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18-day Tour Link

Package price starting from

$2,699* USD

40% OFF

~~Was $4,499~~

18 Days Icons of Japan & China NEW

Discover the Best of Japan & China in One Grand Tour

*Leading price is based on specific departure dates, please check with our website for the updated information.

Trip Code: TP18JCTZ

- 16 Nights 4 Star Hotel
- Airfare included
- Medium-sized Group
- 19 Meals
- Fully Escorted
- Guided Sightseeing
- Coach, Bullet Train

WHY YOU'LL LOVE IT

From the breathtaking beauty of Mt. Fuji to the legendary Great Wall, this unforgettable 18-day journey brings together the iconic highlights of Japan and China. Experience Japan's timeless traditions, vibrant cities, scenic landscapes and famous bullet train before continuing to China, where imperial treasures, classical gardens and dazzling modern skylines await. Discover two extraordinary countries, each with its own rich heritage and unforgettable experiences—all in one grand journey.

- Explore **Osaka Castle** and the vibrant streets of Osaka.
- Discover Kyoto's timeless heritage, including the **Golden Pavilion**.
- Ride Japan's famous **Shinkansen bullet train**.
- Cruise Lake Kawaguchi or Yamanakako with breathtaking views of **Mount Fuji.**
- Relax at a **Mt. Fuji hot spring hotel** and enjoy a **Japanese banquet.**
- Experience the fascinating blend of tradition and modern life in **Tokyo**.
- Walk along the legendary **Great Wall** of China.
- Step into imperial history at Beijing's **Forbidden City**.
- Enjoy an authentic **Peking Duck lunch** experience.
- Explore **Suzhou**'s classical gardens and traditional silk culture.
- Cruise the scenic **West Lake** in Hangzhou & discover the traditions of Dragon Well tea culture.
- Experience the energy and spectacular skyline of **Shanghai**.

Day 1: North America - Osaka
Day 2: Osaka Arrival
Day 3: Osaka
Day 4: Osaka
Day 5: Osaka - Kyoto - Nagoya
Day 6: Hamamastu - Mt. Fuji
Day 7: Mount Fuji - Tokyo
Day 8: Tokyo
Day 9: Tokyo - Beijing
Day 10: Beijing
Day 11: Beijing
Day 12: Beijing
Day 13: Beijing – Shanghai – Suzhou
Day 14: Suzhou – Wuxi
Day 15: Wuxi – Hangzhou
Day 16: Hangzhou – Shanghai
Day 17: Shanghai
Day 18: Shanghai - North America

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Day 1: North America to Osaka

Fly overnight to Osaka.

Day 2: Osaka

Upon arriving at Osaka Airport (KIX), arrange your own transportation to the hotel. Once you've checked in, enjoy the remainder of the day at your own leisure to explore or relax.

Day 3: Osaka

Enjoy a leisurely morning or opt for the half-day excursion to Nara, including a **traditional meal (USD $89/person)**. If not joining the optional excursion, meet our driver at the appointed meeting point around noon to begin the day's adventure, starting with a visit to the iconic **Osaka Castle**, a historic landmark that played a pivotal role in Japan's unification during the 16th century. Stroll through its grounds, taking in panoramic views and learning about its storied past. Next, we'll head to the bustling **Dotonbori district**, where Osaka's vibrant food culture shines. Enjoy the dazzling neon lights, sample famous street foods like takoyaki and okonomiyaki, and immerse yourself in the lively atmosphere of this culinary hotspot!

Half-day **Excursion to Nara with traditional Meal (USD $89/person)**: Travel to Nara, a city steeped in ancient history and cultural heritage, is renowned for being the first permanent capital of Japan. Home to some of Japan's oldest and largest temples, Nara boasts UNESCO World Heritage sites. Upon arrival, see the Todai-ji Temple, one of Japan's most famous and historically significant temples, constructed in the 8th century. Wander through Nara Park, where over 1,200 wild sika deer roam free and enjoy a traditional Japanese meal before travelling back to Osaka.

