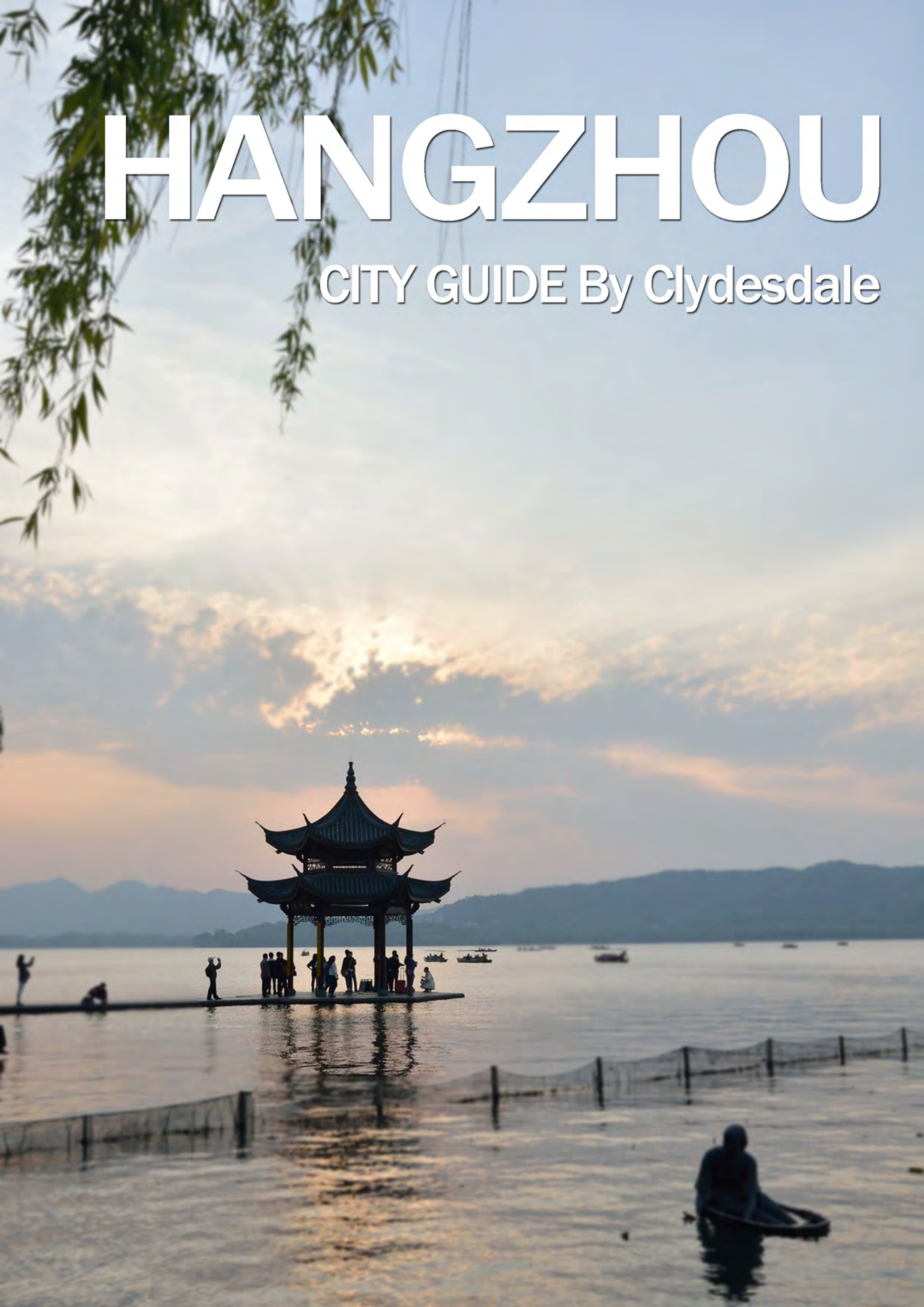


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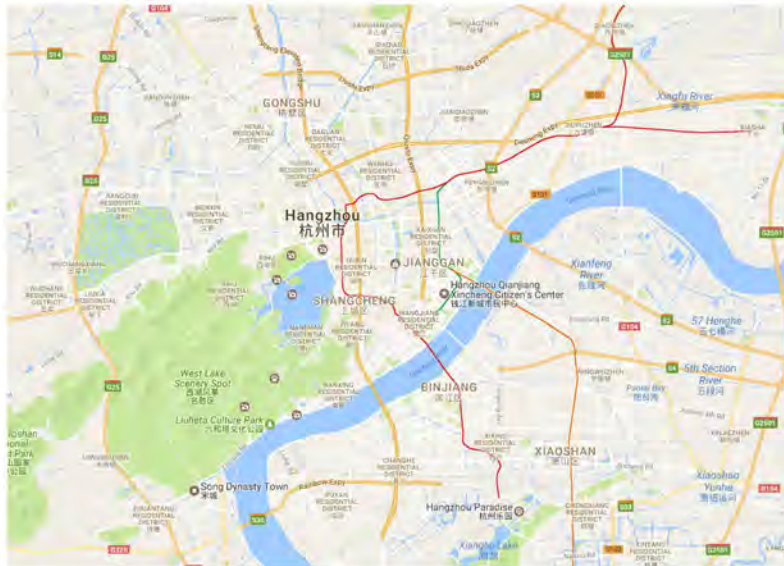
Location

Hangzhou is the capital of Zhejiang Province and the local political, economic, cultural and financial center. Hangzhou grew to prominence as the southern terminus of the Grand Canal (which runs to Beijing), the city is located on the lower reaches of the Qiantang River in southeast China, a superior position in the Yangtze Delta and only 180 km from Shanghai. It sits at the head of Hangzhou Bay, which separates Shanghai and Ningbo.



