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Shanghai Travel Guidebook



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Shanghai, also known as Hu, is the largest and most prosperous city in China. As one of the main port cities in China, hundreds of foreign travelers arrived at Shanghai to start their trips in China. It is a bustling international metropolis which plays an important role in China's economy, culture, transport, industry, finance, trade and exhibition.

Shanghai is situated in the Yangtze River Delta next to the East China Sea. As one of the largest cities in Asia, Shanghai has rich cultural relics. Travelers can not only experience a modern trip including [the Bund](#), [Xintiandi](#), [the Oriental Pearl TV Tower](#) and World Financial Center, but also explore an old and ancient journey by visiting the [Yuyuan Garden](#), [Jade Buddha Temple](#) and [Zhujiajiao Ancient Town](#). Nearby Suzhou and Hangzhou, it is easy to visit some ancient water towns in Jiangsu and Zhejiang Provinces from Shanghai.

In addition, Shanghai starts **72-hour visa free travel** in 2013. Travelers can enjoy a short journey without applying for a Chinese travel visa to experience local culture and life.

With a pleasant northern subtropical maritime monsoon climate, Shanghai enjoys four distinct seasons, generous sunshine and abundant rainfall. Its spring and autumn are relatively short compared with summer and winter. The average annual temperature is 16° C. The city is frost-free for up to 230 days a year, and receives an average annual rainfall of 1,200 mm. Shanghai winter temperatures can drop below zero (Celsius) from late January to mid-February and views may be gray and misty. Spring brings warmth from April to mid-May. Autumn is from late September to mid-November, which can be very cool.

In summer the hot and humid weather makes outdoor conditions uncomfortable, with temperatures sometimes reaching 40° C (104° F) in July and August, and lasting up to 10 days. Highest rainfall is between May and September which accounts for 70% of the annual rainfall. There are many rainy days between the middle of June and the middle of July and heavy rain and thunderstorms can be expected from late August to mid-September.

Clothing tip:

In short, silk long johns and down jackets are needed in winter, an ice block for each armpit in summer and an umbrella wouldn't go astray in either of these seasons.

Best Time to Travel:

Spring and autumn are the best seasons to travel to Shanghai.

Between March and May Shanghai is warm and comfortable for spring outings, the trees are green and flowers bursting into bloom. Long-sleeved T-shirts, a thin overcoat and sweater will be enough. Zhujiajiao Water Town, Suzhou and Hangzhou are the best destinations to travel to as the places boast overwhelming spring scenery.

Autumn (September to November) is another good time to visit, perfect to enjoy the annual crab season against the golden backdrop of autumn colors.





Among the 45 countries, travelers with third country visas and plane tickets to third countries can enjoy 72 hours visa-free stay in Shanghai. During 72-hour stay, travelers can't leave Shanghai for other cities in China and have to depart from Shanghai to the third countries. This policy in Shanghai is only suitable for transit passengers who arrive at Hongqiao and Pudong airports. So transit passengers from 45 countries arriving by ship or train can't benefit from 72 hours visa-free travel. More FAQs are here: [72 Hours Free Visa Policy in Beijing and Shanghai](#)

45 countries to benefit:

24 countries in the European Union: Austria, Belgium, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Iceland, Italy, Latvia, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malta, Netherlands, Poland, Portugal, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, and Switzerland.

Other 7 European Countries: Russia, the United Kingdom, Ireland, Cyprus, Bulgaria, and Romania, Ukraine.

6 countries in the Americas: United States, Canada, Brazil, Mexico, Argentina, and Chile.

2 countries in Oceania: Australia, and New Zealand.

6 countries in Asia: Korea, Japan, Singapore, Brunei, the United Arab Emirates, and Qatar.

Experience a 72 hours visa-free travel: [3 Day Visa-free Shanghai Essence Tour](#)

In addition, Beijing, Guangzhou, Chengdu, Chongqing and Shenyang joins Shanghai to offer 72-hour visa free travels in China.

Western style buildings are full of Shanghai. There are a lot of attractions including ancient Yuyuan Garden, famous Zhujiajiao water town, modern buildings like World Financial Center and the Oriental Pearl TV Tower. You can also visit some western historic relics like French Concession and St Ignatius Cathedral.

M50 Art District and Tianzifang are popular places for travelers who love arts. The night of Shanghai has attracted thousands of travelers from the whole world. To take a cruise along the Huangpu River is the best choice to view beautiful and magnificent night scenery. The Bund has been on the must-visit list for most travelers to Shanghai.



Yuyuan Garden (豫园)

Located in the downtown of Shanghai, Yuyuan Garden is a private garden of the Ming Dynasty. Travelers can experience exquisite traditional Chinese garden, and enjoy tasty local snacks such as Xiaolongbao and cakes there. The Yuyuan Garden nearby the Bund is a symbol of Shanghai's ancient life.



Address: No.137, Anren Street, Huangpu District, Shanghai (上海市黄浦区安仁街137号)

Opening hours: 08:30 to 17:00 (Apr.1st to Jun.30th and Sep.1st to Nov.30th)
08:30 to 16:30 (Dec.1st to Mar.31th to Jul.1st to Aug.31th)

Ticket: 40 CNY (Apr.1st to Jun.30th and Sep.1st to Nov.30th)
30 CNY (Dec.1st to Mar.31th to Jul.1st to Aug.31th)

How to get there:

Take Bus 11, 26, 920, or 926 and get off at New North Gate (新北门) station.
Take 932 or Tourism Bus 1 and get off at Chenghuangmiao Yuyuan (城隍庙豫园) station.
Or take Subway line 10 and get off at Yuyuan (豫园) station.



The Bund (外滩)

To see dozens of exotic building clusters along the Bund has been popular among travelers. The Bund stands for a modern life in Shanghai. The architectures with different styles were built in different periods such as the Bank of China, Peace Hotel, China Customs and HSBC buildings. Travelers should not miss the night of the Bund which is one of the highlights in China.

Address: At Huangpu river bank in Huangpu District, the downtown of Shanghai(上海市中心黄浦区黄浦江畔)

Opening hours: a whole day

Ticket: Free

How to get there: Take Bus 317,576,868 are available to the Bund.
Take Subway Line 2 and get off Nanjing East Road(南京东路).



Nanjing Road Pedestrian Street (南京路步行街)

If travelers want to do some shopping, Nanjing Road Pedestrian Street is the first choice in Shanghai. With a length of 1200 meters, it is a popular international shopping paradise. As one of the earliest shopping streets in Shanghai, Nanjing Road has been one of the most bustling shopping streets. Besides, a lot of travelers head to Nanjiang Road because of its local snacks.

Address: Nanjing Road, in downtown of Shanghai

Opening hours: 24 hours

Ticket: Free

How to get there:

Travelers can take Subway Line 1 or 8 to Renmin Square station(人民广场站), Subway Line 2 to Nanjing East Road (南京东路站) or Renmin Square station (人民广场站) . Bus 17, 18, 20, 21, 22, 23, 37, 49, 55 and 921 are available.



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 The Oriental Pearl TV Tower (东方明珠)

With a height of 468 meters, the Oriental Pearl TV Tower is one of the landmarks in Shanghai. Travelers can take a sightseeing elevator from the bottom to the top to view magnificent modern buildings. Located in Lujiazui in Pudong New Area, it is a good place to see the whole Bund and the Huangpu River.

Book a tour to see the TV Tower: [4 Day Shanghai & Suzhou Highlights Tour](#)

Address: Lujiazui Finance and Trade Zone at bank of Huangpu River in Shanghai 上海黄浦江畔 (陆家嘴金融贸易区)

Opening hours: 08:00-21:30(Tickets are stopped selling at 21:00.)

Ticket: 160 CNY

How to get there: Travelers can take Subway Line 2 and get off at Lujiazui station(陆家嘴站).

Bus 81,82,85,314,583, 774,795,798,799,870,961,971,985,,992 and 993 are available to the Oriental Pearl TV Tower.



Shanghai World Financial Center (上海环球金融中心)

Nearby Jinmao Tower, Shanghai World Financial Center is a skyscraper in Lujiazui. With a height of 492 meters, it has 100 floors including sightseeing floors from Floor 94 to 100. Travelers can have a grand view of the modern Shanghai, however, if travelers are afraid of heights, it will be a big challenge to break through.

Address: 1st Building, No.100, Century Avenue, Pudong New Area, Shanghai(上海市浦东新区世纪大道100号1座)

Opening hours: 08:00-23:00 (No entrance after 22:00)

Ticket: 150 CNY including Floor 94, 97 and 100

110 CNY including Floor 94 and 97

100 CNY including Floor 94

How to get there:

Subway: Take Subway Line 2 and get off Dongchang Road (东昌路站) station or Lujiazui Station (陆家嘴站).

Bus: take Bus 82, 583, 875, 961, 985 and get off Lujiazui Ring Road Pucheng Road station(陆家嘴环路浦城路站) or Bus 85, 454, 584, 783, 799, 922 to Century Avenue East Hospital Station(世纪大道东方医院站).