Meals: Breakfast

Day 4: Osaka

Spend today free at your own leisure. Alternatively, You may join the **optional Kansai Culture Tour (USD $129/person Min. 10 Guests).** Consist of visit the **Arashiyama Bamboo Grove**, a mesmerizing grove of thousands of tall bamboo plants. A paved walkway runs through the middle of both sections, forming the famous **"Bamboo Alley",** one of Kyoto's most photographed sights.

In the afternoon, visit Nishiki Market, known as Kyoto's Kitchen, where you can stroll through lively stalls offering local snacks, traditional sweets, pickles, and unique Kyoto specialties. Enjoy free time for lunch, with plenty of options ranging from casual street food to local restaurants at your own pace. Then, we will visit one of the most sacred and impressive destinations – **Fushimi Inari-Taisha Shrine** and walk through the famous vermilion Torii Gates, the most picturesque location on tour, and explore great photo opportunities along the ancient street. Afterward, return to your comfortable vehicle for a relaxing journey back to the hotel.

Meal: Breakfast

Day 5: Osaka - Kyoto - Nagoya

This morning, travel to Kyoto, it was Japan's capital and the emperor's residence from 794 until 1868. Countless temples, shrines, and other historically priceless structures survive in the city today. Firstly, Visit **Kinkakuji (Golden Pavilion)**, World Cultural Heritage featuring a shining golden pavilion and a pond-centered garden. Visit the shining Kinkaku with two floors covered entirely in thin layers of pure gold and detailed architecture incorporating three distinct styles of Shinden, Samurai, and Zen.visit the shining Kinkaku with two floors covered entirely in thin layers of pure gold and detailed architecture incorporating three distinct styles of Shinden, Samurai, and Zen. Then visit the **Higashi Hongan-ji**, which is a religious complex of the Pure Land (Jodo Shinshu) Buddhism. Its monumental architecture is renowned for being sheltered by the largest wooden roof in the world. Then, transfer to the **Kyoto Station**, Here we can also take a great picture of Kyoto tower.

In the afternoon, experiences a true modern marvel by riding the **Shinkansen (bullet train)** from Kyoto to Nagoya Station. Upon arrival in Nagoya, visit **Toyota Commemorative Museum of Industry and Technology**. Here you will learn about the history of Toyota which started out as a textile machinery manufacturer and how it became a successful mass exporter and manufacturer of automotive technology, including robots. Continue our trip to Hamamatsu and stay overnight.

Meal: Breakfast

Day 6: Hamamatsu- Mt. Fuji

Today, visit Gotemba Peace Park to capture a breathtaking view of Mount Fuji. Oshino Hakkai, known as the Springs of Mount Fuji, consists of eight ponds fed by melting snow that filters down from the slopes of nearby Mount Fuji through porous layers of lava, resulting in crystal-clear spring water revered by locals. Afterwards, visit Sengenjinja Shrine. Enjoy the picturesque view of Mount Fuji from a distance onboard the boat cruise on Lake Kawaguchi or Yamanakako, a crater lake famous for its views of the famous peak. Finish the day with a true cultural experience and buffet dinner in our hot spring hotel.

Meal: Breakfast, Dinner

Day 7: Mount Fuji - Tokyo

Visit **Meiji Shrine** in the morning, dedicated to the deifed spirits of Emperor Meiji and his consort, Empress Shoken. Your next stop today is **Tokyo Metro** to enjoy a panoramic view of enormous Tokyo city. Later, stroll through the **Sensoji Temple** (Asakusa Kannon Temple), one of Tokyo's most colorful and popular temples. Then walk along the famous 820-ft long Nakamise shopping street where you can explore the lines of stalls selling different Japanese-styled goods and souvenirs. You may also choose the **optional Kimono Rental (US$55/person)** and explore great photo opportunities along the ancient street in Japan's beautiful national dress. Tonight, you may have the **optional Teppanyaki (US$108/person)**, Savor the excitement of Japanese Teppanyaki, where skilled chefs prepare and cook your meal right at the table with flair and precision. This interactive dining experience combines fresh ingredients with masterful techniques, creating a feast for both the eyes and the palate.

