, but I'm scared that its answer will be, "I'm afraid I can't do that."



↑ THE SOUND OF MUSIC (1965)

Most of this movie's ever-growing legion of fans, like Lady Gaga, Gwen Stefani and Ariana Grande, were born long after its release in 1965. What is the secret to its enduring popularity? Co-star Christopher Plummer did not like the movie at all, calling it "sentimental and gooey", which is exactly why *The Sound Of Music* (and the best desserts) has remained so successful. The key is the open-hearted, almost childlike naivety of Maria (Julie Andrews), whose unstoppable goodness is so radioactive that it melts anyone who crosses her path. And all the songs are fantastic.

All musicals begin with the "I want" song, where the (usually) female lead tells us exactly what she wants in life, and then after a rocky road, she gets it. *The Sound Of Music* begins with the iconic scene of Maria ascending a mountain and singing in the midst of alpine beauty that she wants freedom, the music of nature and love. In reality, Julie Andrews was being blown over by the helicopter downdraft and the director was up a tree shouting instructions, but reality doesn't matter, and if after that stunning intro, you have a problem with Maria, then the problem is you.

What sets *The Sound Of Music* apart from all the rest is that it shows us what happens after the "happily every after" of romance and marriage. Even after the nanny Maria has brought love to the previously loveless Von

Trapp family, there is still one life-or-death mountain to climb. If you haven't watched *The Sound Of Music* before, then it could become one of your favourite things.



↑ MISS BAEK (SOUTH KOREA 2018)

It was on Malaysia Airlines flights that I fell in love with South Korean films. Given a chance to sample movies from around the world, I was quickly overwhelmed by Korean films with their remarkable characters, great acting, storylines that rarely end where you expect (very often unhappily), and above all, their virtuoso film-making craft. After watching Korean films, I feel disappointed by Hollywood because they are set in rooms where no real lives are lived, the spaces are too clean and perfect, while in Korean films, they are filled with the clutter of lives being imperfectly led.

Miss Baek, like the best Korean movies, is a far cry from the cutesy glitz of K-pop and TV soap operas. *Miss Baek*, which easily outperformed *A Star Is Born* in South Korean cinemas, is a gritty realist drama about women perpetuating and fighting to break cycles of violence. Too many Korean films only have female characters as victims, but *Miss Baek* is all about women doing good and bad, with ex-convict Miss Baek (Han Ji-min) finding herself drawn to helping a clearly abused little girl.

If you have never watched Korean films, please give them a try. You might find yourself dazzled by unfamiliar character and plot twists, skilful film-making and, as with *Miss Baek*, an evocation of winter cold that is not cosy but gets in your bones. And afterwards, check out Bong Joon-ho's *Memories Of Murder*.



The Matrix, *The Sound Of Music* and *Miss Baek* are playing onboard. Check your in-flight entertainment system for channel information.

HOLLYWOOD

**DUMBO**

COLIN FARRELL, MICHAEL KEATON, DANNY DEVITO,
EVA GREEN, ALAN ARKIN
PG / 112 mins / Fantasy, Adventure, Family / E, E+

Dumbo is a baby elephant whose oversized ears are the subject of jokes at a struggling circus owned by Max Medici. When it is discovered that Dumbo can fly, the circus makes an incredible comeback. This attracts entrepreneur V.D. Vendeve, who wants to feature Dumbo in his entertainment venture, Dreamland, which hides dark secrets unbeknownst to Max and his troupe.

**ALITA: BATTLE ANGEL**

ROSA SALAZAR, CHRISTOPH WALTZ, KEAN JOHNSON,
JENNIFER CONNELLY
PG-13 / 122 mins / Action, Adventure, Romance / E, E+

Alita, a cyborg, awakens with no memory of who she is in a world she no longer recognises. She is found and taken in by Ido, a doctor who realises that within the cyborg shell of Alita lies a woman with an extraordinary past. As Alita learns to navigate her new world, Ido tries to shield her from her dangerous past.

**THE AFTERMATH**

KEIRA KNIGHTLEY, ALEXANDER SKARSGÅRD, JASON CLARKE
R / 108 mins / Drama, Romance / E, E+

Set in post-war Germany, Rachel Morgan arrives in Hamburg to be with her British army colonel husband, Lewis, who is tasked with rebuilding the city. Rachel is surprised to discover that they will be sharing a house with its previous owners – a German widower and his daughter. Rachel settles into the house seething with suppressed animosity and comes to terms that she is there to mend broken relationships as much as broken cities.

BEST OF MALAYSIA

**ONE TWO JAGA**

ZAHRIL ADZIM, ARIO BAYU, ROSDEEN SUBOH
PG-13 / 85 mins / Crime, Drama / E+

A story of an abused domestic worker who attempts to flee home to Indonesia while an idealistic police officer seeks to fight corruption among the ranks. In a world filled with desperation, doing the right thing isn't just difficult but also sometimes dangerous.

★ *This movie won six awards at the recent 30th Festival Film Malaysia, including Best Film.*

CHINESE

**淪落人 / STILL HUMAN**

ANTHONY WONG, CRISEL CONSUNJI, SAM LEE
PG-13 / 111 mins / Drama / E+

After becoming a paraplegic due to a workplace accident, Leung is left to contemplate his existence after his wife leaves him. He hires Evelyn, a domestic helper, who comes to Hong Kong to earn a living while putting her dreams on hold. Despite the initial language barrier and distrust, the two strangers begin to learn more about each other and then themselves.

