

If you stay in Shanghai for just 1 day (24 hours)

One day is too short for a city tour, granted. But don't worry, we'll bring you our top picks. First head to the People's Square in downtown for a glimpse of the city's dazzling modernity; a short dash from the square are the Bund and Lujiazui across the Huangpu River which are the city's landmarks. Chenghuangmiao and Xintiandi allow you to experience both the historic and chic dimensions of Shanghai...well, as time is limited, start your tour now!

FASHION
CHANGHAI

The Bund (Waitanyuan, Rockbund Art Museum) — Lujiazui (Oriental Pearl TV & Radio Tower, Shanghai Ocean Aquarium, Binjiang Avenue) — People's Square (Nanjing Road Pedestrian Street, Shanghai Urban Planning Exhibition Hall) — Yu Garden — Xintiandi

1 The Bund—Outdoor Museum of World Architecture, a window on the decadent Shanghai in the old days



This symbol of Shanghai is a showcase of the world's finest buildings of the 1920's and 1930's. Great for architecture aficionados who appreciate Roman, Gothic, Renaissance and Baroque architectural styles and neo-classical and decorative artistry.

Waitanyuan



History: Home to a raft of western style structures built from 1920 to 1936, Waitanyuan is the core zone reflecting the Bund's interesting past, a showcase of Shanghai's modernity.

Scenery Spot Sketch: A muster point of the world's big-name brands, fine dining and social life for the glitterati.

It's where Suzhou Creek and Huangpu River meet. To its north is South Suzhou Road, to its south Chongming Road, to its west Huqiu Road and to its east Zhongshan Road. Metro Lines 2/10

Rockbund Art Museum

History: This building constructed in 1932 once housed the Royal Asiatic Society. It provides interesting peeks into the cultural exchanges between the east and west in the 19th and 20th centuries, and is one of modern China's first museums. The building itself is a blend of both eastern and western architectural elements.

Scenery Spot Sketch: Today, it's often used to accommodate contemporary art exhibitions. *With the admission ticket of the day, one can have a coffee break or tea break on the 6th floor.



20 Huqiu Road, Huangpu District ☎ 10:00–18:00 (ticketing stops at 17:30; closed on Monday) ☎ 021-33109985 ☎ RMB 30 ☎ www.rockbundartmuseum.org

2 Lujiazui—A showcase of Shanghai's modernity

Oriental Pearl Radio & TV Tower



Architecture Sketch: The tower contains a pedestal, three sky poles, a lower sphere, a Middle Sphere and a Space Capsule from bottom to top.

Overview: The observation decks at different heights offer amazing skylines of the city.

Features: Added incentives include Shanghai Urban Development Gallery and a revolving restaurant. It sates your wildest tower fantasies.

1 Century Avenue, Pudong ☎ +86 2158791888 Metro Lujiazui Station of Metro Line 2 ☎ RMB 160 ☎ 8:30–21:30 ☎ www.opg.cn

Shanghai Tower



Architecture Sketch: With a height of 632 meters, the main building and tower crown of Shanghai Tower totals up to 121 floors and boasts of 9 vertical zones and 21 sky gardens. You can enjoy the view of the whole city from the top of Shanghai Tower, the new high point of Shanghai.

Features: a unique experience of "castle in the sky" by the world fastest shuttle elevator (with the highest speed up to 18 meters per second) through to the viewing deck at 119–119/F. The damper exhibition at 125–126/F brings you a view of technology over the cloud.

479 Lujiazui Ring Road, Pudong New Area Metro Line 2 at Lujiazui Station ☎ www.shanghaitower.com.cn

Binjiang Avenue

Overview: This 2,500-meter long riverfront avenue is a scenic breeze-filled promenade. On the other side of the river is the Bund of Puxi. Boats ply on the river.

Tip: When typhoon strikes in the summer, the section close to Dongchang Road is prone to be flooded.



