

TANGSHAN

CITY GUIDE



INTRODUCTION

Tangshan, a city reborn from nirvana; is located in the center of the Bohai Bay, in the east of Hebei Province. As the throat of the North China and Northeast Passages, it plays an important role in the coordinated development of Beijing, Tianjin and Hebei and the construction of the "One Belt and One Road".

With a total land area of 14338.5 square kilometers. It has jurisdiction over 7 counties (cities), 7 districts and 5 development zones (administrative zones). With a permanent population of 7.697 million, it has ranked as the title of National Civilized City for four consecutive times.

Tangshan has a warm temperate semi-humid continental monsoon climate, with four distinctive seasons. It has long and warm summer, freezing, snowing and most sunny days in winter. During the course of the year, the temperature usually varies between - 9 ° C and 31 ° C, rarely below - 13 ° C or above 35 ° C.



7.697 million

31°C



-9°C

GDP 8900.7 bn

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CULTURE



Tangshan has 1,321 immovable cultural relics sites, 1 World cultural Heritage site and 95 cultural relics protection units above the municipal level. Through the changes of times, Tangshan has left a number of cultural heritages such as the ancient Great Wall and the Eastern Tombs of the Qing Dynasty.

Tangshan shadow play is one of the local opera arts of the Han nationality, as well as the traditional drama of Tangshan and one of the national intangible cultural heritage. Its props are made of cow and donkey skins, so it is also known as donkey shadow play. With its simple and elegant shape, exquisite carving and unique style, Tangshan shadow play is an art masterpiece that collectors cannot put down.