JAPANESE

**ねことじいちゃん / THE ISLAND OF CATS**

GUIN POON CHAW, TASUKU EMOTO,
SHŌNO HAYAMA
PG-13 / 103 mins / Drama / E+

Daikichi is a 70-year-old widower who lives on a small island with his cat Tama. His son, who works in Tokyo, is concerned about his father's well-being and urges Daikichi to move in with him. Daikichi, however, prefers the simple life and the company of the locals he grew up with. As things around him slowly change, Daikichi ponders life and the memories left behind by his late wife.

TAMIL

**பரியேறும் பெருமாள் / PARIYERUM PERUMAL**

KATHIR, ANANDHI, YOGI BABU
PG-13 / 154 mins / Drama, Romance / E+

Pariyan is a law student from an oppressed caste who befriends Jo, a girl from a higher caste, who helps him with his English. Jo slowly falls for Pariyan, but her father and cousin are not thrilled with this relationship and go to violent lengths to stop it. Pariyan reluctantly backs off as he is reminded of what a difference the caste system makes.

RATINGS:

G / U General audience. Suitable for all ages.

PG Parental guidance recommended. Some content may not be suitable for children.

PG-13 Parental guidance strongly recommended. Some content may be inappropriate for children under 13 years of age.

15 Suitable for audiences aged 15 years and above.

R Restricted. Not suitable for audiences under 17 years of age.

NR Not rated by the Motion Picture Association of America.

i Contains scenes or language that may be disturbing or offensive. Viewer discretion is advised.

M Programmes with Malaysian content.

★ Award-winning movies/programmes.

LANGUAGES:

A Arabic / **D** Danish / **E** English / **ES** Spanish / **F** French / **G** German / **H** Hindi / **I** Italian / **IN** Indonesian / **J** Japanese / **K** Korean / **M** Mandarin / **ML** Malay / **T** Tamil / **TA** Tagalog

SUBTITLES:

A+ Arabic / **C+** Chinese / **E+** English / **J+** Japanese / **M+** Malay

LATEST



New ALITA: BATTLE ANGEL (2019)
ROSA SALAZAR, CHRISTOPH WALTZ, JENNIFER CONNELLY
PG-13 / / 122 mins / Action, Adventure, Romance / E



New PENGUINS
ED HELMS
G / 76 mins / Documentary / E



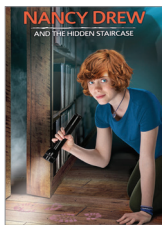
New DUMBO
COLIN FARRELL, MICHAEL KEATON, DANNY DEVITO
PG / 112 mins / Fantasy, Adventure / E, E+



New THE AFTERMATH
KEIRA KNIGHTLEY, ALEXANDER SKARSGÅRD, JASON CLARKE
R / / 108 mins / Drama, Romance / E



New ISN'T IT ROMANTIC
REBEL WILSON, LIAM HEMSWORTH, ADAM DEVINE, PRIVANKA CHOPRA
PG-13 / / 88 mins / Romantic, Comedy / E, J, K, E+



New NANCY DREW AND THE HIDDEN STAIRCASE
SOPHIA LILLIS, SAM TRAMMELL, LINDA LAVIN
PG / 89 mins / Drama, Mystery / E



THE LEGO 2: THE SECOND PART
CHRIS PRATT, ELIZABETH BANKS, TIFFANY HADDISH
PG / 107 mins / Family / E, J, K



HEAD FULL OF HONEY
NICK NOLTE, MATT DILLON, EMILY MORTIMER
PG-13 / / 128 mins / Drama / E



AQUAMAN
JASON MOMOA, AMBER HEARD, WILLEM DAFOE
PG-13 / / 143 mins / Action, Adventure, Fantasy / E, J, K



THE MULE
BRADLEY COOPER, CLINT EASTWOOD, MANNY MONTANA
R / / 116 mins / Crime, Drama, Thriller / E, J, K



THE KID WHO WOULD BE KING
LOUIS ASHBORNE SERKIS, DENISE GOUGH, DEAN CHAUMOO
PG / 120 mins / Action, Adventure, Family / E, E+



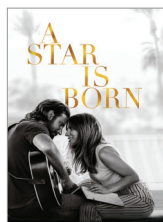
CREED II
MICHAEL B. JORDAN, SYLVESTER STALLONE, TESSA THOMPSON
PG-13 / / 130 mins / Drama, Sports / E, J, K, E+



PANDAS
KRISTEN BELL, WEN LEI BI, RONG HOU
G / 43 mins / Documentary / E



THE HATE YOU GIVE
AMANDLA STENBERG, REGINA HALL, RUSSELL HORNSBY
PG-13 / / 133 mins / Drama, Thriller / E, E+



A STAR IS BORN
BRADLEY COOPER, LADY GAGA, ANDREW SILVERSTEIN
R / / 135 mins / Drama, Music, Romance / E, J, K, E+



FANTASTIC BEASTS: THE CRIMES OF GRINDELWALD
EDDIE REDMAYNE, KATHERINE WATERSTON, DAN FOGLER, ALISON SUDOL, JUDE LAW, JOHNNY DEPP, EZRA MILLER, ZOË KRAVITZ
PG-13 / 134 mins / Fantasy, Adventure, Family / E, J, K, E+

WIDOWS
VIOLA DAVIS, MICHELLE RODRIGUEZ, ELIZABETH DEBICKI, CYNTHIA ERIVO, COLIN FARRELL, BRIAN TYREE HENRY, DANIEL KALUUYA
R / / 129 mins / Crime, Drama, Thriller / E, J, E+

CAN YOU EVER FORGIVE ME?
MELISSA MCCARTHY, RICHARD E. GRANT, DOLLY WELLS, JANE CURTIN, BEN FALCONE, STEPHEN SPINELLA
R / / 106 mins / Biography, Comedy, Crime / E

FAVOURITES

THE IRON GIANT
PG / 86 mins / Animation, Action, Adventure / E

THE MATRIX
R / / 136 mins / Action, Sci-Fi / E, J

THE HOBBIT: THE BATTLE OF THE FIVE ARMIES
PG-13 / / 144 mins / Adventure, Fantasy / E, J, K, E+

THE SIMPSONS MOVIE
PG-13 / / 97 mins / Animation, Adventure, Comedy / E

INVICTUS
PG-13 / / 134 mins / Biography, Drama, History / E, J, K, E+

CRAZY, STUPID, LOVE.
PG-13 / / 118 mins / Comedy, Drama, Romance / E, J, K

LIVE FREE OR DIE HARD
PG-13 / / 128 mins / Action, Adventure, Thriller / E, J

For the complete list of Favourites, please refer to your in-flight entertainment system.

