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Blooming wisteria attracts shutterbugs at Jiading Wisteria Park. It is in full bloom during April and May. — Zhu Guangzu

An ideal time for a stroll in the park

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he current season of warm sunshine, gentle breezes and good air quality is the ideal time to visit a park. Shanghai has a number of parks worth visiting, many of them in Jiading.

Jiading Wisteria Park

Jiading Wisteria Park is in the style of a Japanese garden. Wisteria is in full bloom in April and May. On entering the park, you will see clusters of purple, white and pink wisteria flowers to delight anyone who loves nature.

Address: 45 Bole Rd, Jiading Town Admission: Free

Huilongtan Park

Located by the side of the Jiading Confucius Temple, Huilongtan Park is a small and delicate garden. The park is in two sections. The southern part is a natural landscape made up of Yingkui Hill and Huilongtan Pond. From the Siyi Pavilion on Yingkui Hill you can view all the park's scenic areas. The highlight here is a stage that was moved from the Qianye Guild Hall in Shanghai's Zhabei District. The northern part is clustered with many scenic spots, including a spring, a pavilion, a courtyard and a pool. The large grassy area next to the pond is an ideal place to take a break. The park is also near the thriving Zhouqiao Old Street, another interesting place to visit.

Address: 68 Shaxia Rd, Jiading Town Admission: 5 yuan

Auto Expo Park

Surrounding the Shanghai Auto Museum, the 76.8-hectare Shanghai Auto Expo Park is a multi-functional



park featuring auto entertainment, auto exhibitions and auto culture.

Address: 7001 Boyuan Rd, Anting Town Admission: Free

Chenjiashan Park

Chenjiashan Park is a small park featuring lotuses and a creek flowing through it. Walking on the wooden bridge across the Lotus Pond in summer, you may feel like you are in another world. Many residents like to stroll in the park after dinner, feeding the fish and chatting with their friends. Some people even drive here to enjoy the park's pleasant environment.

Address: Shenzhu Rd, Jiading Town (near Jiading North station of Metro Line 11) Admission: Free

Qiuxiapu Garden





Scan the QR code to find more tour information in Jiading.

Qiuxiapu Garden, which covers 15 hectares, is made up of three private gardens built in the Ming Dynasty (1368-1644) — Gong's Garden, Shen's Garden and Jin's Garden — and Yi Temple. The garden is divided into four scenic areas accordingly. Qiuxiapu Garden is one of Shanghai's five best-known classical gardens and is also the best preserved, with the longest history.

Address: 314 Dongdajie Str, Jiading Town Admission: 10 yuan

Huating Farmers Home

Huating Farmers Home covers an area of 86 hectares. Visitors can plant vegetables, pick grapes, taste Hami melons and go fishing at the pond here.

Address: 518 Shuangzhu Rd, Huating Town Admission: 15 yuan

Too much stuff? Here's where you can take it ...

ARE those old books and clothes taking up valuable space and you don't know what to do with them but don't want to just throw them away?

Jiading District has a number of permanent donation spots accepting clothes, quilts and books. You should clean clothes before bringing them in and clothes that are worn out, underwear and shoes are not accepted.

The permanent donation spots are located as below:

- District donation spot Address: 482 Tacheng Rd E. (3998-0933)
- Sub-district and township donation spots

Anting Town: 20, Lane 318, Zepu Rd (5957-9277)

Malu Town: 186 Malutang Str (5915-8077)

Nanxiang Town: 523 Dehua Rd (5917-9662)

Jiangqiao Town: Bldg 5, 129 Huajiang Rd (6911-9663)

Xuhang Town: 1568 Xinjian Rd 1 (5955-3860)

Waigang Town: Room 102, 516 Hengfei Rd (3910-6079) 23 Xianju Lane

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Sunshine Home) (5993-6009)

Huating Town: 3182 Jianghang Highway (5995-6062)

Jiading Town Sub- district: 8, lane 360, Tacheng Rd (5992-8107)

Xincheng Road Sub- district: Room 201, 622 Yingyuan Rd M. (6999-3095)

Zhenxin Sub-district: 558 Xinyu Rd (5919-8084)

Jiading Industrial Zone: 2703 Yongsheng Rd (6996-0506)

Juyuan New Area: 811 Pingcheng Rd (6901-6060)

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