



EXTRAVAGANT YAK
TRAVEL COMPANY

Student Trip Series

BAMBOO: SUSTAINABILITY & SDG 15

5 DAYS



Who We Are

At Extravagant Yak, we believe that transformational student experiences demand an element of challenge. Whether students are connecting with locals or persisting with a hands-on bamboo project, our aim is to partner with schools in growing resilient learners.

In Partnership with AbuSolutely

Together with our sister-company AbuSolutely, we create hands-on learning experiences using bamboo. Materials science, design and art connect this sustainable resource with practical making and personal creative expression.

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We believe student travel should facilitate experiences that change lives.

Hands-on student learning in partnership with AbuSolutely.



Program Overview

Chengdu: Bamboo & SDG 15 is a five-day, hands-on student learning programme for school groups of 20-40 students. It combines design, craft, culture and nature in a low-altitude urban and rural setting.

Students explore bamboo through materials science, personalised bookmarks, bamboo-fibre T-shirt printing, “Bamboo & Ink” art, birdhouses, weaving and bamboo-bike preparation and assembly.

Program Highlight: Bamboo push-bikes will be donated to a rural orphanage or kindergarten following completion, along with personalized notes from students who made the bikes.

Student Learning

The programme connects wildlife and bamboo landscapes with sustainable land use, rural livelihoods and hands-on creative projects. Group rotations support deeper hands-on learning, cultural discovery and teamwork.





Sichuan Opera in Chengdu



Bamboo-fibre T-shirt printing

Trip Itinerary

Day 1. Arrive in Chengdu

MORNING | Flight arrival and lunch in the city.

AFTERNOON | Orientation and hands-on sessions.

Session 1: bamboo material science at the Urban location - compare bamboo tensile strength with steel, aluminium and carbon fibre, plus personalised bamboo bookmark making.

Session 2: bamboo as a sustainable resource and bamboo-fibre T-shirt printing as a souvenir.

EVENING | Sichuan Opera performance (6:00-7:30 pm); 7:30 dinner and hotel check-in by 9pm at the latest.

Accommodation: Chunxi Rd Hostel



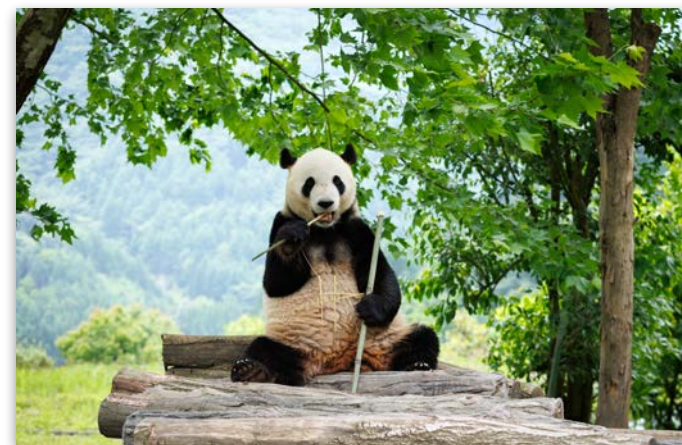
Day 2. Chengdu

MORNING | Guided visit to the Giant Panda Research Base to learn about the life cycle of pandas and the fragile nutritional value of bamboo alone as a life sustaining food source.

AFTERNOON | Chengdu Wangjianglou Park: “bamboo sea” visit to view dozens of varieties of bamboo (the most in all of China), followed by afternoon tea and a Tai Chi session with a master.

EVENING | Sichuan snacks tour and dinner; team building group activities

Accommodation: Chunxi Rd Hostel



Bamboo as food: Panda Research Base Guided tour



Wangjianglou Park bamboo groves + Tai Chi lesson





Bamboo birdhouses for urban reforestation



Learning bamboo weaving from a Master of the art!

Day 3. Chengdu: Bamboo studios

MORNING | Group A: bamboo studio at the villa - bamboo-bike material preparation. Group B: hands-on crafts at Urban - Bamboo birdhouses supporting urban reforestation.

AFTERNOON | Lunch, then groups rotate: Group A completes the Urban craft session with bamboo birdhouses while Group B moves to the villa for bamboo-bike material preparation.

EVENING | Dinner and step into Shu Kingdom ancient history at Jinli Old Street.

Accommodation: Chunxi Rd Hostel

Students will work in pairs of two to make the bikes at an urban studio



Day 4. Bamboo village / farm

MORNING | Bamboo village visit with learning about bamboo in construction application, further art expressions, hands-on bamboo weaving session with a local master.

AFTERNOON | Lunch and visit to a local organic farm to learn about farmland management and usage for sustaining healthy food.

EVENING | Dinner and friendly team competitions connected to bamboo or Sustainable Development Goal 15.

Accommodation: Chunxi Rd Hostel

Day 5. Chengdu / Depart

MORNING | Finish assembling all bamboo bikes; prepare charitable note to the rural orphanages and kindergarten for the donation of the bikes; take group photos of all projects.

AFTERNOON | Lunch and airport drop-off.



Planting organic rice with Mrs Wang



Completed Bamboo push-bikes for donation



Dates & Cost

Dates: Yours to Choose 5 Days
Cost: CNY ¥_____ /person*
*School groups: 20-40 students

Inclusive of:

- commercially licensed buses and airport transfers
- all accommodation based on double occupancy (4 nights)
- guides and teachers for studio projects and field trips
- all meals
- activities, materials, tools and entrance fees per the itinerary
- liability insurance (details provided upon request)
- detailed daily risk assessments and risk mitigation plans

Excludes:

- flight tickets to/from Chengdu
- medical and trip interruption insurance
- activities not included on the trip itinerary
- souvenirs, laundry, items of a personal nature

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