★AWARD-WINNING MOVIES



AUSTRALIA
NICOLE KIDMAN, HUGH JACKMAN, SHEA ADAMS
PG-13 / / 141 mins / Adventure, Comedy, Drama / E



HE NAMED ME MALALA
MALALA YOUSAFZAI, TOOR PEKAI YOUSAFZAI
PG-13 / / 87 mins / Documentary / E

THE SOUND OF MUSIC (1965)
JULIE ANDREWS, CHRISTOPHER PLUMMER, ELEANOR PARKER
G / / 174 mins / Biography, Drama, Family / E

THE LION KING
MATTHEW BRODERICK, JEREMY IRONS, JAMES EARL JONES
G / / 78 mins / Animation, Adventure, Drama / E



THE SHAWSHANK REDEMPTION
TIM ROBBINS, MORGAN FREEMAN, BOB GUNTON
R / / 142 mins / Crime, Drama / E



THE MARTIAN
MATT DAMON, JESSICA CHASTAIN, KRISTEN WIIG
PG-13 / / 141 mins / Action, Adventure, Sci-Fi / E

I AM SAM
SEAN PENN, MICHELLE PFEIFFER, DAKOTA FANNING
PG-13 / / 132 mins / Drama / E, J, K

SELENA
JENNIFER LOPEZ, EDWARD JAMES OLMOS, JON SEDA
PG / 127 mins / Biography, Drama, Music / E

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MALAYSIAN



ONE TWO JAGA
ZAHIRIL ADZIM, ARIO BAYU,
ROSDEEN SUBOH
PG-13 / 85 mins / Crime,
Drama / E+



SAYA JUAL YE BANG
ZIZAN RAZAK, UQASHA
SENROSE, NADIYAH SAHAB
PG-13 / 120 mins / Comedy,
Romance / E+

MISTERI DILAILA
ZUL ARIFFIN, ELIZABETH TAN
PG-13 / 82 mins / Horror, Thriller
/ E+

TANGISAN AKINABALU
YURI MEJAL, SYAIFUL ZERO
PG-13 / 120 mins / Drama / E+

POLIS EVO 2
SHAHEIZY SAM, ZIZAN RAZAK,
ERRA FAZIRA, MIKE LUCOCK
PG-13 / 125 mins / Action / E+

KOREAN



중인 / INNOCENT WITNESS
JINYOUNG JUNG, KWANG-GYU
KIM, JOON-HYUK LEE
PG-13 / 129 mins / Drama, Thriller,
Crime / E+

국가부도의 날 / DEFAULT
KIM HYE-SOO, YOO AH-IN
PG-13 / 114 mins / Drama / E+

멘소레! 식당 하나 / MENSORE
CHOI JUNG-WON, NAH HYE-MI
PG-13 / 94 mins / Drama / E+

미쓰백 / MISS BAEK
HAN JI MIN, LEE HEE JUN
PG-13 / 98 mins / Drama / E+

CHINESE



影 / SHADOW
CHAO DENG, LI SUN, RYAN
ZHENG, KAI ZHENG,
QIANYUAN, WANG
PG-13 / 116 mins / Drama,
Martial Art / E+



淪落人 / STILL HUMAN
ANTHONY WONG, CRISEL
CONSUNJI, SAM LEE,
CECILIA YIP
PG-13 / 111 mins / Drama / E+

葉問外傳：張天志 / MASTER Z: IP MAN LEGACY
MAX ZHANG, MICHELLE YEOH,
DAVE BAUTISTA, TONY JAA, LIU
YAN, KEVIN CHENG
PG-13 / 108 mins / Action, Martial
Art / E+

比悲傷更悲傷的故事 / MORE THAN BLUE
JASPER LIU, IVY YI-HAN CHEN,
BRYAN SHU-HAO CHANG,
ANNIE CHEN
PG-13 / 105 mins / Romance / E+

起底組 / KEYBOARD WARRIORS
STEPHY TANG, GRACE CHAN,
LAM YIU SING, YAU HAWK SAU
YAU, LARINE TANG
PG-13 / 100 mins / Drama,
Comedy / E+

天氣預爆 / AIRPOCALYPSE
SHAWN, JENNIFER DU,
XIAO SHENYANG, YU
YUNPENG, WANG XIAOLI
PG-13 / 106 mins / Action,
Fantasy, Comedy / E+

INDONESIAN



TERLALU TAMPAN
ARI IRHAM, NIKITA WILLY,
RACHEL AMANDA
PG-13 / 106 mins / Comedy / E+

JAPANESE



マスカレード・ホテル / MASQUERADE HOTEL
TAKUYA KIMURA,
MASAMI NAGASAWA
PG-13 / 132 mins / Drama,
Mystery / E+



ねことじいちゃん / THE ISLAND OF CATS
GUIN POON CHAW,
TASUKU EMOTO, SHÖNO
HAYAMA, YUKI KATAYAMA,
KAORU KOBAYASHI
PG-13 / 103 mins / Drama / E+

