

# CHINA EXPRESS

Beijing, Shanghai

Tour Type: Private tour

**6**  
DAYS

## Tour Highlights:

- Beijing: the Great Wall at Badaling
- Beijing: Tian'anmen Square, the Forbidden City
- Shanghai: Yu Garden, the Bund and Old Town



### DAY 01 Arrival Beijing (No meal)

Arrive in Beijing, the dynamic capital of the People's Republic of China. Once the imperial city of Mongol, Ming and Manchu emperors, Beijing today is still extraordinarily rich in historical sites and cultural relics. Meet your CTS guide and transfer to your hotel.

### DAY 02 Beijing (B/L/D)

Tour the Tian'anmen Square, the biggest public square in the world. Afterwards, visit to Forbidden City, the vast complex of palaces, which was home to successive Emperors for more than 500 years. Afterwards, visit the pearl store. In the afternoon, spending a relaxing afternoon in the Hutong alleyways. Take a rickshaw ride to see the real life-link past of old Beijing. Tonight

you will experience the famous Beijing Duck banquet for your welcome dinner.

### DAY 03 Beijing (B/L)

Morning tour to the Great Wall at Badaling section stretching almost 4,000 miles from the Pacific Ocean to the sands of Central Asia and befittingly crowned one of the ten wonders of the world. Along the way, you will stopover at a jade carving factory where you can watch artisans at work. After lunch, continue to the Summer Palace, the largest and the best preserved of all imperial palace gardens, which boasts such delights as the famous Marble Boat and the ornately painted 'Long Corridor'. Enjoy your evening at own arrangement.

### DAY 04 Beijing Shanghai (B)

Free on your own until transfer to Beijing train station to board high speed train to Shanghai (around 5-6 hours riding, second class seat). Upon arrival, meet your CTS tour guide and be transferred to your hotel.

### DAY 05 Shanghai (B/L)

Visit the Bund, a popular promenade along the Huangpu River, where the old meets the modern in Shanghai. Afterwards, we will visit the Old Town with its winding alleyways, lined with shops, teahouses and restaurants, and then to the elegant and tranquil Yu Garden. Continue to visit a silk spinning mill. And then we will visit Shanghai Xintiandi, which is unique tourist attraction in downtown Shanghai, featuring the city's unique "Shikumen" houses and a maze of narrow alleys, which have been converted into cafes, restaurants, bars, and art retail shops.

### DAY 06 Shanghai (B)

Transfer to the airport for your flight back home.



#### Price per person is from

Number of traveller	Twin share
2	\$1,799

\*Price does not apply at Chinese Public Holidays, local important festivals & trade fair.

#### Inclusions

- Beijing-Shanghai high speed train, second class seat
- 5 nights 4\* hotel accommodation
- Meals as specified (B=breakfast, L=lunch, D=dinner)
- Entrance fees to the scenic spots
- English-speaking tour guide
- All transfers and transportation in private vehicles

Remark: Gratuities to tour guide and driver (CNY50-80 per person per day suggested).