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Dear Colleagues,

At Dehong Education, we want to work with the best educators from around the world.

Everyone who works for Dehong Education believes strongly that students come first in every decision: from how we design our campuses to the many ways in which we inspire our staff to aim high for the children in their care.

Our aim is for Dehong students to become bilingual and above all bicultural young people who Graduate Worldwide, with the knowledge, skills and determination to make a positive, sustainable difference to China and the world. This is an ambitious vision which is being realised through the dedication, expertise and passion for education demonstrated by all of our staff.

As I walk around the Dehong schools I am struck by how happy our students are, busy and fully engaged in discovering new things about themselves and their world. Whether working with brushes to master calligraphy, programming robots or performing on stage, these wonderful young people are developing strong academic, social and personal skills, character and values. To see the many innovative ways in which our highly professional, caring and talented teachers create exciting opportunities for learning to take place is truly a privilege.

Our staff are collaborative and open minded and not only enjoy but thrive in this unique Chinese and international culture. They too are learners and researchers and through working closely with our students, families and the whole community they develop personally and professionally.

If the opportunity to work in this pioneering school appeals to you and you want to join us in making Dehong the very best International Chinese school then we certainly want to hear from you!



Lesley Meyer
Education Director, Dehong Education

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Dehong International Chinese Schools are designed for Chinese students and offer an academic programme comprising of the Chinese compulsory curriculum and the Dulwich College International educational philosophy and pedagogy. Our aim is to develop citizens of the world who embrace traditional Chinese culture, an open, flexible and inclusive mentality and flourish wherever they choose to study and live. The teachers in Dehong International Chinese schools come from many different cultural backgrounds and bring rich teaching experiences.

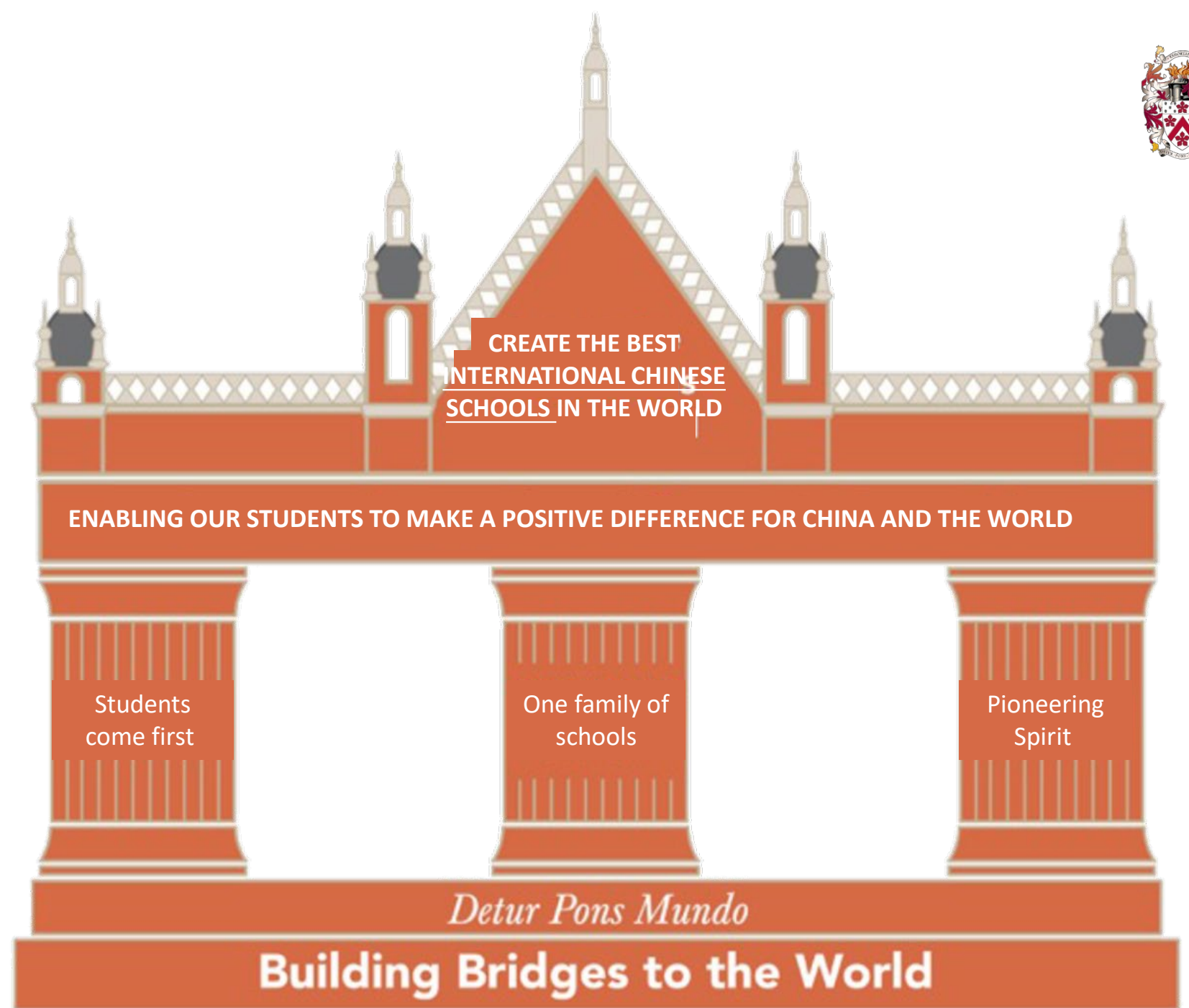
The name Dehong is made up from the elements of Dewei (the Chinese name of Dulwich) and 'the father of Chinese overseas students' Rong Hong (Yung Wing), who was the first Chinese student to graduate from Yale University. Rong Hong was also a pioneer in supporting Chinese children to study in the United States to assist in reforming their homeland. A direct descendant of Rong Hong co-founded Dulwich College International and Dehong Education.