旅猫リポート / THE TRAVELLING CAT CHRONICLES
SOTA FUKUSHI, YUKO
TAKEUCHI, MITSUKI TAKAHATA
(VOICE), ALICE HIROSE
PG-13 / 118 mins / Drama / E+

スマホを落とすだけなのに / STOLEN IDENTITY
KEIKO KITAGAWA, YUDAI
CHIBA, RYO NARITA
PG-13 / 116 mins / Drama,
Thriller / E+

人魚の眠る家 / THE HOUSE WHERE THE MERMAID SLEEPS
RINA KAWAEI,
KEIKO MATSUZAKA
PG-13 / 120 mins / Drama / E+

世界でいちばん長い写真 / THE LONGEST PHOTO IN THE WORLD
MAHIRO TAKASUGI, RINA
TAKEDA, MASAO KOMATSU
PG-13 / 103 mins / Drama / E+

TAGALOG



THE GIRL WHO IS ALLERGIC TO WIFI
SUE RAMIREZ, JAMESON
BLAKE, MARKUS PATERSON
PG-13 / 110 mins / Comedy,
Romance / E+

TAMIL



தீவனாடி / THEEVANDI
TOVINO THOMAS, SUDHEESH,
SAMYUKTHA MENON,
SURABHI LAKSHMI
PG-13 / 143 mins / Comedy,
Drama / E+



பரியேராமம் / PARIYERUM PERUMAL
KATHIR, ANANDHI, LUEESH
PG-13 / 154 mins / Drama,
Romance / E+



பந்தம் / PANTHAM
TOTTEMPUDI GOPICHAND,
MEHREEN PIRZADA, AJAY
PG-13 / 120 mins / Action,
Drama / E+



பெட்டா / PETTA
RAJINIKANTH, VUJAY
SETHUPATHI, NAWAZUDDIN
SIDDIQUI, M. SASIKUMAR,
SIMRAN, TRISHA KRISHNAN
PG-13 / 135 mins / Action,
Drama / E+

நியும் நானும் / NEEYUM NAANUM
K.K. KHANNA, ARUN
KUMARAN, JASMINE
MICHAEL, KAAMESHAA
RAVINDRAN, SATHIYA
PG-13 / 150 mins / Romance / E+

கடகைகாட்டி சிங்கம் / KADAIKUTTY SINGAM
KARTHI, SATHYARAJ,
SAYYESHAA SAIGAL, PRIYA
BHAVANI SHANKAR
PG-13 / 149 mins / Action,
Drama / E+

HINDI



सत्यमेव जयते / SATYAMEVA JAYATE
JOHN ABRAHAM, MANOJ
BAJPAYEE, AISHA SHARMA
PG-13 / 140 mins / Action, Crime,
Thriller / E+



वीरे दी वेंडिंग / VEERE DI WEDDING
KAREENA KAPOOR, SONAM
KAPOOR, SUMEET VYAS
PG-13 / 135 mins / Comedy / E+



स्त्री / STREE
RAJKUMMAR RAO, SHRADDHA
KAPOOR, PANKAJ TRIPATHI
PG-13 / 128 mins / Comedy,
Horror / E+

तुम्बाड / TUMBAD
SOHUM SHAH, JYOTI MALSHIE,
RUDRA SONI, ANITA DATE
PG-13 / 101 mins / Thriller / E+

बिग बॉस 4 / BEYOND THE CLOUDS
ISHAAN KHATTAR, MALAVIKA
MOHANAN, GOUTAM GHOSE
PG-13 / 120 mins / Drama,
Family / E+

सर / SIR
VIVEK GOMBER, GEETANJALI
KULKARNI, TILLOTAMA
SHOME, RAHUL VOHRA
PG-13 / 99 mins / Drama, Romance
/ E+

कारवां / KARWAAN
IRRFAN KHAN, DULQUER
SALMAAN, MITHILA PALKAR
PG-13 / 114 mins / Comedy,
Drama / E+

परमाणु: द स्टोरी ऑफ़ पोखरण / PARMANU: THE STORY OF POKHRAN
JOHN ABRAHAM, BOMAN
IRANI, DIANA PENTY
PG-13 / 129 mins / Drama, Action,
History / E+

KIDS



TMNT
ROB SCHNEIDER, HEATHER
GRAHAM, KEN JEONG
PG / 87 mins / Animation, Adventure,
Comedy / E, K



A CINDERELLA STORY: ONCE UPON A SONG
LUCY HALE, FREDDIE
STROMA, MISSI PYLE
PG / 88 mins / Comedy, Family,
Music / E



WHERE THE WILD THINGS ARE
MAX RECORDS, CATHERINE
O'HARA, FOREST WHITAKER
PG / 101 mins / Adventure, Drama,
Family / E, J, K, C+



THE MARTIAN CHILD
JOHN CUSACK, AMANDA
PEET, BOBBY COLEMAN
PG / 106 mins / Comedy, Drama,
Family / E, J, K

THE PEANUTS MOVIE
NOAH SCHNAPP,
BILL MELENDEZ
G / 88 mins / Animation, Adventure,
Comedy / E, J, K, E+

HARRY POTTER & THE CHAMBER OF SECRETS
DANIEL RADCLIFFE, RUPERT
GRINT, EMMA WATSON,
PG / 161 mins / Adventure, Family,
Fantasy / E, J, K, C+

For the complete list of movies for kids, please refer to your in-flight entertainment system.

COMEDY

**SPLITTING UP TOGETHER S2**JENNA FISCHER, OLIVER HUDSON, OLIVIA KEVILLE
6 Episodes / 30 mins each / E

Lena and Martin are a couple with three kids and undergoing a divorce. They continue to live under the same household with one taking on the parent role while the other gets to live a care-free life for a week and then the role reverses. In the Season 2 premiere, Lena searches for sign if she and Martin are still meant for each other.