Between Dongshang Road and Pudong South Road, Pudong

3 People's Square, Nanjing Road—Shanghai's most bustling commercial neighborhood



This ideally located public square is surrounded by many other attractions in close proximity like Shanghai Museum, Shanghai Art Museum, Shanghai Concert Hall, Shanghai Grand Theater, People's Park, Shanghai Urban Planning Exhibition Center Hall, hulky landmarks, department stores, Nanjing Road Pedestrian Street—all of which are worth a dedicated trip.

Nanjing Road Pedestrian Street



History: It was catapulted to fame in the 1920's and today is known as the "NO. 1 Street of China".

Overview: It is flanked by hundreds of boutique shops housed in beautiful buildings, including the time-honored brands like the First Department Store and Yongan Department Store as well as new additions such as Xintiandi and Bailian Shimao Mall.

East Nanjing Road Station of Metro Lines 2, 10

Shanghai Urban Planning Exhibition Hall

Features: Modern technologies are used to educate visitors on the city's past, present and future.

Overview: The first floor is dedicated, with many old photos and old maps, to Shanghai's history and the great changes that have taken place in the city. The 2nd floor is for temporary exhibitions.

The 3rd floor is a visual feast thanks to a scale model that reflects Shanghai's planned development.



100 Renmin Road, Huangpu District ☎ 021-63184477, 021-63722077 ☎ 09:00–17:00, ticketing stops at 16:00, closed on Monday except during public holidays like the National Day ☎ RMB 30 ☎ People's Square Station of Metro Lines 1, 2, 8 ☎ www.supep.org

4 Yu Garden—This is the core zone of old Shanghai; Chenghuangmiao's snacks are not to be missed.

This red-hot attraction of Shanghai is home to a whole myriad of Ming and Qing buildings, which, alongside Jiuquzao (Nine-Zigzag Bridge) and Huxinting (Mid-Lake Pavilion), exudes quaint charms of an time-honored neighborhood. Lotus flowers give off sweet scents. At night, people come here for trinkets and fine foods.



Yu Garden



History: This ancient property owned by a Ming dynasty official is the only Ming garden in the Old City.

Overview: With its pavilions, artificial mountains and lakes, it's widely advertised as an oasis of peace marooned in the urban bustle.

218 Anren Street, Huangpu District ☎ 021-63260830 Metro Yu Garden Station of Metro Line 10 ☎ 08:30–17:00 (ticketing stops at 16:40) ☎ www.yugarden.com.cn ☎ In high season, RMB 40/adult; (April 1–August 30, September 1–November 30) In low season, RMB 30/adult

5 Xintiandi

Xintiandi



Architecture Sketch: This modern leisure and entertainment neighborhood that has successfully utilized Shanghai's traditional homes known as Shikumen is stirring evocative of Shanghai's past.

Overview: You feel you are transported back in time, but culturally and historically imbued old homes have been turned into a hive of activity for diners, shoppers and entertainment and leisure seekers. Once you step into a door, the ambience of modernity is just overwhelming. Yesterday, today and tomorrow meet in Xintiandi.

181 Taicang Road, Huangpu District Metro Xintiandi Station of Metro Line 10

+ Other Recommended Attractions

Shanghai Museum

201 People's Avenue, Huangpu District ☎ 021-63723500 ☎ www.shanghaimuseum.net

Madame Tussauds Shanghai

10th floor, New World City, 2-68 West Nanjing Road, Huangpu District ☎ 021-63587878 ☎ www.madametussauds.com/shanghai

World Financial Center

100 Century Avenue, Pudong ☎ 021-50475101 ☎ www.swfc-shanghai.com

88th Floor Jinmao

88 Century Avenue, Pudong ☎ 021-50491234

Shanghai Natural History Museum

510 West Beijing Road, Jing'an District ☎ 021-63213548 ☎ www.snhm.org.cn

If you stay in Shanghai for two days (48 hours)

If you have more time, there's more for you to explore. Savor Shanghai's unique style. Wander some of the city's classic neighborhoods like "cultural" Shaoying Road, stylish Changle Road, nostalgic Duolun Road and snacks-filled Wujiang Road. Xujiahuiyuan is the place if you intend to know more about Xujiahui. Changfeng Ocean World and ERA—Intersection of Time are full of surprises.