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Vision & Mission

Dehong International Chinese Schools are sister schools to Dulwich College International schools.

The shared vision of Dehong and Dulwich College International is to create the best schools in the world. For Dehong, this means to create the best international Chinese schools, so our students make a positive difference for China and the world.





PART. 02

Dulwich College International & Dehong Education

The Dulwich College International family of schools has grown to ten schools in seven cities and four countries in Asia. In 2018, nearly 9,000 students were enrolled and began their Dulwich College International experience. In addition to achieving academic excellence, students also participate in arts and sports programmes. Their academics and extracurricular activities provide experiences that put them one step ahead of many of their peers around the world.

The founding school of Dulwich College International schools is Dulwich College. Dating back to 1619, Dulwich College is one of the UK's oldest independent schools, and it has a long history of academic excellence, innovation and respect for tradition.

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Dehong: Sister schools of Dulwich College International

Dehong schools benefit from the Dulwich College International global resources, including outstanding university counselling, a Shakespeare Festival, the Diversity Project, SE21 Learning Hubs, and invitations to attend the Dulwich Olympiad and much, much more.

Education

- Dehong Education engages with the Dulwich College International Education Team on curriculum design, focusing on the non-Chinese National Curriculum lessons.
- The Dulwich College International Education Team visits Dehong Education schools to observe lessons and provide feedback.
- The Dulwich College International Education Team supports and advises in the recruitment of Dehong Education school academic staff (expatriate and local teachers)

Dulwich London's Role

- DCL Deputy Master External (DME) will visit the Dehong schools once a year. During the visit, DME may observe classes taught in English, interact with Dehong teachers and students, and visit some of the many extra-curricular activities on offer.



PART. 03

Dehong Xi'an International Chinese School is a Chinese owned School offering a 12-year education to Chinese nationals. Combining the strengths of eastern and western educational pedagogies Dehong schools provide current and future generations of Chinese nationals with modern and progressive educational opportunities in China, leading to established pathways to the top universities worldwide.

