



Practical Manual for New Students

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WHAT TO PACK



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Socket in China

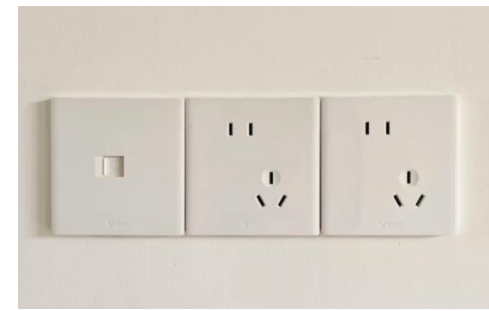


Clothes

Chengdu's summers can get quite hot, but winters are relatively mild—and with air conditioning in both classrooms and dormitories—you just need to pack the right clothes for each season!












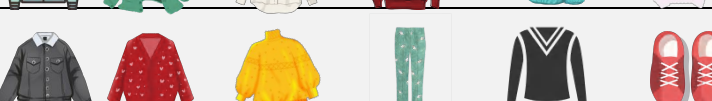


An Umbrella



Volt Converter and An Adapter

The volt used in China is 220V. If you bring your laptop, then a volt converter and an adapter might be needed. However, if your package is full of stuff, you can still get them here in Chengdu, in the supermarket nearby (your life advisor will show you around after you come here).



Months	Temperatures in Chengdu		Clothes to Bring
JAN	-2°C - 16°C	28°F - 61°F	
FEB	1°C - 21°C	34°F - 70°F	
MAR	5°C - 29°C	41°F - 84°F	
APR	10°C - 34°C	50°F - 93°F	
MAY	15°C - 36°C	59°F - 97°F	
JUN	19°C - 35°C	66°F - 100°F	
JUL	23°C - 40°C	73°F - 104°F	
AUG	22°C - 38°C	72°F - 100°F	
SEP	17°C - 33°C	63°F - 91°F	
OCT	11°C - 28°C	52°F - 82°F	
NOV	3°C - 24°C	37°F - 75°F	
DEC	4°C - 20°C	39°F - 68°F	



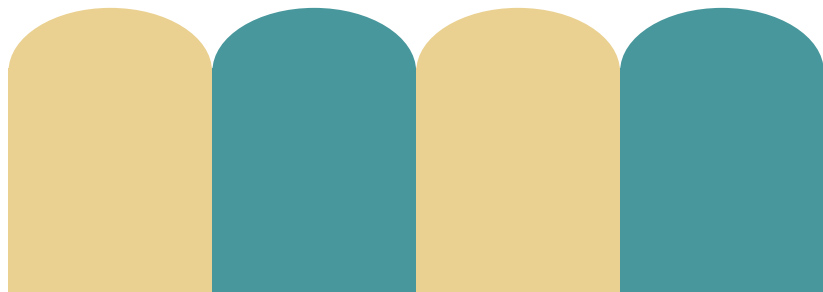
Two Passport Photos

Please bring 2 passport photos. This is for student ID, and your student profile. If you don't have it, no worries, life advisor can take you to the photo-taking shop here near the school after you arrive.



Common Medications

You can bring some basic medications, such as cold medicine or medicine for diarrhea, just in case. Of course, you can also buy them at local pharmacies after you arrive in Chengdu.





Official Documents

Please bring your passport with a valid Chinese visa. Citizens of the following countries and territories will be able to enjoy a 30-day visa-free stay in China:

Europe (34 countries): France, Germany, Italy, the Netherlands, Spain, Switzerland, Ireland, Hungary, Austria, Belgium, Luxembourg, Poland, Slovenia, Portugal, Greece, Cyprus, Slovakia, Norway, Finland, Denmark, Iceland, Andorra, Monaco, Liechtenstein, Bulgaria, Romania, Croatia, Montenegro, North Macedonia, Malta, Estonia, Latvia, Russia, Sweden, the United Kingdom

Oceania (2 countries): Australia, New Zealand

Asia (9 countries): Brunei, South Korea, Japan, Saudi Arabia, Oman, Kuwait, Bahrain, Singapore, Thailand

South America (5 countries): Brazil, Argentina, Chile, Peru, Uruguay

If the Chinese language program you take at Keats is longer than 4 weeks, we can send you the necessary documents to apply for a student visa that covers your entire stay at Keats.





WIFI

As technology continues to evolve, mobile devices have become the perfect tools for staying connected. With high-speed Wi-Fi available throughout the campus and dorms, sharing your Chengdu journey with family and friends is easier than ever. Whether you're using a smartphone or a tablet, you'll find it simple to keep your loved ones updated at all times.



VPN

You need to buy a VPN in your country which is necessary to check Gmail, Facebook, Youtube or other websites when you in China.

