

Beijing, Xi'an, Guilin & Shanghai 10 Days

China's imperial history, ancient Xi'an, legendary Guilin landscapes and modern Shanghai in one unforgettable journey.

Four iconic destinations in one complete China journey

Begin with Beijing's imperial landmarks and the Mutianyu Great Wall, travel by high-speed train to Xi'an for the Terracotta Army, fly south to cruise the Li River through Guilin and Yangshuo, then finish among Shanghai's museums, gardens, shopping streets and skyline.

Tour Code PEK-X-K-PVG10 Duration 10 Days / 9 Nights Departure Daily* Guide English

Day-by-day itinerary

DAY 01 Arrive in Beijing

ARRIVAL · AIRPORT TRANSFER · FREE TIME

Arrive at Beijing Capital International Airport (PEK) or Beijing Daxing International Airport (PKX). Your dedicated guide meets you outside baggage claim and transfers you to your pre-booked four-star city hotel. Enjoy the remainder of the day at leisure.

Meals: None

DAY 02 Imperial Beijing

TIANANMEN SQUARE · FORBIDDEN CITY · SUMMER PALACE · OLYMPIC PARK

Visit Tiananmen Square and the magnificent Forbidden City, then stop at a Pearl Factory before continuing to the Summer Palace. Finish with a photo stop at the

Bird's Nest and Water Cube.

Tonight enjoy a Peking Duck Banquet at Hua's Restaurant .

Breakfast Lunch Special Dinner

Important: The Forbidden City is closed every Monday. Your guide may adjust the sightseeing order when necessary.

DAY 03 Great Wall Adventure

MUTIANYU GREAT WALL · JADE MUSEUM · GOLDEN MASK DYNASTY SHOW

Travel approximately 70 km from Beijing to the scenic Mutianyu Great Wall. Stop at the Jade Museum and for lunch before exploring the wall's Ming dynasty watchtowers and mountain views.

Tonight enjoy the spectacular Golden Mask Dynasty Show .

Breakfast Lunch Dinner

Optional: Mutianyu round-trip cable car is available at additional cost and is not included.

DAY 04 Beijing → Xi'an

TEMPLE OF HEAVEN · WUDAOYING HUTONG · HIGH-SPEED TRAIN

Visit the Temple of Heaven, then stroll through Wudaoying Hutong for a glimpse of local neighborhood life. Transfer to the railway station and board your included high-speed train to Xi'an. Your Xi'an guide meets you on arrival and transfers you to the hotel.

 Beijing → Xi'an high-speed train ticket included

Breakfast

DAY 05 Ancient Xi'an

TERRACOTTA ARMY · CITY WALL · MUSLIM QUARTER · BELL & DRUM TOWER

Discover the world-renowned Terracotta Army, then visit a terracotta replication factory. Back in the city, walk along the remarkably preserved Xi'an City Wall, explore the Muslim Quarter and stop at the Bell and Drum Tower Square.

Tonight enjoy the Tang Dynasty Show and Dumpling Banquet .

Breakfast Lunch Special Dinner

DAY 06 Fly to Guilin

DOMESTIC FLIGHT · XI'AN → GUILIN

Transfer to the airport for your included flight to Guilin, one of China's most celebrated scenic destinations. On arrival, your local guide and driver meet you and transfer you to your downtown hotel.

✈ Xi'an → Guilin air ticket included

Breakfast

DAY 07 Guilin → Yangshuo

LI RIVER CRUISE · YANGSHUO COUNTRYSIDE

Drive to Mopanshan Pier and board a relaxing Li River cruise to Yangshuo. During the approximately four-hour journey, watch extraordinary karst peaks, riverside villages, Nine-Horse Fresco, Yellow Cloth Shoal and scenery depicted on the 20 RMB note pass by.

After arriving in Yangshuo, check in and explore the countryside. You may ride a bicycle or choose an optional sidecar experience among rice paddies, villages and limestone hills.

Breakfast Lunch on Cruise

DAY 08 Yangshuo → Guilin → Shanghai

ELEPHANT TRUNK HILL · REED FLUTE CAVE · FLIGHT TO SHANGHAI

Return to Guilin and visit Elephant Trunk Hill, the symbol of the city. Continue to Reed Flute Cave to see illuminated stalactites, stalagmites, columns and the famous Crystal Palace.

After sightseeing, transfer to the airport for your included flight to Shanghai. Your local guide meets you on arrival and transfers you to the hotel.

✈ Guilin → Shanghai air ticket included

Breakfast

DAY 09 Shanghai City Highlights

SHANGHAI MUSEUM · YU GARDEN · NANJING ROAD · THE BUND

Visit Shanghai Museum near People's Square to explore important collections of Chinese bronzes, paintings, calligraphy, ceramics, jade and more. Enjoy Shanghai juicy meat dumplings for lunch and stop at a Silk Factory.

Continue to Yu Garden and Yuyuan Bazaar, stroll along Nanjing Road and finish at the Bund with views of Lujiazui's dramatic skyline across the Huangpu River. Optional free time or a Huangpu River cruise can be arranged with your guide.

Breakfast Special Lunch

DAY 10 Shanghai Departure

HOTEL · AIRPORT TRANSFER · DEPARTURE

Your driver transfers you to the airport for your flight to your next destination or home. Your 10-day China journey concludes here.

Breakfast

Included in $2,599

• 4-star hotels or similar, based on double occupancy

• Meals and admissions as listed in the itinerary

• Scheduled sightseeing transportation and airport / station transfers

• Professional English-speaking local guides

• Beijing → Xi'an high-speed train ticket

• Xi'an → Guilin domestic air ticket

• Guilin → Shanghai domestic air ticket

• Peking Duck Banquet , Tang Dynasty Show & Dumpling Banquet , and other listed meals

Confirmed extras

• Mutianyu Great Wall round-trip cable car

• Yangshuo sidecar rental , if selected

• Optional Huangpu River cruise in Shanghai, if selected

Only optional items specifically identified in the supplied itinerary are shown here. Ask Holiday China for current booking terms and any additional charges before payment.

BEIJING Mercure Beijing Downtown Hotel or similar HOTEL WEBSITE ↗

XI’AN Grand Noble Hotel Xi’an or similar VIEW MAP ↗

GUILIN Guilin Bravo Hotel or similar VIEW MAP ↗

YANGSHUO Yangshuo New Weststreet International Hotel or similar HOTEL WEBSITE ↗

SHANGHAI Holiday Inn Express Shanghai Jing’an Temple or similar HOTEL WEBSITE ↗

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Includes four-star accommodation plus the transportation, meals and admissions listed in the itinerary.

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