MURPHY BROWN S11
CANDICE BERGEN, GRANT SHAUD, ROBERT PASTORELLI
12 Episodes / 30 mins each / E



AMERICAN WOMAN S1
ALICIA SILVERSTONE, MENA SUVARI, JENNIFER BARTELS
12 Episodes / 30 mins each / E



FULLER HOUSE S2/S3
CANDACE CAMERON BURE, JODIE SWEETIN, ANDREA BARBER
14 Episodes / 30 mins each / E



MOM S6
ANNA FARIS, ALLISON JANNEY, MIMI KENNEDY
4 Episodes / 30 mins each / E



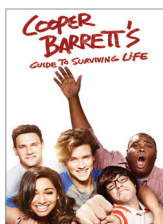
FRESH OFF THE BOAT S5
RANDALL PARK, CONSTANCE WU, HUDSON YANG
8 Episodes / 30 mins each / E



SPEECHLESS S3
MINNIE DRIVER, JOHN ROSS BOWIE, CEDRIC YARBROUGH
11 Episodes / 30 mins each / E



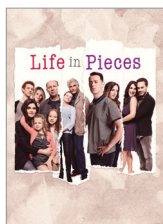
IT'S ALWAYS SUNNY IN PHILADELPHIA S13
CHARLIE DAY, GLENN HOWERTON, ROB MCLENNY
7 Episodes / 30 mins each / E



COOPER BARRETT'S GUIDE TO SURVIVING LIFE S1
JACK CUTMORE-SCOTT, MEAGHAN RATH, JAMES EARL
4 Episodes / 30 mins each



BETTER THINGS S2
PAMELA ADLON, MIKEY MADISON, HANNAH ALLIGOOD
6 Episodes / 30 mins each / E



LIFE IN PIECES S3/S4
COLIN HANKS, BETSY BRANDT, THOMAS SADOSKI, ZOE LISTER-JONES
8 Episodes / 30 mins each / E



LAST MAN STANDING S7
TIM ALLEN, NANCY TRAVIS, HECTOR ELIZONDO
11 Episodes / 30 mins each / E

SHAMELESS S8
EMMY ROSSUM, WILLIAM H. MACY, ETHAN CUTKOSKY
3 Episodes / 30 mins each / E

BASKETS S3
ZACH GALIFIANAKIS, MARTHA KELLY, LOUIE ANDERSON
4 Episodes / 30 mins each / E

DRAMA

**CASTLE ROCK S1**ANDRÉ HOLLAND, MELANIE LYNSEY, BILL SKARSGÅRD
7 Episodes / 60 mins each / E

Based on the stories and characters of Stephen King's multiverse, the series takes place in the Maine woodland town of Castle Rock. In the season premiere, an anonymous phone call from the Shawshank Penitentiary requests death-row lawyer, Henry Deaver, to return to his home town. Reluctantly Henry makes the trip back to the place that forces him to recall the memories of a traumatic past.



GOTHAM S4
BEN MCKENZIE, DONAL LOGUE, DAVID MAZOUZ, MORENA BACCARIN
7 Episodes / 60 mins each / E



VAMPIRE DIARIES S8
NINA DOBREV, PAUL WESLEY, IAN SOMERHALDER, KAT GRAHAM, CANDICE KING
7 Episodes / 60 mins each / E



THE LAST SHIP S5
ERIC DANE, ADAM BALDWIN, CHARLES PARNELL
10 Episodes / 60 mins each / E



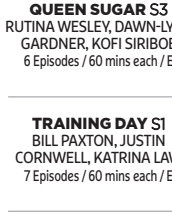
LETHAL WEAPON S3
DAMON WAYANS, SEANN WILLIAM SCOTT, KEESHA SHARP
6 Episodes / 60 mins each / E



THE A WORD (UK) S2
MAX VENTO, LEE INGLEBY, MORVEN CHRISTIE
4 Episodes / 60 mins each / E



SUPERNATURAL S12
JARED PADALECKI, JENSEN ACKLES, JIM BEAVER
5 Episodes / 60 mins each / E



QUEEN SUGAR S3
RUTINA WESLEY, DAWN-LYEN GARDNER, KOFI SIRIBOE
6 Episodes / 60 mins each / E



BLACK LIGHTNING S2
CRESS WILLIAMS, CHINA ANNE MCCLAIN, NAFESSA WILLIAMS
5 Episodes / 60 mins each / E

TRAINING DAY S1
BILL PAXTON, JUSTIN CORNWELL, KATRINA LAW
7 Episodes / 60 mins each / E

LEGACIES S1
DANIELLE ROSE RUSSELL, ARIA SHAHHASEMI, KAYLEE BRYANT
6 Episodes / 60 mins each / E

BLINDSPOT S3
SULLIVAN STAPLETON, JAIMIE ALEXANDER, ROB BROWN, AUDREY ESPARZA
6 Episodes / 60 mins each / E

ALL AMERICAN S1
DANIEL EZRA, BRE-Z, GRETA ONIEGOU
5 Episodes / 60 mins each / E

DECEPTION S1
JACK CUTMORE-SCOTT, ILFENESH HADERA, LENORA CRICHLAW
6 Episodes / 60 mins each / E

RIVERDALE S1
K.J. APA, LILI REINHART, CAMILA MENDES, COLE SPROUSE
8 Episodes / 60 mins each / E

RIZZOLI & ISLES S7
ANGIE HARMON, SASHA ALEXANDER, JORDAN BRIDGES
6 Episodes / 60 mins each / E