外国人入境卡 ARRIVAL CARD

请使用中文或英文清楚填写 Please complete clearly in Chinese or English

姓 Surname	性别 Sex	男 <input type="checkbox"/>	女 <input type="checkbox"/>			
名 Given names	国籍 Nationality					
出生日期 Date of birth	中文姓名(请用中文填写) Chinese name(If there is one)					
旅行证件号码 Passport No.	签证号码 Visa No.	免签 Visa-Free	<input type="checkbox"/>			
抵达航班/车次/船名 Arrival Flight No./ Train No./ Vessel Name	入境事由 Purpose of this trip					
本人电话号码 Personal phone No.	外交/公务 Diplomacy Official	<input type="checkbox"/>	访问/商务 Visiting Business	<input type="checkbox"/>	定居 Permanent Residence	<input type="checkbox"/>
在华经停和目的城市 Cities intended to visit in China	工作 Employment	<input type="checkbox"/>	学习 Study	<input type="checkbox"/>	旅游 Tourism	<input type="checkbox"/>
在华住址或旅馆名称 Detailed address or hotel name while in China	探亲 Visiting Relatives	<input type="checkbox"/>	过境 Transit	<input type="checkbox"/>	其他 Others	<input type="checkbox"/>
			市 City			

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Purpose of this trip :

If you are entering China with a tourist visa or through a visa-free policy, you should select "tourism" as your purpose of visit.

Note for visa-free travelers: Choosing "Tourism" is compulsory; any other choice may lead to additional questioning or denial of entry.

But If you hold a student visa, you should select "study."

Arrival Card at the Immigration

3rd Floor, Building 6, No. 198 Dujuan Street, Damian, Longquanyi District, Chengdu, Sichuan Province, China.

Contact Person in China: Zier Liu 130-99999-553

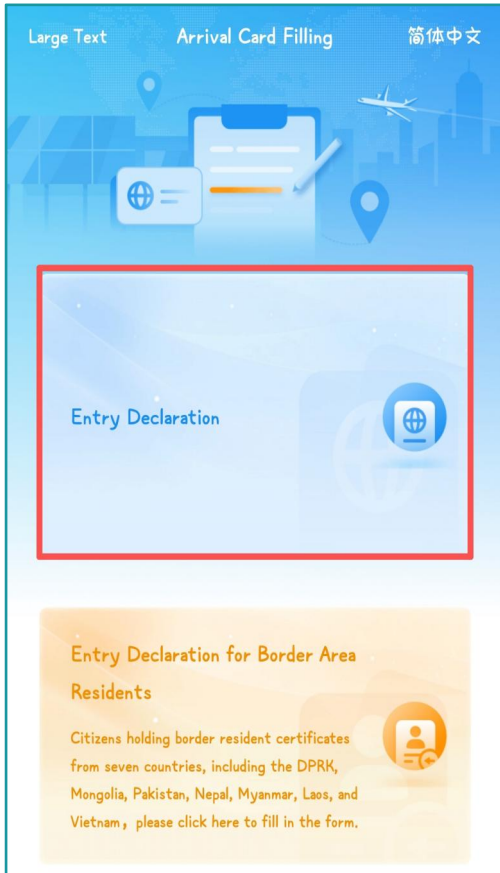
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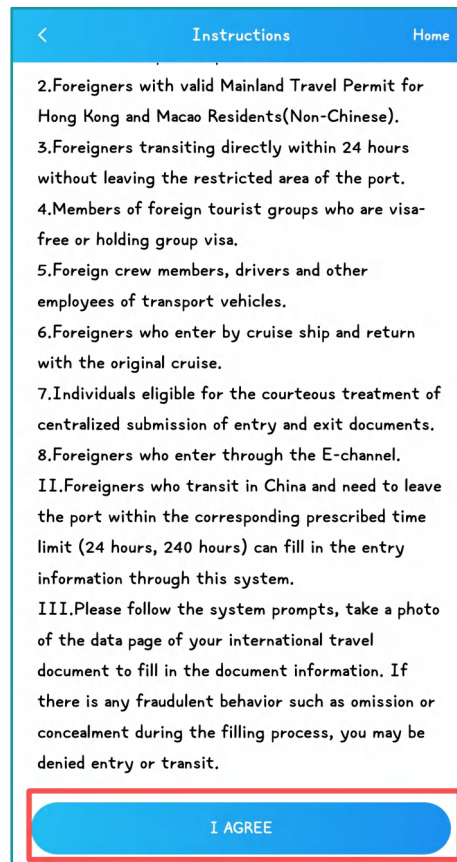