Meal: Breakfast

Day 8: Tokyo

Spend today free at your leisure. Alternatively, you may join our **optional full-day Modern Tokyo Exploration Tour (USD $119/person Min. 10 Guests)**

Begin with a photo stop outside the **Imperial Palace**, offering views of this historic residence of Japan's Emperor, as the inner grounds are not open to the public. Next, stroll along the vibrant entertainment district of **Odaiba**, admire the engineering marvel of Rainbow Bridge, and explore **DiverCity Tokyo Plaza** to see the iconic towering Gundam statue. Continue to the **world-famous Tsukiji Fish Market**, where you can explore lively stalls and sample fresh seafood or local delicacies at your own expense. Afterward, Experience the iconic **Shibuya Crossing**, the busiest pedestrian intersection in the world. Later, enjoy free time in the vibrant **Shinjuku district**, known for its dynamic entertainment, shopping, and dining scene. Afterward, transfer back to the hotel.

Meal: Breakfast

Day 9: Tokyo - Beijing

Today transfer to the airport for your flight to Beijing, China. Upon arrival in Beijing, you will be warmly welcomed at the airport by your tour guide and transferred to your hotel for check-in. Relax and prepare for the exciting journey ahead.

Meal: Breakfast

Day 10: Beijing

Today you may explore Beijing at your own pace.
Meal: Breakfast

Day 11: Beijing

Begin the day with a visit to **Tiananmen Square**, the second-largest public square in the world. Next, explore the **Forbidden City**, a UNESCO World Heritage Site and one of the largest, best-preserved imperial palace complexes in existence. For lunch, savor the iconic flavors of **Peking Roast Duck**, a dish that beautifully combines tradition and innovation. This afternoon, you may **opt for the Temple of Heaven & Hutong Life Tour (US$65/person)**. Visit the UNESCO-listed Temple of Heaven, a symbol of ancient Chinese culture, before exploring Beijing's historic Hutongs on a traditional rickshaw. This immersive experience includes a visit to a local family home.
Meals: Breakfast, Lunch

Day 12: Beijing

Today's highlight is a visit to the awe-inspiring **Great Wall** of China, the most iconic symbol of China's rich history. En route to the Great Wall, stop at one of Asia's largest Jade Exhibitions to learn about jade's cultural significance in China. Climb a portion of this magnificent 3,700-mile structure and take in the breathtaking views. Here, you'll be captivated by stunning stone carvings and ancient watchtowers that gracefully wind along the majestic mountain ranges, enhancing the grandeur of this historical landmark. With a picnic-style lunch included, you can fully immerse yourself in this architectural masterpiece at your own pace, soaking in its breathtaking scenery. On the return journey, drive past the **Bird's Nest and Water Cube**, two architectural marvels built for the 2008 Beijing Olympics and symbols of modern China. Enjoy the rest of the day at your own pace. In the afternoon, you may join the optional **Beijing Panda & Summer Palace Tour (US$75/person, Min. 10 Guests)** Meet China's adorable giant panda at the Beijing Zoo, learning about vital conservation efforts. Then, discover the elegance of UNESCO-listed imperial garden featuring serene lakes, graceful pavilions, and stunning classical landscapes. You may immerse yourself in the thrilling world of the **Beijing Acrobatic Show (US$60/person)**, an optional tour that offers a dazzling fusion of extraordinary agility and dramatic flair. Watch in awe as acrobats perform gravity-defying stunts and intricate maneuvers, set against a backdrop of vibrant costumes and pulsating music—a truly electrifying experience!
Meals: Breakfast, Lunch

