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## Amazing Jiang Nan Scenery Tour

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**Tour Code:** CET-LS07

**Length:** 10 days and 9 nights

**Cities Visited/Stayed:** (Beijing), Shanghai, Huangshan, Suzhou, Hangzhou, (Beijing)

**Highlight Attractions:** Yu Yuan Garden, The Bund, Scenic Areas of Yellow Mountain, Humble Administrator's Garden(Zhuozhengyuan), Zhouzhuang, West Lake, Thousand Islets Lake

**Experience & Features:** Old Part of Shanghai, Shanghai Museum

Jiang Nan refers to the areas south of the lower reaches of the Yangtze River. It is famous for picturesque natural sceneries, unique and magnificent Gardens and developed economy. You can visit the largest city of China-Shanghai first, which will amaze you by its modern atmosphere and traditional culture and art. Huangshan Mountain has brought together all the strong points other mountains have: grand, strange, baffling, arduous, steep, flourishing, quiet and spacious. The mountain offers a crowd of peaks. The water village in Suzhou and the graceful West Lake in Hangzhou will surely leave you a deep impression.

### Itinerary

#### Day 1: Beijing-Shanghai

Today we take a flight from Beijing to Shanghai. Upon your arrival in Shanghai, our guide (CET representative) will meet you at the airport and transfer you to the hotel. Your tour we sponsored will start in Shanghai.

Stay overnight in Shanghai.

**Meals:**

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#### Day 2: Shanghai

After enjoying a leisurely breakfast, we will drive to visit the **[Yuyuan Garden]**, where more delicate handicrafts and tasty Chinese snacks can be found. There are more than 500 snacks around that area. Next

stop will be the **[Jade Buddha Temple]**, an elegant structure famous for its Buddha statue which is carved of sparkling and crystal-clear white jade and decorated by jewels. Lunch will be arranged at a characteristic Shanghai restaurant. After lunch we will head for the **[Outer Bund]**. The bund symbolizes Shanghai and Bund is an epitome of Shanghai's history. At there you can take a grand view of Shanghai and you may marvel at how modern this metropolis is while still containing its old traditions. We will enjoy a walk on the **[Nanjing Road]**, the most prosperous commercial street. You can find lots of world famous brands setting along the street and enjoy a good time in shopping.

Stay overnight in Shanghai.

**Meals:** (B, L)

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### **Day 3: Shanghai-Huangshan**

This morning we will enjoy a leisurely breakfast, and then will go to visit the **[Shanghai Museum]**. This afternoon we will take a flight to Huangshan Mountain. Upon arrival, you will be met and transferred to the hotel.

Stay overnight at Huangshan City.

**Meals:** (B, L)

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### **Day 4: Huangshan Mountain**

Early this morning we will **[take cable to visit the Huangshan Mountain]** and enjoy the spectacular view along the way to the top. It is known to all that odd-shaped pines, grotesque rock formation, seas of clouds and crystal-clear hot springs are the four wonders of Mt. Huang. There is a saying goes, "you won't want to visit any other mountains after seeing Wu Yue (the Five Great China Mountains) but you won't wish to see even Wu Yue after returning from Mt. Huangshan." This saying may give you some idea of the beauty and uniqueness of Mt. Huangshan. We will explore scenic spots on the mountain and enjoy spectacular view.

Stay overnight at Huangshan Mountain.

**Meals:** (B, L)

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### **Day 5: Huangshan Mountain-Shanghai**

Having a leisurely walk around the mountain this morning before we take cable downwards is our recommendation. And in the evening, we will catch a flight back to Shanghai. Upon arrival, we will be met and transferred to the hotel.

Stay overnight in Shanghai.

**Meals:** (B, L)

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## Day 6: Shanghai-Suzhou

Today we will go to Suzhou city to visit the [**Humble Administrator's Garden**]*--*the largest private garden in Suzhou, as well as one of the four most famous classic gardens and no other classic garden has been honored more than this one in China. Humble Administrator's Garden is a typical example of the art of horticulture south of Yangtze River as well as a treasure house containing arts of architecture, calligraphy, carving, painting, and bonsai. Then we will drive to [**Zhouzhuang**]. It is one of the most famous water townships in China, only 30 kilometers (18 miles) southeast of Suzhou. It is noted for the well preserved ancient residential houses, the elegant watery views and the strong local colored traditions and customs, especially for its profound cultural background. We will enjoy a leisurely stroll and you can see that all the houses in the Zhouzhuang, built with sidewalks along canals have formed a web of water lanes. Stone bridges and overhanging towers span the waterways to provide free passage for the local people. Afterwards, we will drive back to Suzhou.

Stay overnight in Suzhou.

**Meals:** (B, L)

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## Day 7: Suzhou-Hangzhou

We will enjoy a leisurely breakfast and walk around the downtown area for pleasure. Later at noon you may have a traditional Chinese lunch. Then we will go to Hangzhou. Hangzhou is known for its natural beauty of West Lake worldwide. "Above is paradise, below is Suzhou and Hangzhou" expresses people's indeed praise to Hangzhou. We will arrive there in the afternoon and be transferred to the hotel. The rest of the day will be on your own to explore the picturesque city.

Stay overnight in Hangzhou.

**Meals:** (B, L)

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## Day 8: Hangzhou

Today we will have a tour to the renowned [**West Lake**]. It is undoubtedly the most famous feature of Hangzhou, noted for the scenic beauty that blends naturally with many well-known historical and cultural sites. Sitting in a boat wandering on the river, you will enjoy the beautiful scenery. Solitary Hill, the Mausoleum of General Yue Fei, the Six Harmonies Pagoda and the Ling Yin Temple are probably the most frequently visited attractions in this scenic area. This afternoon we will pay a visit to [**Hefang Old Street**], a well-designed old

pedestrian street which is the epitome of old Hangzhou. Shops selling art crafts, souvenirs, silk, teahouses, and restaurants line on both sides of the street. Many famous century-old shops including Hu Qing Yu Tang, Wang Xingji Fans are here. The Street is otherwise known as the Snack Street for the diverse food it serves. You can choose to try some of the local flavors.

Stay overnight in Hangzhou.

**Meals:** (B, L)

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## **Day 9: Hangzhou-Thousand Islets Island-Hangzhou**

This morning we will drive to the **[Thousand Islets Lake]** which is about 160 kilometers (about 99.4miles) west of Hangzhou. Thousand Islets Lake is regarded as currently the largest man-made lake in China. It got its name from the 1078 islets in the lake. The lake is famous for its crystal-clean water and picturesque scenery. Covering an area of 573 square kilometers (about 141,591acres), the lake is much larger than the West Lake in Hangzhou. Besides, Thousand Islets Lake also boasts a large number of historical sites, including two ancient towns, both dating back to more than 1,800 years ago and being discovered under the lake in 2002. After preliminary investigation, experts believe they might be the biggest ancient building complex found in China. The two towns were submerged 40 years ago to make way for a reservoir. Historical records show that the town was filled with traditional Chinese architectures with bricks, stones and tiles. We will enjoy a wonderful afternoon at Thousand Islets Lake. Later the day we will drive back to Hangzhou.

Stay overnight in Hangzhou.

**Meals:** (B, L)

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## **Day 10: Hangzhou-Beijing**

This morning will be free at leisure until you are picked up and transferred to the airport for a flight to Beijing. Our Service ends at the Hangzhou airport.

**Meals:** (B)

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