KIDS



BIG HERO 6
2 Episodes / PG / 30 mins each / E



DC SUPER HERO GIRLS
2 Episodes / PG / 30 mins each / E



MUPPET BABIES
2 Episodes / PG / 30 mins each / E



TEEN TITANS GO!
4 Episodes / PG / 30 mins each / E



DOROTHY AND THE WIZARD OF OZ
3 Episodes / PG / 30 mins each / E

MICKY AND THE ROADSTER RACERS
5 Episodes / PG / 30 mins each / E

BUNNICULA
4 Episodes / PG / 30 mins each / E

MARVEL'S GUARDIANS OF THE GALAXY
2 Episodes / PG / 30 mins each / E

VAMPIRINA
2 Episodes / PG / 30 mins each / E

SHOWBIZ



SWAP MEET MILLIONAIRES?
PG / 30 mins / E

OCEANS OF CRIME
PG / 30 mins / E

THE SCORE: NBA'S EXPANSION PLANS
PG / 30 mins / E

SOUNDSTAGE

SAM SMITH: LIVE IN LONDON
PG / 60 mins / E

ARIANA GRANDE: LIVE IN LONDON
PG / 60 mins / E

TRAVEL



TOUGH TRUCKS OF TURKEY
PG / 30 mins / E

TRAVELLING IN THE 70S
PG / 60 mins / E

BUSINESS

THE EDGE: THE FUTURE OF PAYMENT
PG / 30 mins / E

OUTLOOK ADVERTISING
PG / 30 mins / E

MANAGING ASIA
PG / 30 mins / E

BEST OF MALAYSIA



BAIK PUNYA: PENANG
PG / 30 mins



HELLO: FERINGGI, PENANG
PG / 30 mins

SEPAHTU REUNION LIVE 2019
PG / 60 mins

IT'S ALIF!
PG / 60 mins



JALAN JALAN CARI MAKAN
PG / 30 mins

HELO DOKTOR
PG / 60 mins

OH MY FAMILY RAYA
PG / 30 mins

BOCEY & FRIENDS LIVE (RAYA)
PG / 30 mins

DAPUR HANCUR LEBUR
PG / 30 mins

CERITA DALAM KAIN
PG / 30 mins

J.K.K RAYA
PG / 30 mins

SPORT



CHRONICLES OF A CHAMPION GOLFER
PG / 30 mins / E

ADVENTURE GOLF: MALAYSIA
PG / 30 mins / E

HISTORY



GLOBE TREKKER AROUND THE WORLD: ISTANBUL TO VIENNA
PG / 30 mins / E

EMPIRE BUILDERS: JAPAN
PG / 30 mins / E

THE MASTER OF FORTRESSES: MILITARY SUPERSTRUCTURE
PG / 30 mins / E

SCIENCE & TECH



STRAWS
PG / 30 mins / E

THE BIG BLOOM: A SCIENTIFIC ODYSSEY
PG / 60 mins / E

RELIGIOUS



SEMBANG SISTERS
PG / 30 mins / ML, M

CHINESE



JASON'S MARKET TRAILS
PG / 30 mins / E+

JASON CAN'T COOK
PG / 30 mins / E+

JAPANESE



A DOOR TO HOKKAIDO STILL UNSEEN
PG / 30 mins / E+

FISHERMAN'S PRIDE IN HOKKAIDO
PG / 30 mins / E+

KOREAN



MY LITTLE OLD BOY
PG / 100 mins / E+

MASTER IN THE HOUSE
PG / 100 mins / E+

NATURAL WORLD

PLANET EARTH II: ISLAND
PG / 60 mins / E

DAVID ATTENBOROUGH'S NATURAL CURIOSITIES
PG / 30 mins / E

FRENCH FLAVORS OF CORSICA
PG / 30 mins

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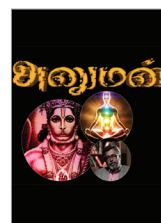


BOLLYWOOD TIMES WITH DEVANSH PATEL
PG / 30 mins / E+

TAPE CAST S2
PG / 30 mins / E+

YAAR MERA SUPERSTAR S2: TIGER SHROFF & DISHA PATANI
PG / 30 mins / E+

TAMIL



HANUMAN
PG / 30 mins / E+

BEAUTY VS DIRTY
3 Episodes / PG / 30 mins each / E+

LIFESTYLE



ART OF TIME BASELWORLD
PG / 30 mins / E

MARRIAGE TRAINS
PG / 60 mins / E

THE GREAT BRITISH BAKE OFF: AN EXTRA SLICE
PG / 30 mins / E

ARABIC

ROA'A
PG / 30 mins / E+

THE HITS



including... Sara Bareilles (above), Khalid, LSD feat. Sia, Diplo and Labrinth, Cage The Elephant, AJR, P!nk, Beyonce, Jai Wolf, Circa Waves, Matt Simons, Nick Murphy, Buddy, Quinn XCII

CLASSICAL



including... Khatia Buniatishvili (above), Olga Peretyatko, Christian Thielemann & Wiener Philharmoniker, 2CELLOS, Lang Lang, Leonard Bernstein, Stuart Skelton, West Australian Symphony Orchestra, Emanuel Ax

JAZZ

including... Branford Marsalis Quartet, Julian Lage, Cyrille Aimee, Christian McBride, Cecile McLorin Salvant, Thomas Quasthoff, Tia Fuller, Van Morrison & Joey DeFrancesco, Nostalgia 77

WORLD

including... Swarasia, Il Volo, At Adau, Ricky Martin, Malaysian Philharmonic Orchestra, Santana

KIDS

including... Fairy Tales for Kids, Kids & Fairy Tales, Captain Allen Swift, The Sticker Club, The Wiggles, Little Feet Music