Tel: 021-38672008





Xintiandi (新天地)

Near the south side of Huaihai Middle Road, Xintiandi is divided into two parts. The north part has old local Shikumens which are the most representative residences in Shanghai, and the south part has modern architectures. You can experience the old Shanghai in 1920s to 1930s in Xintiandi, and enjoy a modern life inside the Shikumens. It is a popular destination loved by travelers from home and abroad.



See Xintiandi from Beijing: [2 Day Shanghai Highlights from Beijing](#)

Address: 181 Alley, Taichang Road, Huangpu District, Shanghai(上海市黄浦区太仓路181弄)

Opening hours: 24 hours

Ticket: Free

How to get there: Take Subway Line 1 to Huangpo South Road station(黄坡南路站) or Subway Line 10 to Xintiandi station(新天地站)



French Concession (法租界)

French Concession was the largest and the most prosperous among four French Concessions of China. Saint Joseph's church was the only Catholic Church in French Concession. Nowadays, you can see old French style houses, have coffee in a coffee bar and enjoy a night life in a bar.

Address: Xuhui and Luwan districts, Shanghai(上海徐汇区和卢湾区)

Opening hours: 24 hours

Ticket: Free

How to get there: Take Bus 42,167,320,911,920,926 and get off and Huaihai Middle Road(淮海中路) or Shaanxi South Road(陕西南路).

Tianzifang (田子坊)

Tianzifang, also known as Taikang Road, is a concentration of art galleries, shops, photographic exhibitions and a variety of coffee bars. Antique shops in Sinan Intersection attract numerous antique collectors. A lot of famous Chinese artists including Chen Yifei, Er Dongqiang, Wang Jiajun and Li Shoubai open their art galleries in Tianzifang.



Address: 210 Alley, Taikang Road, Luwan District, Shanghai(上海市卢湾区泰康路210弄)

Opening hours: 24 hours

Ticket: Free

How to get there: Bus 24, 96 on Jianguo West Road(建国西路), Bus 17,41,146 and 786 on Shaanxi South Road(陕西南路), Bus 36, 786, 869, 986, 932, 933 on Chongqing South Road(重庆南路) are convenient to Tianzifang. Take Metro Line 9 and get off at Dapujiao station(打浦桥站).



Zhujiajiao Ancient Town (朱家角古镇)

With a long history, Zhujiajiao Ancient Town is one of top 4 famous historical and cultural towns in Shanghai. Travelers can see a lot of well preserved ancient buildings of the Qing Dynasty in Zhujiajiao. Small bridges, water, old houses compose of a beautiful and cozy

picture of water town. You can take a small boat to enjoy a quiet journey in Zhujiajiao. It is a great place to take photos of Chinese water town.

Book a tour to wander in Zhujiajiao: [4 Day Shanghai Relaxing Tour](#)

Address: 36, Meizhou Road, Zhujiajiao Town, Qingpu District, Shanghai (上海市青浦区朱家角镇美周路36号)

Opening hours: 08:30-16:30

Ticket: 30 CNY

How to get there:

Take tourism bus at Shanghai Stadium-Gate 5 (上海体育场-五号门) or Huzhu Express (沪朱高速快线) at Renmin Square Pu'an Road Jinling Road station (人民广场普安路金陵路). Take Shangtai Line (上太线) at Caoxi North Road(漕溪北路) or Shangzhu Line (上朱线) at Shanghai South Railway Station (上海火车南站) to Qingpu Bus Station (青浦汽车站) and transfer to Zhujiajiao.



Shanghai City Planning Exhibition Center (上海城市规划展示馆)

City, culture, environment, development are themes of Shanghai City Planning Exhibition Center. Occupying an area of 4,000 square meters, it is a good place to know the past, present and future of Shanghai. F1 knowledge exhibition, Dali painting exhibition and solo Picasso exhibition are the highlights in Shanghai City Planning Exhibition Center.

Address: 100 Renmin Avenue, Huangpu District, Shanghai (上海黄浦区人民大道100号)

Opening hours: 9: 00-17: 00(From Monday to Thursday); 9: 00-18: 00(Friday to Sunday)

Ticket: 30 CNY

How to get there: Travelers can take Subway Line 1 or 2 and get off at People's Square(人民广场站). Bus 18, 20, 46, 49, 71, 123, 537 are also available to the exhibition hall.

Telephone: 021-63184477

Office website in English: <http://www.supec.org/index.html>





Shanghai Museum(上海博物馆)

Shanghai Museum is a large museum featured in ancient Chinese art. It is situated on the south side of the People's Square in Huangpu District of central Shanghai. It is one of the largest and best museums in China. Amongst all the collections, the highlights of the museum include bronze wares, ceramics porcelain, jade articles, seals, furniture, calligraphy works and paintings.

Location: No. 201 Renmin Avenue, Huangpu District (黄浦区人民大道201号)

How to Get There: Take Bus No. 454, 112, 123, 71, 934, 145 or 46. Or take Subway Line 1, 2 or 8 and get off at People's Square Station(人民广场站).

Ticket Price: Free

Opening Time: 9:00—17:00 (No admission after 16:00) except Monday

Tel: 021-63723500

Official Website:

<http://www.shanghaimuseum.net/en/index.jsp>



Jade Buddha Temple (玉佛寺)

Jade Buddha Temple is one of the **most famous Buddha religious temples**. It attracts many visitors locally and overseas to Shanghai every year, especially during the Chinese New Year. There are a lot of **religious events** hosted by the temple. The temple can pursue silent from sound, and is described as a clean land in the busy city. The main and popular structures of the temple are the great Devajara Hall, Mahavira Hall, and the Jade Buddha Tower.

Address: 170 Anyuan Road, Putuo District, Shanghai(上海市普陀区安远路170号)

Ticket: 20 CNY

Opening hours: 08:00-16: 30

How to get there: Bus 13, 19, 24, 36, 54, 63, 68, 76, 105, 106, 112, 113, 138, 206, 223, 506, 516, 550, 563, 738, 768, 830, 837, 866, and 922 can reach Jade Buddha Temple.





Madame Tussauds Shanghai (上海杜莎夫人蜡像馆)

Madame Tussauds Shanghai is the sixth Madame Tussauds Wax Museum in the world. It has more than 80 wax figures including popular musicians, Hollywood stars, film stars, world heroes and sport stars such as Michael Jackson, Nicole Kidman, Andy Lau, Albert Einstein and David Beckham. You can take photos with the figures and take part in interactive activities including joining a meeting with Bill Gate.

Address: Floor 10, New World Building, Nanjing Road (west), Shanghai

Opening hours: 10:00-22:00 The tickets are stopped selling at 21:00.

Ticket: 135 CNY

How to get there:

Bus Route: Bus 18, 20, 37, 46, 167, 518, 537, 930 and 952

Metro Route: Subway Line 1, 2 and 8 to the People's Square Station

Telephone: 021-63597166



China Art Palace (中华艺术宫)

China Art Palace is China Pavilion at the 2010 Shanghai Expo. At present, it is kept for travelers to see fine Chinese arts. There are some famous exhibitions held in China Art Palace which is free to the public. If travelers are interested in Chinese arts such as Chinese paintings, China Art Palace is a good place to visit in Shanghai.

Address: located near Guozhan Road and Yuntai Road within Zone A of the Expo Site, in Putong New Area.

Opening hours: 19:00-17:00 except Monday

Ticket: 20 CNY

How to get there:

Subway: Take Subway Line 8 and get off at China Art Palace(中华艺术宫).

Bus: Take Bus 82,164,454,576,734,786,818,974,978,981 or Tunnel Line 1 and get off Pudong South Road Shangnan Road station(上南路浦东南路站).

Telephone: 400-921-9021

M50 Art District (M50创意园)

50 Moganshan Road, also known as M50, is a right place to explore the fine Chinese contemporary art in Shanghai. Art Galleries get together at 50 Moganshan Road near the Suzhou Creek. Now, it is the hottest art center in Shanghai, such as the 798 Art Community in Beijing.

Location: 50 Moganshan Road, Putuo District, Shanghai. (上海市普陀区莫干山路50号)

How to Get There:

Take Bus 63,106,768 or 801 to Tianmu West Road Hengfeng Road station(天目西路恒丰路站)

Ticket Price: Free.

Opening Time: 9: 30-18: 30



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Qibao Ancient Town(七宝古镇)

Qibao Ancient Town is another great option to see water towns after Zhouzhuang, Xitang and Zhujiajiao Ancient Towns. Less touched by travelers, its great location and low expense make it become a popular destination on weekends. You can see beautiful water town scenery with ancient houses. Puppet show acted by local artists on the streets is the highlight of Qibao Ancient Town.

Address: Qibao Town, Minhang District, Shanghai(上海市闵行区七宝镇)

Opening hours: 24 hours Ticket: Free

How to get there:

Take Subway Line 9 to Qibao Station(七宝站)and leave from Exit 2.