FASHION STORIES

- DAY1** The Bund (Waltayuan, Rockband Art Museum) — Lujiazui (Oriental Pearl Radio & TV Tower, Shanghai Ocean Aquarium, Binjiang Avenue) — People's Square (Nanjing Road Pedestrian Street, Shanghai Urban Planning Exhibition Hall) — Yu Garden — Xintandi
- DAY2** Xujiahuiyuan (Xujiahui Cathedral, Shanghai Film Museum) — Tianzifang on Taikang Road — Duolun Road Cultural Street (Shanghai Duolun Museum of Modern Art) [Day1] See "24 Hours". On the first night, "Huangpu River Tour" is not to be missed.

1 Huangpu River Night Cruise

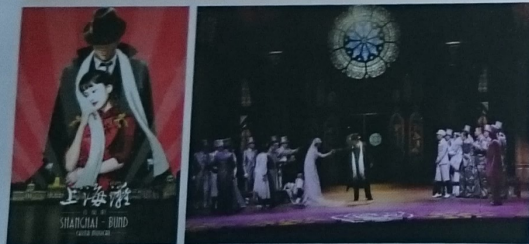
Huangpu River Tour from Oriental Pearl Radio & TV Tower



Huangpu River is the soul of the city. Have a boat ride on the river at night when the two banks are well illuminated. On one side is the Bund which is a reminder of Shanghai's decadent past and on the other, Lujiazui, which speaks volumes of Shanghai's modernity.

- ✉ Haihoufang Wharf, 1 Century Avenue, Pudong ☎ 021-58793883
 ☎ RMB 100-120 🚇 Lujiazui Station of Metro Line 2

Or the musical Shanghai Bund — a renaissance of music



In the illuminated and blurred night of Shanghai, enjoying the musical Shanghai Bund is not a bad choice. The legend of that time is told vividly through all performers, band, stage, lighting, and sound, etc.

Place: Yunfeng Theater

- ✉ 1700 West Beijing Road, Jing'an District ☎ 021-62660778 ☎ RMB 180-880 元

2 Xujiahuiyuan—the birth place of Haipai culture

Centuries-old Xujiahui is a blend of eastern and western cultural elements and the birthplace of what's known as Haipai culture. A walk in this oasis of peace is a trip back in time.

📍 Xujiahui Cathedral



Architectural Sketch: Known as "Shanghai's Vatican", this is a Gothic building of red brick walls, gray slate roof. White stone pillars and arched windows with mosaic stained glass.

- ✉ 158 Puxi Road, Xuhui District
 🚇 Xujiahui Station of Metro Line 1
 ☎ 9:00-11:00, 13:00-16:30 Monday to Friday,
 9:00-11:00, 14:00-16:30 Saturday,
 14:00-16:30 Sunday,
 admission not allowed at 10:30, 16:00

📍 Shanghai Film Museum

Overview: The facility helps visitors understand Shanghai's cinematic industry that has been around for over a century.

Features: Historical records, items, interactive exhibits and a 4D Cinema.

- 🚇 Shanghai Stadium Station of Metro Line 1/4
 ✉ 595 Caoyi Road, Xuhui District
 ☎ 021-64268666 ☎ RMB 60
 ☎ 9:00-17:30 (closed on Monday,
 admission not allowed after 17:00)
 🌐 www.shfilmuseum.com



3 Tianzifang on Taikang Road—all for art buffs

📍 Tianzifang



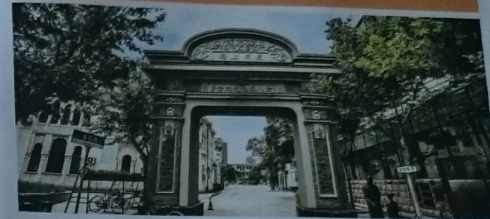
Architecture Sketch: This typical Shanghai neighborhood is the former site of some state-run factories.

