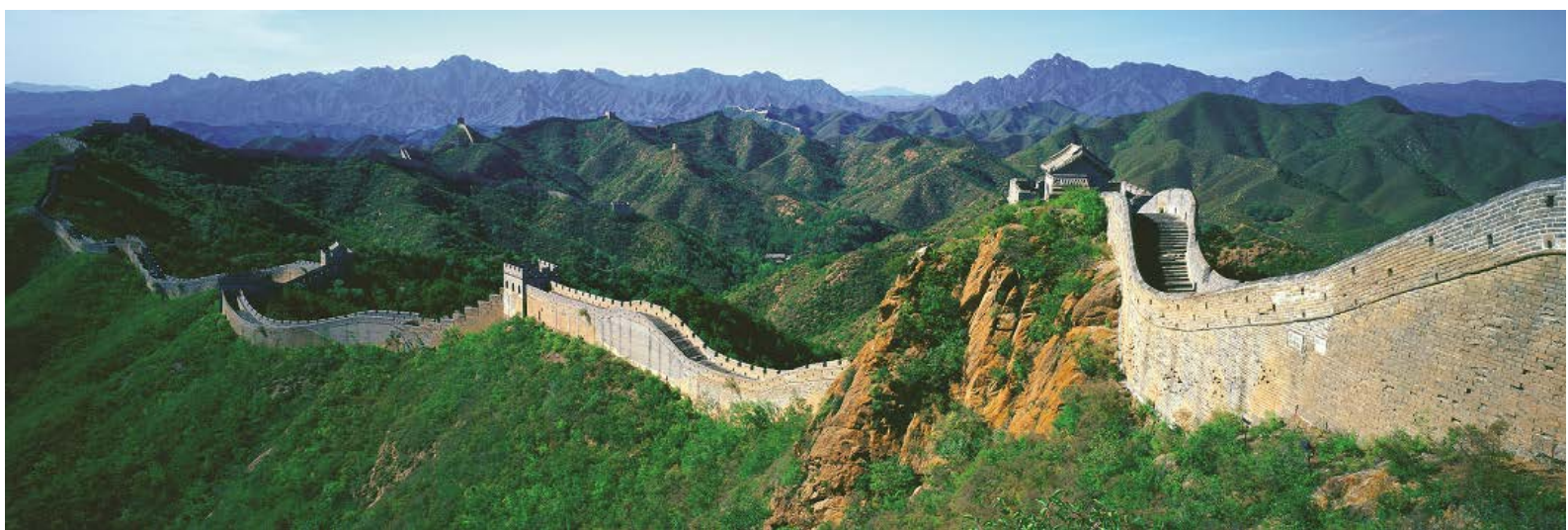




# Highlights of China

07 Nights

01 December 2015 – 31 May 2016



## Summary

A trip that presents the cradle of Chinese culture. Experience the grandeur of China with this tour and enjoy all the marvels in Beijing, Xian & Shanghai: Great Wall, Forbidden City, Terracotta Army and Old Shanghai.

## Overview

**Dates:** 01 December 2015 – 31 May 2016

**Interest:** family, group, couple

**Level of Comfort:** 4

**Minimum # of passengers:** 2

**Maximum # of passengers:** 15

## Wild Discovery Advantages

- A proven expertise in organizing Successful holidays
- Experienced and knowledgeable staff
- High quality service & strong Commitment to customer satisfaction
- Permanent assistance from Wild Discovery Head Office at any moment
- Attention to details that make the difference

## Information about the destination

- **Currency:** Chinese Yuan
- **Language:** Mandarin and English
- **Dialing Code:** 86
- **Recommended vaccines:** None
- **Banks & currency exchange:** foreign currencies must be exchanged through banks and authorized foreign exchange dealers

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**Day 01: Beijing**

Upon arrival at Beijing's Capital International Airport, meet greet and transfer to hotel

**Day 02: Beijing**

This morning, you will visit Tiananmen Square (literally known as Gate of Heavenly Peace) for a stroll on the largest public plaza on earth. Proceed to the extraordinary Forbidden City (closed on Mondays). Center of the Chinese world for nearly 500 years, the Imperial Palace remains the most complete and best preserved collection of ancient buildings in China.

In the afternoon, you will visit the Temple of Heaven, a perfection of Ming architecture and one of the symbols of Beijing. Built in 1420, this huge site (twice the size of the Forbidden City) follows a route traversed by past emperors and their entourages in splendid procession from which the commoner had to avert his eyes

Then, hop into a traditional pedicab and explore a traditional Beijing neighborhood

In the evening, enjoy dinner at a local restaurant

**Day 03: Beijing**

This morning, you will be driven to the Great Wall at the Mutianyu section, enjoy a cable car ride up and a fun toboggan ride down

Enjoy lunch at a local restaurant

Rest of the day at leisure

**Day 04: Beijing - Xian**

In the morning, you will be transferred to Beijing Airport for your flight to Xian

Upon arrival at Xian airport, meet greet and transfer to hotel

In the afternoon, visit to the Big Wild Goose Pagoda, which is the second religious building to survive from the Tang Dynasty (618 A.D. – 907 A.D.)

