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China Discovery Family Tour - 9 Days

This family tour features three most charming cities in China – Beijing, Shanghai, and Hong Kong. You will admire the majestic Great Wall and Forbidden City in the ancient capital, experience the modern and traditional flavors of Shanghai, and immerse yourselves in the theme parks of Hong Kong.

240-Hour Visa-Free Transit in China

China is implementing a 10-day (240 hours) visa-free transit policy. The transit program allows visitors who have existing flight bookings from China to a third country (region) to snag a visa on arrival at a Chinese airport (port) and stay for 10 days before departure. Hong Kong, Macao and Taiwan all count as third destinations.

Passport holders of 54 countries, including the United States and the United Kingdom, can enter visa-free through any of the 60 open airports (ports) in 24 provincial regions, covering popular tourist cities like Beijing, Shanghai, Xi'an, Chengdu and Guangzhou.

Read more about [240-Hour Visa-Free Transit in China](#).

Meanwhile, citizens from 38 countries can [enter China visa-free for up to 30 days](#).

Date	Destinations	Attractions, Meals & Transport
1	Day 1 Beijing	 Upon your arrival, meet your guide and transfer to your hotel in Beijing. Explore Beijing on your own.

<p>2</p>	<p>Day 2 Beijing</p>	<p> Breakfast, Lunch</p> <p> In the morning, visit the Tian'an men Square, the world's largest and renowned public square where many historical events once took place. Head to the Forbidden City, the world's largest and renowned public square where many historical events once took place.</p> <p>In the afternoon, take a Hutong Tour by old-fashioned pedicab to explore the oldest part of the city for a real sight into the traditional Chinese life style. Then, learn to make dumplings with your family in a local Chinese house and have a taste of your own dumplings!</p> 
<p>3</p>	<p>Day 3 Beijing</p>	<p> Breakfast, Lunch</p> <p> Visit the Mutianyu Great Wall, which is one of the most spectacular structures ever built by human and as the only one visible from space.</p> <p>On the way back to the city, take an outside tour to Olympic Stadium, nicknamed Bird's Nest, and the National Swimming Centre, also known as the Water Cube.</p>
<p>4</p>	<p>Day 4 Beijing – Shanghai (by bullet train)</p>	<p> Breakfast</p> <p> Today, transfer to the train station and take a bullet train to Shanghai (about 5.5 hours). Upon arrival, meet and transfer to the hotel.</p>

5	Day 5 Shanghai	<p> Breakfast, Lunch</p> <p> Your full day tour begins with the Yu Garden (UNESCO). Owing to its ingenious design in Ming and Qing dynasties, it becomes a real museum of Chinese ancient architecture.</p> <p>Wander through the bustling Bund, featuring outstanding European colonial architectures, new skyscrapers and historical buildings in Shanghai.</p> <p>Visit the Shanghai Natural History Museum, witnessing the mystery of nature and sharing excitement with your family members.</p>
6	Day 6 Shanghai	<p> Breakfast</p> <p> Enjoy a whole day to explore the Disneyland with your family! Shanghai Disney Resort is a magical place where happiness is discovered and dreams come true. Combining classical Disney flavor with special culture and beauty of China, Shanghai Disney Resort creates memories for everyone that will last a lifetime! (Private transfers with guide service are included. The guide will not escort you in Disneyland.)</p> 
7	Day 7 Shanghai – Hong Kong (by air)	<p> Breakfast</p> <p> Today, transfer to the airport to take a flight to Hong Kong. On arrival, meet and transfer to your Hotel. Enjoy the remainder of the day at leisure.</p>

8	Day8 Hong Kong	 Breakfast  Today's excursion starts with a half-day tour of Hong Kong Island. Visit Victoria Peak (include One-way peak tram ride), the summit of the Hong Kong Island and get a bird-eye view of the magnificent skyline of the Victoria Harbor. Then, visit the Stanley Market and drive by the Repulse Bay . Later, you visit and the Historic Fishing Village at Aberdeen with sampan ride. Their traditional lifestyle is in sharp contrast to the modern life style of those living in the high-rise communities. Afterwards, return to your hotel and enjoy the remainder of the day at leisure. Good to know: If you have an extra day in Hong Kong, you could explore the Ocean Park, a wonderful oceanarium and amusement park.
9	Day9 Hong Kong	 Breakfast  Transfer to the airport for your departure. Service ends.

Tour Includes :

- Private tour guide
- Private air-conditioned car or coach
- Land transfers between airport or railway station, and hotel
- Entrance tickets as listed
- Chinese Lunch as listed
- Centrally located hotels with breakfast
- Domestic flight with taxes and train ticket (2nd class seat) as listed
- Service charge & government taxes

Tour Excludes :

- International flights with taxes
- Personal expenses such as laundry, drinks, phone bills, optional activities
- Tips for guides and drivers
- China Visa
- Travel insurance

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