# ORIENTAL ODYSSEY - 06 / 10 Nights

CHINA (06 NIGHTS)WITH ADD ON TIBET(04 NIGHTS) OPTION)

# TOUR HIGHLIGHTS:-SHANGHAI

02 nights' accommodation at**Shanghai Days Fortune Hotel** or similar hotel People's Square, Bund area, TV observatory, Nanjing road

#### **BEIJING**

02nights' accommodation at **Beijing Dongfang Hotel or similar hotel** Great Wall of China, Tianenmen Square

Beijing- Xian - Overnight train

#### **XIAN**

01nights' accommodation at**Xian SkytelHotel** or similar hotel Terracotta Warrior

#### **OPTIONAL COST:-**

#### **LHASA**

01 Night Overnight train from Xian to Lhasa 03 nights' accommodation at**Yak Hotel Lhasa**or similar hotel Potala Palace, Jokhang Temple,Sera Monastery,Norbulingka, Drepung Monastery

Meals: Daily Breakfast & Dinner

# **DAY WISE ITINERARY:-**

# DAY 01: ARRIVE SHANGHAI

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Arrival in Shanghai -Shanghai, on China's central coast, is the country's biggest city and a global financial hub. Its heart is the Bund, a famed waterfront promenade lined with colonial-era buildings. Across the Huangpu River rises the Pudong district's futuristic skyline, including 632m Shanghai Tower and the Oriental Pearl TV Tower, with distinctive pink spheres. Upon clearing Customs and Immigration, meet your guide and transfer to hotel. Day free. Dinner at Indian restaurant. Overnight stay

# DAY 02: SHANGHAI BF, D

Breakfast at the hotel

Visit People's square, Pearl factory, Bund area, TV tower observation deck, Yuyuan market, Nanjing road free shopping-Discover old and modern Shanghai and visit attractions like The Bund,, and visit the observation deck of one of Shanghai's highest skyscrapers. Shanghai Yuyuan Market also called Yuyunabazzar is a bazzar of stores, receiving 20 thoursand visitors daily. Agood place for shopping in Shanghai.

Nanjing Road, the symbol of flourish. There's a saying that goes 'you have not ever been to Shanghai unless you go to the Nanjing Road'. Indian dinner at restaurant. Overnight at the hotel

# DAY 03: SHANGHAI- BEIJING BF,D

Breakfast at hotel

Check out and transfer to train station for train to Beijing – enjoy high speed train to Beijing-Between Beijing & Shanghai, the train is the way to go. Choose between the World's Fastest Passenger Train, a 350 km/h (217 mph) high-speed train taking as little as 4 hours 28 minutesto reach another major city. Transfer to hotel. Dinner at Indian. Overnight stay

# DAY 04: AT BEIJING BF, D

Breakfast at the hotel

Proceed for Beijing City tour- Great wall at Juyong pass, Jade factory, Photo stop at Olympic Stadiums, Silk factory-Hailed as cultural Mecca of China, historic city Beijing is jam-packed with ancient & modern sightseeing.

The capital city of China oozes history and culture at every turn, with countless delights to explore. Join our insider-picked and well-organized Beijing CityTour to see plenty of iconic sights Beijing has to offer, including the Great Wall, Forbidden City and more! Spend a fun holiday in Beijing without running out of things to see, do and experience!

Olympic Stadium - Affectionately known as Bird's Nest, the National Stadium is situated in Olympic Green Village, Chaoyang District of Beijing City. It was designed as the main stadium of 2008 Beijing Olympic Games. The design of this large stadium was accomplished together by Swiss architects Jacques Herzog and Pierre de Meuron and Chinese architect Li Xinggang and the others.

Dinner at Indian restaurant & overnight at the hotel

## DAY 05: BEIJING- XIAN

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Breakfast at the hotel. Check out Enjoy Tiananmen square and Forbidden city, Silk factory, Shopping at Xiushui market-Tiananmen Square is a city square in the centre of Beijing, China, named after the Tiananmen ("Gate of Heavenly Peace") located to its north, separating it from the Forbidden City. The square contains the Monument to the People's Heroes, the Great Hall of the People, the National Museum of China, and the Mausoleum of Mao Zedong. Packed Indian dinner. Later drop at train station for Overnight train to Xian

#### DAY 06: ARRIVE XIAN

BF, D

Breakfast at restaurant upon arrival

Proceed for full day tour of Terracotta warrior, crockery factory, back to city, City wall photo stop, Big wild goose pagoda square with Fountain show-The Terracotta Army is a collection of terracotta sculptures depicting the armies of Qin Shi Huang, the first Emperor of China. It is a form of funerary art buried with the emperor in 210–209 BCE with the purpose of protecting the emperor in his afterlife. Giant Wild Goose Pagoda or Big Wild Goose Pagoda, is a Buddhist pagoda located in southern Xi'an, Shaanxi province, China.

It was built in 652 during the Tang dynasty and originally had five stories. The structure was rebuilt in 704 during the reign of Empress Wu Zetian, and its exterior brick facade was renovated during the Ming dynasty. One of the pagoda's many functions was to hold sutras and figurines of the Buddha that were brought to China from India by the Buddhist translator and traveler Xuanzang.

