

Additional information and places worth to visit on your own:

8. The Summer Palace



The Summer Palace of Peter I is considered to be the one of the oldest buildings in St. Petersburg.

The Summer Palace appeared in the Baroque style and was decorated with bas-reliefs that depicted the events of the Northern War in 1714. The palace was designed by architect Domenico Trezzini (the first architect of Saint-Petersburg).

During an excursion, you will see Peter's rooms, his reception room and even the rooms for Catherine and children on the upper floor. There are 14 rooms in the palace. The Amber Office and the personal library of Peter the Great will be presented to visitors after visiting kitchens and other premises.

The Summer Palace is valuable not only as the one of the earliest architectural monuments of Saint-Petersburg, but also as evidence of the tastes, interests, aspirations of Peter the First, which were reflected in the peculiarities of the architecture.

The Summer Palace is a great place to enjoy old beautiful interiors and find out how Peter the First lived.