Your exploration of ancient Xian will end today with a visit to the Ancient Gate of City Wall

At 7.30 p.m. this evening, you will be transferred to the Tang Le Gong Theatre to have dinner and see a Tang Dynasty Show. This show is where the Shaanxi Provincial Music and Dance Ensemble present a revue of music and dance drawn from the Tang dynasty (618 - 907)

**Day 05: Xian – Shanghai**

Early this morning, your sightseeing will commence at 7.30 a.m

You will travel overland to Lintong County, site of the single greatest archeological find of the 20th century: the Terracotta Warriors and Horses Excavation. The drive will give you the chance to view the fertile loess fields of Shaanxi; an ever replenished supply of soil which has been the foundation of civilization.

The Terra-Cotta site is made up of three distinct dig "pits"; the Bronze Chariot Museum; and a theatre in the round, which shows a short film on the history of the First Emperor of the Qin dynasty (220 B.C. - 209 B.C.) and the construction of his mausoleum

Later on, you will be transferred to Xian Airport for your flight to Shanghai

Upon arrival in Shanghai Hongqiao, meet greet and transfer to hotel

**Day 06: Shanghai**

This morning, take a walk through Shanghai's old Chinese quarter to the lovely Yu Yuan garden

Despite Shanghai's crowded lanes and teeming masses, the garden remains an oasis of tranquility

To conclude your morning sightseeing, proceed to The Bund. This waterfront area sweeping along the Huangpu River has become the center of Shanghai's foreign business establishment and the symbol of Shanghai's identity as a modern city

Rest of the day at leisure



#### Day 07: Shanghai - Hangzhou - Shanghai

This morning you will be met and transferred to Shanghai's Hong Qiao Train Station where you board your High-Speed Bullet Train to Hangzhou – this train service whisks you there in just 45 minutes  
 Arrive Hangzhou and meet your guide who will transfer you to West Lake. From here start your cycling tour introductory sightseeing of the West Lake area and up to Lingyin Temple  
 You will also visit the Hu Qing Yu Tang Museum of Traditional Chinese Medicine  
 In the afternoon you say farewell to Hangzhou when you are transferred to the train station to return to Shanghai

#### Day 08: Shanghai

Transferred to the airport for your departure flight

#### Selected hotels

Nights	Regions	Bronze 4* hotels	Silver 5* hotels	Gold 5*+ hotels
3	Beijing	Novotel Beijing Peace Hotel	New World Beijing Hotel	Four Seasons Hotel Beijing
1	Xian	Hilton Xi'an	The Westin Xian	Shangri-La Hotel Xian
3	Shanghai	Grand Central Hotel Shanghai	The Puli Hotel and SPA	Fairmont Peace Hotel

#### Prices Include

Round trip ticket to Beijing, return from Shanghai (economy class)  
 Internal flight: Beijing - Xian  
 Round trip transfer: airport – hotel – train station - hotel – airport  
 Round trip train ticket: Shanghai - Hangzhou  
 7-night accommodation at hotel  
 Meal: daily breakfast, 3 lunches & 1 dinner  
 All transfers by air conditioned motor coach  
 English speaking local guides  
 2 full days Beijing city tour  
 Full day city tour of Xian  
 Full day Shanghai city tour  
 Half day tour of Hangzhou  
 Assistance of our representative in China

#### Prices Exclude

Airport taxes  
 Fuel surcharge  
 DIP surcharge \$5/ticket  
 Optional Tours  
 Visa fees  
 Travel insurance  
 All other expenses

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#### Starting pricing per person in US\$

Hotel	2-3 Passenger	4-7 Passenger	8-10 Passenger	Single Supplement
Bronze 4* hotels	3660	5650	3300	1825
Silver 5* hotels	4120	6570	3875	2285
Gold 5*+ hotels	4995	6350	4185	2535

- Prices may change without prior notice and subject to availability at time of booking

#### Flight Schedule

From	To	Flight No	Departure	Arrival
Beirut	Abu Dhabi	EY 7853	15:35	19:45
Abu Dhabi	Beijing	EY 888	21:30	08:50
Shanghai	Abu Dhabi	EY 867	00:30	06:25
Abu Dhabi	Beirut	EY 535	09:50	13:05

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