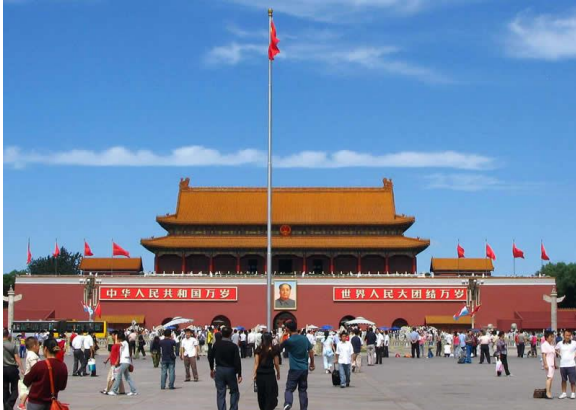


Beijing 4 Nights 5 Days

Day 01 Hong Kong – Beijing

Depart Hong Kong, arrive Beijing meet and greet, hotel transfer, overnight Beijing.

Day 02 Beijing

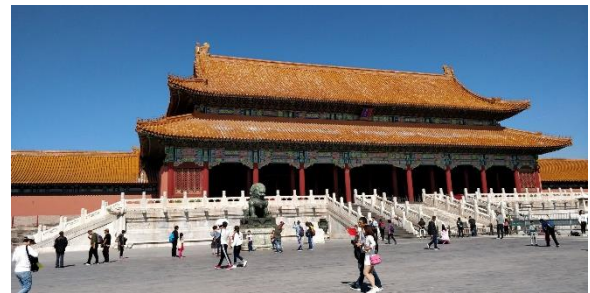


Tiananmen Square

Enjoy breakfast in the comfort of your hotel, your full day private tour takes you to **Tiananmen Square**, the **Forbidden City**, **Jingshan Park** and the **Temple of Heaven**.

Begin with the historic **Tiananmen Square** located in the heart of the city and the midpoint of Chang'an Avenue. Thousands of people come daily to see the Square, a must-see point of interest that is easy to move around due to the large size of the Square.

Head north of Tiananmen Square to the **Forbidden City** (also known as the *Palace Museum*) which once was the Imperial Palace for over 20 Emperors during the Ming and Qing Dynasties (14th – 20th century). Welcome to the largest palace complex in the world! Surrounded by an intimidating 52-meter-wide moat and a 10 meter high wall where you will find over 8,700 rooms.



Forbidden City



Jingshan Park

Your tour continues with **Jingshan Park**, a beautiful royal landscape garden stretching over 230,000 square meters. The park faces the North Gate of the Forbidden City. From the Front Gate of the park you can see the Qiwang Pavilion, which is embraced by tough green cypresses, originally where Emperors went to worship the memorial tablet of Confucius.

Final point of interest for the day will be **Temple of Heaven** (*Tiantan* in Chinese) in the Dongcheng District. Famous for being the largest and most representative existing masterpiece among China's ancient sacrificial buildings. Discover the history of how the *Heaven Worship Ceremony* was held here during the Ming and Qing Dynasties.



Temple of Heaven

Hotel transfer, overnight Beijing.

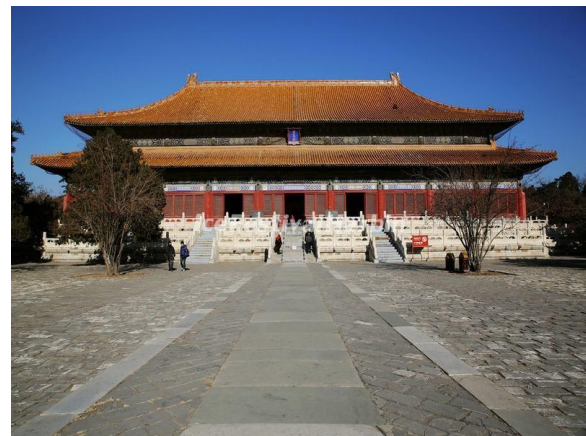
Day 03 Beijing



Great Wall of China
Mutianyu Section

Venture to the **Great Wall of China** (Mutianyu Section) considered one of the *New Seven Wonders of the World*, journey up by chairlift. The Mutianyu Section is the best preserved and most well known with breath-taking scenery and many picturesque areas. Watchtowers are densely dotted along the Great Wall while woods cover over 95 percent of the total scenic area. Head back down by cable car.

You will be escorted to the **Ming Tomb Changling** in the afternoon, hidden away over 50 km from Beijing. This scenic area has a square layout in the front and a round layout in the back, discover the amazing story of the many Emperors that were placed here including Emperor Yongle who arguably made the greatest contribution ever to China.



Ming Tomb Changling

Head back and visit **Beijing Olympic Park** which covers the **Birds Nest** and **Water Cube** (exterior). Travel back in time to 2008 when the Beijing Olympic Games and Paralympics took place. This huge park was designed to house ten venues and the Olympic Village. See Birds Nest (*National Stadium*) along with the Water Cube (from the outside).

Hotel transfer, overnight Beijing.

Day 04 Beijing



Lama Temple

Your full day tour covers **Lama Temple, Gong Palace, Rickshaw Hutong Tour** and the **Summer Palace**. Start with **Lama Temple** (also known as *Yonghe Temple* or *Harmony and Peace Palace Lamasery*) tucked away in the northeast corner of the city. Explore the largest and most perfectly preserved lamasery in modern-day China.

Continue with **Gong Palace** (also known as *Prince Gong's Mansion* or *Gong Wang Fu* in Chinese). Explore the largest and best-preserved princely mansions from the Qing Dynasty Beijing has to offer. An incredible portrayal of ancient Chinese architecture, the cultural connotations are beautiful from an aesthetic point of view and an asset to those who wish to study to lifestyle of the privileged from the feudal society.



Lama Temple

Journey into the past on your **Rickshaw Hutong**

Tour as you move around existent hutongs where you can still see the authentic old Beijing. Locals fill traditional courtyard-style houses dotted along the old districts, truly a magical journey not to be missed.



Summer Palace

In the afternoon you will be led to the **Summer Palace** in the Haidian District northwest of Beijing. End your day at this relaxing place which happens to be the largest and most well-preserved royal park in China. Recognized as '*The Museum of Royal Gardens*' due to the great influences on Chinese horticulture and landscape along with the famous natural views offered here. Hotel transfer, overnight Beijing.

Day 05 TUE 19 NOV Beijing

After breakfast, check-out, airport transfer, depart Beijing, arrive Hong Kong.

Package Information

Package Includes

Round Trip Economy Class airfare

04 nights *Novotel Xinqiao* Standard Room (King Bed with Extra Bed)

Daily breakfast at the hotel

All airport / hotel transfers via private vehicle

Sightseeing mentioned as per itinerary with private vehicle

English speaking guide during sightseeing itinerary

Entrance fees for places mentioned

Cable Car return for Great Wall of China (optional Chair Lift)

Package Does Not Include

Spending of a personal nature (extra meals, visa, travel insurance, tipping etc.)

Anything else not mentioned under Package Includes

Do let us know your preferred dates of travel

for a quotation – we can tailor the itinerary to

suit your desire!