Take Bus 87,91,92,513,735,748,803 or Shangshe Line(上余线), Nanjia Line(南嘉线), Husong Line(沪松线),Huchen Line(沪陈线) and get off at Qibao Station(七宝站).



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Shanghai's Neighbors

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 **Hangzhou (杭州)**

A famous Chinese saying goes “above there is heaven, on earth there is Hangzhou”. Renowned as a popular tourist destination in china, Hangzhou is a bustling resort with many historical heritage sites as well as impressive natural beauty. The West Lake, with its extraordinary scenery and temples of historical, cultural and aesthetic value justify the city’s legendary status as “paradise on the earth”. Other sights here are Lingyin Temple, Six Harmonies Pagoda and the Peak Flew from afar.

See Hangzhou’s highlights from Shanghai: [2 Day Hangzhou Bullet Train Tour from Shanghai](#)



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Suzhou (苏州)

Suzhou is famous for its unique, elegant gardens, its network of rivers and canals, and its silk production. The city is very attractive, with a lot to offer visitors, including ancient, beautifully architected gardens, temples, stone bridges, silk factory, and traditional Chinese lifestyle and so on.

See Suzhou's traditional exquisite gardens: [2 Day Suzhou's Exquisite Gardens Tour](#)



Nanjing (南京)

Nanjing is an age-old city with both modern and ancient features. It served as the capital for six ancient dynasties, and harbors some glorious remnants of times gone by. History has left the place numerous historical sites and heritage relics which now constitute the main attractions. The mausoleum of Dr. Sun Yat-sen, Mingxiaoling Mausoleum, Qinhuai River, the memorial hall to the victims in the Nanjing massacre.



Yellow Mountain (黄山)

Located in the south of Anhui Province, with an area of about 1,200 square kilometers, known as "the loveliest mountain in China", famous for magnificent scenery whatever the season: granite peaks piercing the clouds, strangely shaped rocks and gnarled trees, hot springs, waterfalls, wonderful outlooks and over 1500 plant species. Many enticing walks of all grades all include some steps.





Wuzhen Ancient Town

Wuzhen Ancient Town, located in the north of Zhejiang province, is embraced by the Beijing Hangzhou Grand Canal with rivers and canals crisscrossing the whole town. For hundreds of years, its residents have been building houses along the rivers and trading near the bridges. The ancient docks, waterside pavilions, and corridors stretch out for miles and erect a romantic atmosphere that is typical to Jiangnan water towns. Wuzhen boasts its prosperous past and simple lifestyle.

Book a tour to Wuzhen Ancient Town: [5 Day Hangzhou and Wuzhen Tour from Shanghai](#)



Zhouzhuang Ancient Town

Zhouzhuang **Ancient Town**, lies at the middle between Shanghai and Suzhou, is an ancient town of Kunshan city, Jiangsu province, where abounds with rivers and lakes. So it is thought by many to be the best waterside town in China. This ancient town has a history of more than 900 years old with many houses built in the Ming and Qing dynasties. There are about 100 houses with courtyards, and 60 of them have arch gateways made by carved bricks.

Book a tour to Zhouzhuang Ancient Town: [3 Day Shanghai and Zhouzhuang](#)

A close-up photograph of a young man with dark hair, smiling broadly. He is wearing a brown denim jacket over a light-colored shirt. He is holding a glass of amber beer. The background is blurred, showing other people in a social setting, likely a bar or club. The lighting is warm and indoor.

Shanghai Night Life

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Huangpu River Night Cruise

Huangpu River cruises run from 10:00 to 21:00 and night cruise after 18:00 become a popular night activity in Shanghai. Shanghai's night scenery is as beautiful as Hong Kong's Victoria Harbor. The spectacular scenery starts from the Bund, passes the Oriental Pearl TV Tower, Binjiang Avenue, Yangpu Bridge and returns back to the Bund. It is a 40-minute to 1-hour journey. Cruise ships are operated by 3 cruise companies. The cruises to main sights are nearly the same.

Shanghai Service Travel Center :

- Office Add: NO 18, Lujiabing Road, Shanghai City (上海市陆家浜路18号)
- Ticket Office: NO 501, Dong Er Road of Zhongshan Road 中山东二路501号
- Dock Add: Area A, NO 501, Dong Er Road of Zhongshan Road 中山东二路501号A区
- Regular Night Cruise Ships operating time: 18:30, 18:45, 19:30, 20:30, 20:45





Shangcheng Acrobatic Show (商城杂技)

Shangcheng Acrobatic show consists of about nine different 10-minute performances, ranging from classic acrobatics to contortionist and comic sketches. The show lasts 1 1/2 hours. The show is on the 4th floor of the theater and ticket can be purchased at the entrance of the theater.

Add: Shangcheng Theater, No.1376 Nanjing West Road, Jing'an District 静安区南京西路1376号商城剧院

Price: 200 Yuan-280 Yuan/person

Getting There: Take Subway Line 2 and get off at Nanjing West Road Station(南京西路站).

Tel: 021-62797132



Era Intersection of Time (时空之旅)

The show combines 8 performances by acrobatics, singing, dancing and some modern effects. They are Mirror Mirage, Magic Water, Floating Gondola, and Music of ERA, Jar Juggling, Wheel of Life, Forever and Space Motorcycles. Forever and Space Motorcycles

are highlights. The seats are "in the round" so cheaper tickets still provide a good view. Photography is prohibited.

It is staged at Shanghai Circus World and lasts about 1 1/2 hours. The show starts daily 19:30. There is no discount for children. Ticket office is at the entrance of Shanghai Circus World.

Address: NO 2266, Gonghexin Road, Zha Bei District(near Guangzhongxi Road) 闸北区共和新路2266号(近广中西路)

Price: \$21/person; \$36/person; \$53/person; \$70/person; \$104/person

Getting there: Take Subway Line 1 and get off at Shanghai Circus World Station (上海马戏城站)

Tel: 021-56656622



Shanghai Food & Restaurants

Shanghai cuisine, also known as Hu dishes, is sweeter than other cuisines in China. Due to local advantage geography, freshwater and shellfish are the main food in Shanghai. Shanghai food is a combination of traditional Shanghai local food and western food. It also interactively influences the food in the Yangtze River Delta such as Suzhou and Hangzhou.

Steamed Crab (Da Zha Xie), Raw fried Buns (Sheng Jian Bao), Crab Meat Pork Meatballs (Xiefen Shizitou) are popular food in Shanghai. There are a lot of tasty food streets in Shanghai including the food street near City God Temple, Yunnan South Food Road, the Yellow River Food Street, Zhapu Food Street, Qibao Old Street and Shouning Shrimp Street.

Shanghai Popular Restaurants

Shanghai Old Restaurant (上海老饭店)

Famous dishes: Sauteed Shrimps, Duck with Eight Delicacies and Braised Eels with Soy Sauce

Address: 242 Fuyou Road, Huangpu District

Work hours: 11:00 to 14:00 and 17:00 to 22:00

Transport: You can take Bus 11, 66, 24, 26, 64, 65, 736, 783, 801, 911, 920, 929, 932, 969 and 980 to reach the restaurant.

Old Zhengxing Restaurant (老正兴菜馆)

Famous dishes: Shrimp Eggs and Sea Slugs, Chilly Sauce with Eight Delicacies

Address: No. 556 on Fuzhou Road (Near Zhejiang Middle Road)

Work hour: 11:00 to 14:00 and 17:00 to 21:00

Transport: You can take Subway Line 1, 2 and 8 and get off at People's Square.

Meilong Town Restaurant (梅陇城酒家)

Famous dishes: Stir Fried Shelled Shrimps, Crab Meat Pork Meatballs and Sauteed Shrimps

Address: 22 in 108l Alley, Nanjing West Road(near Jiangning Road)

Transport: You can take Subway Line 2 to get the restaurant.

Savish Restaurant (申汇轩)

The Shanghai Savish Restaurant is a lovely glass-enveloped restaurant on the side of Hongqiao Central Park (near Yan'an Xilu). The lead cuisine is Cantonese while some fine examples of Shanghai, Sichuan and Korean cuisine are also on offer. The Jiangnan Tofu lines up tofu slices, minced potato with mustard, salted egg yolk, chili and preserved egg on a plate.

Address: 111 Yili Road, Changning District(长宁区伊犁路111号)

Telephone: 4007339993

Transport: Take Subway Line 8 and get off at Laoximen station(老西门).Or take Subway Line 10 and get off at Yili Road station(伊犁路站).

Yue Zhen Xuan (粤珍轩)

One of Shanghai's chicest Cantonese restaurants, Yue Zhen Xuan offers 360-degree views of the city. With gorgeous Guangdong dishes prepared by master chefs, it is an experience par excellence, in a contemporary setting.

Opening hours: Lunch: 11:30am to 2:30 pm, Dinner: 5:30 pm to 10:30 pm

Address: Floor 2-3, 2000 Pudong Avenue, Pudong New District(浦东新区浦东大道2000号2-3楼)

Telephone: 021-68551717

Transport: Take Subway Line 2 and get off at Lujiazui station(陆家嘴站).