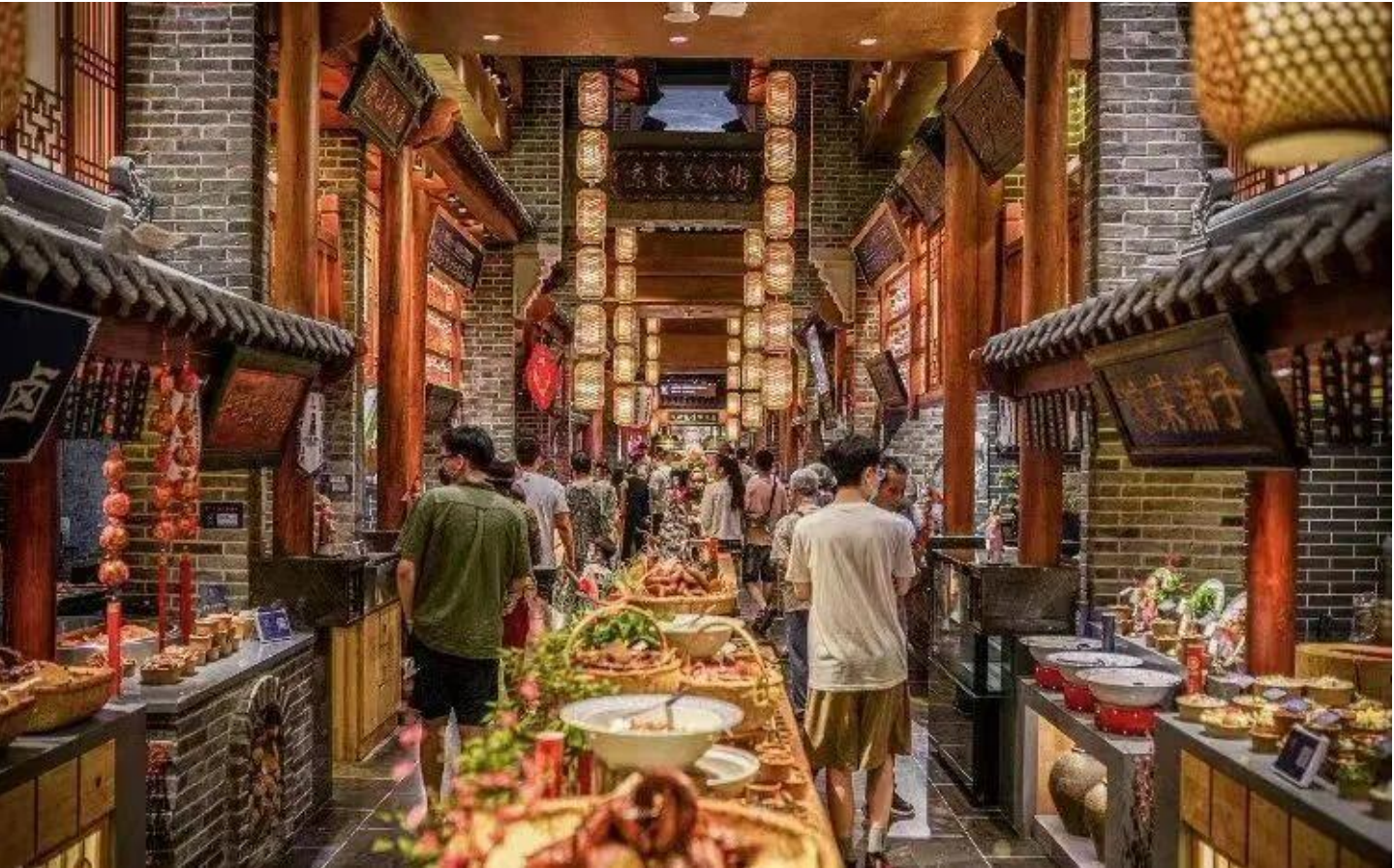
HISTORY & NATURAL



Tangshan Nanhu Urban Central Ecological Park is a national AAAA level scenic area with an area of 350 hectares. The water surface area is 11.5 square kilometers, equivalent to the size of two West Lakes in Hangzhou. It is the largest urban central park in northern China that integrates multiple functions such as classic scenery, ecological functions, historical culture, urban activities, sports tourism.

You may not be able to imagine that it used to be a coal mining settlement area and garbage landfill site, but now it has become the "urban green lung" and "natural oxygen bar" of Tangshan. At the same time, various international and domestic ecological and environmental awards have come one after another, and the World Horticultural Expo has also been successfully held here, it becoming a well-known "urban reception hall" to welcome tourists from all over the world.

C U I S I N E



Tangshan cuisine, also known as Jingdong cuisine, has a fresh and salty taste compared to the delicacy of southern cuisine and the rugged style of northern cuisine. Tangshan has a unique geographical advantage and abundant natural resources.

This has enabled Tangshan to have more than 150 kinds of Tangshan characteristic snacks and more than 10 kinds of intangible heritage food. Among them, Tangshan Chess-shaped Pancake, Ge Cha and Tangshan Sesame Candy are all local characteristics and are widely welcomed and loved by the public.

I N D U S T R Y

Northern Industrial Center in China

- The total GDP was over 8900.70 billion in 2022.
- It is the cradle of China's modern industry, has created the "Seven Firsts" in modern Chinese industry. Among them, China's first mechanized coal mine, the first standard gauge railway, the first steam locomotive, the first barrel of mechanical cement, have given birth to a rich industrial civilization of China.
- As the central city of the Beijing-Tianjin-Tangshan industrial base, heavy industries such as steel, coal, and ceramics are the pillar industries of Tangshan.

Porcelain Capital of Northern China

- Tangshan ceramics began in the Yongle period of the Ming Dynasty, with a history of nearly 600 years.
- Tangshan bone porcelain, is a national geographical indication product of China. It has been given as a national gift by national leaders to foreign leaders and has been designated as a designated item and gift in international events such as the Beijing Olympics, G8 Summit, and Shanghai World Expo.

City of High-Speed Trains

- Tangshan is the largest production and manufacturing base for high-speed trains in China. Tangshan High Speed Train City is a new industrial urban area located in Fengrun district of Tangshan. It is a comprehensive industrial cluster consisting of high-speed trains, urban rail buses, intercity trains and related industrial supporting facilities, technology research and development, talent training etc.

CITY MAP



- Tangshan has very convenient transportation, with various modes of transportation such as railways, highways, and aviation. The city road is flat and wide, making it easy to navigate.

ATTRACTIVE



Tangshan Yan is a museum that can "eat". With the concept of "let the world fall in love with Tangshan flavor", it deeply explores and protects Tangshan food resources, and creates the first food culture museum and one-stop characteristic food base in Hebei Province that integrates "catering+performing, arts+culture", and shows "Tangshan on the tip of the tongue" to the whole country and the world.

ATTRACTIVE



Zunhua Eastern Tomb of the Qing Dynasty: it is the largest and most complete imperial tomb complex in China. Among the 15 tombs, there are five emperors, 15 queens, 136 concubines, 3 princes, and 2 princesses, a total of 161 people buried. It was inscribed on the World Heritage List in November 2000.

ATTRACTIVE



Luanzhou Ancient City: it integrates the customs of 26 ethnic groups into the architectural town of Ming and Qing Dynasties, which is rebuilt on the original site.