Scenery Spot Sketch: Today, it's Shanghai's avant-garde art leader, with interesting art collections housed in old buildings. Take the load off your feet in your favorite food establishment after walking around.

- ✉ 210, 248, 274, Huangpu District 🚇 Dapuchao Station of Metro Line 9

4 Duolun Road Cultural Street—Shanghai's literary past

📍 Duolun Road



History: Formerly known as Darroch Road, which was named after an English missionary who had an audience with Qing dynasty's emperor Guangxu. The neighborhood is a great hangout for Chinese contemporary literature history buffs.

- ✉ Duolun Road, Hongkou District 🚇 Dongbaoxing Road Station of Metro Line 3

📍 Shanghai Duolun Museum Of Modern Art



Overview: The Museum is dedicated to the development of Chinese contemporary art.

Features: It's a platform for international exchanges on contemporary art.

- ✉ 27 Duolun Road, Hongkou District
 ☎ 021-65402003
 ☎ 10:00-17:30 (closed on Monday)

+ Other Recommended Attractions

📍 Changfeng Ocean World

This large theme park focusing on marine life has a remarkable collection of fishes. Marine life shows are also available.

- ✉ 510 Zaoyang Road, Putun District (within Changfeng Park)
 ☎ 021-62235501



📍 ERA—Intersection of Time

Acrobatics, dances, live music and the likes are presented on a stage of sophisticated multimedia technology to entertain the audience and demonstrate Shanghai's past, today and tomorrow.

- ✉ Shanghai Circus World, 2266 Gonghexin Road,
 ☎ 021-66521930



If you stay in Shanghai for 3 days (72 hours)

With 72 hours available, you can make a good plan of your Shanghai tour! Head out into the outskirts of the city for some off-the-beaten-path attractions. Like Shanghai's backyard, the outskirts possess unique oriental charms. Zhujiajiao is a typical southern China water town. Diaoyu impresses visitors with its ancient architecture and delicious food, and Sheshan National Tourism Resort makes you feel at one with nature.

A DISCOVERY JOURNEY

- DAY 1** The Bund (Waikanyuan, Rockbund Art Museum) — Lujiazui (Oriental Pearl Radio & TV Tower, Shanghai Ocean Aquarium, Binjiang Avenue) — People's Square (Pudong Pedestrian Street, Shanghai Urban Planning Exhibition Hall) — Yu Garden — Xintandi
 - DAY 2** Yujiaohu (Yujiaohu Cathedral, Shanghai Film Museum) — Tianchang on Talking Road — Dulan Road Cultural Street (Shanghai Doulun Modern Fine Arts Museum)
 - DAY 3**
 - A: A water-themed tour: Zhujiajiao & Shanghai Outlets
 - B: A mountain-themed tour: Happy Valley — Sheshan National Tourism Resort — Dianshan Botanical Garden
 - C: A wind-themed tour: Shanghai Auto Museum — Shanghai International Circuit Tourist Area — Zhongqiao Tourist Area
- *1 Day 2 || Day 3 See "48 Hours".

A water-themed tour

A1 Zhujiajiao—a typical southern China town



History: Water has earned this 1700-plus-year-old typical southern China town the name "Venice of Shanghai".

Overview: Streets flanked by myriad homes of Ming and Qing style stretch along crisscrossing waterways spanned by graceful arching bridges. Ancient attractions abound.

- ✉ Zhujiajiao Town, Qingpu District ☎ 021-59240077 📄 RMB 80 (all attractions and boat ride)
- 🚗 Shanghai-Zhujiajiao High Speed Line (Jinling Road, Pu'an Road, People's Square) 🌐 www.zhujiajiao.com

A2 Dianshan Lake

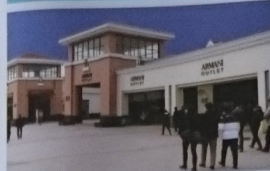


Overview: This 106-hectare scenic spot provides a dazzling backdrop of hills and lake for the city. In winter, plum blossom are in full bloom everywhere.