Hangzhou/Zhejiang located at Eastern China

Geography



HangzhouMap

Covering an area of 16596 km², Hangzhou has in total 9 administrative divisions with 6 of them being central districts (Shangcheng District, Xiacheng District, Xihu District, Binjiang District, Gongshu District, Jianggan District) and 3 of them being suburban district (Yuhang District, Xiaoshan District and Fuyang District). The six central urban districts occupy 683 km². The West Lake is its best-known attraction. City Center locates at the north-east to the West Lake.

Hangzhou Landmarks

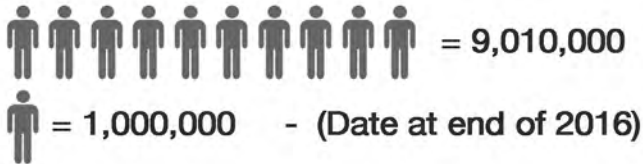


Leifeng Pagoda · Jixian Pavilion · West Lake · Global Center · Intl' Conference Center · Raffles City

History



Population



Industry

Hangzhou's economy has rapidly developed since its opening up in 1992. In 2015, the GDP in Hangzhou reaches 1000 billion RMB which is the 10th China city to have reached this GDP. It is an industrial city with many diverse sectors. The Alibaba Group, the world's largest online B2B portal and is the economic leader and icon of Hangzhou in the way leading the e-commerce industry of Hangzhou.

Climate

	rain	high	low
jan	2.9"	46°F (8 °C)	35°F (2 °C)
feb	3.3"	48°F (9 °C)	37°F (3 °C)
mar	5.4"	57°F (14 °C)	43°F (6 °C)
apr	5."	70°F (21 °C)	54°F (12 °C)
may	5.7"	78°F (26 °C)	63°F (17 °C)
jun	9.1"	84°F (29 °C)	70°F (21 °C)
jul	6.2"	91°F (33 °C)	77°F (25 °C)
aug	4.4"	89°F (32 °C)	77°F (25 °C)
sep	5.7"	82°F (28 °C)	68°F (20 °C)
oct	3.4"	73°F (23 °C)	59°F (15 °C)
nov	2.3"	62°F (17 °C)	48°F (9 °C)
dec	1.8"	51°F (11 °C)	37°F (3 °C)

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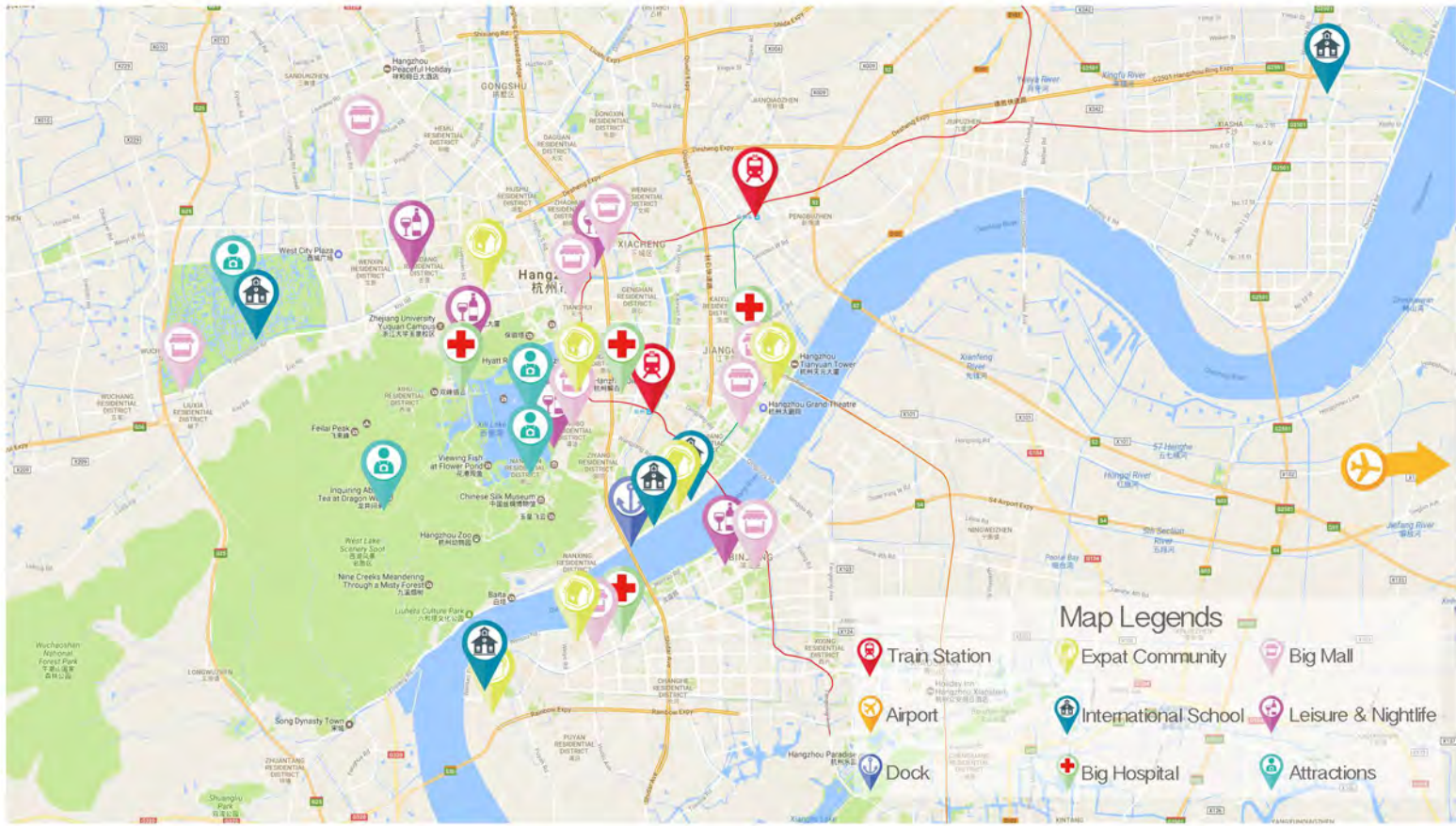


