



Overview:

For centuries, the **Silk Road** was more than a trade route – it was a bridge of cultures, ideas, and friendship between China and Persia. Caravans full of silk, spices, and stories passed through Iran's deserts, gardens, and royal cities, leaving behind a heritage of art, architecture, and hospitality.

Today, this special journey reconnects you with that ancient path, linking the **Historic Silk Road** with the **New Silk Road**. Designed exclusively for Chinese travelers, the tour combines breathtaking sightseeing with a touch of **bleisure** – the balance of leisure and business. From the vibrant capital **Tehran**, to the poetic soul of **Shiraz**, the dazzling masterpieces of **Isfahan**, and the timeless charm of **Kashan**, you will walk in the footsteps of Silk Road merchants while experiencing Iran in a modern way.



Detailed Itinerary:

Day 1 – Arrival in Tehran: Gateway to the New Silk Road

Arrive in Tehran, the dynamic capital of Iran. After airport transfer, check in at your hotel. In the evening, enjoy a welcome dinner full of Persian flavors while meeting your fellow travelers. This marks the beginning of your Silk Road adventure.

Day 2 – Tehran Highlights & Cultural Encounters

Discover Tehran's cultural treasures: the elegant **Golestan Palace** (UNESCO), the bustling **Grand Bazaar**, and the **National Museum of Iran** with priceless Silk Road artifacts. In the afternoon, join a cultural exchange program, blending leisure and business opportunities in the spirit of **bleisure**. Evening free to shop or relax in a traditional teahouse.

Day 3 – Flight to Shiraz: City of Poetry and Roses

Fly to Shiraz in the morning. Visit the magical **Nasir al-Molk Mosque** (Pink Mosque), stroll through the fragrant **Eram Garden**, and explore **Vakil Bazaar**, once a vital stop for Silk Road caravans. End your evening with tea and traditional music in a cozy Shirazi house.

Day 4 – Ancient Wonders: Persepolis & Necropolis

Step into history at **Persepolis**, the ceremonial capital of the Persian Empire and a jewel of the Silk Road. Walk among grand palaces and carvings that once impressed traders and kings. Continue to **Naqsh-e Rostam**, where Persian rulers rest in monumental rock-cut tombs. Return to Shiraz for a relaxed evening.

Day 5 – From Shiraz to Isfahan via Pasargadae

Travel north, stopping at **Pasargadae**, the resting place of Cyrus the Great, the founder of the Persian Empire. Arrive in **Isfahan**, a city so enchanting it is called “Half of the World.” In the evening, stroll by the glowing bridges over the Zayandeh River, including the romantic **Si-o-se-pol Bridge**, once crossed by Silk Road travelers.

Day 6 – Isfahan: Jewel of Persian Art

Explore **Naqsh-e Jahan Square** (UNESCO), one of the largest and most beautiful squares in the world. Visit the **Imam Mosque**, the delicate **Sheikh Lotfollah Mosque**, and the grand **Ali Qapu Palace**. In the bazaar surrounding the square, watch artisans craft carpets, miniatures, and copperware – living traditions of Silk Road trade. Optional evening program for **bleisure networking**.

Day 7 – Isfahan to Kashan: Historic Houses & Gardens

Travel to **Kashan**, a charming Silk Road city famous for rose water, carpets, and architecture. Visit the elegant **Tabatabaei Historical House** with its delicate design and the lush **Fin Garden** (UNESCO), a masterpiece of Persian garden culture. Spend the night in a boutique hotel, experiencing the warm hospitality of Kashan.

Day 8 – Departure from Kashan

After breakfast, transfer directly from Kashan to the airport for your return flight to China. Take home memories of a journey that connected the **Historic Silk Road** with the **New Silk Road**, blending culture, leisure, and modern opportunities.

Table of Services for a 6-day Iran Tour

Included services

- Visa authorization number free on tour
- 5-nights' accommodation in 3 & 4 top quality hotels
- Full-time Experienced English-speaking driver guide
- All Airport transfers
- 5 Breakfast at the hotels
- Transfer during the whole sightseeing with private Standard Sedan
- Iranian Travel Insurance

Top 3 & 4*

- Tehran: 2 nights in Saina Hotel or similar
- Mashhad: 1 night in Atlas Hotel or similar
- Qom: 2 nights in International Hotel or similar
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Excluded services

- Visa stamp fee
- Entrance fees to the attractions
- Extra Meals
- Tips & Portages
- Extra costs for American, Canadian, and UK passport holders

Rate per Person in a double/twin occupancy

The fee of this tour per person in 2 pax in Double room is

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- ❖ Check-in time is at 1400 and check-out time is at 1200. Early check in and late check-out can be accommodated just by prior arrangement.
 - ❖ Full-day tour is usually 8 hours and a half-day tour is approximately 4 hours.
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- ❖ Cancelling services on tour do not result in getting a refund.
 - ❖ If a quoted hotel is not available, another hotel in the similar category will be replaced.
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- ❖ Small deviations in the itinerary are sometimes necessary, depending on weather, road conditions, flight/ferry schedules or cancellations and room availability.
 - ❖ In case the government changes presently applicable taxes, airlines prices, or fuel charge the rates will need to be adjusted accordingly.
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- ❖ While every effort will be made to maintain the itinerary, all schedules and itineraries are subject to last moment changes.
 - ❖ Checking the latest Covid-19 requirements and preparations are on the dear traveller.
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Payment process:

To start booking process, first we receive your visa documents and apply for your visa.

When your visa is approved, we need to start booking process so a contract including all details about the fee, the payment policy, and cancellation policy will be sent you. You need to sign it and send it back to us in 2 working days.

According to the contract, we need to receive 30% to 50% of the total fee to start booking and the rest will be paid in cash upon arrival.

Cancelation policy:

- If tourist cancels the trip before arrival when everything is booked, tourist must cover actual expenses of the Tour Operator as follow:
 - ✓ 30 days and more before the tour runs, 30 % of the whole cost
 - ✓ 30 days to 15 days before the tour runs, 60 % of the whole cost
 - ✓ 15 days to 48 hours before the tour runs, 80% of the whole cost
 - ✓ Less than 48 hours before the tour runs, 100% of the whole cost

Needed Entrance documents upon arrival:

Passeport

Visa & Travel Insurance

Vaccine card with at least 2 doses or a PCR test conducted within 72 hours before your arrival

Emergency contact details:

In addition to offering fabulous itineraries, we take pride in providing our clients exceptional customer service and support in a safe, comfortable, and hassle-free manner; from visa applications to airport transfers and local etiquette.

Our team is available around the clock to answer your questions, provide valuable advice, and ensure that your trip meets all your expectations and requirements.

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