6 Days Xiamen Putian Fuzhou Tour
Valid Till: Dec 2018

**Duration:** 6 Days
This tour covers the ancient city of Fuzhou, famous Matsu Temple in Putian, and leisure holiday in coast island of Xiamen. **Tour departs everyday.**

Day 01 Arrive in Xiamen

Detailed Itinerary:

Arrival at Xiamen, airport pickup. Visit South Putuo Temple, coach tour on Coast Road, take photo outside Xiamen International Convention Center. You will have free time for the beach for the rest of the day.

Nan Putuo Temple

Situated on 515 Siming South Road, The NanPutuo Temple faces the sea. It is the most famous temple in Xiamen. The vegetarian Cuisine in Nanputuo Temple is something you can try for dinner tonight. Famous dishes include taro paste with dried seaweed, luohan (a kind of fruit used in Chinese medicine), corn with pine nuts, tempeh stuffed in bamboo, and roasted, marinated flowers.
Coast Road: Coast Road otherwise known as Huandao Road in Chinese. Is about as close to the ocean-front as you can get and the view is splendid.

Waterfront Plank: This Waterfront Plank is 6 kilometers long and stretches from Hulishan Fort, Pearl Bay Garden, Calligraphy Square, Zeng Cuo An Beach, Musician Square, Baishi Fort relics, Sun Bay Beach and Huangcuo Rock Beach.

This waterfront plank is divided into two parts. The waterfront bridge is built on shoreline cliffs, and the trail is built on beach. Enjoy your time here. You can rent a bike and ride on trails specially designed for you only!

Zeng Cuo An Beach: Zeng Cuo An area has attracted more and more people to visit. We recommend Red Armadillo for you to spend the rest time of the night on Zeng Cuo An beach. It servies the best Mexican food in Xiamen. The fusion of American chunky meats plus Mexican chili makes a wonderful combination for the Xiamen’s latest beach cultured food this year.

Attractions & Activities: Coast Road, Zeng Cuo An Beach

Meals: No meal

Selected Hotels:

Xiamen Hooray Hotel Deluxe

Day 02 Xiamen tour

Detailed Itinerary:
Take ferry to Gulangyu Island. Visit Shuzhuang Garden, Piano Museum, Sunlight Rock. Shopping on Dragon Head Road, the most busy shopping street in Xiamen. PM visit Overseas Chinese Museum, Egret Islet Park, Central Square, free time shopping on Zhongshan Road.

Gulangyu Island
It is renowned for its delicate natural beauty, ancient relics, and varied architectures.

Shuzhuang Garden
It is a tiny garden with style of mixture of Taiwanese and Japanese garden and features snaking paths, koi ponds and hidden zodiac sculptures.

Piano Museum
It displays a collection of over 200 pianos from different nations in the world, some of which are over a century old. When the Treaty of Nanking was ratified in 1842, British forced China to open its door to outside world, Xiamen is a thriving port city once again. More and more Europeans live in Gulangyu. The study of piano proved more popular in 1920's, and some of the country's most skilled musicians came from Gulangyu.

Attractions & Activities:
Meals: Hotel Buffet Breakfast, Chinese Lunch
Selected Hotels:
Xiamen Hooray Hotel Deluxe
Day 03 Xianmen to Putian (By coach)

**Detailed Itinerary:** Hotel breakfast, visit Jimei. Gulong Soy Sauce Culture Park. Take coach to Putian.

**Tan Kah Kee Memorial Museum in Jimei**
Jimei is the hometown of Mr. Tan Kah Kee, a patriotic overseas Chinese. Tan Kah Kee arrived in Singapore as a 17 year old in 1890 to help his businessman father and quickly became a prominent businessman, community leader, entrepreneur and philanthropist. He was very passionate about education and as a generous benefactor to schools in Singapore and China, had given large donations to education programs.

He set up the Jimei Schools (now Jimei University) and Xiamen University in China. At the invitation of the Xiamen authorities, over a hundred of his descendants gathered from all over the world on 21 October 2008 to commemorate the Grand Opening of the Tan Kah Kee Memorial Museum in Jimei and to celebrate Jimei High School’s 90th Anniversary.