Qianjiang New City - The CBD area of Hangzhou

Hangzhou Maps



These maps will help you know better about the city of Hangzhou and help to plan travel whether by tube, bus or taxi.



Hangzhou English map regarding expat concerns.



Hangzhou High Speed Tran Network

Binjiang

area:

73 km²

population:

330 thousand+ (2015)

Main areas including:

Hangzhou International School Area

Rainbow City Area

Star Avenue Area



Binjiang is across the Qiantang River from West Lake and the older parts of Hangzhou. Like Pudong in Shanghai, it is a very modern, and rapidly developing, area that was mostly farmland until twenty years ago.

Originally divided from Xiaoshan City which later was combined into Hangzhou, Binjiang has three areas: Puyan, Changhe and Xixing.

Binjiang houses the Hi-Tech Industrial Development zone since March 1991, where a lot of big multinational corporations are headquartered like SUPOR, GEELY and Alibaba etc.

Binjiang is a big expat community in Hangzhou as it has the first international school - Hangzhou International School from 2002, since when the majority of the expat families choose to reside in Binjiang. It has been becoming more prominent in many aspects.



area highlights:

- 1) Hangzhou International School
- 2) Star Avenue Plaza
- 3) Xianghu Lake Scenic Area
- 4) Hangzhou Polar Ocean Park
- 5) Hangzhou Olympic Sport Center

Shangcheng

area:

18 km²

population:

350 thousand+ (2015)

Main areas including:

Hubin Area

Wushan Area

CLD (Central Living Area)



The district lies beside Hangzhou's famous West Lake and includes the territory of the former imperial Chinese cities of Qiantang and Lin'an, the imperial capital of the Song dynasty. Hangzhou's four imperial academies were located here. They were the Wansong Academy (now a park), the Ziyang Academy (now Ziyang Primary School), the Qiushi Academy (now Zhejiang University), and the Zongwen Academy (now Zhangzhou High School #10).

Shangcheng is relatively smaller in size but bigger in influence throughout history. There are lots of places of interests here and it stretches to the Qiantang River to the southeast.

The best Hangzhou compounds are located in this area like The Dreamland.



area highlights:

- 1) West Lake (East Bank)
- 2) Hefang Qing Dynasty Street
- 3) Drum Tower
- 4) Chenghuang Pavillion and Mount Wushan Plaza
- 5) Wahaha International School

Xiacheng

area:

31 km²

population:

534 thousand+ (2015)

Main areas including:

Wulin Square

West Lake Cultural Plaza

Chaohui Area



Xiacheng, literally meaning by downtown, is also one part of the Hangzhou city center and most important part of the city. It locates to the northeast of the West Lake and the grand Beijing-Hangzhou Canal goes through Xiacheng District. The best part of Xiacheng is that it is convenient and has access to basically everything: supermarkets, restaurants, public transports etc.

The most prominent two places are Wulin Square and Westlake Cultural Plaza. Wulin Square is one of the commercial center through history which houses Intime shopping plazas etc. West Lake Cultural Plaza houses Zhejiang Natural Museum and Science and Technology Museum.



area highlights:

- 1) Global Center
- 2) West Lake Cultural Plaza
- 3) Grand Canal
- 4) Wulin Square

Xihu

area:

263 km²

population:

837 thousand+ (2015)

Main areas including:

West Lake Scenic Area

Chengxi (West part of City)

Zhijiang Area

Xixi Wetland Area



Xihu District is named after the pinyin of the West Lake and covers the west and south part of the West Lake. The West Lake Scenic areas (the mountain areas like Longjin Tea Fields etc) are all included into Xihu District.

However, the Xihu District is much larger, it is the biggest district among the 5 old districts in Hangzhou and is also the most populated one.

Xihu District also houses another 5-A level scenic spot - Xixi wetland to the west of the city.

The Chengxi area (West Part of the city) is one of the earliest developed parts of Hangzhou, it houses the famous Zhejiang University and a lot of other famous universities in the Zhejiang Province.



area highlights:

- 1) West Lake Scenic Spots
- 2) Yellow Dragon Stadium
- 3) Xixi Wetland
- 4) Zhejiang University

Jianggan

area:

210 km²

population:

1020 thousand+ (2015)

Main areas including:

CBD area

Xiasha (HEDA)



Jianggan District sits at the east of Hangzhou and stretches east to Jiaxing City. The most famous two parts of Jianggan are Qianjiang CBD area and Xiasha (HEDA).

