

Wonders of China with Terra Cotta Warriors

From Historic Capitals to Modern Marvels: Beijing . Xi'an . Shanghai

Trip Code: TP12WC

€ 10 Nights

🕰 Small to Medium Group

m 21 Meals

Airfare included

Escorted Tour

Coach, Flight

4-5 Star Hotel

■ 4-5

Daily Sightseeing

WHY YOU'LL LOVE IT

This comprehensive China tour promises an unforgettable exploration of the country's most iconic cities and landmarks. Begin in the historic capital of Beijing, where the ancient majesty of the Forbidden City and the Great Wall await. Travel to Xi'an to marvel at the awe-inspiring Terracotta Warriors, continues through the modern metropolis of Shanghai, the classical gardens of Suzhou and the serene West Lake in Hangzhou.

- ✓ Marvel at the Great wall, a testament to China's architectural prowess
- ✓ Step back in time to explore the Forbidden City that stands as a beacon of China's regal history
- Stand in awe before the grandeur of this historic army Terra Cotta
 Warriors
- ✓ Walk along the famous Bund in Shanghai, a mile-long stretch along the Huangpu River to capture the western influences of the old days.
- ✓ Visit the serene **West Lake**, where described by Marco Polo as "the most beautiful and magnificent city in the world"
- In the 'East Venice' of Suzhou, revel in the tranquility of these meticulously designed gardens



- Day 1 North America Beijing
- Day 2 Arrive in Beijing
- Day 3 Beijing
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- Day 12 Shanghai North America



Day 1 North America - Beijing

Fly overnight to Beijing.

Day 2 Arrive in Beijing

Upon arrival in Beijing, you will be warmly greeted at the airport by the tour guide and transferred to your hotel. Tonight, enjoy your welcome dinner with the group.

Meals: Dinner

Day 3 Beijing

Today, visit Tiananmen Square, the second largest public square in the world, and the Forbidden City, it is a historic and magnificent imperial palace complex UNESCO World Heritage Site andone of the largest and bestpreserved ancient palace complexes in the world. Then indulge in a delicious lunch to savor the flavors of both tradition and innovation - Peking Roast Duck. This afternoon, you may join the optional Temple of Heaven & Hutona Life tour with meal(US\$89/person). Explore the UNESCO-listed Temple of Heaven before embarking on a renowned Hutong Tour & Local Family Visit. This package offers an authentic experience, including a traditional Zhajiangmian meal. Navigate Beijing's historic alleyways on a rickshaw for a alimpse into the past, followed by a visit to a local family.

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch

Day 4 Beijing

Today's highlight is an excursion to the majestic Great Wall, the most famous image of China, and you can get a chance to climb a portion of this 3,700-mile marvel. Visit one of the largest Jade Exhibitions in Asia en-route before the Great Wall. Then drive pass by modern exteriors of the Bird's Nest and Water Cube that were built for the 2008 Beijing Summer Olympics.

Both buildings have become symbols of modern China and are significant landmarks that showcase the country's architectural prowess. Tonight, you can choose to attend an optional large scale dramatic musical, "The Golden Mask Dynasty" (US\$65/person).

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch

Day 5 Beijing

Today continue to the legendary Summer Palace, the resort of the Empress Dowager. Enjoy a serene boat ride across the lake, soaking in the breathtaking views, then meander through the expansive palace grounds, capturing the essence of royal leisure. After delving into the world of Chinese herbal medicine, you may immerse yourself in the thrilling world of the Beijing Acrobatic Show (US\$60/person), an optional tour that offers a dazzling fusion of extraordinary agility and dramatic flair.Watch in awe as acrobats perform gravity-defying stunts and intricate maneuvers, set against a backdrop of vibrant costumes and pulsating music—a truly electrifying experience!

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch

Day 6 Beijing - Xi'an

Today, embark on the modern highspeed rail bound for Xi'an. Over a period for more than 2000 years, Xi'an was the capital of eleven dynasties. Upon arrival, transfer to hotel and enjoy the unique Shaanxi dinner in restaurant. Tonight, you may join the optional visit to the Grand Tana Everbright City (US\$69/person). It is a 2,100-meter-long pedestrian mall in Xi'an. The design theme is inspired by Tang Dynasty, You may try on a Tang Dynasty costume, the traditional attire of the Chinese people to immerse yourself in the vibrant nightlife in the Tana Dynasty.

Meals: Breakfast, Dinner

Day 7 Xi'an

Today you will visit the Terra Cotta Warriors and Horses Museum and see the attached life-sized defending army for the first emperor of China, Qin Shi Huang. This site is regarded as "the eighth wonder of the world" and is among the top archaeological excavations of the 20th century. Visit an Art Ceramics Factory before visiting Ancient City Wall. It is the most complete ancient military defense systems in the world. This evening, enjoy the "special local Imperial Dumpling Banquet Dinner and the traditional Tang Dynasty Singing and Dancing Show" (US\$68/person).

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch

Day 8 Xi'an - Hangzhou

Today transfer to the airport for your flight to Hangzhou. Upon arrival, transfer to hotel. Hangzhou, described by Marco Polo as "the most beautiful and magnificent city in the world". Today, visit the serene West Lake, the most renowned feature of Hangzhou, noted for its scenic beauty which blends with many famous historical and cultural sites. Tonight, you may enjoy an optional performance, "Enduring Memories of Hangzhou" (US\$90/person), a masterpiece created by Zhang Yimou, the director of the 2008 Beijing Summer Olympic Games Opening Ceremony.

