



YANGZI EXPLORER

M.S. Yangzi Explorer



Luxury Yangzi River Cruise, China, 62 cabins

M.S. Yangzi Explorer has introduced a new standard of cruising in China. With the largest cabins and suites on the river, the highest crew to passenger ratio, and a commitment to environmental friendliness and sustainability, this is a cruise unlike any other.

Life aboard the spacious M.S. Yangzi Explorer is tranquil and unhurried. And with only 62 cabins, and fewer passengers than other boats, the journey is more relaxed and intimate.

ACCOMMODATION

With 62 cabins including 24 suites, M.S. Yangzi Explorer is the smallest and most exclusive ship plying the water of the stunning Three Gorges regions of China.

38 Deluxe Cabin	(31m ² / 333ft ²)
20 Suite Cabin	(39m ² / 420ft ²)
1 Jade Suite	(81m ² / 871ft ²)
1 Mandarin Suite	(81m ² / 871ft ²)
1 Celestial Suite	(110m ² / 1,183ft ²)
1 Imperial Suite	(110m ² / 1,183ft ²)

Connection cabins are available upon request

All cabins are equipped with: private balcony with seating area, personal electronic safety deposit box, mini-bar, hairdryer, air-conditioning, large LCD television with satellite channel and video-on-demand.

FACILITIES

Onboard facilities include a la carte dining, a luxury spa, an observation deck, 24-hour room service, a two-

floor theatre, library, espresso bar, gift shops, hair & beauty salon and well equipped fitness centre.

The ship is ideally equipped to host special groups. Two private rooms are available for that special dinner with family and friends, or as a conference venue with all necessary audio-visual equipment for meetings or lectures.

ONBOARD ACTIVITIES

Complementing the natural beauty of the Yangzi River is a rich programme of shipboard activities that highlight the remarkable wealth of China's vast cultural tradition. Tai Chi classes, Chinese cooking classes, and hands-on experiences of calligraphy and silk embroidery are just some of the engaging programmes available. Evenings feature live entertainment that includes the best of both East and West.



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The option of sailing from Chongqing to Yichang (4 days & 3 nights) or Yichang to Chongqing (5 days & 4 nights), you can experience China's past, present and the future.

Fengdu or Wanzhou

Fengdu - known as 'Ghost City' was believed in ancient times that it was a sacred Daoist gateway to the underworld. Today, visitors can enjoy town, and its temples and shrines.

Wanzhou - In this ancient river town, walk the narrow streets of old China. A trip to the countryside gives a glimpse of everyday life in the heart of rural China.



Shennong Stream

Crystalline waters, verdant forests and stunning riverine gorges provide an incredible backdrop for an experience aboard traditional sampans rowed by expert Tujia boatmen.

Three Gorges Dam Project

At one end of the Xiling Gorge is the largest construction project ever undertaken. While this feat of engineering demands attention, it does not detract from the magnificence of The Three Gorges.

DINING

A team of internationally trained chefs and a well-stocked wine cellar ensure dining aboard M.S. Yangzi Explorer is a superb experience. Innovative a-la-carte menus featuring the finest of Chinese and continental cuisine, served with complimentary house wines and other refreshments at all lunches and dinners, are hallmarks of Yangzi Explorer experience. The chef is always at hand to cater for particular dietary requirements, or a special dinner with family and friends in one of the private rooms.

ENVIRONMENT & RESPONSIBLE TRAVEL

M. S. Yangzi Explorer has been developed to minimise impact on the fragile Yangzi environment. With a commitment to operating in a responsible and sustainable manner, the ship is fitted with a technologically advanced sewage disposal system. The crew adheres to a rigorous recycling programme. No aspect has been overlooked in an effort to be environmentally sensitive – from bathroom amenities to how the ship runs, green is more than just a colour.

CHILDREN

No age restriction on children; however, adult supervision is required at all times for children under the age of 12. Children's programme is also available upon request. Activities include Chinese Opera mask painting, kite making, Mandarin lessons for beginners and much more. Other amenities include baby cots, high chairs, children's movies, books and board games.



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TECHNICAL INFORMATION

- | Gross Tonnage – 6,733 tons
- | Length – 91.5m (300ft)
- | Width – 16.4m (54ft)
- | Height – 17.6m (58ft)
- | Draught – 2.8m (9.2ft)
- | Passenger Deck – 5 decks

OTHER INFORMATION

On-board payments: No cash policy during sailing. All settlement will be calculated at time of check-out. All major credit cards (Visa, Master Card, American Express) accepted.

Electricity: 220 Volt (transformer available on request).