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Designed by international architects and enhanced by DCI's experience in pioneering the development of 21st Century international schools, the Dehong Xi'an campus will provide first-class facilities integrating collaborative learning spaces with areas dedicated to performing arts, sports, STEAM and innovation. A Grade 1-12 School, with capacity for 6-forms of entry, the campus facilities will be for 2,000 students. Boarding houses will enable over 500 students to reside within the campus. The campus is located in the Qujiang New District area of Xi'an, this area is renowned as Xi'an premier residential and commercial district.

Dehong Xi'an opened in September 2019 as an Elementary School, located on a purpose-built plot. The local developer has two additional plots of land on which we plan to cooperate to build a purpose-designed Kindergarten on one, and a Secondary School on the other. This phased approach has been utilized to great effect by DCI in its development of the six campuses in China, and four campuses across South Korea, Singapore and Myanmar.



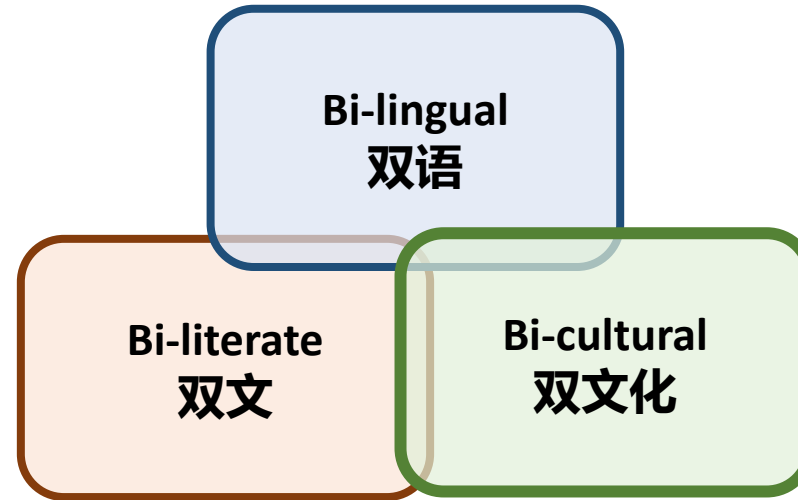
Students Come First

All Dehong staff believe in our principles: Students come first, One Family of Schools, Pioneering Spirit. These are used to guide our day-to-day actions. The curriculum is developed as a collaborative framework to provide an outstanding, well-balanced programme encompassing the Chinese compulsory curriculum and a progressive, inquiry-based and holistic international education. Our ambition is that every Dehong student is instilled with pride in their own culture whilst benefitting from a curriculum that advocates the importance of developing global perspectives.





Dehong students are



Bi-lingual

Communicate fluently in both Chinese and English and, in daily communication, switch easily between the languages.

Bi-literate

Can read and write fluently in Chinese and English, they enjoy the act of reading and the art of writing in both languages.

Bi-cultural

Understand and adapt to the cultural differences between the East and the West with tolerance and openness, enabling them to realise their potential in two cultures.

