

Frequently Asked Questions

Who/What is Citslinc?

Citslinc International, Inc. was established in June 1995 and operates out of Monterey Park, California. Leo Liu is the president of Citslinc. Mr. Liu has been coordinating tours to China for more than 15 years and has partnered with Chambers of Commerce since 2001. Each year more than 8,000 tourists visited China on Chamber tours such as this one.

Do I need to be a Newmarket Chamber of Commerce Member to go on the trip?

No, everyone is welcome to join us on this exciting adventure. However, the pricing is a special price for members (non-member rate is an additional \$200 USD).

What are the dates of the trip?

October 22nd – 31st, 2011

When do I need to commit to the trip?

July 15th, 2011 is the deadline for final registration and when the full payment is due. Written cancellations will be accepted until July 15th, 2011 for registrations received in advanced.

May I pay by credit card?

Yes, all payments are made through Travel Professionals International. If you would like to pay by credit card it's an additional 3% fee.

What travel documents will I need?

You must have a valid passport and a visa obtained prior to entering the country.

What about airport security?

The best information can be found at www.tsa.gov. You will find all the information as to what you may take on board an aircraft.

Do I need travel insurance?

Both medical and cancellation insurance are strongly recommended.

Do I need vaccinations?

While immunizations are not required for entry into China at this time, you may wish to check with your health care provider. You can also check the Centers for Disease Control Website at <http://wwwnc.cdc.gov/travel> or <http://www.voyage.gc.ca/>.

What is China's weather like in October? What should I pack?

The weather is typically between 15C and 18C and is usually 5 degrees warmer in the Shanghai area. Dress is "casual" and comfortable for touring but you may want to pack business attire if, you are planning to attend a business meeting. Pack light and plan on shopping later during the trip (especially in Shanghai).

How should I dress? What type of clothing should I bring?

Most importantly, dress so you are comfortable, especially shoes. We recommend layers of clothing so you can adjust to the weather.

What are the limitations on luggage? How many pieces and how much weight is allowed?

Each person is allowed two pieces of checked baggage, with a combined maximum weight of 70 lbs. However, no single piece can be heavier than 50 lbs. Each passenger may have one piece of carry-on luggage (which must fit in overhead bin or under a seat). Valuables, breakable items, travel documents and medications must be in your carry-on luggage. For domestic travel within China, luggage must be locked.

What are the guidelines on tipping?

The bus captain will collect about \$25 from each traveler on the first day for the combined services of the tour guide, the bus driver and all hotel personnel. Unless you request special services, you should not expect to tip anyone else.

Will I have the opportunity to travel outside of the tour group?

No, you may not leave the tour to travel or sightsee on your own except during designated free time during portions of certain days. You will be advised when those times are scheduled.

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