What Qianjiang CBD to Hangzhou is like Pudong to Shanghai. Within 10 years of development, the CBD area has become the political, cultural and commercial center of Hangzhou. The architecture of CBD is taking the Central District in Hongkong and Manhattan as example, to meet the international standards.

HEDA, Hangzhou Economical Development Area, is located at the east side of Jianggan District. Set in 1993, this area was the only economical development area intergrated with industrial development, export refinery, university convege and residential area. Lot of multinational companies are located in HEDA.



area highlights:

- 1) Qianjiang CBD
- 2) MixC mall and Raffles City
- 3) The International Conference Center
- 4) Hangzhou Grand Theater/
- 5) HEDA area.

Transportation

Here you'll find details of the various types of transport available, giving information on getting in from the airport and around Hangzhou.

The city's four main areas, Binjiang, Shangcheng and Jianggan, together with Xihu - are linked by bridges, elevated roads and tunnels. One of the best ways to get around town is by mass transit - an extensive system of public buses, taxis and subway trains.

By Air

Hangzhou is served by Xiaoshan International Airport, which is located in Guali Town, Xiaoshan District, on the south bank of Qiantang River, and some 27 kilometers to downtown Hangzhou. It is the first airport in mainland China that cooperates with other capitals- one of the World's Best Airports- HK International Airport. Especially, the airport has a 17.6km-long totally enclosed exclusive passageway to Hangzhou, and provides 160 lines including 120 domestic lines and 35 international lines. (2017).

Taxi or shuttle busses are available to transfer passengers between city center and the airport. The ride takes 40 mins to 1 hour. Commonly, it costs about 110-150RMB to take a taxi, and 25RMB by bus. It is necessary to take bus to the airport at least 2 hours ahead the take-off.

Xiaoshan International Airports provides direct service to many international destinations such as Thailand,



Japan, South Korea, Malaysia, Vietnam, Singapore, Taiwan, Netherlands, Qatar, and the United States. Regional routes reach Hong Kong and Macau.

By Train

Hangzhou is a significant railway terminal in Eastern China and a junction of four rails, Shanghai-Hangzhou, Hangzhou-Zhuzhou, Hangzhou-Ningbo and Xuancheng-Hangzhou.

The main station is the Hangzhou East Railway Station which is one the biggest rail traffic hubs in China. There are frequent departures for Shanghai with approximately 20-minute headways from 6:00 to 21:00.

Most other major cities in China can



also be reached by direct train service from Hangzhou. The other stations is Hangzhou Railway Station. Direct trains link Hangzhou with more than 50 main cities. Another train station is Hangzhou South in Xiaoshan District opening after renovation, which is planning to put back to use in 2017.

By Metro

Hangzhou has been known for long as a slow developer of metro system as the special geography of rivers and mountains. The first subway line entered into service in late 2012. And till 2016, there are only three lines under using. It is planning 10 lines before Asian Games 2022.

The fares for metro : 2 RMB for the first 4KM, 1 RMB for each additional 4KM within 12KM, and 1 RMB for each add-

Transportation

itional 6KM, and then 8 km.

Operation hours:

Workday: 6:00-22:40

More trains will be put into use during weekends and on National Holidays.



Metro Logo

By Bus

Newest data till 2016 is that there are in total 570 lines of buses which including 7 regular buses, electrical vehicles, double bus and trolley bus.

Bus Fare is from 2-5 rmb, and in March April October and November can enjoy half price.

Cards are available with a discount of 9% off for taking buses. And the cards can also be used for metro and renting public red bikes.

Hangzhou is the city of Alipay, some of the buses starts to have the scanner installed in order the passenger can use alipay to pay the fares.

There is discount policy in bus transfer in deduction of the second bus fare.

River Bus

Hanzhou River Bus starts operating from 2004 and till now has in total of 8 lines.

The water bus is more of a touring and cruising function than public transportation as it's under governing of water sightseeing bus company.

The fare is 3 rmb for each however the lines would be influenced by the unstable precipitation of the season.

By Taxi

For ordinary taxi (Passat, Sonata, Reg Flag), pricing starts at 11RMB (including 3 km), 3 kilometers after additional 2.5 RMB for one kilometer, and 8 kilometers after, additional 3RMB for one kilometer. In zhou, there is also a

kind of yellow electric taxis that especially eye-catching, which were officially put into practice only from 2011.

In 2014, a large number of new electric taxis produced by Xihu-BYD (Xihu (westlake) is a local company which is famous for television it produced in the past) were deployed.

Currently the alternative for taxi and which is easier than taxi is by using the Didi taxi app who bought Uber China and also Uber app. Both are under same charging standard now.



By Public Red Bikes

More than other cities in China, Hangzhou has developed itself as a sample of using public bikes. In total there are more than 56 thousand of public bikes put under rental.

There are two ways to rent the bikes, one is to get a public transport card which can be used for metro and bus as well. Another is to rent through the APP on which it has information about the locations of the stations and the availabilities. But not all stations are open for app renting.

Cost:

Free the first hour.