Features: Around the lake are five national attractions including the ancient town of Zhujiajiao, Shanghai Grand View Garden, Oriental Land, Shanghai Sun Island and Chen Yun Memorial Hall. Around-the-lake promenade, wetland park and rural tourism resorts add to the leisure atmosphere.

- 🚗 Getting there: Huzhu Line, Shangzhu Line; Drive Yanan Road Flyover — G50 (Huyu Highway) — exit at Xiqin Toll Gate — continue along Lianxi Road and turn right — Huqingping Road (Guodao 318)

A3 Shanghai Outlets — large discount shops worth a full day



Overview: This shopping complex brings together big-name international and domestic fashion brands offered at discounts as well as leisure, food and entertainment options. It is the largest brand retail venue in China.

Features: Small bridges and waterways make you feel you are shopping outdoors.

- ✉ 2888 Huqingping Road, Qingpu District ☎ 021-59756060

B A mountain-themed tour

B1 Happy Valley

Overview: This amusement park is a great project to explore the themes of "fun and fantasy". More than 100 attractions are strewn throughout the park's seven major areas, including Sunshine Beach, Happy Times, Typhoon Bay, Gold Mine Town, Ant Kingdom, Shanghai Beach and Shangri-la Woods, each with different themed zones. It offers 12 top-class attractions and over 10,000 seats. Major attractions include Diving Coaster, LeLe'e Chariot, Mega-Lite, Mine Train Coaster, Spinning Coaster and Wooden Coaster-Fireball, working visitors to a fever pitch of excitement.



Features: The spine-tingling roller-coaster ride is a must.

- ✉ 888 Linhu Road, Sheshan Town, Songjiang District ☎ 021-33552222 🕒 9:00-20:00
- 📄 RMB 230 🚇 Sheshan Station of Metro line 9 🌐 sh.happyvalley.cn

B2 Sheshan National Tourism Resort—Unwind for fresh air



Overview: Shanghai's only mountainous destination boasts breathtaking sceneries and cultural sites.

Features: It has 9 peaks and extends for a few kilometers.

- ✉ Sheshan, Qingsong Road, Songjiang District ☎ 021-57651666 🚇 Sheshan Station of Metro line 9

B3 Shanghai Chenshan Botanical Garden — the largest botanical garden in eastern China

Overview: It has various zones dedicated to the display and cultivation of plants from all parts of the world.

Features: Experience the charms of this oriental garden.



- ✉ Songjiang District, Chen Hua Road No. 3888 ☎ 021-37792288 🕒 8:00-17:30
- 🚇 Dongjing Station of Metro line 9 📄 RMB 60 🌐 www.csnbgsh.cn

C A Tour of Wind in Shanghai

C1 Shanghai Auto Museum—Cars in 100 Years, a Dream of Speed



Architecture Sketch: Composed of History Hall, Technology Hall, Brand Hall, Vintage Cars Hall and temporary exhibition hall, the Museum exhibits about 70 classical car types crossing over 100 years since the invention of cars.

Attractions: Driving simulation at 3/F can serve visitors a driving training in various environments such as on the highway, at the night or in rain and snow.



- ✉ 7565 Boyuan Road, Anting, Jiading District ☎ 021-69550055

🕒 9:30-16:30 (closed on Mondays), sale of tickets stops at 16:00

C2 Shanghai International Circuit Tourist Area

C1 Chinese Grand Prix, Wind Tunnel Flying, Kartworld—Experience of Speed in Cycle Racing



Overview: one of the race tracks of Formula 1 World Championship. The "上" shaped race track from an overhead view has a total length of 5,451.24 meters, and the whole stands of the venue can accommodate up to 200,000 spectators.

Circuit Parameters: Distance of race: 305.066 km; laps of track: 56; length of single lap: 5.451 km;

Fastest Record of Single Lap: 1:32.238 (2004, Michael Schumacher, Scuderia Ferrari).

- ✉ 2000 Yining Road, Jiading District ☎ 021-69569999

🕒 9:30-16:30 🌐 www.icsh.sh.cn