Every holiday or peak season, there will be performances such as Pingju Opera, Sacrificial fire ceremony, Tai Chi, Northeast dialect, and northern Hebei traditional Yangko etc

ATTRACTIONS



Moon Island: located in the Bohai Bay in the southwest of Laoting County. With a total area of 11.96 square kilometers and a distance of 4.8 kilometers from land, it is one of the most famous eco-tourism resort centers in the northern waters of China, and also known as Green Island and Happy Island.

Named for its crescent shape, it is covered with green vegetation, forming a 5-kilometer long beach in the south of the island; It's a natural bathing place and a tourist resort.

ATTRACTIVE



Qingshanguan Great Wall Ancient Castle Tourist Area: it is located in the north of Qianxi County, Tangshan City, Hebei Province, the branch of Yanshan Mountain, the hinterland of Big Green mountains, and the Great Wall winding through.

It was built in the Wanli period of the Ming Dynasty, has a history of 500 years, has experienced wind and rain erosion, numerous wars, but the preservation is relatively complete.

ATTRACTIONS



Zunhua Royal Hot Spring: is located in Tangquan Township, Zunhua City, covering an area of 12.4 square kilometers. It is called "Tangquan" because the spring water is boiling like soup all the year round. Has the former Dongling eight scenes-a spring bath day.

Surrounded by mountains and rivers, magnificent temples, beautiful scenery and charming scenery, it is a well-known tourist resort at home and abroad.

ATTRACTIVE



Kailuan National Mine Park: located in Kailuan Tangshan Mining area, which has a history of 130 years and has the reputation of "the first best mine in China", it is the landmark building of Kailuan National Mining Park, covering an area of 15,000 square meters and a construction area of more than 7,400 square meters.

It is divided into two parks. The first is the "North China Modern Industrial Expo Park" in Tangshan Mining Area A, and the second is the "Old Tangshan Style Town" built on the site of the former Tangshan Mining and Coal Storage Yard.

Transport



Public Buses

- Tangshan urban road public transport has 148 bus lines, connecting urban and rural areas, covering the whole city. The buses are including gas vehicles, gas-electric hybrid vehicles, electric buses, etc.
- Most run from 6:00 a.m. to 9:00 p.m, although there are exceptions.
- Ticket price is 1 RMB (2 RMB for air conditioning period), can be paid with transportation card, which gives you a small discount of 10%.

Transportation Card

- Can be bought at transportation hubs.
- 10 RMB refundable deposit (A Card).-The recharge amount is 1-100 RMB.
- Charge electronic wallet (电子钱包/diànzǐqiánbāo), which gives 10% discount on bus.

TAXI



- Tangshan downtown taxi models mainly include Jetta, Santana, Elantra, etc. Among them, there are numerous new energy vehicles.
- The starting price of the taxi is 6 RMB/2 km, followed by 1.6 RMB/km.
- Operating hours is for 24 hours a day.-Alternative is 'Chinese Uber': Didi, which often offer cheaper rides in better quality cars than regular taxis.

HOUSING



- Apartments, townhouses, and villas in both western and traditional styles can be found, listed from high to low price ranges.
- A large variety of accommodation can be found on the property proposal webpage of Maxxelli.

S C H O O L I N G



Tangshan has one comprehensive international school that provide high quality education taught in English. Tangshan Dongfang International School was founded in 2004 and is the only private full-time kindergarten, primary school, secondary school, and high school that 15 year-in one boarding international school, which was directly under the administration of Tangshan Municipal Education Bureau.

HEALTHCARE



Tangshan Central Hospital is a modern large comprehensive hospital positioned as a national regional medical and health management center. The International Medical Department of Tangshan Central Hospital is the first place for medical examination and inpatient recuperation for VIP in Tangshan.

Innovatively adopting the "7H" concept, which includes (Health, Heart Mind, High Intelligence, Happiness, Home, Hotel, Hospital), to provide every patient with the best diagnosis and treatment experience.

SHOPPING



Local and global brands are widely available throughout the city in shopping centers and huge malls. There are many shopping centers in downtown city, such as Wanda Plaza, Wuyue Plaza etc., which are supplemented by complementary forms to meet the all-round needs of consumers, including various brand stores, clothing and accessories stores, boutiques, well-known domestic and foreign fast food chains, emotional leisure catering, exotic catering, leisure entertainment, beauty salons, etc.,

NIGHTLIFE



Tangshan's downtown has various ways to relax in Tangshan's nightlife. There are many bars, KTVs, food streets, and nighttime attractions in the city that can be visited for consumption and entertainment.

EMERGENCY CONTACTS

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