

✈ Out **Manila** · China Southern Airlines

CHINA · 9 DAYS 8 NIGHTS

Tibet – Nyingchi – Lhasa – Shigatse 9D8N Classic Tour (No Shopping)

Classic Tibet via Guangzhou: Lulang, Basum Tso, Potala Palace, Jokhang Temple, Yamdrok Lake and Tashilhunpo Monastery, with oxygen support, 4-5 star hotels.



TOUR POSTER

TOUR RATE FROM

USD 1,988

per pax, twin sharing

DURATION

9 days 8 nights

HOTELS

7 nights 5★ · 1 night 4★

DEPARTURE

Manila (NAIA)

MEALS

Daily breakfast + 14 meals

FLIGHT

China Southern Airlines

TRANSPORT

VIP bus (Tibet)

BAGGAGE

23 kg + 7 kg carry-on

GUIDE

English-speaking

YOUR ROUTE



OUTBOUND

MNL → CAN

CZ3092 / CZ3477

12:00 – 14:40 or 06:35 – 10:30
local time

RETURN

LXA → CAN

CZ3464 / CZ397

13:25 – 19:15 or 14:15 – 16:50
local time

CZ3092 on Day 1 and CZ3477 on Day 2; CZ3464 on Day 8 and CZ397 on Day 9, with overnight stops in Guangzhou. Local times. Flight times are confirmed with your booking. +1 = arrives the next day.

Day-by-day itinerary 9 days 8 nights

DAY	CITY	ITINERARY	MEALS & HOTEL
DAY 01	Manila – Guangzhou	Manila – Guangzhou ✈ CZ3092 MNL – CAN 12:00-14:40 - Fly Manila to Guangzhou (CZ3092, 12:00/14:40) and meet the tour guide at the airport - Transfer to the hotel and check in - After dinner, free time to rest before the early flight next day (meals: X/X/D)	5★ hotel in Guangzhou ★★★★★ B L D
DAY 02	Guangzhou – Nyingchi – Bomi	Guangzhou – Nyingchi – Bomi ✈ CZ3477 CAN – LZY 06:35-10:30 - Simple packed breakfast at the hotel and check out - Transfer to the airport and fly to Nyingchi (CZ3477, 06:35/10:30) - Meet the tour guide at Nyingchi airport Lulang Forest Scenic Area Lulang Town - Transfer to Bomi, then to the hotel and check in (meals: B/L/D)	4★ hotel in Bomi ★★★★ B L D

Day-by-day itinerary *continued*

DAY	CITY	ITINERARY	MEALS & HOTEL
DAY 03	Bomi – Nyingchi BUS	Bomi – Nyingchi - Hotel breakfast and check out - Midui Glacier (scenic shuttle bus included). Midui Glacier is temporarily closed from October 1, with the reopening date subject to the scenic area's notice; it is replaced by Gawalong Glacier - Return to Nyingchi - Transfer to the hotel and check in (meals: B/L/D)	5★ hotel in Nyingchi ★★★★★ B L D
DAY 04	Nyingchi – Basum Tso – Lhasa BUS	Nyingchi – Basum Tso – Lhasa - Hotel breakfast and check out Basum Tso (scenic shuttle bus included) Lake Heart Island Tsozong Gongba Monastery - Follow the Lhasa-Nyingchi Expressway, admire the Nyang River views and proceed to Lhasa - Transfer to the hotel and check in (meals: B/L/D)	5★ hotel in Lhasa ★★★★★ B L D
DAY 05	Lhasa BUS	Lhasa - Hotel breakfast Potala Palace (interior visit) Jokhang Temple Barkhor Street - Complimentary professional photoshoot in Tibetan costume and headdress (10 raw photos and 3 retouched ones) - Optional: Princess Wencheng Show (general seats) + Lhasa sweet tea + Potala Palace night view, USD 80 per person (meals: B/L/D)	5★ hotel in Lhasa ★★★★★ B L D
DAY 06	Lhasa – Shigatse BUS	Lhasa – Shigatse - Hotel breakfast and check out Yamdruk Lake (viewing platform) - Distant view of Nyainqentanglha Snow Mountain Karola Glacier - Drive past Manla Reservoir - View the Zongshan Castle ruins from afar - Arrive in Shigatse, transfer to the hotel and check in (meals: B/L/D)	5★ hotel in Shigatse ★★★★★ B L D
DAY 07	Shigatse – Lhasa BUS	Shigatse – Lhasa - Hotel breakfast and check out Tashilhunpo Monastery (main highlight: the 26.2 m gilded Maitreya Buddha, the world's largest indoor bronze Buddha) - Transfer to Lhasa, then to the hotel and check in (meals: B/L/D)	5★ hotel in Lhasa ★★★★★ B L D
DAY 08	Lhasa – Guangzhou BUS / AIR	Lhasa – Guangzhou ✈ CZ3464 LXA – CAN 13:25-19:15 - Hotel breakfast and check out Zhaqi Temple (Temple of the Wealth Goddess) - Transfer to the airport and fly to Guangzhou (CZ3464, 13:25/19:15) - Meet the tour guide, transfer to the hotel and check in (meals: B/X/X)	5★ hotel in Guangzhou ★★★★★ B ✈