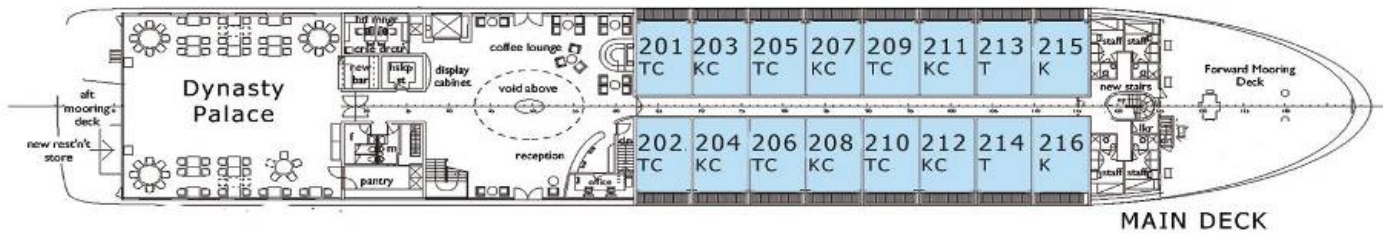
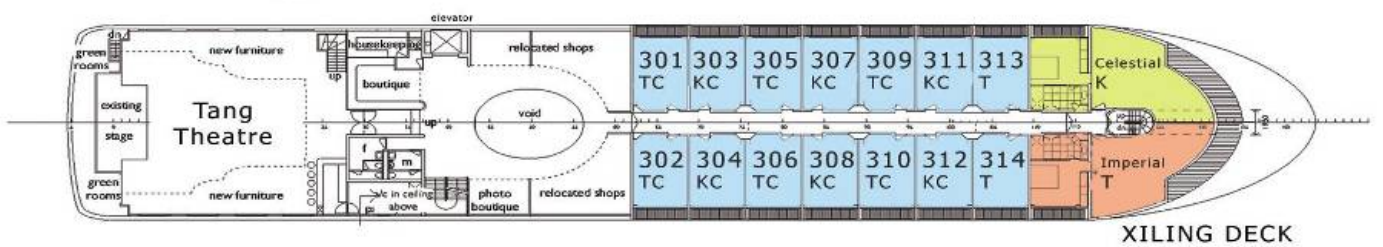
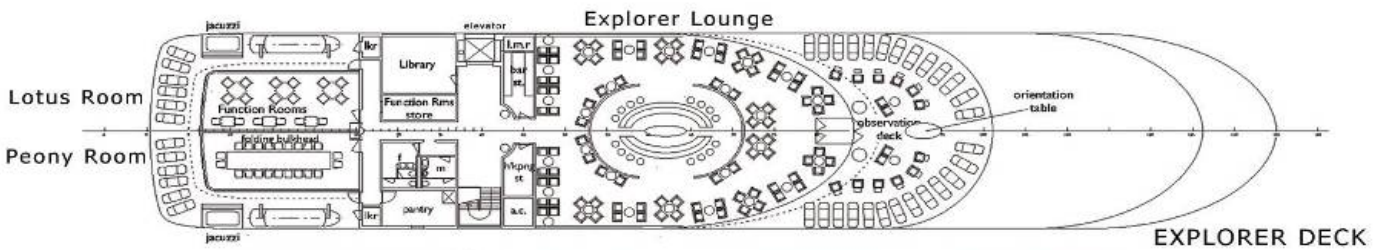
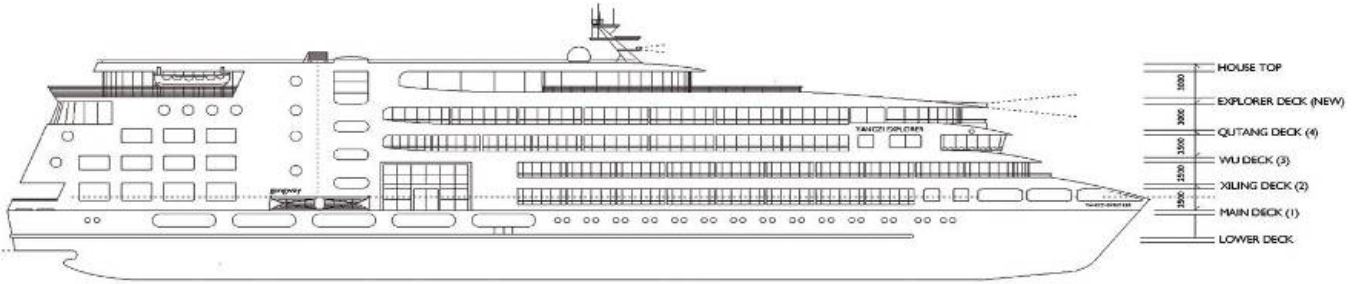
Dress Code: Cool and comfortable clothing. Jerseys and heavier jackets for spring and winter, light t-shirt and shorts during summer. Sturdy and comfortable shoes are essential.

Smoking Policy: Non-smoking in all closed areas.

Special Requests: M.S. Yangzi Explorer prides itself on providing a personalized service. Please alert us at the time of booking of any special requests, allergies, dietary requirements or medical conditions for us to better serve you.



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Deluxe Cabin (290 sq ft)
Suite (387 sq ft)

Mandarin Suite (732 sq ft)
Jade Suite (732 sq ft)
(Option: Mandarin & Jade connecting)

Imperial Suite (829 sq ft)
Celestial Suite (829 sq ft)
(Option: Imperial & Celestial connecting)

T - Twin Bed
K - King Bed
C - Connecting