Ba Guo Bu Yi (巴国布衣)

Ba Guo Bu Yi in Shanghai is famous for its **authentic Sichuan cuisine**. This Sichuan restaurant is decorated in a traditional Chinese style. There is a short performance of face-changing acts (bian nian) and dances at 19:00 every day.

Address: 1018 Dingxi Road, Changning District(长宁区定西路1018号)

Telephone: 4007339993

Work hour: 11:00-14:00 and 17:00-22:00

How to get there: Bus 100, 102, 103, 104, 106, 108

Dexinguan Restaurant (德兴馆)

Dexinguan Restaurant was founded in 1883 making it one of the oldest existing restaurants in Shanghai. Its traditional Shanghai dishes such as fish fins, fresh pork and salted pork cooked with bamboo shoots, and fish lips with shrimps. Dexinguan Restaurant's most famous dish is the black ginseng braised shrimp, regarded as the best ginseng recipe in the world.

Address: No. 29, Dongmen road

Bus Route: Bus 55, 65, 22, 64, 126

Opening Time: All day

Tel: 021-63743772

Xiaoshaoxing Restaurant (小绍兴)

Xiaoshaoxing Restaurant has more than 50 years of history and continues to serve quality meals with the best raw ingredients including specially-fed yellow-feathered chickens from Nanhui County. Be sure to try delicious chicken porridge which is simmered with superior rice and made with original house made chicken broth.

Address: No. 118, Yunan road

Bus Route: Bus No. 18, 42 17, 23

Tel: 021-63732890

Opening Time: 6:30-2:30

Price: RMB 25 yuan for one Jin of Xiaoshaoxing tender boiled chicken (1 Jin equals to 0.5 Kilogram).

Zhangshengji Restaurant (张生记酒家)

From day 1, Zhangshengji Restaurant's business has flourished due to its **high quality and standards**. It is not unusual to have to make reservations one week in advance or more. This property's specialty is Suzhou and Hangzhou cuisine, especially what is known as "dried bamboo shoots and old duck." As well, the restaurant has a beautiful and comfortable dining atmosphere, completing your traditional dining experience.

Address: No. 77, Shuanglin Road; or No. 158, Shaoxing Road, 4/F, Peace International Convention & Exhibition Center

Hours: 11 am – 2 pm, 5 pm – 9 pm

Telephone: 021-86026666, 021-86027777, 021-85817776



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Shanghai Muslim Restaurants



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Uyghur Restaurant (新疆风味饭馆维吾尔餐厅)

Address: No.280, Yishan Road, Xuhui District (徐汇区宜山路280号)

Business Hours: 10:00 a.m.–02:00 a.m.

Tel: 021- 64689198

Average Consumption: 70 yuan per person

Yeli Xiali Restaurant (耶里夏丽西域风情餐厅)

Address: Jinzhong Mansion, No.680, Zhaojiabang Road, Xuhui District (徐汇区肇嘉浜路680号金钟大厦2号楼)

Business Hours: 10:00–22:30

Tel: 021-64668388

Average Consumption: 80 yuan per person

Yuanzheng Restaurant (新疆伊宁远征餐厅)

Address: No.20, Yuyuan Road, Jing'an District (静安区愚园支路20号(乌鲁木齐北路口))

Business Hours: 10:00–22:00

Tel: 13611603279

Average Consumption: 50 yuan per person

Sand Storm Restaurant (沙尘暴西域餐厅)

Address: No.1096, Pudong Avenue, Pudong New District (浦东新区浦东大道1096号)

Average Consumption: 70 yuan per person

Business Hours: 10:30–22:30

Tel: 021-5860 7709

Xiaotaoyuan Muslim Restaurant (小桃园清真)

Address: No. 115, Penglai Road, South Henan Road, Huangpu District, Shanghai (上海黄浦区河南南路蓬莱路115号)

Tel: 021-63667690

Yeli Xiali Restaurant (耶里夏丽)

Address: No. 147, Fenglin Road, Xuhui District, Shanghai (上海徐汇区枫林路147号)

Tel: 021-64038882

Address: NO. 411, East Tianlin Road, Xuhui District, Shanghai (上海徐汇区田林东路411号)

Tel: 021-64519797

Zhenkangsheng Muslim Restaurant (真康生清真馆)

Address: No. 622, Laoshan Road, Pudong New Area, Shanghai (上海浦东新区崂山路622号)

Xinjiang Uygur Restaurant (新疆风味饭馆维吾尔餐厅)

Address: No. 280, Yishan Road, Xuhui District, Shanghai (上海徐汇区宜山路280号)

Tel: 021-64689198

Muslim Restaurant (穆斯林饮食店)

Address: No. 70, Zhejiang Middle Road, Huangpu District, Shanghai (上海黄浦区浙江中路70号甲)

Tel: 021-63229037



Shanghai Local Food Streets

Street food is very popular with locals, especially the young people. Good food is very easy to sell. Most night markets starts at about 8:00 pm and close at almost 1:00 am.

Changli Road 昌里路

There are many different goods sold on this street but the street food is most famous. The most popular food is Zhou Bin Chou Tofu (Smelly Tofu). 2 hours is enough time to explore the market.

Add: Changli Road, Pudong District 浦东新区昌里路

Getting There: Take Subway Line 13 and get off at Changqing Road Station (长清路)

Tongbei Road 通北路

The main offering is seafood. It starts at 5:00 pm and close at 3:00 am. The most famous restaurant is Lao Si Shao Kao Restaurant(老四烧烤馆). 2 1/2 hours is recommended for the visit.

Add: Tongbei Road of Pingliang Road, Yangpu District 杨浦区平凉路通北路

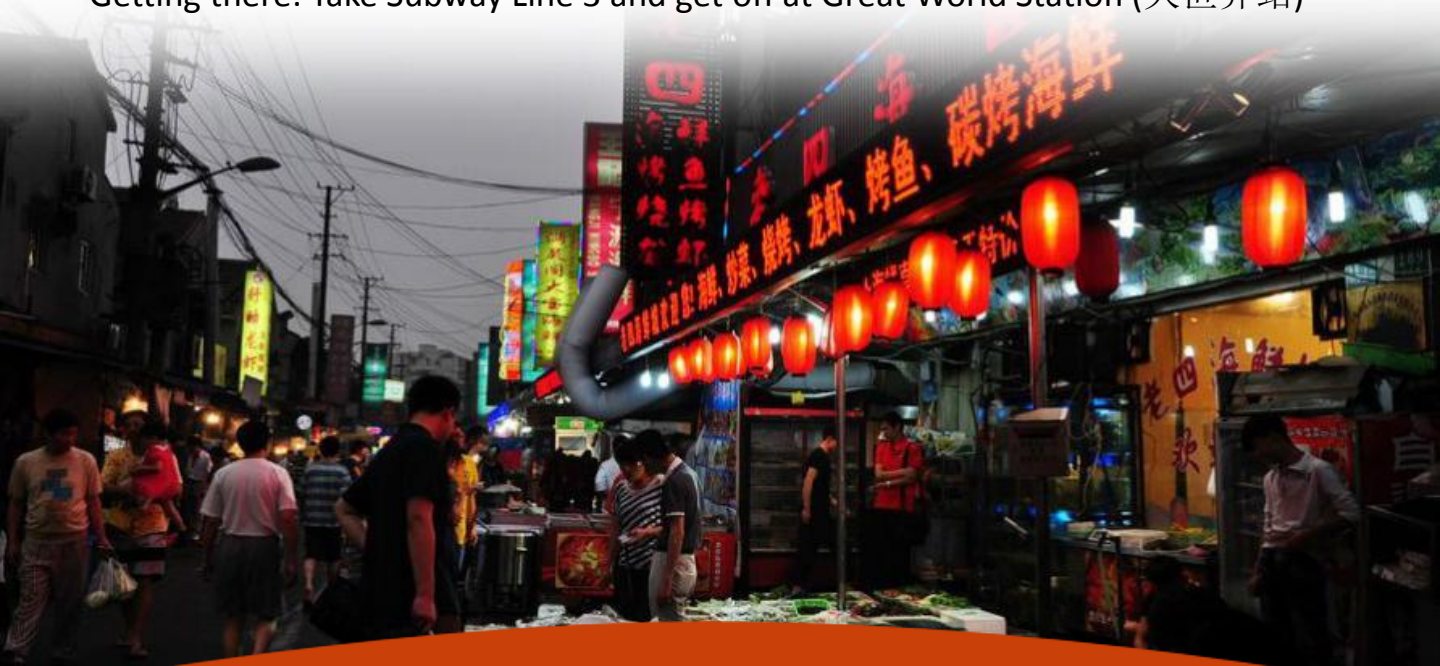
Getting there: Take Subway Line 4 and get off at Dalian Road Station (大连路站)

Shouning Road 寿宁路

Barbecue is a major highlight of Shouning Road and especially crayfish. Er Zi Barbecue Restaurant (二子烧烤店) is very popular. It provides take-away service so that visitors could enjoy crayfishes in other restaurants and taste barbecues from Er Zi Shan Kao Restaurant also.