The Dehong Curriculum



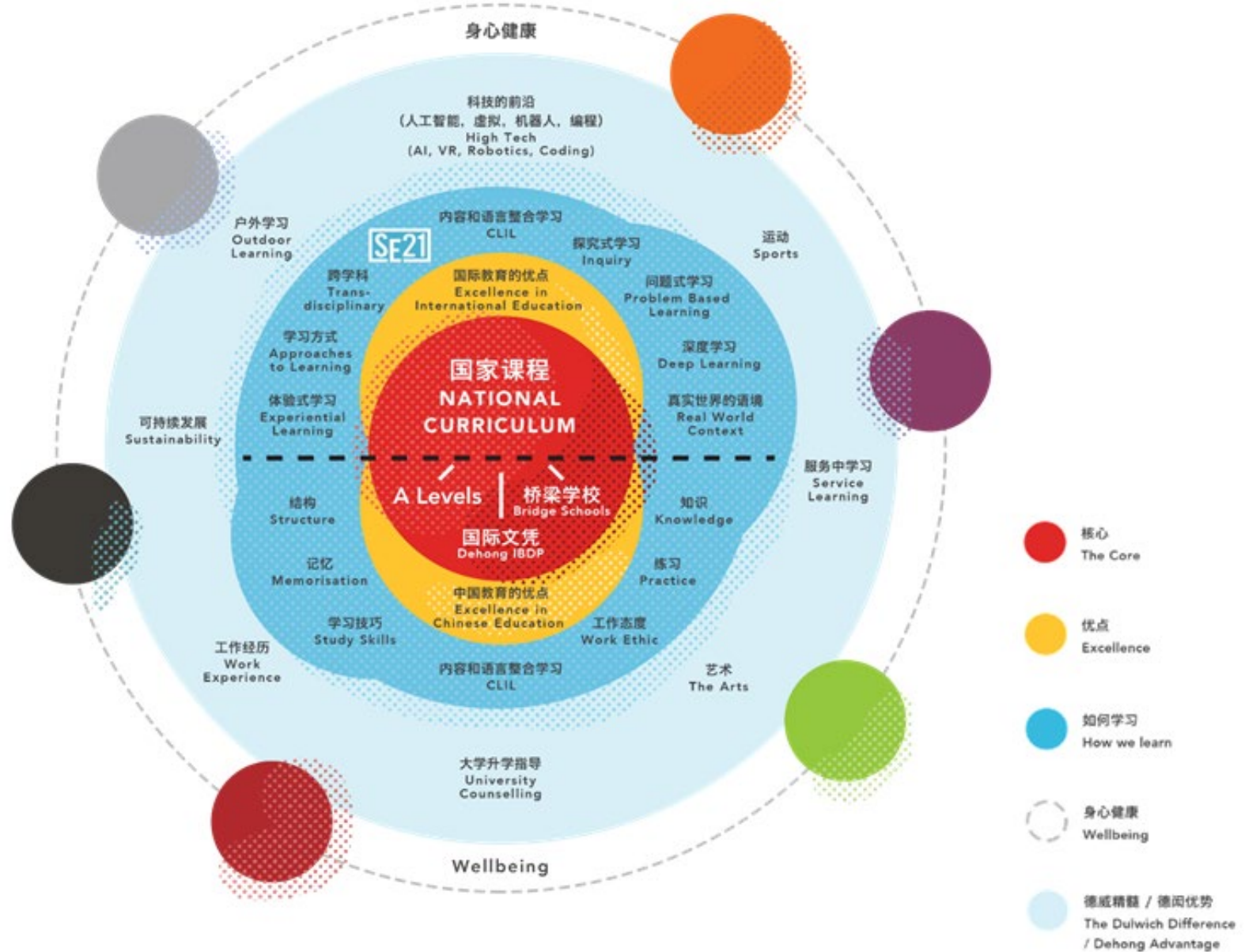
The compulsory years curriculum of the People's Republic of China.



A holistic, inquiry and skills-based curriculum leading to the internationally recognised IB Diploma.



The 'Dulwich Difference', a high-quality holistic education which builds on 400 years of educational innovation and excellence.





Design & Facilities

A Biophilic & Efficient Community

Community

Interactive Public spaces situated throughout the campus

Sight

Visual Access to greenery and outdoors

Diversity

Diversity of flora and fauna creating a new and thriving environment within the existing ecosystem

Smell

Selection of scented trees and plants

Sustainability

Creating a sustainable coexistence between nature community & architecture

Sound

Sound of falling water, birds and insects





PART. 04

They Say -

Voices of existing teachers, students and parents

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Dehong Teachers

Dehong Xi'an International Chinese School has an experienced international teaching faculty. Our teachers come from all over the world, including China, the United Kingdom, Australia, Ireland, and New Zealand . On average, our expat teachers have over 12 years of teaching experience and Chinese teachers have over 8 years of teaching experience.

"Much of what students learn is not written on a piece of paper. As a teacher you guide your students as they become increasingly independent and form their own healthy, positive relationships. There is no limit to the influence a teacher can have on one or many students' lives.

Teachers should bring all their experience to the classroom. They are in a position to pass on lessons, not only regarding subject matter but lessons in life.

