

Delight Yangtze Tour

Destinations: Shanghai, Yichang, Yangtze River Cruise, Chongqing, Guilin, Xian, Beijing

Tour Features: Gardens, museums, shopping, mausoleums, river cruises, fabulous cuisine, ancient pottery warriors and magnificent scenery are all included in this 16-day tour that takes you from Shanghai to Beijing with stops in Xi'an, China's ancient capital and Guilin, one of the most beautiful places in the world.



Tour Code: CCT-YRC07S

Tour Price: From **2,051 USD** [Click for Price Details](#)

Tour Class: Standard

Tour Departure: Flexible

 **Fly with us! Check out the discount airfare to China**

Off Season	Quotations	Single Supplements
10 Person or up	USD2,051/Person	USD570/Person
6-9 Person	USD2,244/Person	USD745/Person
2-5 Person	USD2,591/Person	USD745/Person

Shoulder Season	Quotations	Single Supplements
10 Person or up	USD2,168/Person	USD660/Person
6-9 Person	USD2,346/Person	USD820/Person
2-5 Person	USD2,694/Person	USD820/Person

Peak Season	Quotations	Single Supplements
10 Person or up	USD2,301/Person	USD875/Person
6-9 Person	USD2,479/Person	USD1,040/Person
2-5 Person	USD2,826/Person	USD1,040/Person

Remarks:

1. Seasonality

Off-season: January 1- March 14, 2011, November 16, 2010-March 14, 2012

Shoulder season: June, July, August

Peak season: March 15-31, 2011, April, May, September, October, November 1-15, 2011

2. Above prices are not valid during Spring Festival and National Holiday (1-7 October). Please [contact us](#) if your equerries fall into the above periods

Other Available Tours related to Yangtze River Cruise are as follows:

Classic Yangtze River Tour

12 Days Shanghai, Suzhou, Yichang, Yangtze River Cruise ... **From 1,374 USD**

Delight Yangtze Tour

16 Days Shanghai, Yangtze Cruise, Guilin, Xian, Beijing **From 1,951 USD**

Itinerary

Day 01 Shanghai

Arrive in Shanghai, the financial and commercial center of China. You are greeted by your guide at the airport and transferred to the Shanghai Greenland Jiulong Hotel. The rest of the day will be free at your leisure.

Day 02 Shanghai (B, L)

Have full day sightseeing to the major attractions of the city including **the Temple of Jade Buddha, Yu Garden** at the Old Quarter, the **Shanghai Museum**, the famous waterfront **Bund** and **Nanjing Road** at the shopping center. You will have the authentic Chinese cuisine for lunch at our carefully-selected restaurant.



Day 03 Shanghai / Suzhou / Shanghai (B, L)

After breakfast, drive to Suzhou to visit the beautiful traditional Chinese gardens. You will visit the famous **Lingering Garden** and **Fishing Net Garden**. Suzhou has been the silk trade center of China for centuries, one must visit the **Silk Embroidery Research Institute** and **Silk factory** to see how silk is produced and dyed. Drive back to Shanghai in the afternoon.

Day 04 Shanghai / Yichang (B)

Fly from Shanghai to Yichang. Upon arrival, you will be greeted by our local guide and transferred to the five-star American Victoria Yangtze River Cruise, where you will begin your memorable cruise upstream.

Day 05 Yangtze River Cruise (B, L, D)

Today the cruise will stop at San Duo Ping and sail through the Xiling Gorge, the longest of the famed Three Gorges. After lunch, you will enjoy a shore excursion at the splendid Three Gorges Dam Project.



Day 06 Yangtze River Cruise (B, L, D)

This morning, you will pass through the west part of Xiling Gorges. After a shore excursion at Shennong Stream, you will pass through the Wu Gorge and visit the fascinating peaks and rocks along the Wu Mountains. Then pass through Qutang Gorge, which is framed by steep cliffs, with overhanging mountains on the two sides.

Day 07 Yangtze River Cruise (B, L, D)

Today's highlight is a shore excursion to Shibaozhai, the magnificent 12-story wooden pagoda which was built against a protruding 220-meter rectangular rock with sheer cliffs on the north bank.

Day 08 Chongqing / Guilin (B)

Morning cruise will bring you to the mountain city of Chongqing where you will disembark. You will be met and transferred to the airport for the flight to the scenic Guilin. Meet and transfer to the Guilin Bravo Hotel.

Day 09 Guilin (B, L)

Spend the day aboard a scenic **Li River Cruise** through the mist-shrouded limestone mountains, passing picturesque farms and fishing villages. Then you will spend some relaxing time on the famous West Street. After that, you will transfer back to Guilin.

Day 10 Guilin / Xian (B, L)

Transfer to the airport and take the flight to Xian. Upon arrival, you will be greeted by the local guide and transferred to the four-star Aurum International Hotel. Then you will visit the **Shaanxi History Museum**. The museum's permanent exhibition primarily displays Shaanxi's ancient history. The collection from the Han through the Tang (618 A.D.-907 A.D.) and Song (960 A.D.-1279 A.D.) dynasties shows the changes of art and craftsmanship.



After that, you will continue to visit the **Big Wild Goose Pagoda**. It is a well-preserved ancient building and a holy place for Buddhists.

Day 11 Xian (B, L)

A full day tour recalls the glories of ancient Xian as you visit the burial site of the incredible army of 8000 lifelike **Terra-cotta soldiers, the Bell Tower and the City Wall**. Today you will enjoy the authentic Chinese cuisine for lunch.

Day 12 Xian / Beijing (B, D)

After breakfast, you will visit the only underground museum in China, **Yangling Mausoleum**. Yangling Mausoleum will bring you to one of the most prosperous dynasty, Han Dynasty in Chinese history. After that, fly to Beijing, the capital of China. You will be greeted by your guide at the

airport and transferred to the first class Holiday Inn Downtown Hotel. Delicious local flavor will be arranged for your dinner today.

Day 13 Beijing (B, L)

Morning program takes you to **Tian An Men Square** and the **Forbidden City**, the residence of emperors for more than 500 years. Enjoy the famous Sichuan cuisine at our carefully-selected restaurant. Afternoon sightseeing features the **Temple of Heaven**, where emperors once prayed for good harvests. On the way back to the hotel, you will have an overlook of the major Olympic Stadium and the Olympic village.



Day 14 Beijing (B, L)

Today you will visit the **Gongwangfu Garden**, the largest private mansion house in the Qing Dynasty. After that, you will have a special tour to the 700-year-old narrow streets, **Hutongs**, to visit the old quadrangles by the old fashioned rickshaw and learn about the daily life of ordinary Beijing residents. Today you will enjoy one of the famous cuisines in China, Huaiyang cuisine for lunch. This afternoon visit 798 factory, it is a new rising, avant-garde and trendy space that hosts high-level cultural, artistic and commercial activities.

Day 15 Beijing (B, L)

Travel to the **Badaling Great Wall**, one of the eight ancient wonders of between 6000- 6500 km long built over several centuries to keep out the invading northern tribes. After a hike along a portion of the Wall, you visit the **Ming Tombs (Changling)**, a secluded valley housing 14 imperial burial mounds. Then proceed to the Cloisonné factory to appreciate the marvelous Chinese traditional handicrafts.

Day 16 Beijing (B)

Transfer to the airport for your departure flight. The whole tour ends with a memorable experience.

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