

**Discover China**  
**2017 Summer Program-AASA/Triway**  
**Itinerary**

No	Date	Day	Activities
1	7/8	Sat	Washington DC-Beijing Flying to Beijing, Start the Discover China Trip
2	7/9	Sun	Arrive in Beijing, Check-in Hotel: Hubei Hotel Address: No.36 South Street, Zhongguancun, Haidian District, Beijing A briefing meeting about the program
3	7/10	Mon	Morning 9:30-11:30am Visit to <b><u>Beijing No. 18 Middle School</u></b> <b>Participants:</b> LIU, Xiaouu- Vice Principal; WANG, Zhiqing- Vice Principal; GUO, Xiuping- Teaching & Research Team Leader; FU, Jing-Director of Foreign Affairs Office etc. <b>Topics:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Introduction of the school situation, the basic education reform and characteristic, the education cluster situation, the international status and development of the educational group</li> <li>• Introduction of AASA and the Discover China team</li> <li>• Discuss and compare K-12 education between China and the United States, the professional development of teachers, curriculum system construction, student activities, and training of teachers, etc.</li> <li>• Visit to Attached Experimental Elementary School of No. 18 Middle School</li> </ul>

			<p>Afternoon</p> <p>2:30-4:30pm</p> <p>Visit to <u>The High School Affiliated to Renmin University of China (commonly abbreviated as RDFZ)</u></p> <p><b>Participants:</b> WANG, Hailing-Vice President; YAN, Yang-vice president; MI, Qi-teacher; MA, Xin-teacher</p> <p><b>Topics:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Review the basic education projects with AASA</li> <li>• Introduce the school, organizational structure, educational reform, internationalization, current situation and development prospects</li> <li>• Introduction of AASA and the Discover China team</li> <li>• Free discussion</li> </ul>
4	7/11	Tue	<p>Morning</p> <p>Time: 9:30-11:30am (TBD)</p> <p>Visit to the <u>Beijing Institute of Education (BIE)</u></p> <p><b>Participants:</b> HE, Jinsong- President and teachers etc.</p> <p><b>Topics:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Meet with BIE leadership team</li> <li>• Introduce BIE and it's experience in teacher training</li> <li>• Brief introduction of BIE's mission, organization structure, educational reform, globalization, and future development</li> <li>• Introduce Discover team members' experiences in teacher training, teacher's career development, and innovation and practice</li> </ul> <p>Afternoon: Culture Tour</p>
5	7/12	Wed	<p>Morning</p> <p>Time: 8:30-12:00am</p> <p>Visit to the <u>Beijing Shunyi Niulanshan No.1 Secondary School</u></p> <p><b>Participants:</b> <u>Niulanshan No.1 Secondary School :</u></p> <p>TIAN,Xianggong-Vice President, LI,Hui-Director of International Department.</p>

			<p>Niulanshan No.1 Primary School : YAO,Yuhe- President</p> <p><b>Topics:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Introduction of school, school mission, K-12 education reform, creative teaching, school characteristics, current globalization situation, and future development</li> <li>• Introduction of Niulanshan Elementary School</li> <li>• AASA'S sharing Home-school cooperation, teacher's training and hiring experience, K-12 teacher career development projects, and STEM teaching innovation and practice</li> <li>• Discuss and compare K-12 education system between China and the United States, the professional development of teachers, curriculum design, student activities, teacher's training, and other perspectives.</li> </ul> <p>Afternoon: Culture Tour</p>
6	7/13	Thu	<p>Morning</p> <p>9:30-11:30am</p> <p>Visit to the <u>China Education Association for International Exchange (CEAIE)</u></p> <p><b>Participants:</b></p> <p>SHEN,Xuesong- Deputy Secretary – General, CEAIE  WANG,Dinghua- Director of the Department of Teacher Affairs, Ministry of Education  FU,Bo and HUANG,Jing – teacher</p> <p><b>Topics:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Introduction of CEAIE and cooperation in basic education between China and the United States</li> <li>• Brief introduce current education system in China</li> <li>• K-12 education and teacher development in China</li> <li>• Discover team introduces the cooperation between the United States and China in K-12 education. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ STEM training, for example: 10 training sessions in Jiangsu Province Education leadership program</li> <li>➤ Teacher's professional training and career development AASA National Educator Conference</li> <li>Sister School Program introduction</li> </ul> </li> </ul>

			Afternoon: Beijing-Shanghai by high speed rail
7	7/14	Fri	<p>Morning</p> <p>09:30am-11:30pm</p> <p>Visit to <u>Shanghai STEM+ Research Institute</u></p> <p><b>Participants:</b> Director, Deputy Director and Secretary General of Shanghai STEM+ Research Institute, Director of International Project, Director of Curriculum and Teaching R &amp; D Department, Director of School and Teacher Professional Development etc.</p> <p><b>Topics:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Welcome</li> <li>• Introduction to STEM+ Education in Shanghai</li> <li>• Introduction of AASA <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➢ STEM training, for example: 10 training sessions in Jiangsu Province</li> <li>➢ AASA National Educator Conference</li> </ul> </li> <li>• Free discussion</li> </ul> <p>Lunch at Shanghai STEM+ Research Institute</p> <p>Afternoon</p> <p>Visit to No.2 Experimental Elementary School of Jinshan, Jinshan student Camp water training base and Jinshan farmers painting village</p>
8	7/15	Sat	Shanghai-Nanjing by high speed rail
9	7/16	Sun	Weekend break, sightseeing in Nanjing
10	7/17	Mon	<p>All day activities in Jinhua County</p> <p><b>Agenda:</b></p> <p><b><u>8:00-10:00am:</u></b> Drive to Jinhua County</p> <p><b><u>10:20-11:30am</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Welcome speech by GAO, Changping-Associate major of Jinhua</li> <li>• Introduction of the current K-12 education in Jinhua by DAI, Shucong-Education Department Director</li> <li>• Discover China team representative speech</li> <li>• Photo time</li> </ul>

			<p><u>11:40am-12:10pm</u>: Lunch</p> <p><u>12:20-13:50pm</u>: Visit to Jinhu Middle School, campus visit</p> <p><u>14:00-15:45 pm</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Field trips to different schools</li> <li>• Introduction of the school</li> <li>• Discuss sister school MOU</li> </ul> <p><u>16:00-18:20pm</u>: sightseeing</p> <p><u>18:30-20:00pm</u>: Dinner</p> <p><u>20:00-22:00pm</u>: Drive back to Nanjing</p>
11	7/18	Tue	<p>Morning</p> <p>09:00am-11:30pm</p> <p>Visit to Yuhuatai Senior High School</p> <p><b>Participants:</b> MU,Gengsen- President, ZHOU,Qian- Executive Vice President, WU,Wei- Director of International Department, LIU,Mei-Director of Foreign Exchange Office, GUO,Chao- International Department Office, YU,Yang and RONG,Lianjun-Teacher</p> <p><b>Topics:</b></p> <p><u>9:00 am</u> Participation in student community activities: stone painting, folk musical instruments, calligraphy</p> <p><u>9:30 am</u> campus tour , visit stone museum in Yuhuatai School</p> <p><u>10:15 am</u> exchange forum:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• welcoming speech by President Mu Gengsen and School Introduction</li> <li>• School Introduction in their districts by Delegates from U.S.A.</li> <li>• Free exchange about international exchange programs</li> <li>• Photo time</li> </ul> <p><u>11:30 am</u> Lunch time</p> <p>Afternoon: Program Summary</p>
12	7/19	Wed	Flying back to the United States