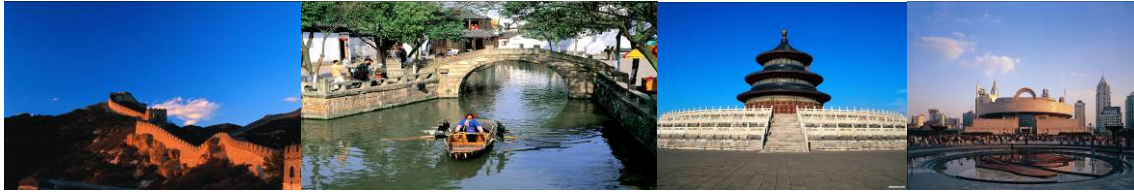


## PHOTOGRAPHY IN CHINA



In addition to the specialist educational content, the highlight will be the accompanying English speaking guide who is also a professional photographer who has travelled all over China and knows very well about when, where and how to take a good picture.

**Day 1 - Depart** on scheduled flights to Beijing.

**Day 2** - Arrive in Beijing and transfer to your hotel.  
pm: Visit the Bird's Nest and Water Cube, the main 2008 Olympic Venues.

**Day 3**  
am: Hutong tour by bike.  
pm: Tian'anmen Square and Forbidden City followed by walk to Jinshan Park to take sunset photos of the Forbidden City from the Coal Hill.  
Evening: tour of the night market at Wangfujing.

**Day 4**  
am: The Great Wall at Mutianyu Section (few visitors, quiet and more original).  
pm: Summer Palace.  
Evening: Gongfu Performance.

**Day 5**  
am: Temple of Heaven to see local people do morning exercises - practising Taichi, calligraphy, etc.  
pm: Visit a vocational school of excellence to join their photography class and have interactions with the students.  
Evening: overnight train to Suzhou.

**Day 6**  
Transfer on arrival to hotel for breakfast.  
Tour of Suzhou including the Master of Nets Garden, the Ouyuan Garden and the walk around the old neighbourhood on canals.

**Day 7**  
am: Transfer to Tongli to see the old village including the waterside houses and the bridges.  
pm: Continue to Shanghai to visit a vocational school of excellence to attend the photo show/competition.  
Late afternoon walking tour in former French Concession.  
Evening: Shanghai Acrobatic Show.

**Day 8**  
am: Visit the Bund, Pearl TV Tower and the Shanghai Urban Planning Exhibition Center.  
pm: Visit the old town of Shanghai and the Yuyuan Garden including the bazaar.  
Evening Farewell Dinner and Prize Giving.

**Day 9** - Transfer to Shanghai airport for departure flight to UK.

Prices start from £1675 per person, travelling during February half-term – 1 free leader place per 10 paying pupils.