

China Highlights 8 days

Discover the main cities in China, Beijing-the capital of China, Xi'an-the historical city and Shanghai-the modern city.



Day 1: - Arrive Beijing. Arrive in Beijing. Meet your guide and transfer to your hotel. Rest of the day is free at leisure.

Day 2: - Beijing. City tour to Tiananmen Square, the largest square in the world. Visit Forbidden City, an imperial palace of Ming and Qing Dynasty. Visiting also Summer Palace, which is by far the best-preserved imperial garden in China.

Day 3: - Beijing. Visit the Great Wall at Badaling Section, Ming Tombs and Sacred Road.

Day 4: - Beijing/Xi'an. Visit Temple of Heaven, here ancient emperors prayed for good harvest. Take a richshaw tour of the Hutong- the narrow backstreets of Beijing, where you can experience the real life of local people. The rest of the day is free at leisure. Transfer to train station for the overnight train to Xi'an. ****see note**

Day 5: - Xi'an. Visit the astonishing Terracotta warriors- the world famous historical relic, considered to be the 8th wonder of the ancient world. Visit Chanxi museum, the Tablet Museum and Ancient city wall.

Day 6: - Xi'an /Shanghai Transfer to the airport for domestic flight to **Shanghai**. Today you will see the Yu Yuan Garden, the old city area, the Bund and Nanjing Road.

Day 7: - Shanghai. This day is free at leisure to discover Shanghai.

Day 8: - Shanghai/Departure. Day free. Transfer to Shanghai airport for return flight

Date:

June – September 2020:

Airline:

Aeroflot
Qatar

Prices are per person from:

Twin €2075 per person or Single €2290
Twin €2330 per person or Single €2540

PACKAGE INCLUDES:

- Flight to Beijing and return from Shanghai with Aeroflot, or Qatar
- Domestic Flights from Beijing to Xi'an and to Shanghai.
- 4 star hotel accommodation (3 nights Beijing, 2 nights Xi'an, 2 nights Shanghai)
- Daily breakfast
- 5 Lunches
- Guided sightseeing tours as mentioned in itinerary with English speaking guide.
- Entrance Fees
- Airport tax
- 3 additional complimentary activities (one in each City) see below choices.

Not Included:

- Entry Visa to China
- Customary tips to driver & guides
- Evening dinner & drinks
- Travel insurance.

****Note** If domestic flight preferred from Beijing to Xi'an instead of overnight train which is very basic accommodation, the supplement for the flight is €135 per person including extra night hotel in Xi'an.

Complimentary Activities: Choose 1 option from each City:

BEIJING: Taste local snacks beyond your imagination **OR** make dumplings with local family **OR** Immersing in Bar Street by the lake **OR** explore the antique market

XIAN: Visit the unique Chinese Muslim quarter & market **OR** Experience the musical fountain near wild goose pagoda at night **OR** learn calligraphy from the masters

SHANGHAI: Taste an artistic steamed bun **OR** join a local community to practice Tai Chi **OR** explore the architecture of Old Shanghai's French concession

Prices are per person based on two sharing a double room and subject to change according to flight availability at time of reservation. Solo sup may apply.

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