**Attractions & Activities:**

**Meals:** Hotel Buffet Breakfast, Chinese Lunch

**Selected Hotels:**

Putian Dongfang Hotel Tourist
Day 04 Putian to Fuzhou (By coach)

Detailed Itinerary:

Hotel breakfast, visit Guanghua Temple, Wenfeng Palace Matsu Temple. Then take coach to Fuzhou, visit Lin Zhexu Museum and Three Lanes Seven Alleys. You will have free time to explore Fuzhou at night.

Fuzhou
Fuzhou is one of the largest cities in Fujian Province, the city has a history dating back to 5,000 BC. Fuzhou is well known for its Min Cuisine, one of the eight Chinese regional cuisines. Dishes are light but flavorful, with particular emphasis on umami taste, retaining the original flavor of the main ingredients instead of masking them.

Three Lanes and Seven Alleys
A typical example of city street system of ancient China. The Nanhou Street is the central axis, the original three lanes were in the west and the seven alleys are in the east. The lanes refer to Wenru Lane, Yijin Lane, and Guanglu Lane, whereas the alleys are Huang Alley, Gong Alley, Yangqiao Alley, Langguan Alley, Ta Alley, Anmin Alley, and Jipi Alley. As Jiqi Alley, Yangqiao Alley and Guanglu Lane have been reconstructed into driveways, now only two lanes and five alleys are preserved.

Attractions & Activities:

Meals: Hotel Buffet Breakfast, Chinese Lunch

Selected Hotels:

Fuzhou Apolo Hotel Deluxe
Day 05 Fuzhou City Tour

**Detailed Itinerary:** Today you will explore the natural scenery and traditional streets in Fuzhou. You will visit the **West Lake Park, Yu Mountain** and **Hualin Temple**, Riverside Culture Street.

**West Lake Park:** The oldest classical Garden in Fuzhou built more than 1,700 years ago. The area of West Lake Park is about 4 hectares and the water area is over 30 hectares, there are three islands known as Kuaihua Yu, Xieping Yu and the Yaojiao Yu. The Dragon Boat Races are held in West Lake during the Dragon Boat Festival every year.

**Yushan Mountain & White Tower:** Yushan Mountain is located in the center of Fuzhou's downtown area, it has been an attraction since China’s Warring States period (476-221 BC), has a number of historical sites, including a white tower, temples, platforms, wells, palaces and over 100 stone inscriptions.

**Hualin Temple:** Located on the southern slopes of Mount Pingshnan in the north of Fuzhou, It was built in 964, Its main hall is known as the oldest surviving wooden building in south China and was confirmed as an important heritage site under state protection in 1982. It is an important symbol of Sino-Japanese cultural communication, exerting great influence on Japanese architecture in 12th century.

**Attractions & Activities:** West Lake Park, Yu Mountain Scenic Area, Hualin Temple, three Lanes Seven Alleys

**Meals:** Hotel Buffet Breakfast & Chinese Lunch

**Selected Hotels:**

Jingcheng Hotel or similar local 5* Luxury

![Image of West Lake Park and Hualin Temple](image-url)
Day 06 Fuzhou to Xiamen (By coach)

Detailed Itinerary:

Transfer to Xiamen, visit Wuyuan Bay Wetland Park, Guanyingshan beach. Transfer to airport.

Wuyuan Bay Wetland Park

Xiamen Wuyuan Bay Wetland Park covers an area of 85 hectares, equivalent to half of Gulangyu island, it is Xiamen's largest wetland ecological park, known as the green lung of the city of Xiamen.

Attractions & Activities:

Meals: Hotel Buffet Breakfast, Chinese Lunch

Price per person in USD

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Inclusions

- Entire trip land transfer by coach.
• 5 nights accommodation in hotel with daily breakfast.
• Sightseeing tickets as listed on itinerary.
• Meals: 5 Chinese lunches.
• English speaking tour guide.
• City transfer between Xiamen, Putian and Fuzhou

Exclusions

• Tipping for Tour guide and Driver
• China Visa Fee
• Air ticket and airport tax.
• Personal expenses.
• Luggage handing tipping at hotel.

Remarks

1) Group requires a minimum of 6 people or more.

2) Child with bed or not: 90% of an adult fee.

3) Tipping standard for tour guide is USD30 (for whole group)

4) Tipping standard for driver is USD30 (for whole group)

5) Additional charge for accommodation for weekend is USD25 per person per night

6) Additional charge for accommodation for special holidays is USD35 per person per night. Special holidays include: Christmas, Easter, New Year, Labor Day Holidays from May 1-7, National Day Holidays from Oct 1 to 7.

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