info@cits.com.cn +86-10-65222991

Shanghai Jewish Culture Tour - 1 Day

This Jewish-themed tour will let you to explore many Jewish heritage sites in Shanghai, including the Ohel Rachel Synagogue, the Ohel Moishe Synagogue and the Old Ghetto Allies. From 1850s to 1950s, Jews have left a tangible mark on the economic and development of Shanghai.

240-Hour Visa-Free Transit in China

China is implementing a 10-day (240 hours) visa-free transit policy. The transit program allows visitors who have existing flight bookings from China to a third country (region) to snag a visa on arrival at a Chinese airport (port) and stay for 10 days before departure. Hong Kong, Macao and Taiwan all count as third destinations.

Passport holders of 55 countries, including the United States and the United Kingdom, can enter visa-free through any of the 60 open airports (ports) in 24 provincial regions, covering popular tourist cities like Beijing, Shanghai, Xi'an, Chengdu and Guangzhou.

Read more about 240-Hour Visa-Free Transit in China.

Meanwhile, citizens from 47 countries can enter China visa-free for up to 30 days.

Date	Destinations	Attractions, Meals & Transport
1	Itinerary	**Ohel Rachel Synagogue, Peace Hotel, Ohel Moishe Synagogue, Old Ghetto Allies** **Ohel Rachel Synagogue** Built by Jacob Elias Sassoon in memory of his wife Rachel, the synagogue was completed in 1921. It is the largest synagogue in the Far East, and one of the only two still standing in Shanghai. In 2002, it was listed on the World Monuments Watch list of endangered buildings. **Peace Hotel** Original built as the former 'Cathay Hotel', the Peace Hotel is a crown jewel in Sassoon's real estate empire. The north building is called Sassoon House, which is the Fairmont Peace Hotel run by Fairmont Hotels and Resorts of Canada nowadays. **Ohel Moishe Synagogue** Built by the Russian Ashkenazi Jewish community in 1927, this synagogue lies in the heart of the 1940s Jewish ghetto of Shanghai. Today, it houses the Shanghai Jewish Refugees Museum, with exhibitions on the lives of about 20,000 Central European refugees who fled to Shanghai to escape the Nazis. **Old Ghetto Allies** The Old Ghetto Allies is an area of approximately one square mile in the Hongkou District. From 1941 to 1945, about 23,000 of Jewish refugees were restricted or relocated to the area, which was one of the poorest and most crowded areas of the city.

Tour Includes :

-- English-speaking tour guide service
-- Air-conditioned car or coach
-- Service charge & government taxes

Tour Excludes :

-- Hotel
-- Meal
-- Entrance fee
-- Tips for the guide and driver

About Shopping or No-shopping Tours

Since October, 2013, CITS offers truly alternative prices of tours with or without shopping. Exceptionally, some tours only have one type price, such as seat-in-coach, hiking, self-driving and luxury tours, etc. Click here know more details.