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Type

Private

Duration

5 days

Theme

Culture and Heritage, Natural scenery

Trip code

IM-03

Price

From £ 1,064 per person

Itinerary

This 5-day classic Inner Mongolia tour will bring you to explore some of the top cultural and historical sites that Inner Mongolia can offer. Experience a lifetime adventure on the Huitengxile Grassland and Kubuqi Desert, along with enjoyable hiking in Yellow Flower Valley & Wulanhada Volcano Geo-park. Enjoy the authentic Mongolian-style meal, custom, yurt, bonfire party, horse riding, and wrestling performances in Huitengxile Grassland, explore in Kubuqi Desert, to have fun with the sand and desert.

Day 01 :

Arrival at Hohhot

Fly or take the train to Hohhot, the capital of the Inner Mongolia Autonomous Region. Upon arrival, you will be picked up and transferred to hotel. After settling in, your exploration begins at the Inner Mongolia Museum where you'll delve into the rich history and diverse ethnic cultures of the Mongolian Plateau. Next, visit Altan Khan Square, enjoy a leisurely stroll through Tongshun Alley, and wander along the historic Sai Shang Old Street. Stay overnight at Hohhot.

Day 02 :

Hohhot - Wulanhada Volcano Geopark - Huitengxile grasslands

After breakfast, set off to visit **Wulanhada (Ulan Hada) Volcano** within the Chahar Volcano Geo-park, enjoy a scenic hike of approximately 1-1.5 hours to reach the summit, where you'll be greeted with a stunning panoramic view of the surrounding landscapes.. This unique volcanic cluster last erupted during the Holocene era, about 10,000 years ago.

Continue to the famous **Huitengxile grasslands**, also known as "Flower Grassland." Perched 1,800 meters above sea level, this alpine meadow is renowned for its vast expanse, steppe scenery, 99 natural lakes, rolling hills, and a vibrant sea of flowers, distinguishing it from other grasslands in Inner Mongolia. Partake in a traditional Mongolian "dismounting wine" ceremony and experience horseback riding across the expansive meadows.

The day includes a vibrant show of nomadic culture at the Ao Bao gathering. Dinner features the luxurious "Zha Ma Banquet" in traditional Mongolian attire, accompanied by performances of Mongolian music and dance. Enjoy a bonfire party under the stars after. Stay overnight at a traditional Mongolian yurt on the grassland.

Day 03 :

Huitengxile grasslands -Yellow Flowers Valley - Baotou

Start your day with a breathtaking sunrise over the grasslands, after a simple breakfast in the yurt, head to visit the **Yellow Flowers Valley**, a world-renowned winding valley in the west of Huitengxile Pasture, the site of an ancient glacier. Here, you will experience the unique sensation of "four seasons in a day, a different view with every step," engage in some short hiking, and explore the historic Huanghuagou rock paintings—living fossils of the grassland's history.

Afterward, travel to visit the largest Tibetan Buddhist temple in Inner Mongolia -**Wudang Zhao monastery**, which is also one of the four great Tibetan Buddhist monasteries in China.

Finally head to Baotou for an overnight stay, known as the "Deer City" of the grasslands.

Day 04 :

Baotou - Kubuqi Desert - Ordos

This morning, head to the **Kubuqi Desert** for a fun-filled desert day! The Kubuqi Desert is the 7th largest desert in China. Here, you will be arranged to explore Yinken Xiangsha Bay, often referred to as the "Disney of the Desert." Experience an adventurous desert surfing cart ride to Xiansha Island and Yuesha Pan, enjoying a range of activities on these two islands, such as camel riding, desert dyeing cars, and desert motorcycles. Dive into more fun with desert golf, desert bikes, desert swings, zip-lining, the Guolao Theater, a desert water park, and even a world intangible cultural heritage—the Ordos wedding. *(Please note that an extra fee is required to participate in the desert activities).*

After a day filled with desert adventures, drive another 1.5 hours to Ordos, where you'll spend the night.

Day 05 :

Ordos Tour - Ordos airport See off (Or drive to Hohhot and fly out)



After breakfast at the hotel, head to the **Mausoleum of Genghis Khan**, a temple dedicated to the worship of Genghis Khan, the founder and Great Khan of the Mongol Empire. Explore the history of the Mongol Empire and the legendary life of its first great khan through an extensive display of Mongolian historical artifacts. Then proceed to **Kangbashi** for a leisurely walk in Mongolian Chess Square. Learn more about Inner Mongolia and its unique customs at the Ordos Museum and the Ordos Wedding Garden. Afterward Ordos airport drop off or drive back to Hohhot, end the trip.

Inclusions

Tour notes:

All of our tours can be customized to suite your requirements, interests and budget. It is our specialty! Please feel free to contact us.

General inclusions:

All required government taxes and fees.

Meals allowance for your guide and driver.

Your selection of 3, 4 or 5 Stars hotel (shared twin room, private bathroom and daily breakfast)

All entrance tickets as noted in the tour's itinerary.

Guide fluent in English, Chinese or Japanese that is certified by the state tourism build and from the local community. (If your native language is not listed please let us know, we are certain we can assist your needs.)

Transportation will be provided via a comfortable and clean car, minivan or tourist bus depending upon the groups size.

General exclusions:

International Travel insurance.

Personal expenses such as laundry, drinks, internet access, fax, telephone calls etc.

Tips for your guide and driver.

Optional Attractions that are not specified in the itinerary.

Flight and/or railway ticket(s) to the first city of the tour and departure from the last city of the tour.

Meals not specified in the itinerary.

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