Add: Shouning Road, Huangpu District 黄浦区寿宁路

Getting there: Take Subway Line 3 and get off at Great World Station (大世界站)



A photograph of a DJ performing at a club. The DJ is wearing a red shirt and is positioned behind a DJ booth with various equipment. The scene is illuminated with vibrant, colorful lights in shades of green, blue, and red, creating a dynamic and energetic atmosphere. The background is dark, with some blurred lights and structures visible.

Shanghai Clubs & Bars

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Cloud 9

Perched on the 87th floor of the Grand Hyatt Hotel in Jinmao Tower, Cloud 9 (九重天酒廊) was the highest bar in the world when it was built, when it was recorded in the Guinness Book of World Records. What makes Cloud 9 Composition special is that it abandons the traditional way with a **brand-new style of mixing drinks**. Customers now need to pay the CNY 100 entrance fee with their first drink.

Address: Grand Hyatt Hotel Shanghai, Jinmao Tower, 88 Century Boulevard Shanghai

Tel: 021-50471234

Opening hours: 5pm–1am Monday–Thursday, 5pm–2pm Friday, 2pm–2am Saturday, and 2pm–1am Sunday

Average price/person: \$20–\$35

Getting there: Take Subway Line 2 and use Exit 6 at Lujiazui (陆家嘴站).

California Club

California Club is a part of Muse at Park 97, which is a famous and popular restaurant in Fuxing Park. The designer is a Malaysian and the decoration company is from Hong Kong, giving the club a **unique passion from South East Asia**.

The club is the one and only spot offering **California Margarita** in the city and most customers are foreigners. It becomes very hilarious during weekends. The spot gets crowded around 11:00 at night and most are foreigners and Chinese people from Hong Kong and Taiwan. The DJ is Daiya Kobayashi and hip-hop is very popular at the moment.

Address: 2A Gaolan Road, Fuxing Park

Tel: 021-63180785

Opening Hours: 6pm–4:30am Sunday–Thursday, 6pm–6am Friday and Saturday

Average price/person: \$15–\$30

Getting there: Take bus 41, 128, or 920.

George V

Classical English nostalgic decoration style, delicious raw ham, and a great jazz bank, half-price drinks 7:30–8:30pm, and the charming sound of blues singers speak for themselves at George V. Every Wednesday, Thursday, and Saturday is **jazz band** time, while the other days the stage is set for an American singer called Shawn Boy Blues. The most exciting moment in the pub comes when customers ad-lib on stage. The other highlight is that all Chinese names of cocktails there are taken from **famous film stars and classical movies**, such as Roman Holiday (罗马假日). Even the menu is not cheap, using a whole imported cow skin from Italy.

Address: 1 Urumqi Road, Shanghai

Tel: 021-64667878

Opening hours: 9pm–2am

Average price/person: \$16

Getting there: Take bus 40 or 321 (night line) and get off at the Yan'an West Road junction of Urumqi North Road; or take bus 57 and get off at the Yan'an West Road junction of Nanjing West Road.

Judy's Too (Maoming Road)

Judy's Too is a major gathering place for Germans in Shanghai. It was once a very famous basement disco when it opened in 1998. It is **one of the oldest pubs** operated by foreign people in the city. The band was a black band named Wala Wala. Often they played dance music and soft music whilst sometimes they added some crazy feeling.

Now the pub is in Maoming South Road. The interior design style is the perfect **mix of Old Chinese style and Western style**. Red is the main color. Every Thursday night there is a special performance when lots of foreigners take part.

Add: 176 (near Yongjia Road), Maoming South Road, Luwan District, Shanghai

Tel: 021-64731417

Opening hours: 6p.m.- 2 a.m. mon-wed, as well as sunday; 6p.m.- 4 a.m. thu-sat

Average price/person: \$16–\$20

Getting there: Take bus 24, 41, 104, 146, 301 (night line), 304 (night line), 786, or 864 and get off at Yongjia Road of Shaanxi South Road.

The Rabbit Hole

Partner of Rabbit Holes- Blake Showalter is the veteran of nightlife bar industry. He opened a number of bars in Japan; and celebrating his bar Club Pure which has opened six anniversary in Osaka.

The Alice is the theme of the bar which is decorated as break roaming **Alice Wonderland** illustrations of photo frame. The Rabbit Hole standard cocktails is ¥50 Yuan, and the City and Long Island Iced Tea are a bit more expensive. There is also a fully equipped kitchen provide dinner, supply of appetizers and main dish at 6 pm till 11pm, and the pizza supply till 1 o'clock in the morning.

Add: No 408 north of Shaanxi Road, Shanghai

地址：上海市陕西北路408号

Tel: 021 3230 2778

Opening hours: Tue-Thurs, 18:00-01:00; Fri-Sat, 18:00-late; Sun, 18:00-01:00

People 7

Located in Julu Road, People 7 is next to Shanghai Shintori Restaurant, with an open design of **minimalist and cemented**. It always needs a specific password to open the door which has been told once you made a booking. Enter the password to open the door at left, otherwise only the right of the door will open, which is a mirror. People 7 are often fully booked. People must be book in advances before you come.

Add: No 805 Julu Road, Shanghai

地址：上海市巨鹿路805号

Tel: 021 5404 0707

Opening hours: Daily, 11:30-02:00, 18:00-24:00

The Alchemist

The brand new old style house buildings, villas, and Commercial Street can complement each other in this street. Cocktails and tapas here almost turned everyone initial impression on to this two things. The ultimate creative is the great challenge to the taste buds. This is a very special Rum bar, if you like to drink Rum, here is the perfect place you must be come because Rum is their characteristics better not to miss.

Add: Sinan Mansions, Block 32, 45 Sinan Road, Shanghai

地址：上海市思南路45号32号楼

Tel: 021 6426 0660

Opening hours: Daily, 18:00-02:00

Salon de Ning

Salon de Ning Bar is associated with a Shanghai woman. She was the host of Shanghai International in the 1920s and got the name of Shanghai social heiress, and Salon de Ning restored the **Artiest Deco** in her period: from traditional luxury global travel, to her crazy and weird collected of souvenirs and great exotic works of art. The live in luxury salon, Oriental Paris, relying on white bridge and the Peninsula Hotel, Shanghai stories of the 1920s all reflects here.

Add: The Peninsula, B/F, 32 Zhongshan Dong Yi Road, Shanghai

地址：上海市中山东一路32号B楼

Tel: 021 2327 6731

Opening hours: Tue-Sat, 20:00-01:00



Shanghai Hotels

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Kingtown Hotel Plaza Shanghai (4-star)

One of the foreign owned business star hotels in Shanghai, Kingtown Hotel Plaza is located in the People's square near the bank of the River Suzhou. It has luxurious and comfortable rooms and offers tasty Chinese and West food with many choices.

Name in Chinese: 上海广场嘉廷酒店

Address: 126 Xinzha Road, Huangpu District, Shanghai(上海黄浦区新闻路126号)

Tel: 021-61371111

The Bund Hotel Shanghai (4-star)

The Bund Hotel Shanghai is a business hotel, built according to 4-star international standard. It is located in the heart of downtown of Shanghai, with 5 minutes walking distance to the famous "Bund" and "Pedestrian Street" of Nanjing Road, and 5 minutes driving distance to the Pudong District, you can easy arrive at Liujiazui Business Center and the beautiful Oriental Pearl Tower.

Name in Chinese: 上海金外滩宾馆

Address: 525 Guangdong Road, Huangpu District, Shanghai (上海黄浦区广东路525号)

Tel: 021-63522000

Renaissance Shanghai Yu Garden Hotel

Located downtown near the famous Yu Garden and Old Town, the new Renaissance Shanghai Yu Garden Hotel is just minutes away from the Bund, Xintiandi and other tourist attractions. Whether staying for business or leisure, you'll be right at home at the Renaissance Shanghai Yuyuan Hotel.

Name in Chinese: 上海豫园万丽酒店

Address: 159 Henan South Road, Huangpu District, Shanghai (上海黄浦区河南南路159号)

Tel: 021-23218888

Astor House Hotel Shanghai (3-star)

The Astor House Hotel has a long history and it is located in the north side of Garden Bridge, very closed to the Bund and Nanjing Road. It is 4km away from the Railway Station, 5km away from the City Center, 18km away from the Hongqiao Airport and 45km away from the Pudong Airport.

Name in Chinese: 上海浦江饭店

Address: No.15 Huangpu Road, Hongkou District, Shanghai (上海虹口区黄浦路15号)

Tel: 021-63246388

Official Website: <http://www.pujianghotel.com/>

Ramada Pudong Airport Hotel (4-star)

The Ramada Pudong Airport Hotel is located next to Pudong International Airport and is the only 4-star international hotel there. It takes 7 minutes from the Pudong International Airport to Pudong New Shanghai Expo Center by the magnetic train.