1 rmb for the second hour

2 rmb for the third hour

3 rmb for each hour after..





Attractions

- 1 Leifeng Pagoda
- 2 West Lake
- 3 Grand Canal
- 4 Linyin Temple (Temple of Soul's Retreat)
- 5 Song Dynasty Town
- 6 Qing Dynasty Hefang Street
- 7 Xixi Wetland

1 Leifeng Pagoda

The Leifeng Pagoda stands on Leifeng Peak of Sunset Hill to the south of West Lake, echoing the Baochu Pagoda in the north. It is the oldest colorful bronze pagoda in China.

At dusk, the colorful evening glow and green mountains are mirrored in the rippling lake, forming a picturesque scene renowned as "Leifeng Pagoda in Evening Glow", one of the top ten scenes of West Lake.

Leifeng Pagoda is associated with a touching love story between a white snake spirit and a mortal man.

2 West Lake

West Lake is a freshwater lake, divided into five sections by three causeways. There are numerous temples, pagodas, gardens, and artificial islands within the lake.



West Lake has influenced poets and painters throughout Chinese history for its natural beauty and historic relics, and it has also been among the most important sources of inspiration for Chinese garden designers. It was made a UNESCO World Heritage Site in 2011, described as having "influenced garden design in the rest of China as well as Japan and Korea over the centuries" and reflecting "an idealized fusion between humans and nature".

3 Grand Canal

The Grand Canal, about 1,200 miles long, is the longest and greatest man-made waterway in ancient China, far surpassing the next two of the world: the Suez and Panama Canals. With 27 sections and 58 historical sites, it was placed on the UNESCO's World Heritage List in 2014. Hangzhou is the start in the south, it contributed greatly to ensuring that the Chinese primary economy thrived in past dynasties. Boating on the old Canal is one of the best ways to get a panoramic view of the landscape of typical river towns in southern China, which include ancient dwellings, stone bridges of traditional designs and historical relics. Experiencing some of the local customs offers much delight to travelers. Tourists also have an opportunity to enjoy good food while appreciating the surrounding scenery.

4 Linyin Temple

Linyin temple is without doubt a premier showpiece in the West Lake environs and is notable also as one of the ten most famous



Buddhist temples of China. The presence of a temple on this site can be traced back to the Eastern Jin Dynasty (317 - 420AD) when, according to local legend, Huiji an Indian monk came to the area where he was inspired by the spiritual nature of the scenery to be found here.

5 Song Dynasty Town

Song Dynasty Town (Songcheng) is the largest theme park in Hangzhou, featuring the cultural characteristics of the Song Dynasty (960 - 1279 AD). Its layout and architectural style are based on the precious ancient painting, 'Along the River during the Qingming Festival'.

6 Qing Dynasty Hefang Street

Just several hundreds meters away from the beautiful West Lake, with an area of 13 hectares, the street is the only well-preserved part of the ancient city at when it was the center of politics, culture and commerce in the city. As a miniature of the city's long history, it is the best place to embody the historical and cultural character of Hangzhou.

7 Xixi Wetland

Xixi National Wetland Park is a rare urban wetland. with rich ecological resources, simple natural landscape and profound culture. It is the first and only wetland park in China combining urban life, farming and culture. It has not only broad open views, but also a variety of water views. Warm and humid, the area enjoys a comfortable climate featuring abundant precipitation and four distinct seasons.

Hangzhou's local cuisine is often considered to be representative of Zhejiang provincial cuisine, which is claimed as one of China's eight fundamental cuisines. The locally accepted consensus among Hangzhou's natives defines dishes prepared in this style to be "fresh, tender, soft, and smooth, with a mellow fragrance."

Hangzhou

Hangzhou is a culinary paradise with a large number of delicious dishes, and behind these dishes, there is always a beautiful story linked with a historic figure in Hangzhou.

West Lake Fish in Vinegar Gravy

West Lake Fish in Vinegar Gravy is a famous dish with traditional flavor. It is cooked with live grass carp. The fish needs to be put in a tank to starve it for two or three days, to let go the trash in its bowels and the smell of soil. The fire need to be strictly controlled when cooking it. In the 1950s, the best West Lake Fish in Vinegar Gravy was at Lou Wai Lou, Prime Minister Zhou has come here several times with foreign friends.



Braised Dongpo Pork

It is said that Braised Dong Po Pork was first made by the great litterateur Su Dongpo (Su Shi), he helped people in the flood in Xuzhou when he was the governor. In order to thank him, citizens send him plentiful pork when knowing that he was fond of that. Su Dongpo accepted the gifts and cooked them in his special way. He sent the cooked pork to the citizens, they were deeply moved by Su Dongpo.



Beggar's Chicken

It is said that this dish was first made by a beggar. One day, the beggar got a chicken but he couldn't cook it since he had neither cooking equipment nor seasonings. Finally he wrapped the chicken in clay and baked it. To his surprise, the chicken was very tasty with his cooking method.



Several hundred years have passed, the cooking process was well developed and this dish has then become one of the most famous local cuisines.

Fried Shrimps with Long Jing Tea Leaves

This dish originated from the Imperial Palace. It is said that Emperor Qian Long got some best Long Jing tea when he was on the royal visit. He brought the tea back to the Palace and the imperial cook made a dish with Long Jing tea and shrimps. When tasting the dish, Emperor Qian Long was very happy laer there was a dish called Fried Shrimps with Long Jing Tea Leaves in Hangzhou Tian Wai Tian Restaurant. The



dish is fragrant with both smell of Long Jing tea and shrimps, it had been one of the best local cuisines.