Day-by-day itinerary *continued*

DAY	CITY	ITINERARY	MEALS & HOTEL
DAY 09	Guangzhou – Manila BUS / AIR	Guangzhou – Manila - Hotel breakfast and check out - Transfer to the airport and fly to Manila (CZ397, 14:15/16:50) (meals: B/L/X) CZ397 CAN – MNL 14:15–16:50	Sweet home Back in Manila B L D

Meals: **B** breakfast · **L** lunch · **D** dinner · crossed out = not included. **Orange** = sightseeing stop · **bold** = shop visit included in the tour.

Quotation *per person*

TOUR RATE	PER PAX	NOT IN THE TOUR RATE	PER PAX
Adult & child with bed twin sharing	USD 1,988	Philippines travel tax USD 30 per person (collected with the tour fee)	USD 30
Child without bed / infant rate on request	Ask us	China group visa USD 40 per person (collected with the tour fee)	USD 40
		Tips for driver and guide USD 54 per person (USD 6 per day x 9 days, collected with the tour fee)	USD 54
		Single supplement USD 430 per person	USD 430
		Fuel surcharge estimated USD 75 per person (subject to change)	USD 75
		Optional Princess Wencheng Show + Lhasa sweet tea + Potala Palace night view, USD 80 per person	USD 80

Tour dates *2026 from Manila*

DEC Dec 17–25

Seats are limited and confirmed at booking.

What's covered

INCLUSIONS

- ✓ Economy round-trip airfare and tax with China Southern Airlines
- ✓ Baggage allowance: 1 piece 23 kg checked-in plus 7 kg hand carry
- ✓ Tour bus: 26-seat 2+1 VIP buses in Tibet, 37-seat buses in Guangzhou
- ✓ 8 nights' accommodation, twin sharing: 7 nights in 5★ hotels and 1 night in a 4★ hotel, with daily hotel breakfast
- ✓ Private bus with English-speaking tour guide
- ✓ Sightseeing as specified, including first-way entrance fees
- ✓ Meals: breakfast and 14 meals, including Cantonese cuisine, stone pot chicken, Tibetan cuisine, Bahe River fish, wild mushroom cuisine and Korean BBQ
- ✓ Welcome hada, on-board oxygen cylinder, 5 glucose drinks, 1 mini oxygen and 1 prayer wheel per person
- ✓ Daily oxygen concentrator supply and 2 bottles of mineral water daily

EXCLUSIONS

- Personal expenses such as phone calls and minibar
- Travel insurance
- Philippines travel tax USD 30 per person (collected with the tour fee)
- China group visa USD 40 per person (collected with the tour fee)
- Tips for driver and guide USD 54 per person (USD 6 per day x 9 days, collected with the tour fee)
- Single supplement USD 430 per person
- Fuel surcharge estimated at USD 75 per person (subject to change)
- Optional: Princess Wencheng Show + Lhasa sweet tea + Potala Palace night view, USD 80 per person

Optional tour *add to your trip*

Princess Wencheng Show

Princess Wencheng Show (general seats) + Lhasa sweet tea + Potala Palace night view