Name in Chinese: 浦东机场华美达

Address: 1100 Qihang Road, Pudong Airport, Pudong New District, Shanghai (上海浦东新区浦东机场启航路1100号)

Tel: 021-38494949

The Westin Hotel Shanghai (5-star)

An iconic hotel in Shanghai, the Westin Bund Center is located in the center of the downtown close to the famous Bund waterfront. The 570 roomed hotel provides excellent access to top restaurants, shopping malls, business centers, and tourist attractions. Rows of architecture going back to 1937 and located in close proximity to the hotel are one of the major tourist attractions in the area.

Name in Chinese: 上海威斯汀大饭店

Address: 88 Henan Middle Road, Huangpu District, Shanghai上海黄浦区河南中路88号

Tel: 021-63351888

Pudong Shangri-la Shanghai (5-star)

The award-winning Pudong Shangri-la Shanghai is located in the Lujiazui Finance and Trade Zone of Shanghai, prominently sited along the famous Huangpu River, the Hotel has breathtaking views of Shanghai's legendary riverfront - the Bund and the Orient Pearl TV Tower.

Name in Chinese: 上海浦东香格里拉大酒店

Address: 33 Fucheng Road, Pudong New District, Shanghai(上海市浦东新区富城路33号)

Tel: 021-68828888

Grand Hyatt Shanghai (5-star)

The Grand Hyatt Shanghai opened in 1999 is the 'highest hotel in the world' (located on the 53rd to 87th floors of the Jin Mao Tower), in the heart of Pudong, Shanghai's financial and business district, and with easy access to the Shanghai Stock Exchange, Shanghai World Financial Centre and the International Conference Centre.

Name in Chinese: 金茂君悦大酒店

Address: 88 Shiji Dadao, Pudong New District, Shanghai(上海市浦东新区世纪大道88号)

Tel: 021-50491234

Official Website: http://shanghai.grand.hyatt.com/photo_c.html

The Hyatt on the Bund

Located in Puxi's historical Bund, the Hyatt on the Bund has unparalleled views of the Bund, the Huangpu River and Pudong. The Hyatt on the Bund is known for its fashionable international spirit, great city views and contemporary interior spaces.

Name in Chinese: 外滩茂悦大酒店

Address: 199 Huangpu Road, Hongkou District, Shanghai(上海市虹口区黄浦路199号)

Tel: 4007339993

Les Suites Orient Bund Shanghai

The Les Suites Orient Bund Shanghai is located at the City Center of Shanghai, adjacent to the Bund and Lujiazui Finance and Trade Zone. Other scenic spots such as the Yuyuan Garden and Renmin Square are within reach. It is 8km away from the Shanghai Railway Station, 20km away from the Hongqiao Airport and 45km away from the Pudong Airport.

Name in Chinese: 上海东方商旅酒店

Address: No.1 Jinling East Road, Huangpu District, Shanghai(上海市黄浦区金陵东路1号)

Tel: 021-63200088

The Fairmont Peace Hotel

The Fairmont Peace Hotel, overlooking Shanghai's Huangpu River, boasts a history that overshadows that of any other hotel in the Far East. In the 1930s—the grand hotel's golden decade—diplomats and celebrities from across the globe made its luxurious suites their home, and turned its lore into legend. The Fairmont Peace Hotel is located near the Bund, it is 3km away from the city center, 4km away from the Shanghai Railway Station, 16km to the Hongqiao Airport and 45km to the Pudong Airport.

Name in Chinese: 上海和平饭店

Address: 20 Nanjing East Road, Huangpu District, Shanghai(上海黄浦区南京东路20号)

Tel: 021-63216888

New World Mayfair Hotel

Opened in 2000, New World Mayfair Hotel Shanghai is one of the largest hotel in Shanghai, comprising 605 "Five-Star" rooms and 255 "Four-Star" rooms. Ideally suited to both the business and leisure traveler visiting Shanghai, the hotel is conveniently located in the Chang Ning district. Adjacent to the Xinning Shopping Center, the New World Mayfair Hotel Shanghai is situated within easy access of the Yan An Expressway, five kilometers from Shanghai

Name in Chinese: 上海巴黎春天大酒店

Address: 1555 Dingxi Road, Changning District, Shanghai(上海市长宁区定西路1555号)

Tel: 4007339993

Radisson Hotel New World (5-star)

The Radisson Shanghai New World is located in downtown of Shanghai. With its unique 208 meters high tower that features a revolving restaurant and sky bar, the hotel is an icon in the Shanghai skyline. It is 1km away from the Bund, 5km away from the Railway Station and 14 km away from the Hongqiao Airport.

Name in Chinese: 上海新世界丽笙大酒店

Address: 88 Nanjing West Road, Huangpu District, Shanghai (上海黄浦区南京西路88号)

Tel: 021-63599999

Peninsula Hotel Shanghai

The Peninsula Hotel Shanghai fronts the historic Bund with spectacular views of the Bund, Huangpu River, Pudong and the gardens of the former British Consulate. The hotel blends with the historic architecture of its landmark neighboring along the Bund.

Name in Chinese: 上海半岛酒店

Address: 32 Zhongshan Dongyi Road, Huangpu District, Shanghai(上海市黄浦区中山东一路32号)

Tel: 021-23272888

Shanghai is a great metropolis to do some shopping. Nanjing Road Pedestrian Street, Xujiahui, People's Square, Zhengda Square, Zhongshan Park, Wujiaochang, Pudong New Shanghai Shopping Center are the most active shopping areas in Shanghai. You can buy not only some international well-known brands, but also some cheap local souvenirs.

Shanghai Shopping

Huaihai Road (怀海路)

Huaihai Road features a combination of traditional element and modern element. Huaihai Road holds a cluster of department stores and specialty stores, including Shanghai Square, the Pacific Department Store, Hong Kong Square, Lane Crawford, Baisheng Shopping Center, Meimei Department Store and Paris Spring.

Address: Huaihai Road, Huangpu District, Shanghai

Transport: bus 42, 49, 167, 320, 911, 920, 926, 15, 26, 45, 315 and 104

Opening hours: all day long

Jiali Sleepless City

As a newly-emerging commercial center of Shanghai, Jiali Sleepless City mainly includes the Sleepless Mansion, Mingping Mansion, Huanlong Department Store, the Pacific Department Square and Zhabei Square, where the commodities are much cheaper than those of Nanjing Road Walking Street. The recreational facilities are well-equipped in Jiali Sleepless City as well, making it an ideal place for both shopping and recreation in Shanghai.

Address: No. 218, Tianmu West Road, Zhabei District, Shanghai

Transport: subway line 1, 3 and 4; bus 510, 502, 723, 104, 109, 113, 234, 301, 302, 308, 315, 322, 324, 29, 802, 837, 844, 927, 930 and 941

Opening hours: all day long

Xujiahui Commercial Circle

Shanghai Xujiahui Commercial Circle is a comprehensive commercial area with shopping, entertainments, offices, recreations, hotels, restaurants. Xujiahui Commercial Circle highlights the Oriental Mansion, Ganghui Mansion, the Pacific Department Store and Huijin Square.

Address: Xujiahui, Xuhui District, Shanghai

Transport: bus 42, 43, 44, 50, 93, 167, 171, 198, 205, 303, 548, 712, 732, 824, 836, 855, 926, 946 and 957

Pudong New Shanghai Commercial City

Pudong New Shanghai Commercial City boasts the largest retail store in Asia. Travelers are highly recommended to purchase some electronic products in the Pacific Digital Square owing to its lower prices, and it's also a good ideal to visit the Bund and the Oriental Pearl Tower by the way.

Address: No. 501, Zhangyang Road, Pudong New District, Shanghai

Transport: bus 01, 82, 86, 119, 130, 214, 522, 570, 574, 581, 583, 584, 606, 617, 621, 625, 630, 773, 783, 787, 789, 791, 792, 795, 818, 872, 938, 980, 981 and 983

Opening hours: 10:00 a.m. to 10:00 p.m.

Zhengda Square

As one of the largest shopping and entertaining centers of Shanghai, the 10-storied Zhengda Square neighbors the Oriental Pearl Tower and Jinmao Tower. Over 1,000 internationally renowned brands assemble in Zhengda Square, including Zara, h&m and Toys "R" Us, all of which makes it an ideal shopping place for fashionistas and white collars.

Address: No. 168, Lujiazui West Road, Pudong New District, Shanghai

Transport: bus 870, 583, 961, 82, 992, 85, 81, 993, 798, 799, 971, 774, 985 and 795

Opening hours: 10:00 a.m. to 10:00 p.m.

Sichuan North Road

The 3.7-kilometer (2.3 -mile) long Sichuan North Road is known as “the Common People’s Commercial Road”, where the stores feature high quality goods at lower prices. And the neighboring scenic spots are highlighted by Lu Xun Park, Toronto Culture Street and the Former Residence of Qu Qiubai.