Sister Song's Fish Broth

Sister Song's Fish Broth has been popular

for more than 800 years. It is a world-famous traditional Hangzhou cuisine. It tastes as good as crab meat, and is lustrous in color, and creamy in taste.



Popular Hangzhou Cuisine Restaurants

(To name a few but not all)

Lou Wai Lou

No. 30, Gushan Road, Xihu

Grandma's Kitchen

Hangzhou Tower branch: 8F, Building B, Hangzhou Tower, No. 1, Wulin Square, Xiacheng
Hubin Road branch: No. 3, Hubin Road, Shangcheng

Long Tang Li

Hubin Yintai branch: Store no. A301, 3F, No. 258, Yan'an Road, Shangcheng
Longjing branch: No. 18, Longjing Road, Xihu

Zhi Wei Guan

General branch: No. 83, Renhe Road, Shangcheng
Gongbei branch: No. 1035, Shangtang Road, Gongshu

Green Tea Restaurants

First Branch: #83 Longjin Road, Xihu
Hubin Branch: #250 Jiefang Road, Shangcheng

Old Folk's Restaurant

First Branch: Building no. 2 of Hongda Hotel, No. 25, Jietansi Lane, Xiacheng
Gushui Street branch: No. 272, Xiawan Lane, Gushui Street, Gongshu

Wushan Roast Poultry Restaurant

Wushan branch: No. 62, Wushan Road, Shangcheng
Qingchun branch: 1F, Century Mart, No. 86, Qingchun Road, Xiacheng

The Hangzhou dining scene is composed of the local cuisine, western cuisine and cuisines from other parts of China, visitors' dining requirements can be fulfilled with thousands of available restaurants.

Shopping in Hangzhou is no longer limited to local specialties such as China silk, tea, and lotus root starch. Today modern offerings abound in various shops, stores, supermarkets, and plazas that crowd the commercial center.

Hangzhou

Where to buy

Featured Cultural Street

Cultural streets offer more traditional Chinese items and buildings, an ideal way to learn more about folk artwork and flavors and to find local specialties.

1. Qing Dynasty Hefang Street

Qinghefang Street, one of the most famous historic streets in the city, reflects features of the Southern Song Dynasty (1127-1279). Most preserved buildings are from the Ming and Qing dynasties. Strolling on this street, you will be attracted by the antique buildings and local crafts, such as silk parasols, brocades, noted Zhang Xiaoquan scissors and Hangzhou fans.

2. Southern Song Dynasty Imperial Street

With the discovery of the relics in the Southern Song Imperial Street of Zhongshan Road, the old street, with a full length 4.3 km and traversing from the north to the south in the center of the city, presents its 800 years historical changes to the public again. It combines these six factors, namely "restaurant, accommodation, transport, travel, purchases and entertainment", turning out to be the "No.1 Street with Best Life Quality in China".

This is an ancient street which has been recorded in The Travel Notes of Marco Polo. The old Phoenix Mosque of Tang Dynasty, the Imperial Ancestral Temple of Southern Song Dynasty, the Christian Drum-Tower, the former residence of John Leighton Stuart, sites of various banks of Zhejiang with Chinese and Western elements and a lot of featured resident constructions, together form the architectural styles with constructions of both ancient and modern times and with both Chinese and Western



vigor, vitality and fortune to the ancient street. This is a street with stories. Zhongshan Road combines the urban business with public art, presenting a traditional commercial street full of cultural elements. "Nine walls of the city of Hangzhou", "the first neighborhood committee", "four generations living under the same roof" and other statues are embedded in the lanes along the street.

This is a street rich in life flavor. As the oldest commercial street, it has complete business forms and is full of food and restaurants, arts and crafts. Traditional shops together with fashion shops bring new

Shopping Malls

Large-scale shopping centers with complete selections of dresses, commodities, food, books, home appliances, furniture, etc.

In Hangzhou, the big shopping areas are **Intime Malls, MixC Mall, Powerlong Mall, Incity Mall, Wanda Plaza and Raffles City** etc. They are opening in the busy areas throughout the city.



Supermarkets

Supermarket chains such as Carrefour, Metro, and Wal-mart with stores in all Hangzhou Districts.

Carrefour

-137 Yan'an South Road
-157 Jin Cheng Road

Metro

-355 Gen Shan East Road
-1459 Mo Gan Shan Road

Wal-mart

-132 Shu Guang Road
-588 Gu Dun Road

Century Mart

-3966 Bin Sheng Road
-1276 Jiang Hui Road

Others

IKEA

Home and furnishings.
-19 Qiaomoxi Road, Yuhang



Silk Market

The best place for purchasing silk is at Silk City, the biggest silk wholesale and retail market in the country with more than 600 silk enterprises dealing in a wide variety of pure silk fabrics, garments, handicraft articles, scarves, and ties.

-No.253 Xinhua Road

Longjing Tea Seller

Longjin Tea is not only famous for its unique green color, fragrant aroma, sweet taste, and flat appearance, but is also regarded as a health elixir.

If you are interested Meijiawu Village is the ideal place where you can buy teas as well as enjoy tea culture and the beautiful Longjin Scenic Area.