USD 80
PER PAX

Important notice *please read*

- Due to weather, traffic or other unforeseen circumstances, the order of some attractions may be adjusted according to visitor volume or road conditions.
- Midui Glacier is temporarily closed from October 1; the reopening date follows the scenic area's announcement. The visit is replaced by Gawalong Glacier.
- If attractions are reduced or other losses occur because of force majeure such as policy changes or weather, the travel agency is not liable; extra costs are borne by the guests and expenses already incurred are not refunded.
- If the hotels above are not available at your requested time, they will be replaced by similar ones.
- Guests should plan their free time sensibly to avoid delays.
- The itinerary, flight times and hotels are subject to final confirmation.
- No refund is given if guests cancel itinerary or accommodation arrangements during the trip, and tips must be paid in full for the number of days of the trip.
- The tour guide may sell souvenirs or local specialties on the bus; guests buy only if they wish.
- Meals: breakfast plus 14 meals, including Cantonese cuisine, stone pot chicken, Tibetan cuisine, Bahe River fish, wild mushroom cuisine and Korean BBQ.
- Collected with the tour fee: China group visa USD 40, Philippine travel tax USD 30, tips for driver and guide USD 6 per day x 9 days = USD 54, and fuel surcharge estimated at USD 75 (subject to change), all per person.
- Child categories: child with bed 2-11 years pays the adult rate; child without bed 2-11 years
- Philippine passport holders need a China visa; the group visa is not included (USD 40 per person)
- The driver may adjust the order of attractions because of weather, traffic or visitor volume
- If attractions are reduced or other losses occur through force majeure (policy changes, weather), extra costs are borne by the guests and incurred expenses are not refundable
- Hotels are subject to replacement with similar ones if not available

Where you'll go *17 steps*

- Lulang Forest Scenic Area**
A scenic forest and meadow area in Nyingchi with views of pine forest and mountains. **Day 2**
- Lulang Town**
A Tibetan-style town near Nyingchi set among forests, visited on the first day in Tibet. **Day 2**
- Midui Glacier**
A glacier in the Bomi area of Nyingchi; closed from 1 October and replaced by Gawalong Glacier. **Day 3**
- Gawalong Glacier**
A glacier in the Bomi area of Nyingchi that replaces the Midui Glacier visit while it is closed. **Day 3**
- Basum Tso**
A high-altitude lake in Nyingchi with a small island, reached by scenic shuttle bus. **Day 4**
- Lake Heart Island**
A small island in the middle of Basum Tso with a Tibetan monastery. **Day 4**
- Tsozong Gongba Monastery**
A monastery on an island in Basum Tso. **Day 4**
- Nyang River**
A river in southeastern Tibet whose valley views the tour enjoys on the way to Lhasa. **Day 4**
- Potala Palace**
The great hilltop palace of the Dalai Lamas in Lhasa, with an interior visit on this tour. **Day 5**
- Jokhang Temple**
A major Tibetan Buddhist temple in the old centre of Lhasa, a pilgrimage site. **Day 5**
- Barkhor Street**
The old market and pilgrim circuit around the Jokhang Temple in Lhasa. **Day 5**
- Yamdrok Lake**
One of Tibet's large sacred lakes, seen from a viewing platform on the road to Shigatse. **Day 6**
- Nyainqentanglha Snow Mountain**
A snow-capped mountain range in central Tibet, seen in the distance on the drive to Shigatse. **Day 6**
- Karola Glacier**
A glacier beside the road between Lhasa and Shigatse, visited at a roadside viewing area. **Day 6**
- Manla Reservoir**
A reservoir on the road to Shigatse, passed on the drive. **Day 6**
- Tashilhunpo Monastery**
A large Tibetan Buddhist monastery in Shigatse, home to a huge gilded Maitreya Buddha. **Day 7**
- Zhaqi Temple**
A temple in Lhasa dedicated to the wealth goddess, visited on the last morning. **Day 8**

Know before you go *China tips*

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

Tourist visa required

Philippine passport holders need a Chinese tourist (L) visa arranged before travel — our ticketing desk can walk you through the requirements. Passport valid 6+ months with blank pages. No vaccinations are required.

GETTING AROUND

Metro plus Didi

City metros are fast, cheap and signed in English; use the Didi app (with in-app English) for taxis. Your package covers airport transfers and a private coach on tour days, and high-speed trains link the cities.

MONEY

Renminbi (¥); go cashless

China runs on mobile pay — set up Alipay or WeChat Pay and link a Visa/Mastercard before you fly; they now work for tourists almost everywhere. Carry some cash as backup. Tipping is not customary. Budget roughly ₱2,000–3,500 a day for meals and extras.

LANGUAGE

Mandarin; little English

English is limited outside hotels, so keep translations handy. Useful words: Nǐ hǎo (hello), Xièxie (thank you), Duōshǎo qián? (how much?). Your guide translates throughout the tour.

WEATHER & WHAT TO PACK

Four seasons; check your month

Shanghai has hot, humid summers and cold winters; Yunnan (Kunming, Lijiang) is mild by day but cool at night and sits at altitude. Layers, a warm jacket, comfortable shoes, sunblock and a rain layer cover most dates.

CULTURE & ETIQUETTE

Mind the customs

Give and receive items with both hands, never stand chopsticks upright in rice, and queue patiently. Photography can be restricted at temples and official sites — follow the signs and your guide.

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