Yishun Secondary School 7D6N China Cultural Immersion Trip to Hangzhou and Shanghai

6 Nov to 12 Nov 2025

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OBJECTIVES

- ★ increase students' socio-cultural and religious sensitivity and awareness;
- ★ enhance students' skills in recognising and appreciating diversity;
- ★ deepen students' appreciation of Singapore's context in our region and the world;
- ★ allow students to form friendships and networks with their international peers;
- ★ develop students to be more resilient, resourceful, independent, and adapt to different contexts.

LOCATION

Hangzhou China Map
Beijing
1,125 KM
Xian
1,145 KM
Huangshan
Chengdu
1,040 KM
Hangzhou
1,050 KM
Guangzhou
Jiangsu
Nanjing
Suzhou
Shanghai
Hangzhou
Zhejiang
- Shanghai: 180 km;
- Suzhou: 160 km;
- Huangshan: 240 km
- Nanjing: 235km

EXPECTATIONS

- ★ **A**ttitude: students are expected to show respect towards all.
- ★ **B**e Punctual: the itinerary has been planned with specific timing.
- ★ **C**o-operate: come with an open mind and be willing to venture out of your comfort zone!

TEACHERS-IN-CHARGE

- Mr Poh Chee Jian
- Ms Yeo Zhi Qin
- Ms Madeline Wong

ACCOMMODATION

- ★ 2 students of the same gender will share one room
- ★ Students are **not allowed** to leave their assigned rooms after debrief and lights out

TRIP DETAILS

★ **Thursday, 6 November**

Singapore – Shanghai

SQ 826 01:15 / 06:30

Meet at 22:30 on 5 Nov, Terminal 3 Row 2

★ **Wednesday, 12 November**

Shanghai – Singapore

SQ 833 16:25 / 22:15

Itinerary Day 1

Wear:

Trip T-shirt and long pants

Bring along:

Trip windbreaker and/or jacket

06/11
Thu
(Packed B/L/D)

SINGAPORE / SHANGHAI / HANGZHOU

- **Board SQ 826 flight to Shanghai Pudong Airport (0115/0630)**
- Upon arrival, clear immigration and pick up by our local friendly tour guide
- Transfer to **High Speed Train Station** with a burger meal on board the coach
- Board High Speed Train to **Hangzhou (1hr)**
- Cultural visits:

  West Lake Cruise (Boat Cruise) 船游西湖

  General Yuefei Mausoleum 岳庙

  Lingyin Temple & Feilai Peak 灵隐寺, 飞来峰
- Dinner at local restaurant
- Proceed to hotel for rooms check-in
- Conduct debrief @ the hotel and rest

Itinerary Day 2

Wear:

Full School Uniform

Bring along:

School shirt and long pants to change

07/11
Fri
(B/L/D)

HANGZHOU

- Breakfast at hotel
- School immersion program @ **Hangzhou Wenhua Middle School** (School's contact)
- Lunch at local restaurant
- **Industrial visit – Hangzhou city North Digital Industrial Park 城北数字产业园区 @ Shunfeng Innovation Centre**

  A：参观顺丰创新中心（约 15 分钟）

  B：了解园区内的禾迈电子（约 15 分钟）

  C：了解园区内的奥能电源（约 15 分钟）
- Visit **Hefang Old Street 河坊街**
- Evening: **Enjoy cultural performance – Impression West Lake Show 最忆是杭州**
- Proceed back to hotel and debrief

Itinerary Day 3

Wear:

School shirt and long pants

08/11 Sat (B/L/D)	**HANGZHOU** • Breakfast at hotel • Visit **China Cartoon & Animation Museum 动漫博物馆** • Lunch at local restaurant • Company visit @ **Alibaba 阿里巴巴** • Cultural visit: **City God Pavilion 城隍阁（藕粉祈福）** • Dinner at local restaurant • Evening: **Enjoy performance "Song Dynasty" 宋城千古情** • Proceed back to hotel and debrief

Itinerary Day 4

Wear:

School shirt and long pants

09/11 Sun (B/L/D)	**HANGZHOU / NANXUN** • Breakfast at hotel; Check-out hotel • Transfer to **Nanxun 南浔 (2hrs)** via coach • Full-day @ **Nanxun Ancient Town with boat ride 南浔古镇** • Proceed to hotel for rooms check-in • Conduct debrief @ the hotel and rest