Address: Sichuan North Road, Hongqiao District, Shanghai

Transport: bus 13, 14, 17, 19, 147, 167, 21, 25, 220, 305, 319, 47, 510, 573, 6, 63, 65, 848, 854, 97, 928, 939, 948 and 962

Opening hours: all day long

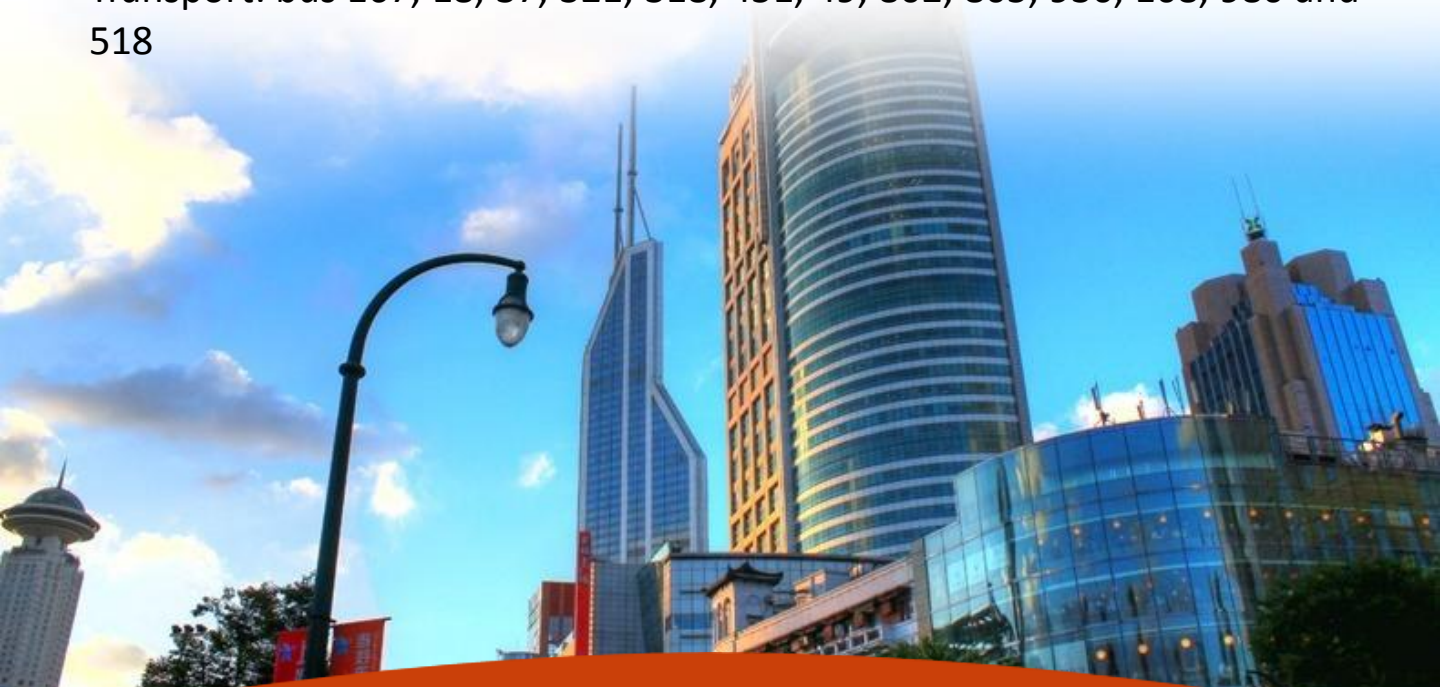
People’s Square

The People’s Square is the transport and commercial center of Shanghai with Xizang Central Road to the east, Huangpi North Road to the west, Yan’an East Road to the south and Shanghai Grand Theater to the north. After hanging around the People’s Square, you’re advised to visit Shanghai Urban Planning Exhibition Hall and the Bund to explore more about the history of Shanghai.

Location: No. 742, Guangdong Road, Huangpu District, Shanghai

Opening hours: all day long

Transport: bus 167, 18, 37, 321, 318, 451, 49, 802, 805, 930, 108, 980 and 518



Shanghai Transportation



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Shanghai has a well developed transport net including air, trains, ferries, coaches, buses, metro, Maglev trains and taxis. It's convenient to reach all the parts of Shanghai. Shanghai has two airports including [Pudong International Airport](#) and [Hongqiao Airport](#). Shanghai Railway Station, Shanghai South Railway Station and Shanghai Hongqiao Railway station have dozens of trains to other parts of China. Besides, the bus and metro transport net can conveniently take you to attractions in Shanghai.

Shanghai Air

There are two airports in Shanghai including Shanghai Pudong International Airport (airport code: PVG) and Shanghai Hongqiao International Airport (airport code: SHA). More than 90% international flights stop at Pudong International Airport and only a few international flights stop at Hongqiao International Airport. Domestic flights are available in both airports. [>> Find discount Shanghai Flights](#)

Shanghai Pudong International Airport

Travelers can take an airport shuttle bus to Terminal 2. Or to take Subway Line 2 to Longyang Road station(龙阳路站) and transfer to Maglev train(6:45-21:30). The maglev train is about 7 minutes journey with a ticket of 50 CNY per person and 10 CNY less with a flight ticket. To take a taxi to Pudong International Airport is about 45 minutes with a cost of 120 CNY. Coaches to Hangzhou, Nanjing, Suzhou, Wuxi are convenient in Pudong International Airport. Shanghai Hongqiao International Airport

It is only 13 kilometers away from Shanghai's downtown. To take a taxi is not too expensive. For example, it costs about 40 CNY from Renmin Square to the airport. Travelers can also take Subway Line 2 to Songhong Road station(淞虹路站) and then get a taxi with a basic cost. Coaches to Hangzhou, Nanjing, Suzhou, Wuxi are also convenient in Hongqiao International Airport.



Shanghai Trains

There are two railway stations in Shanghai consisting of Shanghai Railway Station(上海站) and Shanghai South Railway Station(上海南站). Shanghai Railway Station is the main railway station with most trains to major cities in China. Shanghai South Railway Station has trains to the south of China and short-term trains to Jiangsu and Zhejiang Provinces. Travelers can take Subway Line 1,3 Or 4 to Shanghai Railway Station and take Subway Line1 or 3 to Shanghai South Railway Station.

Shanghai Hongqiao Railway Station is a station for high-speed trains in Shanghai. Bullet trains in Shanghai can reach Hangzhou, Nanjing, Suzhou, Wuxi, Fuzhou, Wenzhou, Nanchang, Xiamen, Beijing and other cities in China. For example, the fastest bullet train from Hongqiao railway station to Hangzhou only takes 45 minutes. Subway Line 2 or 10 can reach Hongqiao Railway Station easily.



Coach

Shanghai Coach Terminal(上海长途汽车客运总站), Shanghai South Coach Station (上海长途客运南站) and Hehengfeng Road long-distance Bus Station(和恒丰路客运站) are Shanghai's main coach stations. Coaches to East China are easy to take in the 3 stations, especially to Hangzhou, Suzhou and Nanjing.

Shanghai South Coach Station

With coaches to most parts of mainland China, Shanghai South Coach Station (上海长途客运南站) is Shanghai's highway hub in Southwestern Shanghai. For example: Travelers can easily take a coach to Jiangsu, Zhejiang, Anhui, Shandong, Jiangxi, Fujian, Hunan, Hubei provinces. Travelers can book tickets 7 days in advance and buy a return ticket for a coach to Ningbo or Hangzhou.

Address: 666 Shilong Road(石龙路666号)

Opening hours: 06:00-23:00

Telephone: 021-54353535

How to get there:

Take Subway Line 1 or 3 and get off at Shanghai South Station. Bus 50, 111, 144, 157, 218, 704, 718, 857, 867, 957 or 973 are convenient to the coach station.



Shanghai Subway

The Shanghai Subway is the rapid transit system of China's biggest city. The Metro fuses the use of both light rail and subway lines. Get Around in Shanghai by Metro Shanghai has 12 subway lines that link the city, with stations mainly set near top destinations and hubs. Rush hour tends to be 7 am to 9:30 am, and 4:30 pm to 7:30 pm during which the trains get extremely crowded. The lines are 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, and 13. 7 more lines are under construction to provide even more coverage in the future.

The 11 lines of the Shanghai Metro are the following:

Line 1 – red: Fujin Road to Xinzhuang

Line 2 - light green: East Xujing to Pudong International Airport

Line 3 - yellow: North Jiangyang road to Shanghai South Railway Station

Line 4 – blue: Yishan Road and Yangshupu Road

Line 5- purple Xinzhuang to Minhang Development zone

Line 6 - pink, Gangcheng Road to Oriental Sports Center

Line 7 – orange: Meilan Lake to Huamu Road

Line 8 – sky blue: Shiguang Road to Aerospace Museum

Line 9 – powder blue: Songjiang Xincheng to Middle Yangao Road

Line 10 – light purple: Xinjiangwancheng to Honqiao Railway Station

Line 11 – maroon: North Jiading to Jiangsu Road



Taxi

There are over 50,000 taxis in Shanghai! The largest companies are Volks Wagen (cars with a lake blue color), Qiang Sheng (yellow), Johnson (white), Bus (green), and Hai Bo (blue). Taxis may be easily hailed from the street at any time. A lot of the taxi drivers cannot speak in English, which can be an issue for foreign tourists. During the daytime, the charge is 13 CNY for three kilometers or less. Then every kilometer within 6.2 miles is CNY2.4. Beyond 10 kilometers, each of the kilometer is then worth CNY3.6 on top of the base fare.