NASYID

including... Mohamed Tarek, Hafiz Hamidun, Opick, Maher Zain, Ustad Abdullah Fahmi, Inteam, Mesut Kurtis, Gigi, Raef, Haddad Alwi, Nowseeheart, Lah Ahmad, Harris J, Brothers

MANDARIN



including... Vanness Wu (above), Jolin Tsai, Eric Chou, Maggie Chiang, A-Do, Valen Hsu, Karen Mok, Rainie Yang, A-Lin, Jeff Chang, Xue Zhi Qian, Coco Lee

KOREAN



including... SEONGRI (above), ATEEZ, EXID, Jung Dongha & Oh Jun Sung

JAPANESE

including... SawanoHiroyuki[nZk], SEKAI NO OWARI, OH MY GIRL, GOT7, Misia, Mika Nakashima, Aimer, Nogizaka46, Shota Shimizu

CANTONESE

including... Pakho Chau, Jason Chan, Phil Lam, Michael Lai, Prudence Liew, Candy Lo, Hacken Lee, Sandy Lam

INDONESIAN

including... The Overtunes, Ardhito Pramono, Ari Lasso, Bunga Citra Lestari, Superman Is Dead, Isyana Sarasvati, Judika, Sheila On 7

HINDI

including... Luka Chuppi, Simmba, Zero, Namaste England, Mitron, Sonu Ke Titu Ki Sweetie, Yours Truly Arijit, Vol.2, Jab Harry Met Sejal (OMPS)

TAMIL

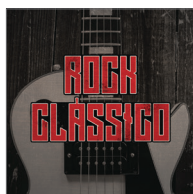
including... Kuttram Seyiel. Seethakaathi, Playlist and Chill, The Ultimate Feel Good Mixtape, All About Love: Yuvanshankar Raja

MALAY



including... Alif/SonaOne (above), Dayang Nurfaizah, Ziana Zain, Misha Omar, Exists, Yuna dan Orkestra Simfoni Kebangsaan, Datuk Ahmad Jais, Ning Baizura & Fairuz Hussein, Amy Mastura

MEMORIES



including... Rock Classico (above), Oasis, Cyndi Lauper, Celine Dion, Scott McKenzie, Jennifer Lopez, Michael Jackson, Journey, Ray Parker Jr. & Raydio, Roy Orbison & The Royal Philharmonic Orchestra

RELAX

including... Hauschka, Sleepy John, Jean-Michel Jarre, Emerson Phillips, Jens Buchert, Michelle Qureshi, Fiona Joy, Sherry Finzer

ROCK

(Only available in A350)
including... Cage The Elephant, Nick Waterhouse, Joanne Shaw Taylor, Sundara Karma, White Lies, Bring Me The Horizon, FIDLAR, Evanescence

PLAYLIST

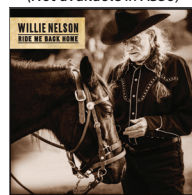
(Only available in A350)
including... 2010s Hits, Rock Classico, Throwback Thursday R&B Jams, No. 1 The Champions, Electric Love, Renaissance the Classics, 2000s XL

TALK RADIO

(Only available in A350)
including... Flight of the Conchords, Jerry Stiller & Anne Meara, Bocey, Joan Rivers

COUNTRY

(Not available in A350)



including... Willie Nelson (above), Maren Morris, Kane Brown, Loretta Lynn, Connie Smith, Old Crow Medicine Show, Jason Aldean, Scotty McCreery, Kelsea Ballerini, Dolly Parton

CLUB

(Not available in A350)



including... Flume (above), Crooked Colours, Gesaffelstein, Big Wild, Martin Garrix, Paces, Danny Byrd, Friction, Pola & Bryson, Claptone, Paul Kalkbrenner, What So Not, Cosmic Gate

RHYTHM & BLUES

(Not available in A350)

including... Joanne Shaw Taylor (above), Macy Gray, Leon Bridges, Charlie Wilson, Alicia Keys, Stan Walker

COMEDY

(Not available in A350)

including... Flight of the Conchords, Jerry Stiller & Anne Meara, Joan Rivers, "Weird Al" Yankovic, Bocey

LIGHT & EASY

(Not available in A350)

including... Cate Le Bon, Yann Tiersen, Dami Im, Barbra Streisand, The Piano Guys, EB Duet, Human Nature, The Script, Michael Bolton, Boyz II Men, Il Divo

SOUNDTRACK

(Not available in A350)

including... The World of Hans Zimmer - A Symphonic Celebration (Live), Creed II (OMPS), James Horner - The Classics, The Rick & Morty Soundtrack, Blade Runner 2049 (OMPS)

Radio Channels

CHART TOPPERS

including... Two Friends, Khalid, SZA, The Weeknd, Travis Scott, P!nk, Kygo & Rita Ora, BTS, Zara Larsson, Oliver Heldens feat. Devin & Nile Rodgers, Chris Brown feat. Nicki Minaj & G-Eazy, Editors, Jesse

MALAY FAVOURITES

including... Malique, Yuna, Jaz, Alif Satar, Raihan, Muaz, Alif, SonaOne, Benzooloo feat. Mimifly, Gerhana Skacinta feat. Altimet, Salam, Nabila Huda, Bunga Citra Lestari, Azhar Hilmi

POP ASIA

including... Big Marvel, BTS, Jolin Tsai, MAN WITH A MISSION, H.E.Demon Kakka, King Gnu, Choi Ga Eun, Aqua Timez, XOX, Leehom Wang, Kenichi Asai, EGOIST, Vanness Wu, Shiga Lin

HINDI RHYTHMS

including... Mika Singh, Sunanda Sharma, Nikhita Gandhi, Vishal & Shekhar/ Salim Merchant/Neeti Mohan/Shekhar Ravjiani, Dev Negi, Goldi, Dipakshi Kalita, Darshan Raval, Asees Kaur, Nakash Aziz

GOLDEN ERA

including... Earth, Wind & Fire, The Main Ingredient, La Bouche, Tina Arena Duet with Marc Anthony, Dan Hartman, Mac Davis, The Shirelles, Modern Talking, Dionne Warwick, Fairground Attraction

ROCK ARENA

including... The Clash, FEELS, Heart, Piroshka, Spirit, Delgres, PAINT, Elvis Presley, Electric Light Orchestra, White Lies, Circa Waves, FONTAINES D.C., Quiet Riot, The Black Angels, Indoor Pets

Passengers with AVOD can enjoy a host of radio shows across a range of genres. Channel numbers depend on the aircraft. Check your aircraft type and then on your in-flight entertainment system to find out.