Wulin Road Women's Fashion

Wulin Road is a shopping paradise in the downtown area, is one of the fashionable centers featuring hundreds of shops and departments selling ladies' wear in various brands and styles.

As a commercial hub in the Yangtze Delta, Hangzhou always will have something more for you to discover.

As a modern metropolis, the nightlife of Hangzhou is vigorous and fascinating. Hangzhou is like a melting pot assimilating various cultures from various countries.

Hangzhou

Leisure



Tea Houses

Known as the capital of tea, Hangzhou has plenty of tea houses in different corners of the downtown area. These tea houses operate with their own cultural values and traditions. Around West Lake, there are lots of popular tea houses like Mener Tea House. Many of them also offer buffet food, especially snacks and fruits. Sitting in a tea house, sipping your tea while you enjoy the beautiful scenery is a great way to spend half a day.

Nice teahouses for example:

- Chenghuang Teahouse
- Hu Pan Ju (Lakeside Teahouse)
- Wen Ying Ge Tea House

Hangzhou Paradise Park

Whether you're looking for an escape from the smoldering heat, or just a fun day out with the whole family, this park offers an endless choice of summer fun.

Hangzhou Changqiao Polar Ocean Park

Hangzhou Polar Ocean Park, with an area of about 226,667 square meters, is one of the largest ocean parks in China as well as the largest ocean theme park in Eastern China.

Hangzhou Hello Kitty Park

30 min driving, Hello Kitty has got its own theme park in China, and it's the largest one yet. The newly-opened park is able to accommodate at least one million people a year.



Night Life

Yellow Dragon Stadium- West Lake Area

Yellow Dragon Stadium is the former previous sport center in the maturely developed area of Xihu District and around the area the big bars and restaurants and night clubs are housed.



Highlights:

- Asian Par Club
- VC lounge
- SOS club
- Banana Club
- 9 Club
- Queen club

Shuguang Road & Yugu Road

Shuguang road is the earliest bar street in Hangzhou and house dozens of bars here. Located at the north side of the west lake, it features serene scenery. Most of the bars and restaurants are quiet type.

Another attached to Shuguang Road is the Yugu road which at the south side of Zhejiang University Yuquan Campus connecting Qingzhiwu Leisure area.

Highlights:

- Old Captains Bar
- Traveller;s bar
- College bar
- Amigo Bar



Shuguang Lu is the best place for bars, but there's also a bunch of watering holes near Ming Town Youth Hostel on Nanshan Lu.

Nanshan Road

Nanshan Road locates at the east of the West Lake and is also a attractive place for bars and restaurants.

Highlights:

- Park 1999 Bar
- Eudora Station
- Slim's
- Paulaner Bräuhaus



Xihu Tiandi

Built in April 2003, Xihu Tiandi covers an area of 50,000 square meters (538,196 square feet), with 60 percent of it being a garden area. Xihu Tiandi is with a very relaxing atmosphere. The architectural buildings of Xihu Tiandi fully take advantage of modern and traditional elements: they are decorated with carved beams and painted rafters as well as white walls and dark gray roof tiles matching one another in tranquil elegance.



A number of cafes, clubs, restaurants, entertainment venues and stores are also available in Xihu Tiandi

Others

- Schanke
- Shares Bar
- Agelo's Italian Restaurants

Hangzhou is becoming more attractive to expats after G20 which made it known to worldwide.

Hangzhou



The government has been making increasing efforts, such as opening international clinics and international schools, to make the city more amicable for expat living.

Binjiang District

This area is one of the biggest expat communities in Hangzhou as it houses the biggest international school - Hangzhou International School and some of the biggest international companies in Hangzhou.

Ease Sky Plaza

Ease Sky Plaza located at the opposite of the Hangzhou International School and is considered the largest expat compound in Hangzhou. It is estimated more than 200 expat families are staying in this compound. Another reason for its being famous for expats is that it's decorated by Vanke Developer and it has the 4 bedroom layout. What's more it has an on-site clubhouse with an indoor swimming pool.



Rainbow City Area

Rainbow City Area is an area in Binjiang which is based with Rainbow City Compound but radiates to the nearby all compounds such as Beyond City, Shengyuanhuigu, Solar Apartment and Rainbow Luxury and Crystal City. This complex group is home to many expat families due to its convenient life and nice river view apartments.



Shangcheng District

Dreamland Area

Dreamland is by far the most recognized apartment in Hangzhou due to its quality and management service. Dreamland serves as the center of Hangzhou International School, West Lake Downtown areas and the workplaces of most multinational comp-

anies in Hangzhou. Wahaha International School is also next to it.



CBD Area

MixC Residence

Up above the big MixC shopping mall, the MixC Residence is with great convenience and superior location.

In this area there are also several other fancy expat compounds like The City Star, Oriental Royal. These compounds are mostly with quality and nice decoration and big layouts.



Xihu-Xiacheng-Gongshu

In Xihu, Xiacheng, Gongshu Districts there are also quite several nice compounds for expats, however, the expats are not converged into any single compounds in these compounds.

For example, Green Garden, Legend City, Deep Blue Plaza, Xixi Sincere Garden are all some famous compounds choice for the expats around these areas.



Hangzhou is promoting the establishment of International Clinics.

Hangzhou

8 international hospitals, 1-2 foreign funded hospital under expat management, 120 English doctors...With these figures, Hangzhou Government is making big plans to solve expat healthcare issue.

