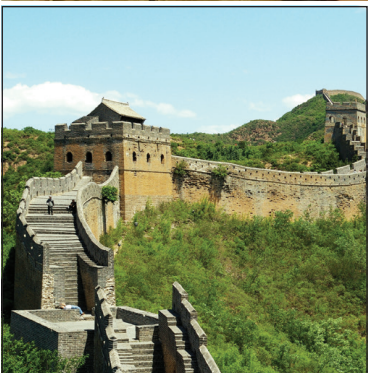
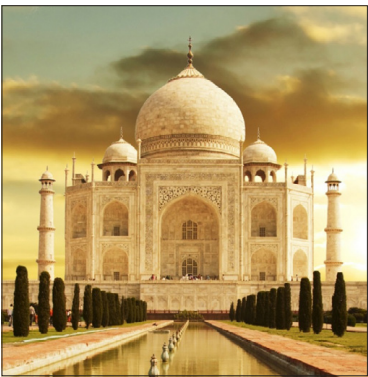


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# experience INDIA & CHINA

**An incredible 13-day tour!** Experience the majestic sights, sounds, and foods of the colourful cultures of **India** and **China** on this “bucket-list” tour which includes once-in-a-lifetime visits to the **Taj Mahal, Agra Fort**, and vibrant **Delhi**, as well as the **Great Wall, Forbidden City** and **Tiananmen Square**.



## TOUR HIGHLIGHTS

- Sunset visit to the spectacular Taj Mahal
- Visit to the iconic Great Wall of China
- Visit to the Bhartpur Bird Sanctuary, home to over 230 species of birds and one Asia's best bird watching sites
- Visit spiritual sites such as India's largest mosque, Jama Masjid, and the Sikh Temple of Gurudwara Bangla Sahib
- Tour of the stunning red sandstone Agra Fort, a UNESCO World Heritage site
- Rickshaw rides through the streets of Delhi and Beijing
- Visit to Beijing's Tiananmen Square, Forbidden City and Summer Palace

### Learn more at one of our info sessions:

November 15 – 5:15 to 6:00pm  
November 23 – 6:00 to 6:45pm  
December 24 – 9:00 to 9:45am  
December 08 – 5:15 to 6:00pm

Location: Burnaby Board of Trade Office (201-4555 Kingsway)  
To Register: Please call 604.412.0100 or email [admin@bbot.ca](mailto:admin@bbot.ca)

## TOUR DATES

April 7 to April 19, 2017

## TOUR PRICE

**\$2,620 CAD** – per person, sharing room  
Single room: additional CAD \$590

## TOUR PACKAGE INCLUDES

- Daily buffet breakfast and dinners as outlined in itinerary
- All sightseeing and tours in the itinerary via air-conditioned transportation
- Services of English speaking tour director
- International return airfare from YVR
- All accommodations
- All taxes and services fees

*For more information please contact Cory Redekop, Policy & Events Manager or join us at one of our information sessions.*



## TOUR ITINERARY

### DAY 01: DEPART VANCOUVER

Depart on overnight flight to India and enjoy in-flight meals and services.

### DAY 02: DELHI

You will be welcomed into Delhi today and escorted to your hotel. On arrival in the bustling city, a traditional welcome of Tikka Garland will be accorded along with a non-alcoholic welcome drink. **Overnight in Delhi**

### DAY 03: DELHI

Start your day with a visit to Old Delhi and Jama Masjid, India's largest mosque. Revel in an exhilarating rickshaw ride through the by-lanes of Chandni Chowk (Silver Street) before continuing on to New Delhi to see the colonial architecture that defined the British era in India. Next, travel to the Qutab Minar complex erected by first Islamic rulers of India and view the imposing, artistically carved sandstone pillar. End this day with a visit to the famous Gurudwara Bangla Sahib Sikh Temple. You can watch (and join if you like) the "langar," the group cooking and feeding program at the temple. **Dinner & Overnight in Delhi**

### DAY 04: DELHI – AGRA

Drive to Agra, the yesteryear capital of the Mughal Empire. Visit the Agra Fort and later enjoy a sunset visit to the Taj Mahal. Built out of white marble by Mughal emperor Shah Jahan in memory of his wife, the Taj Mahal is truly a sight to behold. **Dinner & Overnight stay**

### DAY 05: AGRA

Day at leisure. **Overnight at Agra.**

### DAY 06: AGRA – BHARTPUR

Late morning depart for Bharatpur – the birder's Paradise. Enroute, pay a visit to Fatehpur Sikri. This world heritage site is rated as one of the best preserved collections of Mughal architecture in India. Later continue to Bharatpur Bird Sanctuary, one of the finest bird parks in the world, and tour by bicycle or paddle rickshaw. **Dinner & Overnight stay**

### DAY 07: BHARATPUR – JAIPUR

This morning drive to the beautiful city of Jaipur – the "Pink City". On arrival, check into your accommodation and enjoy lunch at the hotel. Enjoy an orientation tour of city, beginning with a photo-stop at the Palace of Winds, built in 1799 for the women of the royal family. Next visit Jantar Mantar Observatory, an ancient stone astrological and

astronomical observatory. Continue to City Palace Museum, which has a priceless collection of antiques, costumes and armory.

**Dinner & Overnight stay**

### DAY 08: JAIPUR

This morning visit the majestic Amber Fort. Later pay a visit to Galta ji Temple—also known as the Monkey Temple—a large Hindu temple complex that is known for its large colony of resident monkeys.

**Dinner & Overnight stay**

### DAY 09: JAIPUR – DELHI

After a leisurely breakfast we will continue back overland to Delhi. On arrival in the city, you will be transferred to Delhi International Airport for your onward flight.

### DAY 10: DELHI – BEIJING – ARRIVAL

Early morning you will fly to China. Arrival in Beijing. Upon arrival, after meeting your guide, transfer to check in at hotel. Rest of day at leisure. **Dinner & Overnight in Beijing**

### DAY 11: BEIJING – FORBIDDEN CITY VISIT

After breakfast, take a walk through Tiananmen Square, one of the largest squares or plazas in the world. Continue on to visit the Forbidden City where the emperors of the Ming and Qing Dynasties once lived and which is now a great place to view traditional palace architecture and royal treasures. Then visit the Summer Palace, a vast ensemble of lakes, gardens and palaces. This UNESCO World Heritage Site dates back to the Jin Dynasty of 1153. **Lunch and Dinner at Local Chinese Restaurant & Overnight in Beijing**

### DAY 12: Beijing – GREAT WALL

Today visit the Great Wall of China, arguably the most famous image of China throughout the world and a must-see site. Later, gain an understanding of the importance of tea in Chinese culture when you visit a local tea house. Then explore the city with a rickshaw ride through the narrow streets of Old Beijing. **Dinner at Local Chinese Restaurant & Overnight in Beijing**

### DAY 13: Beijing – CANADA

Today you will be transferred to the airport to connect with your flight back home.

### BBOT TRAVEL PROGRAM

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