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch

Day 9 Hangzhou - Suzhou

Hangzhou, described by Marco Polo as "the most beautiful and magnificent city in the world". Today, visit the serene West Lake, the most renowned feature of Hangzhou, famous for its scenic beauty and rich historical sites. Afterward, indulge in an oriental tea-tasting experience at the Dragon Well Tea Plantation before transferring to Suzhou,

where dubbed the "Venice of the East" due to its extensive waterways, ponds. and streams. You may take an optional cruise along the Grand Canal to view life along China's golden waterway in its heyday (US\$50/person).

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch

Day 10 Suzhou - Shanghai

Today you will visit Lingering Garden, an UNESCO World Heritage site with four themed sections connected by covered walkways. At its center is a stunning garden surrounding a pond and a yellow stone granite grotto, crafted by renowned artist Zhou Binzhong.

Then, explore the silk factory to discover the intricate process of silk production. Afterward, transfer to Shanghai, the rest of the day at leisure. Tonight you may join the optional "Huangpu River Night Cruise" and get a glimpse of the dazzling and charming night view of Shanghai (US\$50/person).

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch

Day 11 Shanghai

Shanahai is the vibrant and commercial Centre of China. This morning you will walk along the famous Bund, a mile-long stretch along the Huangpu River. Lined by the colonial architectures showing the Western influences of the old days.

Then we will visit Shanghai Museum and the City God Temple area, surrounded by a network of local snack vendors, pearl shops and souvenir shops that make for a colorful walk.

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

Day 12 Shanghai - North America

Today transfer to the airport for your return fliaht.

Meals: Breakfast

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2025 Departures

26-Mar	16-Apr	07-May	21-May	10-Sep	08-Oct
22-Oct	05-Nov	12-Nov	/	/	/

*Leading price is based on specific departure dates in low season. \$100 to \$300 price increases may apply during shoulder season and peak season. Please check with your travel agent or our website for the updated information. https://tripoppo.com

Price Notes

- Single room supplement fee for standard hotel: \$799/person
- Add on airfare from other cities: Toronto from \$600; Ottawa, Montreal, Quebec city, Halifax, St.John from \$700; Calgary, Edmonton, Saskatoon, Regina, Winnipeg, Victoria from \$500
- Tour prices are subject to change without prior notice.

Package Includes

- International Airfare from Vancouver in economy class
- Airport taxes
- High-speed train: Beijing to Xi-an
- Domestic Flight: Xi-an to Hangzhou
- Entrance fees to scenic attractions
- as indicated
- Services of English-speaking tour guides
- Sightseeing per itinerary in modern airconditioned motor coach
- All transportation in the destination
- Meals as indicated in the program

Package Does Not Include

- Visa fees
- Insurance of any kind
- Prepaid Gratuities:USD\$168/person
- Personal expenditure such as laundry service, souvenirs and telephone calls

OPTIONAL TOURS



BEIJING "HUTONG LIFE TOUR WITH DINNER"

Visit the UNESCO World Heritage Site, which was visited by the Emperors of the Ming and Qing dynasties for annual ceremonies of prayer to Heaven for good harvest. And take a famous rickshaw Hutong, the traditional alley ways that made up Beijing's old city layout, immersive yourself to get a wonderful glimpse into old Beijing.







BEIJING "THE GOLDEN MASK DYNASTY"

Set in the Golden Mask Dynasty, a legendary age in China, the story tells how a gueen, who wears a golden mask, and creates a splendid dynasty. The play has eight chapters and included more than 200 actors from China and abroad

US\$65 per person





BEIJING "ACROBATIC SHOW"

Adazzling fusion of extraordinary agility and dramatic flair. Watch in awe as acrobats perform gravity-defying stunts and intricate maneuvers, set against a backdrop of vibrant costumes and pulsating music—a truly electrifying experience!





XI'AN "GRAND TANG EVERBRIGHT CITY"

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XI'AN "DUMPLING BANQUET & TANG DYNASTY SINGING AND DANCING SHOW

Experience the Xi'an Dumpling Banquet Dinner, where dumpling-making takes center stage. Enjoy a variety of flavorful dumplings while immersed in the vibrant Tang Dynasty Singing and Dancing Show.

US\$68 per person





HANGZHOU "ENDURING MEMORIES OF HANGZHOU"

This unique outdoor performance on West Lake is vivid and incredibly beautiful, blending myths and legends into a sweet thousand-year dream. The special concealable auditorium ensures every seat offers a perfect view, and the state-of-the-art sound system provides exceptional musical enjoyment.





SUZHOU GRAND CANAL CRUISE

The man-made waterway was started in 486 B.C., with most major construction taking place a millennium later, from 605 to 610. Along the canal lie a score of cities and towns, big and small. Cruise along the Grand Canal to view life along China's golden waterway in its heyday.





SHANGHAI HUANGPU RIVER NIGHT CRUISE

Cruising along the Huangpu River, you will take a glimpse of the history and charming night view of the cosmopolitan of Shanghai. On one side of the river with buildings of Western style dating back to the early 19th century. On the other side is the image of a new Shanghai with steel-and-glass.

US\$50 per person

