

## SUGGESTED (GENERAL) PACKING LIST

- Antibacterial hand sanitizer/wipes
- Surgical masks (optional for poor pollution)
- Backpack
- Books, magazines, journals and games (e-readers, etc)
- Camera and charger(s)
- Casual Clothing for 5-6 days (*laundry services will be minimally available in Beijing and Guilin*)
- Electrical adapters
- First Aid/Medical kit
- Guide book on China
- International Calling Card (also available in China ask your guide, if you are unable to use your cell phone)
- Kleenex or pocket sized toilet paper for public use
- Luggage locks (in some China airports)
- Mosquito repellent (spring/summer tours)
- Sunscreen
- Passport/money pouch or belt
- Personal hygiene products
- Shoes – 1-2 pairs comfortable/walking
- Small flashlight with extra batteries
- Snack Foods
- Travel clock (if you do not want to use your cell phone as a clock)
- Rain coat/poncho (seasonal)
- Variety of over-the-counter meds
- Zip lock bags
- Copies of your passport and visa page
- Cash to hold toddler panda (Cost: \$300-\$350/ person)
- Cash for tipping, souvenirs, extra meals not included in main tour costs, etc. (further information on page 4)
- overnight bag for the one night stay in Yangshuo.

### Important things to keep in mind:

This list is only a suggestion so be sure to determine your own needs and pack accordingly. You can buy most things in China. **Also, take into consideration that you will be traveling to many cities on the Heritage Tour so consider packing light!** Please note electronics (such as watches, calculator, mobile phone, laptop computer, portable video camera) with a Lithium Battery must be in carry on bags and the battery must have a clear label on it to state its own voltage or the volume. If there is no label, the Airport Security Staff in has the right to confiscate the battery.



### Things you don't need

- Bottled water (you can purchase in China)
- Dress Clothes (it is fine to dress casually throughout Heritage Tour)
- Keep in mind most hotels provide soap, shampoo, and hairdryers.

### Helpful Websites:

#### **Weather:**

- <http://weather.china.org.cn/english/>

#### **Luggage Restrictions In China:**

- China domestic flights allow one checked bag per person, up to 44 lbs. and one carry-on bag per person (no larger than 14"x 9"x 22").

#### **Adapter & Converter Information:**

- <http://traveltips.usatoday.com/electric-adapter-tips-advice-travel-china-24527.html>
- <http://www.rei.com/learn/expert-advice/world-electricity->