Teachers inspire students and take them on a journey of discovery to find where their individual talents lie and to help them strive for moral and academic excellence. "



Principal, Dehong Xi'an

I am lucky to be the founding principal , we use the concept of holistic education to develop students in an all-round way, and we use various special courses to let students bloom. We abide by the creed of a happy campus of respect, giving, gratitude, compassion, trust, health, bravery, optimism, tolerance and persistence.

Teacher



EML Teacher , Dehong Xi'an

As one of the founding members of staff, I've been privileged to have worked interntionally most in my career.

I think for me, one of the greatest opportunities in Dehiong has been able to work alongside my Chinese colleagues.



Chinese Literature Teacher, Dehong Xi'an

We help students rooted in Chinese culture to realize their potential to become world citizens. The same goes for techers here. We work as culture communicators and demonstrators. We get to experience the culture collision and communication between Chinese and weastern culture and go through learning and apadatation we hope to reach a shared goal: integration.





PART. 05

Life in Xi'an, Life in Dehong Xi'an

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WHY XI'AN...?



The most ancient city of China with thousands
years of history

Xi'an, located in central-northwest China, records the great changes of the country, just like a living history book. Called Chang'an (meaning the eternal city) in ancient times, it is one of the birthplaces of the ancient Chinese civilization in the Yellow River Basin area. As the eastern terminal of the Silk Road and the site of the famous Terracotta Warriors of the Qin Dynasty, the city has won a reputation all over the world. More than 3,000 years of history including over 1,100 years as the capital city of ancient dynasties, have endowed the city with an amazing historical heritage. People marvel at the numerous historical sites and cultural relics in the city.





Army of Terracotta Warriors



Xī'an City Wall



Great Mosque



Big Goose Pagoda

Perfect fusion between cultural sites and cityscape



Despite its rich and long history, Xi'an's ancient culture does not hinder modern daily city life. Instead, it adds vibrancy and identity to this town; cultural sites add character to the city.

A good post-work activity is to wander around the cultural sites, admiring them as they light up.



Helpful and friendly people that
will touch your heart

Lose the stereotypical preconceptions of rude and rowdy mainland Chinese. The quote “it is during the worst time of your life that you’ll get to see the true colours of people” is undeniably true. The people in Xi'an are welcoming and kind. They are hospitable and straightforward, typical of all the people in northern China.

China's top 10 happiest cities- Xi'an No.5

Oriental Outlook works with the Liaowang Think Tank to conduct research on city rankings. This is the 11th consecutive year it has been published. More than 13.95 million people nationwide participated in the survey based on 16 indexes, including education, health care, environment and public services.
Xi'an is a great place to live!





Huge potential development, under the 'One Belt, One Road' initiative

By 2020, the urban population of greater Xi'an will reach 8 million to 10 million.

Greater Xi'an will really become the core city that drives the central Shaanxi Plain, leads the Great Northwest China, and expands inland in northern China, with cultural opportunities, economic expansion and increasingly a travel hub.



You can eat..

Xi'an has some popular snacks you can try that differ from those from other cities. Maybe it is Xian's history of being a Silk Road terminus or the presence of Muslims, but the snacks seem more familiar to Westerners than snacks further south

Pork Sandwiched Between Pita Bread

Pork Sandwiched Between Pita Bread, or Roujiamo, is mainly dominated by two categories in two regions. One is bacon stuffed in baked pancake which is popular in Shaanxi region, and the other one is with mutton stuffing commonly in Ningxia region.

Bacon and baked pancake combined properly together to form the celebrated Roujiamo with wonderful flavors. Fluffy bacon plus fragrant baked pancake, with a long and pleasant aftertaste, will satisfy your stomach and eyes. This cate has awarded as the excellent dish in 1989 by the "Golden Tripod Prize"(an award promoted by the Ministry of Commerce to select high-quality foods).

Due to the complexity and specialization of the ingredients (over 30 categories) and the cooking method, the bacon has red color, fragrant smell, and unique flavor. Earning the reputation as “Chinese hamburger”, Roujiamo is deeply loved by people both at home and overseas.

Biang Biang Mian

If you want to try a bowl of noodles, these are a local specialty that is made with wide noodles and served with toppings of eggs, tomatoes, and beef.