Alif Satar's latest track in collaboration with Raihan is playing onboard under the Malay music genre, so is his TV show *It's Alif!.* Check your in-flight entertainment system for channel information.

Tell us a bit about yourself, where you are from and the kind of family you grew up in.

I am 28 years old, soon to be 29. I was born in Kuala Lumpur as the eldest child with three younger sisters. I am now happily married with two daughters, aged four and two.

Your third child is on the way. When is your wife expected to deliver?

Yes, our third child is due in October. The girls are so excited that the eldest, Alisha, has been trying to teach Ariana how to be an older sister.

What made you choose a career in music?

Music and showbiz were not the intended career path at first. My dream, initially, was to become a pilot. However, course fees would cost about RM150,000 and my family made it clear to me that I would have had to find my own way to pay for it. My dad then saw an article about a televised singing competition called *One In A Million*; this was when I was around 16 years old. They were offering a prize money of RM1 million, so my dad pointed at it and said, "There's your fee." I took part and didn't win, so the pilot idea never worked out, but that opened another door for me in music and showbiz.

Tell us about your passion for music.

I have always loved music and had performed at school events before this. When I was 14, I even got to perform as one of the Lost Boys in a West End production of *Peter Pan – The Musical* at Genting Highlands. The experience helped me to improve on my singing and I learned how to dance and act too.

Tell us about *One In A Million* and how your music career began.

I initially told myself that I was going to win this competition and use the prize money to become a pilot. I knew *One In A Million* wasn't going to be easy though, because I was competing against a lot of talented singers as well as Dayang Nurfaizah, who was already a big name back then. Surprisingly, I managed to finish in the top three, just ahead of Dayang even. Shortly after the competition, I was invited to do the opening act at a Dina Nadzir concert in Singapore and it was there that a Sony Music executive took an interest in me and signed me on to the label.

You have been in showbiz for over a decade. Was it difficult to find success there?

It is definitely a struggle when you're starting out. I got into acting around 2008 and acted in

plenty of television dramas, but I was never in the lead role and shows were never at the right time slot. And because I was still young, I was sometimes not taken seriously when being considered for roles in film and television. Once, when I was offered a role in a film, I told them my rate and they asked me back, "What is your credibility? Who are you to ask for that price?" It was definitely tough. Even after producing three albums and a few hit singles, I still hadn't gotten my big break.

How did you persevere in showbiz and what was the turning point in your career?

After *One In A Million*, I told myself that I will give myself five years. If I haven't made it anywhere by then, then it's probably not for me. But things kept coming one after the other and they were slowly getting bigger. I think my big break came when I was acting in *Tundukkan Playboy Itu*, which was showing at a prime-time slot on TV3 at the start of 2016. Although I was only playing the second lead role, my popularity started to shoot up around this time and more people started to like my acting. Shortly after this, I also landed the lead role in another television drama, *Dia Semanis Honey*, and this kept the momentum going.

How do you balance your time between your family and career?

Balancing between family and career is definitely not easy, but you have to make time for them, not excuses. It doesn't matter if I'm tired. There was a time early on in my marriage, when I was basically working seven days a week for a whole year. But I'm an early riser no matter what time I sleep, so I try to make the most of my time. I'll be up at 6 am to have breakfast and play with my kids in the morning before sending them to my mum's house. And when I get back at night, I try to spend a little more time with them before going to bed. To some extent, maybe it was a good thing that I did not get my big break too early. If I got the attention that I have now when I was starting out, I probably wouldn't be able to handle it. Now that I have a family, I think I am much calmer and composed.

You took part in the Half Ironman race in Langkawi last year. Tell us about the experience.

It was by far one of the toughest things I have ever done. There is nothing like being at the event on race day. It was

surreal to be standing at the starting line feeling both excited and nervous at the same time. The atmosphere was incredible and everyone there was so positive and encouraging. The race was physically and emotionally challenging and my body told me to stop on so many occasions. But I will always remember what it was like to cross the finish line. In that moment, I forgot how tired I was and just felt this wave of euphoria flooding me. Even though I was exhausted by the end, I was really glad that I did it and was thinking to myself, "I need to do this again next year!" As soon as they announced the date for this year's race in October, I started training to prepare myself for the Full Ironman race this time.

Tell us about your preparations for the race this year.

Swimming has always been my strong suit because I took up swimming as a kid to help me deal with asthma. I ended up taking part in swimming competitions in school and winning a few of them. It was the cycling and running that I needed to train more – especially running, because I hate running. This year, I even engaged a running coach, Edan Syah, to help me improve on my running. I'm also doing a lot more cycling and I swim regularly to improve my endurance and stamina. ■



Singer, actor, television host and social media personality **Alif Satar** has seen his popularity soar in the last five years after a showbiz career spanning more than 10 years. With an infectious stage presence, his strong and versatile vocals hit the spot in genres from pop to soul and ballads. *Going Places* catches up with him to talk about family, starting in showbiz and his recent venture into the Ironman triathlon.