



## The Best Movies to Catch in Singapore Cinemas This April 2026

### Description

April 2026 is shaping up to be one of the most exciting months for moviegoers in Singapore. From A24's buzzy romantic drama starring two of Hollywood's biggest names to a sci-fi blockbuster that's already broken box office records, there's something for every taste at your local cinema. Here's our round-up of the must-watch films hitting Singapore screens this month.

### The Drama is Now Showing

If you haven't caught **The Drama** yet, now's the time. This A24 romantic comedy-drama from director Kristoffer Borgli stars **Zendaya** and **Robert Pattinson** as Emma Harwood and Charlie Thompson, a happily engaged couple whose relationship is thrown into turmoil when a startling revelation surfaces just days before their wedding.

Zendaya plays a bookstore clerk from Baton Rouge, while Pattinson takes on the role of a British museum director and their chemistry is electric. Critics have praised both performances, with the film currently sitting at 77% on Rotten Tomatoes.

If you're a fan of sharp, character-driven storytelling with a darkly comedic edge, this one's well worth your time. It's already grossed over US\$42.7 million worldwide and has broken into A24's all-time domestic top 10 so it's clearly resonating with audiences too.

### Project Hail Mary is Opening 20 April

Mark your calendars for **20 April**, because **Project Hail Mary** is the sci-fi event of the year. Based on Andy Weir's bestselling novel (the same author behind *The Martian*), the film stars **Ryan Gosling** as Dr Ryland Grace, a science teacher who wakes up alone on a spaceship with no memory of who he is or how he got there.



Project Hail Mary follows an astronaut on a solo mission to save Earth ??? opening in Singapore cinemas on 20 April 2026

As his memories slowly return, he discovers the terrifying truth: the Sun is dying, and he's been sent on a one-way mission to Tau Ceti — the only undimmed star in Earth's solar neighbourhood — to find a solution. Things get even more interesting when he encounters Rocky, a five-legged, eyeless alien engineer who becomes an unlikely ally in his quest to save both their worlds.

Directed by Phil Lord and Christopher Miller (the duo behind *Spider-Man: Into the Spider-Verse* and *The Lego Movie*), the film has already been a massive hit overseas, grossing over **US\$510 million worldwide** and becoming the third highest-grossing film of 2026. At two hours and 36 minutes, it's a meaty watch, but fans of intelligent, heartfelt sci-fi won't want to miss it on the big screen.

## Michael — Opening 24 April

Later this month, **Michael** arrives in cinemas on **24 April**, chronicling the life and career of the King of Pop himself, Michael Jackson. Directed by Antoine Fuqua and distributed internationally by Universal Pictures, the biopic stars **Jaafar Jackson** — Michael's real-life nephew — in his feature film debut.

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The Michael Jackson biopic *Michael*, starring Jaafar Jackson, opens in Singapore cinemas on 24 April 2026

The casting of Jaafar has generated significant buzz, and for good reason – the family resemblance is uncanny, and early footage suggests he captures the legendary performer’s stage presence remarkably well. The supporting cast is equally impressive, featuring **Colman Domingo** as Joe Jackson, **Nia Long** as Katherine Jackson, **Miles Teller** as music executive John Branca, and **Kat Graham** as Diana Ross.

The film premiered in Berlin on 10 April 2026 to considerable attention, and it promises to take audiences from the early days of the Jackson 5 through to Michael’s reign as the world’s biggest pop star. Whether you’re a lifelong MJ fan or simply curious about one of music’s most fascinating figures, this is a cinema experience worth having.

## Lee Cronin’s *The Mummy* Now Showing

Horror fans, this one’s for you. **Lee Cronin’s *The Mummy*** takes the classic franchise in a completely different direction – ditching the adventure-comedy tone of previous iterations for an atmospheric, R-rated body horror experience.

The story follows a journalist whose young daughter vanishes into the desert without a trace. Eight years later, the family is stunned when she’s returned to them – but what should be a joyful reunion quickly turns into a living nightmare. Produced by horror heavyweights **James Wan** (Atomic Monster) and **Jason Blum** (Blumhouse Productions), the film stars Jack Reynor, Laia Costa, and May Calamawy.

If you enjoyed Cronin’s previous work on *Evil Dead Rise*, you’ll want to see what he’s done with this iconic property.

## What’s Streaming This Week

Not heading to the cinema? There’s plenty to watch from your sofa too. Here’s what’s trending on streaming platforms in Singapore this week.



Streaming platforms like Netflix and Disney+ have plenty of new content for Singapore viewers this April

**Netflix** has several new additions this month, including **Million Dollar Secret** season 2 (dropping 15 April), a brutal survival show where contestants navigate shifting alliances while an undercover millionaire hides in plain sight. Golf fans can also look forward to **Full Swing** season 4 on 17 April, following the 2025 PGA Tour season and the 2025 Ryder Cup.

Over on **Disney+**, keep an eye out for **Star Wars: Maul** and **Shadow Lord** and **The Testaments**, a dramatic series set in the world of Margaret Atwood's *The Handmaid's Tale*.

## Other Notable April Releases

The month has even more to offer. **Assassination Classroom The Movie: Our Time** landed on 9 April for anime fans, while those who enjoy animated adventures can still catch **The Super Mario Galaxy Movie**, which opened to strong numbers at the start of the month. And looking ahead to early May, **The Devil Wears Prada 2** opens on 1 May so you'll want to start planning for that one now.

Looking for more things to do in Singapore this month? Check out our guide to [Tulipmania 2026 at Gardens by the Bay](#) or find out about [Tim Ho Wan's 13th anniversary celebrations](#) happening this April.

*What are you watching this April? Let us know in the comments below!*

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