Soup Dumpling

These are packets of meat and vegetables and spices that are placed on flat tortilla-like pieces of bread and cooked. Baozis are a favorite all over China.



You can enjoy..

The climate of Xi'an is continental, with cold, dry winters and hot, humid summers.



Spring, from March to May, the temperature increases, while rainy days become gradually more frequent. The amount of sunshine is just acceptable.

Summer, from June to August, is hot and muggy; due the Asian monsoon, it is the rainiest season. June is already a hot month, but generally the rains and the muggy heat come in July, or during the month of June. However, the rains display an erratic pattern from year to year. The amount of sunshine is fairly good, in fact summer is the sunniest season, although there are cloudy days even in this season.



Autumn, from September to November, is initially mild, and gradually becomes cooler, and then quite cold in November, but sometimes it can get cold at night already in October. Rainfall is initially quite frequent: September is even the wettest month of the year. As the weeks pass, rainfall gradually decreases, while the sky remains often cloudy.



Winter, from December to February, is cold and dry: the average January temperature is 1 degrees Celsius (33.5 °F). Precipitation is rare and not abundant, but the sky is often cloudy. However, considering the low temperatures, there may be some snowfalls, generally light.

World's Largest Air Purifier Completes Successful Trial Run in Xi'an

The air quality in Xi'an, in northwestern China's Shaanxi Province, improved significantly after researchers initiated testing of a massive experimental tower, dubbed by its operators as the "World's Biggest Air Purifier."





You can see..

Like many of China's big cities, Xi'an is undergoing the beginnings of a renaissance, with cafes, hotels and trendy establishments starting to crop up.



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WHY DEHONG
XI'AN...?



Dehong Xi'an Chinese School is a new school, opened in September 2019, located on a purpose-built site.

The buildings and facilities are designed and developed by one of Xi'an's leading developers. The campus is surrounded by residential condominiums.

Dehong Xi'an is our third Dehong campus, with further campuses to be developed in the primary cities of China.

The first Dehong campus is located in the Minhang District of Shanghai, the second in the Tongzhou District of Beijing.

The Best Chinese School in Xi'an





World Class Facilities

Campuses designed to provide the opportunities for students to fulfil their individual potential, and to enable them to make a positive difference for China in the world.



Located in The Best Sites

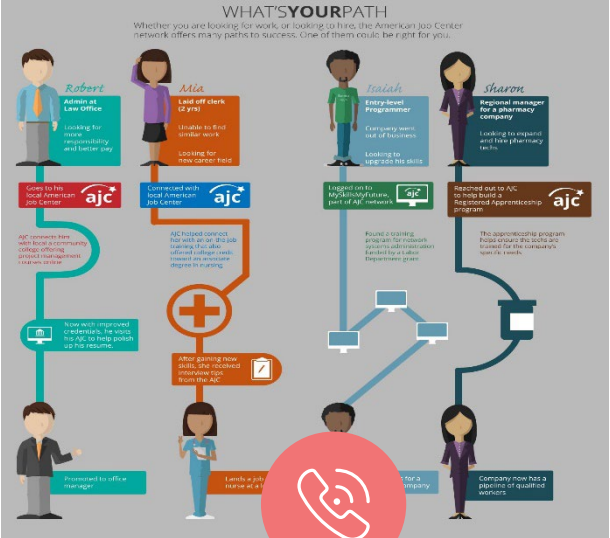
Our School is located in QuJiang New District, the key focus area designated by the government, for the development of tourism, education and culture.



One Family of Schools



High quality professional learning



Mobility & Career Paths

1 SAY NO TO SINGLE USE PLASTICS	2 REUSE + RECYCLE BOOKS, PAPER & CLOTHES	3 MONITOR, REDUCE, RECYCLE FOOD WASTE	4 SAVE WATER & TURN LIGHTS OFF	5 SUSTAINABILITY ACROSS THE WHOLE CURRICULUM
6 USE THE 4 HOUSES TO COMPETE FOR SUSTAINABILITY	7 HARNESS TECHNOLOGY FOR SUSTAINABILITY	8 BE A SUSTAINABLE TRAVELLER	9 DEVELOP BIO-DIVERSITY ON CAMPUS	10 ONE COLLEGE, ALL SUSTAINABLE CAMPUSES

 **OUR SUSTAINABILITY GOALS**
We are committed to a sustainable future for all our students

Service and Sustainability



Centralised Management Platform

Where to live...