Sir Run Run Shaw Hospital

Accredited by the Joint Commission International (JCI), Sir Run Run Shaw Hospital (SRRSH) International Healthcare Center (IHC) offers the best medical skills, standards, and care Zhejiang has to offer. IHC of SRRSH has achieved a high reputation in Zhejiang Province through the efforts of our staff. The IHC is based on a primary care delivery model utilizing Family Medicine physicians supported by 32 clinical specialty physician services (including Dentistry and Ophthalmology). It is a multidisciplinary healthcare center that provides outpatient and inpatient services with international standards in an efficient and effective way. With an international patient-focused design, respect for different cultures, a pleasant environment and a modern facility with advanced technology, SRRSH IHC is your comprehensive healthcare destination.

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Anchor Health

Housed in Zhejiang Hospital at Linyin Road, Anchor International Healthcare Center (AIHC) joint venture with Zhejiang Hospital founds the International Medical Center of Zhejiang Hospital (IMCZH), which includes but not limited to out-patient (international doctors), in-patient, emergency, home visit (family doctor), transfer and health screening. All those services are accompanied by English-spoken doctors and nurses, and direct-deductible with a large number of international insurance partners. AIHC also provides education to domestic medical institutions for international healthcare.

Anchor has 7-days and 24-hours Home

visit, Emergency and Ambulance Services. Should you require medical attention or urgent care outside of the normal appointment times above, please call us in advance at (0571-8807 2705) so we can prepare for your arrival.

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American-Sino OB/GYN/Pediatrics Services

American-Sino OB / GYN / Pediatrics Services provides a comprehensive array of services for women and children by certified specialists from overseas and China. The hospital's multicultural healthcare team consists of staff members from Chinese, the US, Australia, Sweden, Poland, Israel, and Taiwan. They are dedicated to providing value-added and custom-tailored healthcare for women and children. ASOG cooperates with Harvard University in order to better understand and accommodate cul-

tural differences, as well as improve safety and quality of care. In a nutshell, the hospital is committed to high-quality, compassionate, and personalized care that meets international standards.

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Hangzhou Aima Maternity Hospital

Hangzhou Aima Maternity Hospital, located in north Hangzhou, is a private health institute that provides international influenced services, including Pregnancy & Birth, Family Planning, Child Birth Classes, Gynecology, Pediatrics and Men & Women Health Screenings. It encourage natural child and water birth and provide primary care for both mother and child, from prenatal check-ups to post-natal recovery. Its commitment to providing patients and their little ones with the best care is exemplified through our dedication to provide services in line with Joint Commission International and Baby Friendly hospital standards.

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To judge on a city's international level, the number international schools is a key indicator. In this level, Hangzhou is opening more international schools recently

Hangzhou

Hangzhou has 8 international schools that accepts only foreign passport holders. In addition, there are several schools also following foreign curriculum while also opening to expat kids.

Hangzhou International School

Hangzhou International School (HIS) was founded in 2002 by the International Schools Foundation.

Approximately 600 students from over 30 nationalities attend HIS in grades Nursery through Grade 12 (Ages 2-19). The school day begins at 8:00am and ends at 3:00pm. There is a robust after school activities and sports program available after school hours.

HIS has a full term of accreditation with the Western Association of Schools and Colleges (WASC) and is authorized to deliver the International Early Years Curriculum (IEYC), the International Primary Years Curriculum (IPC), the International Middle Years Curriculum (IMYC), and the International Baccalaureate Diploma Programme (IBDP). HIS graduates have been accepted and enrolled in top universities worldwide.

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Hangzhou Wellington College

Wellington College International Hangzhou offers a world-class international education for children of expatriate families from the ages of 5 to 18. In Pre-Prep and Prep-School, the College follows the English National Curriculum, which is enhanced through the cross-curricula International Primary Curriculum. In Senior School, pupils will complete the IGCSE and then choose to follow either the IB Diploma Programme or A Levels, depending on needs. With its reputation for high academic results and a wide-variety of co-curricular opportunities, the school couples with a strong pastoral care and wellbeing programme. In 2006, Wellington College in England introduced wellbeing as a core subject, a tradition continued in Hangzhou. This well-rounded approach to the overall development of pupils forms the core of the unique Wellington approach to holistic education.

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Wahaha International School Foreign Nationals School

Wahaha Bilingual School (WBS) is a private primary school Grades 1 through 9 founded in September 2014. WBS blends the very best elements of Chinese and Western education to create a unique curriculum that is dynamic, culturally rich and innovative.

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Basis International School Qianjiang

BASIS opens the BASIS International School Hangzhou in 2018 located in Jianggan District. It covers an area of 19.6k sqm and based close to Qiantang River. The school starts with K-9 grade students and a subsidiary of the BASIS GLOBAL. Managed by BASIS GLOBAL in the curriculum, students evaluation, faculty placements etc.

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RDFZ Kings College and Kindergarten

Founded through partnership between world class schools –The united RDFZ Group of Schools, and King's College School, Wimbledon (KCS), RDFZ King's College School Hangzhou aims to create a learning community which integrates the best of international and Chinese education. RDFZ's mission to provide differentiated education for the development of each student together with the holistic educational philosophy at King's underpin the ethos of our school.

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Greentown Yu Hua School

Exchange students in Year 10/Grade 9 to spend a year immersed in Chinese culture and language in IBMYP.

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