

2024 11-DAY SUMMER PD TRIP TO CHINA FOR TEACHERS OF CHINESE LANGUAGE AND CULTURE

SPONSORED BY GUIZHOU EDUCATION ASSOCIATION FOR INTERNATIONAL EXCHANGE & SPIRAL INTERNATIONAL

DATES: JUNE 11th – JUNE 21st, 2024 LOCATIONS: BEIJING, GUIYANG, KAILI, TONGREN

Trip Fee: \$2,800/teacher

- Includes all travel expenses (international airfare, in-land transportation in China, accommodation, meals, learning activities, ethnic cultural experiences, international travel insurance, etc.)
- Not include: Visa application and personal expenses.

Registration:

- This Professional Development trip is exclusively open to teachers of Chinese language and culture, social studies teachers and administrators who are interested in developing student service-learning trips to Guizhou, China.
- Teachers need to fill out an application form.
- Application deadline: January 30, 2024
- Contact person: Lauren Chapman, via email <u>admin@spiralinternational.org</u>. Or call: (802) 540-0305.

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	DATE	TIME	ACTIVITIES	LOCATION
D 1	6/11	Morning	Leave for China	
D 2	6/12	Afternoon	Arrive in Beijing	Beijing
D 3	6/13	Morning	Visit Forbidden City	Beijing
		Afternoon	Visit Temple of Heaven, Summer Palace	
D 4	6/14	Morning	Leave for a day trip to Great Wall, Spiritual Road, Ming Tomb (tombs of Ming Dynasty emperors).	Beijing/Guiyang
		Evening	Fly to Guiyang after the Great Wall.	
D 5	6/15	Morning	Guizhou Industry Polytechnic College, program opening ceremony, Meeting with leaders of Guizhou Education Association for International Exchange, GIPC, and other leaders and administrators, and introduce the 7-day PD program.	Guiyang
		Afternoon	Workshops on Guizhou ethnic cultural traditions and art crafts at Guizhou Institute of Light Industry.	
D 6	6/16	Morning	Visit Huangguoshu Waterfall	Guiyang
		Afternoon	Visit Balinghe Bridge and Bridge Science Museum	
D 7	6/17	Morning	Education Exchange activities at Zhongtian school: Lectures and workshops on Calligraphy, Chinese traditional painting, and classic music instruments, etc taught by Zhong Tian teachers.	Guiyang
		Afternoon	 Lectures/seminars on Chinese Classic Literature, such as Tang and Song Poem Appreciation, Chinese Opera, Guizhou local performing arts, etc Brainstorm on building student service- learning/exchange programs for the students of both countries. 	
D 8	6/18	Morning	Visit Guizhou Vocational Technology College of Electronic & Information and have lecture/workshop on local ethnic culture and art crafts taught by local teachers. Group discussion to explore future student service- learning/exchange opportunities.	Kaili
		Afternoon	Visit Xijiang Miao Village	
D 9	6/19	Morning	Visit Tongren Kinder Normal Junior College, downtown Old City of Tongren to experience local ethnic cultures.	Tongren
		Afternoon	Afternoon: Tour Fanjingshan	
D10	6/20	Morning	Visit Tongren Polytechnic College, experience local ethnic arts & crafts making, program closing ceremony.	Tongren/ Beijing
		Afternoon	Fly to Beijing	
D11	6/21		Return home	



2024 11-DAY SUMMER PD TRIP TO CHINA APPLICATION FORM

Application (2024-2025)					
Application Date:					
Teacher Information					
Name:					
The name of school where you work:					
Title/responsibility:					
Email Address:					
Gender: Male Female Date of Birth:					
Country of Citizenship:					
Passport Information:					
Passport Number: Passport Issued Country:					
Passport Expiration Date:					
Emergency Contact Person:					
Relationship to applicant: Phone Number: Email:					
Personal Information for Travel Wellbeing Purposes					
Do you follow any special diet? If so, please explain:					
Do you have any allergies? If so, please list them here:					
Is there any additional information you would like to give?					
School Information					
School name:					
School Address:					
Public School Private School – Day Student Private School – Boarding Student					
Brief Introduction of Your School:					