

# YANGTZE RIVER CRUISE

## ANCIENT BEIJING, METROPOLIS SHANGHAI AND YANGTZE CRUISE

A tour of China, one of the world's oldest civilizations, is unlike any other. From its dramatic history and vibrant cities to its timeless cultural wonders, China's multifaceted charm never fails to captivate. Our enhanced Panorama China itinerary now features visits to the awe-inspiring UNESCO World Heritage-listed Longmen Grottoes and the legendary Shaolin Temple, birthplace of Chinese kung fu. You'll also enjoy a 4-night 5-star Yangtze River cruise, drifting through breathtaking gorges and picturesque landscapes in comfort and style. Journey through iconic landmarks and uncover hidden gems known only to locals—come and experience the rich diversity of China like never before.

DOUBLE OCCUPANCY: CA \$5,399  
SINGLE OCCUPANCY: ADDITIONAL CA \$1,549 SUPPLEMENT  
PREMIUM ECONOMY \$ 1799.52 PER PERSON EXTRA  
GRATUITIES: CA \$333/PER PERSON

**Price includes:**

- Economy class international Airfare from YYZ
- Airport taxes
- Domestic flight or high-speed train:
- Beijing to Xi'an; Xi'an to Luoyang; Zhengzhou to Yichang
- 5-star deluxe hotel accommodations
- 4 nights, 5-star Yangtze River Cruise in an outside cabin with a balcony
- Entrance fees to scenic attractions as indicated
- Services of English-speaking tour guides
- Sightseeing per itinerary in modern AC motor coach
- All transportation in the destination
- Meals as indicated in the program – 31 meals
- Plus Yangtze River Cruise VIP Package

**VIP River Cruise Package includes:**

- Welcome Fruit Plate
- Nightly turn-down service with a printed daily itinerary
- Access to the Executive Lounge
- Daily beverage service (soft drinks, coffee & tea)
- Afternoon Happy Hour with house wine, beer & soda
- Free WiFi in the executive lounge & lobby
- Choice of dining at the Main Dynasty Dining Room or an à la carte restaurant with complimentary house wine & beer at dinner

**Excludes:**

- Insurance
- Personal expenditure such as laundry service, souvenirs & telephone calls



OCT 20  
- NOV 5,  
2026

BOOK YOUR 17-DAY  
PANORAMA OF CHINA  
WITH YANGTZE RIVER  
CRUISE TODAY



Visit China Visa-Free!

Canadian passport holders are eligible for 30-day visa-free entry to China. Eligibility criteria apply. For the latest information, please consult your nearest Chinese consulate.

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#### DAY 1 | OCT. 20 | TORONTO - BEIJING

Begin your unforgettable journey as you depart Toronto for Beijing.

#### DAY 2 | OCT. 21 | ARRIVE IN BEIJING

Arrive in Beijing (PEK), meet your tour guide, and transfer to Wyndham Beijing North 5★ (or similar) for your stay from Oct. 21–25.

#### DAY 3 | OCT. 22 | BEIJING

Visit Tiananmen Square and the magnificent UNESCO-listed Forbidden City, one of the world's largest and best-preserved imperial palace complexes. Enjoy a special Peking Roast Duck lunch, then choose an optional Temple of Heaven & Hutong Life tour (US\$89/person) for an authentic glimpse into Beijing's rich culture and historic alleyways.

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch – Special Peking Duck lunch

#### DAY 4 | OCT. 23 | BEIJING

Experience the awe-inspiring Great Wall of China, where you'll have the opportunity to walk a portion of this world-famous landmark. En route, visit one of Asia's largest Jade Exhibitions, then drive past Beijing's iconic Bird's Nest and Water Cube—striking symbols of modern China from the 2008 Olympics.

Optional evening: Experience “The Legend of Kung Fu” (US\$59/person), a spectacular live performance featuring 60 professional performers who bring the spirit of Shaolin to life through powerful martial arts, stunning choreography, and immersive stage production.

Meals: Breakfast, lunch

#### Day 5 | Oct. 24 | Beijing

Continue to the legendary Summer Palace, former retreat of the Empress Dowager. Enjoy a scenic boat ride across the lake and explore the stunning palace grounds. Later, discover Chinese herbal medicine traditions.

Optional evening: Attend the spectacular Beijing Acrobatic Show (US\$60/person).

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch

Hotel: Delta Hotels by Marriott 5★ (or similar), Oct. 25–27

#### DAY 6 | OCT. 25 | BEIJING - XI'AN

Travel by modern high-speed rail to Xi'an, one of China's most ancient capitals, which served eleven dynasties over more than 2,000 years. Upon arrival, transfer to Delta Hotels by Marriott 5★ (or similar) for your stay from Oct. 25–27, and enjoy a Special Xi'an Feast Dinner.

Optional evening visit to Grand Tang Everbright City (US\$69/person), where Tang Dynasty culture comes alive through vibrant streets, traditional costumes, and immersive nightlife.