Name: Xi'an Vanke Oriental Legend

Green Rate: 38%

Transportation:

- Metro 5
- Bus (at the gate of living area)

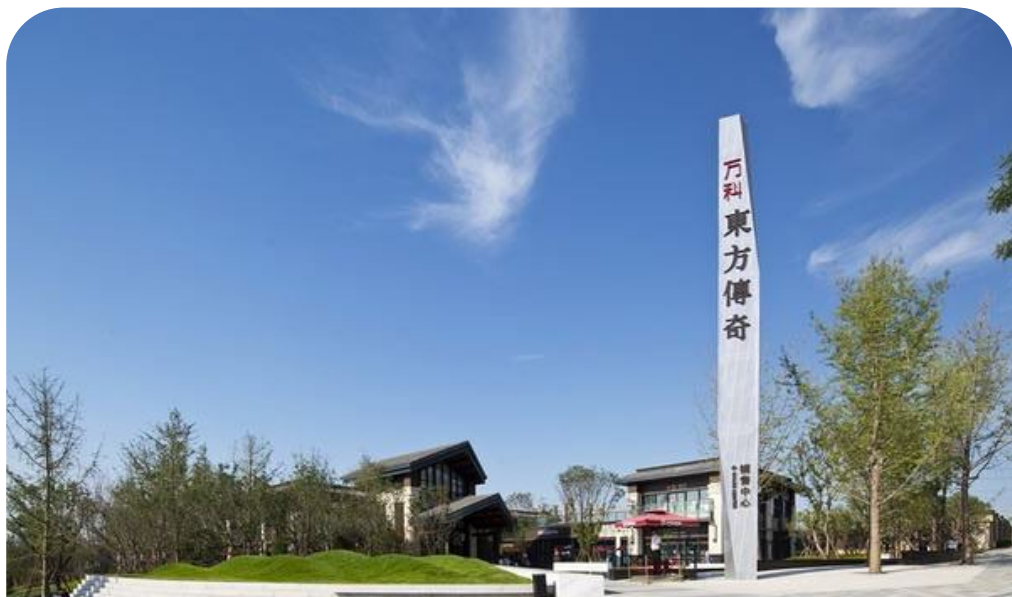
Commercial:

- Open Commercial Block/Café/ child center in the residential area
- Nearest shopping mall – one in 1km, the other in 3km.

Others nearby:

Supermarket, outlet, Hilton Hotel, Tang Paradise





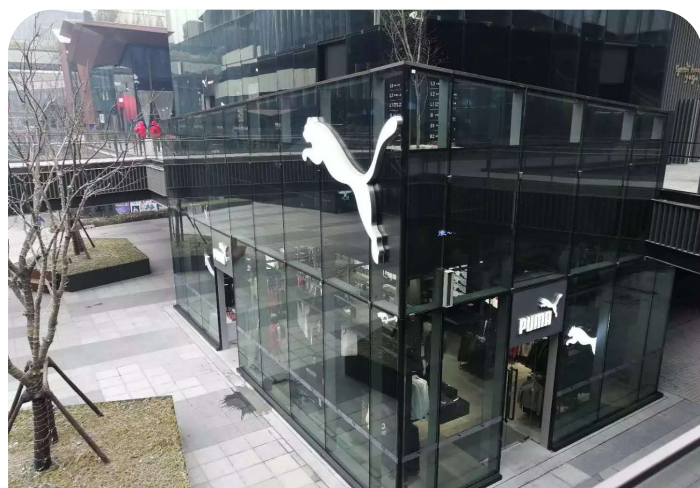
Gate



Outdoor



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2 bedrooms + 1 drawing rooms
Recommended for single staff
~80sqm.



Examples



Drawing Room



Kitchen



Bathroom



Bathroom



Drawing Room



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