Today, the interior walls of the pagoda feature engraved statues of Buddha by the renowned artist Yan Liben.Check into hotel. Dinner. Overnight at the hotel

## DAY 07: XIAN -DEPARTURE

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Breakfast at hotel &Check out and drop at airport for flight to India

#### LHASA EXTENSION ITINERARY:-

DAY 07: XIAN -LHASA

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Breakfast at hotel

Check out and drop at train station for train to Lhasa

Overnight on train

#### DAY 08: AT LHASA

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Upon arrival at Lhasa, transfer to hotel -Lhasa, the capital of the Tibet Autonomous Region, lies on the Lhasa River's north bank in a valley of the Himalayas. Rising atop Red Mountain at an altitude of 3,700m, the red-and-white Potala Palace once served as the winter home of the Dalai Lama. Dinner. Overnight stay

DAY 09: AT LHASA

BF, D

Breakfast at hotel

Enjoy Lhasa Sightseeing Potala Palace, Jokhang Temple, Barkhor Street-The Potala Palace in Lhasa, Tibet Autonomous Region, China was the residence of the Dalai Lama until the 14th Dalai Lama fled to India during the 1959 Tibetan uprising. It is now a museum and World Heritage Site.

The Jokhang also known as the Jokhang Monastery is a Buddhist temple in Barkhor Square in Lhasa, the capital city of Tibet. Tibetans, in general, consider this temple as the most sacred and important temple in Tibet. The temple is currently maintained by the Gelugschool, but they accept worshipers from all sects of Buddhism. The temple's architectural style is a mixture of Indian vihara design, Tibetan and Nepalese design.

Dinner and Overnight at the hotel

#### DAY 10: AT LHASA

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Breakfast at hotel

Proceed for Lhasa Sightseeing Sera Monastery , Norbulingka , Drepung Monastery-Sera Monastery is one of the "great three" Gelug university monasteries of Tibet, located 1.25 miles north of Lhasa and about 5 km north of the Jokhang.

Norbulingka is a palace and surrounding park in Lhasa, Tibet, China, built from 1755. It served as the traditional summer residence of the successive Dalai Lamas from the 1780s up until the 14th Dalai Lama's exile in 1959. Part of the "Historic Ensemble of the Potala Palace", Norbulingka is recognized as a UNESCO World Heritage Site, and was added as an extension of this Historic Ensemble in 2001. It was built by the 7th Dalai Lama and served both as administrative centre and religious centre. It is a unique representation of Tibetan palace architecture.

Dinner and Overnight at the hotel

#### DAY 11: LHASA- DEPARTURE

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Breakfast at hotel

Check out and transfer to airport for flight to India

| DEPARTURE DATES  |                 |  |
|------------------|-----------------|--|
| APR 2019: 12, 19 | JUL 2019: 12    |  |
| MAY 2019: 17, 24 | AUG 2019: 15    |  |
| JUNE 2019: 5, 15 | SEP 2019: 12    |  |
|                  | OCT 2019: 4, 14 |  |

| CHINA                       |          |
|-----------------------------|----------|
| Adult on Twin Sharing basis | USD 1000 |
| Child with Bed              | USD 700  |
| Child no bed                | USD 590  |
| Single Supplement           | USD 380  |

# **OPTIONAL EXTENSION COST:-**

| TIBET                       |         |
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| Adult on Twin Sharing basis | USD 875 |
| Child with Bed              | USD 630 |
| Child no bed                | USD 390 |

# \*\* No tour leader accompanying in the Lhasa portion, only local guide will be available

**Note:** GST on the total billing amount will be applicable extra

#### **TOUR PRICE INCLUDES- CHINA:**

- # Hotel accommodation on twin sharing basis on suggested hotels or similar category
- # Transfer & sightseeing as per itinerary
- # Meals as per itinerary
- # Services of Tour escort / Local English speaking guide
- #High speed bullet train ticket: Shanghai- Beijing (2nd Class seat)
- #Soft Sleeper night Train Beijing-Xian
- #Daily tips
- #02 bottles of mineral water per person per day

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- # Transfer & sightseeing as per itinerary
- # Meals as per itinerary
- # Local English speaking guide
- #Soft Sleeper night Train Xian Lhasa
- #Daily tips
- #02 bottles of mineral water per person per day

# **TOUR PRICE DOES NOT INCLUDE:-**

- # International Airfare
- # China Visa
- **#Travel Insurance**
- # Any items of personal nature such as telephone bills, any medical expenses, laundry or for any item which are not specifically mentioned in the itinerary.
- # Any amount charged by the airlines for deviation of the tour by the passengers on his own.
- # Porterage at hotels, apartment, airports and seaports, train station, tips, wines, mineral water etc
- # Anything not specifically mentioned in "Tour Price includes" section.

# PAYMENT SCHEDULE:

1. BOOKING FEE At the time of Booking 25% of the tour price

2. FINAL PAYMENT 20 Days before departure Balance full payment (75%)

#### **CANCELLATIONS -**

As we book services in advance and are bound to honor the commitments as to payment to the suppliers, cancellation of services earmarked results in the Company losing money depending upon the time of communication of cancellation to the supplier and therefore, the cancellation schedule, which is based on the above amongst other factors becomes applicable on cancellation. A. All scheduled Citius Travel Solutions' Group tours and Individual tours, if circumstances make you cancel your tour, the cancellation

must be intimated to us in writing. As per the Booking Conditions of the Tour we are constrained to levy the following Cancellation Charges.

| CAN | CELLATION TERMS:              |                       |
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| i.  | 20 DAYS BEFORE DEPARTURE      | REGISTRATION AMOUNT   |
| ii. | 19-8 DAYS BEFORE DEPARTURE    | 50% OF THE TOUR COST  |
| iv. | 7-3 DAYS BEFORE DEPARTURE     | 80% OF THE TOUR COST  |
| v   | INCASE OF 2 DAYS OR "NO SHOW" | 100% OF THE TOUR COST |