Day 13: Beijing – Shanghai – Suzhou

After breakfast, visit a traditional Chinese health center to discover the principles of Traditional Chinese Medicine, including acupuncture and herbal remedies.cLater, we will take high-speed train or flight to Shanghai. Upon arrival, meet your local tour representative and transfer to Suzhou, a city renowned for its canals and classical gardens. Check into your hotel and relax for the evening.
Meal: Breakfast

Day 14: Suzhou – Wuxi

Start the morning with a visit to the **Lingering Garden**, a UNESCO-listed classical Chinese garden and a masterpiece of traditional landscaping. Suzhou, often called the "Venice of the East," is defined by its charming canals. You may choose an **optional Grand Canal Cruise with Meal (US$45/person)** to experience Suzhou's waterways and witness local life along China's historic golden waterway. Next, visit a Silk Museum to learn about silk production—from silkworm to exquisite fabrics. In the afternoon, transfer to Wuxi.
Meal: Breakfast

Day 15: Wuxi – Hangzhou

TBegin the day with a visit to a Freshwater Pearl Factory, where you can learn how these natural treasures are cultivated. Visit **Lihu Park**, a scenic lakeside park offering tranquil views, lush greenery, and charming walking paths perfect for relaxation and photography. In the afternoon, transfer to Hangzhou, famously described by Marco Polo as "the most beautiful and magnificent city in the world." This evening, you can attend the optional **"Enduring Memories of Hangzhou" performance (US$90/person)**, a mesmerizing show that brings the legends of West Lake to life through music, lights, and water effects.
Meal: Breakfast

Day 16: Hangzhou – Shanghai

Enjoy a morning boat ride on **West Lake**, known for its ethereal beauty, surrounded by lush landscapes and historic sites. Afterwards, visit the Dragon Well Tea Plantation for an authentic tea-tasting experience and insight into the production of this famed green tea. Then, travel to Shanghai - a vibrant metropolis blending modern skyscrapers with historic charm. Stroll along **the Bund**, a mile-long waterfront promenade showcasing colonial architecture and stunning views of the Huangpu River. This evening, opt for the **Huangpu River Night Cruise (US$55/person)** to experience Shanghai's dazzling skyline illuminated at night.
Meal: Breakfast

Day17: Shanghai

This morning, visit the **Shanghai History Museum**, renowned for its impressive collection of ancient Chinese art. Then experience the best of Shanghai with the **God City Temple and Trade Tower High Visit with Meal** optional tour(USD$60)! Immerse yourself in the lively atmosphere of the God City Temple area, where historic architecture, vibrant markets, and mouthwatering local delicacies await. Then, ascend the Trade Tower for stunning panoramic views of Shanghai's dazzling skyline—a perfect fusion of tradition and modernity! In the evening, you can attend the thrilling optional acrobatic show **"ERA: The Intersection of Time"** (US$60/person), featuring jaw-dropping performances.
Meal: Breakfast

Day 18: Shanghai – North America

After breakfast, transfer to airport and board the flight to North America.
Meal: Breakfast

Featured Hotels or equivalent ★★★★

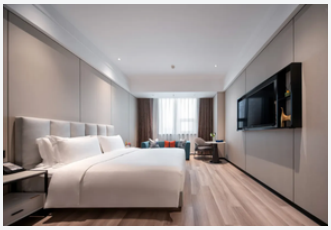
Japan Superior Room upgrade in Osaka & Tokyo