It's pricier to travel at night from 23:00 to 05:00 when the base fare is CNY17. Additional charge is 3.1 CNY for every extra kilometers with 10 kilometers and 4.1 CNY per kilometer after 10 kilometers. Travelers can bargain with taxi driver at night. Another 1 CNY is for fuel surcharge. Travelers need to pay 2.1 CNY at day time or 3.1 CNY at night for every 5 minutes of stop time. Travelers need to ask the taxi driver when you need a receipt.

Public Bus

Buses can be categorized by a number of ways. Some are daytime buses, others run only during rush hour and at nighttime. Almost all the buses today are air conditioned and cost 2 Yuan; some bus fares are based on distance traveled. Some buses have conductor service while others do not. Bus fares are cheap, around CNY1 or CNY2 only, depending on the route. Unless the buses have conductors, you need to give the exact fare as you cannot get any change.

Tips: It may be helpful to purchase a Shanghai Jiaotong Card (上海交通一卡通) which can be used to pay for a majority of trips on buses, the metro, and taxis. This can save payment time at the point of entry. You may purchase these cards at any metro station as well as in some convenience stores.

Ferry

Nanpu Bridge, Yangpu Bridge, Xupu Bridge, Lupu Bridge, and a number of tunnels across the Huangpu River offer direct links between Pudong New District and Puxi Area. Ferry boats thus provide convenient transport service across the Huangpu River.

Ferryboats are also available between the mainland and 3 nearby islands: Chongming (崇明), Changqing (长兴), and Hengsha (横沙)

Located in Baoshan District, Shanghai Wusong Terminal wharf (上海港吴淞客运中心码头) is the main waterway hub. It is divided into 3 parts consisting of Shanghai Coastal Pier(上海沿海客运码头) Shanghai Sandao Pier(上海三岛客运码头)、Sandaoche Pier(三岛车客渡码头). Shanghai Coastal Pier has ferries to Dinghai, Putuo Mountain, Nantong, Zhoushan, Daishan and cities along the Yangtze River. Bus 51, 522 and Baoyang Pier Special Line are available to the pier.

Shanghai Travel FAQs



Do I need visa for China?

All visitors traveling to mainland China, whether for business or pleasure, require a visa. Or travelers with third country visas and plane tickets to third countries can enjoy 72 hours visa-free stay in Shanghai, Beijing, Guangzhou, Chengdu, Chongqing and Shenyang. No Visa is required prior to enter Hong Kong, a Visa will be issued upon arrival. If you travel beyond Hong Kong, even for a few hours, you will need a China visa to enter China.

Is your company can apply for a visa?

Chinatravel.com is a tour organizer and provider that is authorized to provide Visa Invitation Letters. We provide this letter to our clients after they confirm a tour booking. Visas must be issued through Chinese embassies and consulates before entry to China. The tour companies cannot apply for visas on behalf of customers.

How to get an invitation letter from your company for my visa application?

In order to apply for a visa to our country, you may need an invitation letter from an official travel company. We will supply this letter to our clients after they confirm the tour booking by written form.

Are the major sites wheelchair friendly?

Most of the attractions in big cities, such as Beijing, Shanghai and Hong Kong are wheelchair friendly.

I can't walk quickly, can you guarantee that I will be looked after?

Our itinerary is tailor-made to fit your needs travel. Our travel advisor will make sure that they work out the perfect plan in consultation with you.

Is there a bullet train between Beijing & Shanghai?

Though every day there are several bullet trains between Beijing and Shanghai, and it takes about 10 hours for each train ride, so I'm afraid that it is impossible to go to Shanghai then return to Beijing within only 1 day. It is better to take flights.

What to Pack?

1. The passport with all necessary visas and travel documents. We recommend that a copy of all documents be kept separately to the original documents in case original document are lost.
2. Casual outdoor clothing depending on the time of year that you travel and your destination. A pair of good walking shoes is necessary. Most tours involve plenty of walking, sometimes on hard or uneven surfaces and stairs.
3. 'Carry On' luggage for air travel in China is limited to 2 pieces for first class travelers and one piece for business and economy class travelers. The dimensions of each shall not exceed 20X40 X55cm and the total weight of the above two pieces shall not exceed 5 kg.
4. Wallet
5. Credit cards
6. Traveler's checks
7. Airline, Cruise or Train tickets
8. First-aid kit
9. Medicine and vitamins
10. Hat, Sunscreen, lip creams and sunglasses, depending on the season and your destination.
11. Address and telephone number list. A list of e-mail addresses, mailing addresses and telephone numbers will help keep you in touch.
12. Itinerary with confirmation numbers and addresses and phone numbers of the places you'll be staying.
13. Insect repellent for summer months
14. No expensive jewelry and watches.
15. Medical records, daily necessities
16. If you are taking a more adventurous trip, it's a good idea to take your own silk sleeping bag liner and lightweight travel towel along with a reasonable supply of tissues, torch, and personal toiletries.
17. Chargers for your mobile phone, digital camera etc. An electrical transformer could be useful. China uses 220V electricity for 110v devices cannot be used on this system.

My children are traveling with us to China. What and how should I prepare when traveling with children?

Documents

Passports /ID cards

Visa: Children need their own visa on their passports

Insurance, doctors and emergency contact email address or telephone no.

Safety

International Vaccination Card – some countries have different requirements.

Children should have the copy of contact information for each city in case they become separated.

Sunscreen, UV protection, Umbrella, Insect repellent, Band-Aids, regular medicine for cough, headache, diarrhea and allergy. Any special prescription suggested by your doctor with clear instructions.

Instruct children to drink only bottled water in China.

A push car/stroller or a baby carrier may be an advantage.

Clothing

Comfortable clothing, Swimming suit and or warm clothing depending on the location and expected weather.

Baby oil, baby cream and lip balm, tooth brush or their own preferred soap, shampoo and toothpaste, Wet wipes.

A large range of baby item are commonly available at supermarkets including disposable diapers and famous brand of milk powder.

Is it possible to order train tickets in advance?

The selling date for the tickets is about 4-10 days before departure. The Railway station ticketing office does not accept advanced bookings before the selling date. However, we will record your ticket request and then try to purchase the tickets on the selling date. Due to the large demand, we cannot guarantee the tickets you require, but we'll do our most to satisfy your request. If tickets are unavailable then, we'll inform you immediately and the full payment is refundable.

Dealing with Emergencies



Losing Luggage at the airport

Look for the airline's baggage office or window to report as soon as possible. Give the window clerk your baggage stub and they will track your bag on the computer.

Fill in a claim form and leave your hotel address and phone number to contact later.

Keep a copy of the form.

Losing Passport

Be sure to check if your passport is definitely lost before you report it. Once it's reported lost, your original passport is cancelled and no longer valid, and you'll need a replacement. Please also note that offices handling such issues usually close on weekends and public holidays.

Ask your tour guide for assistance, and report the loss to the closest Public Security Bureau, who will issue a certificate of loss for you.

Go to the nearest embassy or consulate of your own country and apply for a replacement passport in person. You'll be required to complete a new passport application.

After the new passport is issued, go to the Public Security Bureau and apply for a new visa.

Losing Credit Card

Report the loss to your credit card issuer as soon as possible, and follow your bank's instructions.

Being Robbed or Stolen

If you lose something of value, report to the nearest police station or call 110(toll free) for police as soon as possible. Notify your tour guide or tour leader for assistance. If you are in a hotel, please inform the hotel staff and ask them to call the police.

Getting Lost

Please always take with your contact details such as your tour guide’s phone number and your travel advisor’s phone number. You can easily help you get your bearings by a phone call. When you leave the hotel, bring a hotel card to show a taxi driver when you need a ride.

Falling Sick

If you feel minor discomforts, you can try to relax, have a rest and drink some water. Eat more fruits and stay away from overly fatty foods. Take some medicine if you see necessary. If you suffer from a serious illness, please go to a hospital or call 120(toll free) for an ambulance. Remember to bring a copy of your medical records with you when you travel.

Emergency Phone Numbers in Shanghai/mainland China:

110-Police; 119-Fire; 120-Ambulance (110 is generally used)

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| | 119 Fire |
| | 120 Ambulance |

Shanghai Tours



Group Tours with Solo Adventure!

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Day 3: Visit the Oriental Pearl TV Tower (with Shanghai History Museum inside), The Bund and free time in Shanghai.

Day 4: Hotel to airport transfer.

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