

**2017 Prices**

Starts: Beijing  
Ends: Shanghai

Prices Per Person, Double Occupancy:

**\$3,995**

Intra-tour Air: **\$660**

**12 Days - Pre-Designed Journey**

Travel Experience by private car with guide

**Inclusions:**

- All transfers and sightseeing excursions by private car and driver
- Your own private expert local guides
- Accommodations as shown
- Meals as indicated in the itinerary

**Highlights:**

- Walk on the Great Wall of China
- Visit the Yungang Grottoes and the Hanging Temple
- See the life size terra cotta warriors in Xian
- Enjoy the Tang Dynasty Cultural Performance
- Explore the old town of Pingyao and Qiao's family courtyard
- Watch locals practice Tai Chi in the morning at Temple of Heaven

**DAYS 1 – 3 • Meals: B****Beijing, CHINA****Peninsula Hotel**

Discover memories on this journey with its natural beauty, ornate temples, grand palaces and gracious people. Arrive Beijing where you will clear customs and immigration and be transferred to your luxury hotel.

Explore Beijing and see the Summer Palace, Tiananmen Square and the Forbidden City. See the 2008 Summer Olympic village, sight of the "Bird Nest" and "Water Cube". Walk along a portion of the 5,500 mile long Great Wall. See the extraordinary Shi San Ling, where thirteen of the sixteen Ming emperors are entombed.

**DAYS 4 – 6 • Meals: B****Datong/Pingyao****Grand Hotel Datong / Pingyao Financial Club**

In Datong, visit the Yungang Grottoes or Cloud Ridge Caves. Tucked within the nooks of old caverns and hidden under the remains of a Qing Dynasty fortress, are more than 50,000 Buddhist statues spread over a half mile of caves. See one of the three largest Buddhist grottoes in China along with the Nine Dragon Screen and Shan Hua Temple. The ancient commerce town of Pingyao is one of the best preserved traditional Chinese cities and centered within a completely intact Ming dynasty wall. In Pingyao, visit the Hanging Temple and the Jinci Temple, as well as the Qiao's family courtyard.

**DAYS 7 – 8 • Meals: B****Xian****Xian Shangri La**

Tour the burial site of Emperor Qin Shi Huangdi. Guarding this Imperial Tomb for over 2,000 years are thousands of life-size terra cotta warriors. Visit the site where the terra cotta figures have been excavated and where excavations and restoration continues today.

**DAYS 9 – 12 • Meals: B****Shanghai/Suzhou & Depart Home****Shanghai Peninsula**

Travel along the tree-lined Huangpu River waterfront boulevard, and the former "Wall Street" of foreign powers known as "The Bund". Stroll through Shanghai's Old Quarter and visit the Yu Yuan Gardens and the Shanghai Museum. Take an excursion to the garden city of Suzhou, also known as the "Venice of the East". You'll be transferred to the airport for your departure flight.



This itinerary can be modified based on your specific interests, preferred travel dates & budget. Visit our website for more details.