Itinerary Day 5

Wear:

Full School Uniform

Bring along:

School shirt and long pants to change

10/11
Mon
(B/L/D)

NANXUN / SHANGHAI

- Breakfast at hotel. Check-out
- School immersion program @ **Nanxun Branch of Zhenhai High School** (School's contact)
- Lunch at local restaurant
- Transfer back to **Shanghai (2hrs)** via coach
- Cultural visit: **Oriental Pearl TV Tower 登东方明珠电视塔第二粒大球**
- Dinner at local restaurant
- Visit **Nanjing Road 南京路**
- **Evening: The Bund 外滩**
- Conduct debrief @ the hotel and rest

Itinerary day 6 - 7

Wear:

School shirt and long pants

11/11 Tue (B/L/D)	**SHANGHAI** • Breakfast at hotel • Full-day @ **Shanghai Disneyland Park 迪士尼乐园** • Lunch with Disneyland meal coupon • After dinner, proceed back to hotel and debrief
12/11 Wed (B/L)	**SHANGHAI / SINGAPORE** • Breakfast at hotel; Check-out hotel • Cultural visits: **Chenghuangmiao Commercial Area 城隍庙 & Yuyuan Garden 豫园** • Lunch at local restaurant • Thereafter, transfer to **Shanghai Pudong International Airport** for flight check-in • **Depart by SQ 833 back to Singapore (1625 / 2215)**

Money Matters

Money changing rates are better in Singapore

Exchange Rate:

About **S$1 = ~ CNY5.4**

Recommended amount to bring:

Not more than CNY800 (~S$150)

Contact

Please refrain from contacting your child / ward during the day except during emergency situations. Alternatively, you can contact the teacher chaperones for assistance.

You can check the school website for updates on the students' activities.
(https://www.yishunsec.moe.edu.sg/china-2025/)

TRAVEL INSURANCE

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MOE appointed travel insurer

Insurance for MOE Groups (by NTUC Income)

- ★ Keep your boarding passes

(Originals must be submitted for claims)

- ★ Medical coverage (overseas)
- ★ Medical coverage (upon return)
- ★ Trip cancellation
- ★ Insurance does not cover for loss due to personal negligence.
- ★ Claims for loss require a police report filed within 24h of occurrence.

Scan here for insurance policy.

PACKING CHECKLIST

- ★ 1 x YSS trip windbreaker (backpack)
- ★ 1 x thick jacket/outerwear (strongly encouraged)
- ★ 2-3 x long-sleeved tops/pullovers
- ★ 2-3 x long bottoms (jeans/pants/track pants)
- ★ 1 x YSS trip t-shirt (to be worn on 5 & 6 Nov)
- ★ 6 x YSS t-shirts
- ★ 2 x full sets of school uniform (shirts and skirts/pants)
- ★ Sleeping attire – at least 2 sets
- ★ Undergarments – at least 7 sets
- ★ 1 pair of sports shoes and 1 pair of school shoes
- ★ At least 7 sets of **white** socks (including 2 pairs of YSS)
- ★ Slippers (optional, only to be worn in hotel room)

PACKING CHECKLIST

- ★ Comb, toothbrush, toothpaste,
- ★ contact lens, solution, case
- ★ Sanitary pads
- ★ Extra pair of glasses / contact lenses
- ★ Shower gel, shampoo, conditioner, facial wash
- ★ Other personal toiletries (e.g. deodorant, sun block, lip balm, moisturiser, nail clipper)
- ★ Hand sanitiser, tissue packs, wet wipes – one set in backpack
- ★ Plastic bags for dirty clothing and zip lock bags for used socks
- ★ Redoxon / Vitamin C
- ★ Disposable masks (at least 10)
- ★ Travel adaptor

PACKING CHECKLIST - BACKPACK

- ★ Your passport
- ★ Wallet - Chinese Yuan, Singapore Dollar
- ★ Water bottle (emptied, to refill for flight)
- ★ Reusable bag
- ★ Foldable umbrella / raincoat / poncho
- ★ Mobile phone & charger
- ★ Writing material (black/blue ink pen)
- ★ Personal medication with proper labels:

  e.g. for headache, fever, flu, sore throat, diarrhoea, motion sickness
- ★ Thermometer
- ★ 1 mask – wear to airport, 1 spare mask