US$149 ~~$299~~ /person

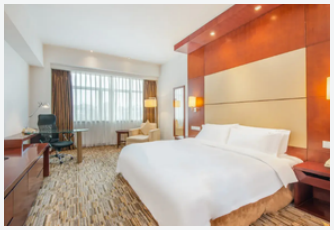
Odysis Suite Osaka Airport Hotel

Sunshine Prince Hotel Ikebukuro

4-5 Star Hotels in China



Golden Pear Hotel Wuxi



Holiday Inn Hangzhou

Date & Price

2027 Departure Date	Package Price	2028 Departure Date	Package Price
2027-03-10	$3,299	2028-03-08	$3,299
2027-03-17	$3,299	2028-03-15	$3,299
2027-03-31	$3,399	2028-03-29	$3,399
2027-04-07	$3,399	2028-04-05	$3,399
2027-04-28	$3,299	2028-04-26	$3,299
2027-05-05	$3,299	2028-05-03	$3,299
2027-05-12	$3,299	2028-05-10	$3,299
2027-07-07	$3,999	2028-07-05	$3,999
2027-09-08	$3,199	2028-09-06	$3,199
2027-09-15	$3,199	2028-09-13	$3,199
2027-10-06	$3,199	2028-10-04	$3,199
2027-10-13	$3,199	2028-10-11	$3,199
2027-10-20	$3,199	2028-10-18	$3,199
2027-10-27	$3,099	2028-10-25	$3,099
2027-11-03	$3,099	2028-11-01	$3,099
2027-11-10	$2,999	2028-11-08	$2,999
2027-11-17	$2,899	2028-11-15	$2,899
2027-11-24	$2,699	2028-11-22	$2,699

*Prices may change at any time, please check with our website for the updated information.

Optional Tours

Pack of 3 Optional Tours ($160 Valued) Shanghai God City Temple and Trade Tower High Visit with Meal + Suzhou Grand Canal Cruise + Shanghai Huangpu River Night Cruise	US$145/p
Pack of 4 Optional Tours ($265 Valued) Beijing Summer Palace & Panda Tour + Suzhou Canal Cruise + Shanghai Huangpu River Night Cruise + Enduring Memeries of Hangzhou Show	US$239/p
Pack of 5 Optional Tours ($325 Valued) Beijing Summer Palace & Panda Tour + Suzhou Canal Cruise with Meal + Shanghai Huangpu River Night Cruise + Enduring Memeries of Hangzhou Show + Shanghai God City Temple and Trade Tower High Visit with Meal	US$279/p
Nara half-day tour with lunch (Pre-book, min 10 pax)	US$89/p
Kansai Culture Tour (Pre-book, min 10 Guests)	US$129/p
Kimono Dress Rental	US$55/p
Teppanyaki - Japanese grills	US$108/p
Modern Tokyo Exploration(Pre-Book, Min 10 Guests)	US$119/p
Beijing Temple of Heaven & Hutong Life Tour	US$65/p
Beijing Summer Palace & Panda House Tour	US$75/p
Suzhou Grand Canal Cruise with Meal	US$45/p
Hangzhou “Enduring Memories of Hangzhou”	US$90/p
Shanghai Huangpu River Night Cruise	US$55/p
Shanghai acrobatic show “ERA: The Intersection of Time”	US$60/p
Shanghai God City Temple & Trade Tower High Visit with Meal	US$60/p

Package Includes

- Return international airfares from Los Angeles or San Francisco in economy class; Add-on airfare from other cities available.
- Intra flights: Tokyo - Beijing in economy class
- Airline taxes & fuel surcharges
- High-speed train from Beijing to Shanghai (or internal flight, subject to availability)
- Shinkansen ticket from Osaka to Kyoto (bullet Train)
- 16 nights 4-5 star Hotel accommodations
- Hotel taxes, fees & service charges
- Sightseeing per itinerary in modern air-conditioned motor coach
- Meals mentioned in the itinerary
- Lake Kawaguchi / Yamanakako Cruise
- Services of English-speaking tour guides
- Entrance fees per itinerary

Package Does Not Includes

- Visa Fee
- Prepaid Tipping: USD$252/person for the entire trip
- Checked Baggage: (Most airlines provide 1 free checked bag for flights to Asia, but some may charge extra $100-200. Please confirm with your travel agent for specific airline policies.)
- Arrival Transfer
- Travel insurance.
- Personal expenditures

Price Notes

- Prices are per person based on twin share accommodation.
- Single room supplement fee: CA$1,599
- Tour prices are subject to change without prior notice.
- Other cities departures available: New York City, Chicago from $250; Houston from $350