Meals: Breakfast, Dinner – Special Xi'an feast dinner



#### DAY 7 | OCT. 26 | XI'AN

Visit the world-renowned Terra Cotta Warriors and Horses Museum, home to the life-sized army of China's first emperor, Qin Shi Huang—widely regarded as the “Eighth Wonder of the World.” Explore an Art Ceramics Factory and walk along Xi'an's Ancient City Wall, one of the world's most complete ancient military defense systems. Optional evening Imperial Dumpling Banquet and Tang Dynasty Singing & Dancing Show available (US\$68/person).

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch

#### DAY 8 | OCT. 27 | XI'AN – LUOYANG – ZHENGZHOU

Take the high-speed bullet train to Luoyang and explore the breathtaking Longmen Grottoes, a UNESCO World Heritage Site famed for its thousands of intricate Buddhist carvings. Continue to the legendary Shaolin Temple, birthplace of Chinese Kung Fu and Zen Buddhism, nestled in the scenic Songshan Mountains. Later, travel to Zhengzhou for your overnight stay at Radisson Blu Plaza Hotel 5★ (or similar), Oct. 27-28.

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch

#### DAY 9 | OCT. 28 | ZHENGZHOU – YICHANG – YANGTZE RIVER CRUISE

Travel by bullet train to Yichang, the gateway to the majestic Yangtze River. Upon arrival, transfer to the port and board your luxury river cruise, where you can relax and enjoy onboard activities as your unforgettable Yangtze journey begins.

Meals: Breakfast, Dinner

#### DAY 10 | OCT. 29 | YANGTZE RIVER CRUISE

Visit the impressive Three Gorges Dam, the world's largest hydroelectric power station, and discover its remarkable role in flood control and energy production. Later, cruise through the breathtaking Xiling Gorge, the longest and deepest of the Three Gorges, surrounded by towering cliffs and spectacular scenery.

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

#### DAY 11 | OCT. 30 | YANGTZE RIVER CRUISE

Enjoy scenic cruising through the dramatic Qutang Gorge, famous for its towering cliffs and stunning beauty. Explore the enchanting Lesser Three Gorges by smaller riverboats, then continue through the serene and mystical Wu Gorge, one of the Yangtze's most picturesque landscapes.

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

#### DAY 12 | OCT. 31 | YANGTZE RIVER CRUISE

Embark on a fascinating shore excursion to Fengdu Snow Jade Cave, renowned for its stunning crystal formations and breathtaking natural beauty. Alternatively, visit Xiaoguan Shan Ancient Folk Culture Park\* to explore preserved architectural and cultural treasures. Expert guides provide enriching insights throughout this unforgettable experience. (\*Subject to cruise line arrangements)

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner



#### DAY 13 | NOV. 1 | CHONGQING - HANGZHOU

Conclude your Yangtze River cruise in Chongqing before visiting the beloved Panda House to see China's iconic giant pandas. Later, fly to Hangzhou and transfer to your hotel. Optional evening: enjoy the spectacular "Enduring Memories of Hangzhou" performance (US\$90/person), a stunning showcase of West Lake's legends through music, lights, and water.

Meals: Breakfast

#### DAY 14 | NOV. 2 | HANGZHOU - SUZHOU

Explore Hangzhou, once described by Marco Polo as "the most beautiful and magnificent city in the world." Visit the breathtaking West Lake, famed for its scenic beauty and rich history, then enjoy an authentic tea-tasting experience at the renowned Dragon Well Tea Plantation. Later, transfer to Suzhou, the "Venice of the East."

Optional: Grand Canal cruise available (US\$50/person).

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch

#### DAY 15 | NOV. 3 | SUZHOU - SHANGHAI

Visit the UNESCO-listed Lingering Garden, one of Suzhou's most exquisite classical gardens, featuring beautifully designed landscapes, ponds, and architectural artistry. Explore a silk factory to learn about China's renowned silk production before transferring to vibrant Shanghai.

Optional evening: Huangpu River Night Cruise (US\$50/person).

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch

#### DAY 16 | NOV. 4 | SHANGHAI

Explore Shanghai, China's dynamic commercial hub, beginning with a stroll along the iconic Bund, where historic colonial architecture lines the Huangpu River. Visit the fascinating Shanghai History Museum, then experience the vibrant City God Temple area, filled with local markets, traditional snacks, pearl shops, and cultural charm.

Meals: Breakfast, Dinner

#### DAY 17 | NOV. 5 | SHANGHAI - TORONTO

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##### DEPOSIT & FINAL PAYMENT

Non-refundable deposit: CA \$1,000 per person  
Final balance due: August 15, 2026

##### IMPORTANT INFORMATION

Canadian passports only - no visa required  
Passports must be valid until at least May 2027  
Trip cancellation, interruption, and medical insurance are available

PLEASE DO NOT HESITATE TO ASK ANY QUESTIONS.  
HOPE TO HEAR FROM YOU SOON.