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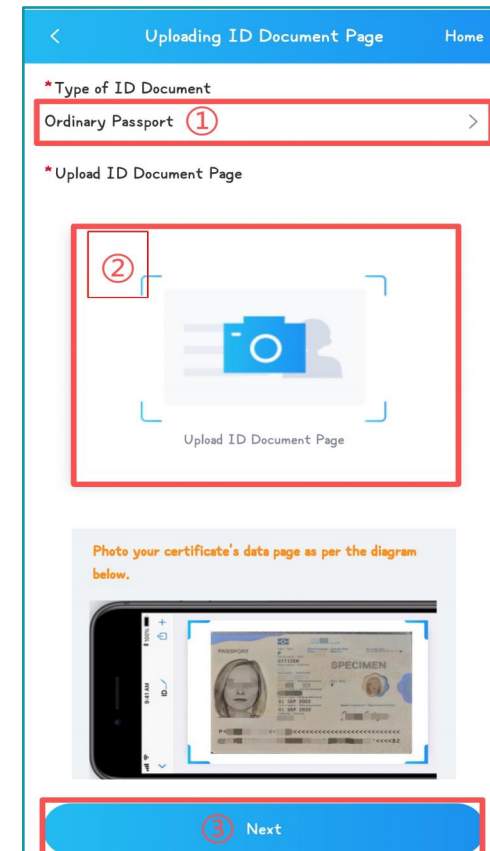
Step 1 Click “Entry Declaration”



Step 2 Click “I AGREE”



Step 3 Select Type of ID Document Upload Passport Page Click “Next”




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Step 4 Enter the information and Click “Next” Until Submit



Basic Information Filling Home

*Last Name
Please enter Last Name
Please enter Last Name

First Name
Please enter First Name

*Gender
Male >

Date of Birth
* 2000 > Month > Day >

*Country/Region of Citizenship
Singapore(SGP) >

*Type of ID Document
Ordinary Passport >

*Passport Number
Please enter Passport Number
Please enter Passport Number

*Entry Transportation Mode
Vessel >

Arrival Flight/Train/Vessel Number
Please enter

*City of Entry
Please select >
Please select

*Port of Entry
Please select >
Please select

Next

Personal Information Filling Home

Chinese Name
Please enter Chinese Name

*Country/Region of Birth
Please select >

Please enter City

*Contact Number
Please enter Contact Number

Email
Please enter Email

*Do you hold a valid visa or other entry permit?
Yes >

*Visa Number
Please enter Visa Number

Next

Travel Information Filling Home

*Purpose of Entry
Please select >

*Date of Entry
Please select >

*Destination Cities in China
Please select the city where you will stay the longest dur >

Cities of Transit in China
Please select > +

*Address in China
Please select >
Please enter the detailed address (e.g., No. 6 East Chang'an Street)

*Do you have any inviting entities or inviters in China?
Please select >

*Confirmed Departure Itinerary
No >

Submit

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Step 5 Enter the information and Click "Submit"

Cancel Confirm

Visiting Friend/Relatives

Work

Study

Permanent Residence

Return to Country of Residence

Travel Information Filling Home

* Purpose of Entry
Please select >

* Date of Entry
Please select >

* Destination Cities in China
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Submit

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* Do you have any inviting entities or inviters in China?
Yes >

* Inviting entity in China
* Inviter in China

* Inviter's Name
Zier Liu

* Inviter's Contact Information
13099999553

* Confirmed Departure Itinerary
Please make the selection according to the actual situation. >

Submit



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Step 6 Select “Yes” or “No”

The screenshot shows the 'Travel Information Filling' app interface. A white dialog box is overlaid on the form, asking 'Need to help your companion fill the form?'. Below the question are two buttons: 'No' and 'Yes'. Red arrows point to both buttons. The background form shows fields for Purpose of Entry (Visit), Date of Entry (20260127), Destination Cities in China (Beijing), and a 'Submit' button at the bottom.

Step 7 Click “Click to sign” and “Confirm”

The screenshot shows the 'Travel Information Filling' app interface. It displays a legal disclaimer: 'To protect your legal rights and interests, please read and agree to the following statement: I understand that China's immigration authority may lawfully store and use the information provided in this form. I hereby declare that the statement above is true and accurate, and otherwise I will bear the corresponding legal responsibilities.' Below the disclaimer is a checked checkbox: 'I have read and agree to the above statements'. At the bottom, there are two buttons: 'Click to sign' and 'Confirm', both highlighted with red boxes.



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SURROUNDING OF
THE SCHOOL*

ARRIVAL

We will pick you up at the airport.

If you arrive at Chengdu Tianfu International Airport, on an international flight, we will wait for you at International Arrivals Area. If you are arriving on a domestic flight, we will wait for you at Domestic Arrivals Area , with a KEATS pickup sign.

If you arrive at Chengdu Shuangliu International Airport, on an international flight, we will wait for you at the Exit A, If you are arriving on a domestic flight, we will wait for you at Domestic Arrivals Area, with a KEATS pickup sign.

If you don't see us, please do not walk away, and please do not walk to the outside of the airport. You can call us 86-130-99999-553 or add us on WeChat: 13099999553.

If there is a change or cancellation of your flight, please notify us as soon as possible through email (info@keatschinese.com) or phone call (86-13099999553) so that we can inform the driver.

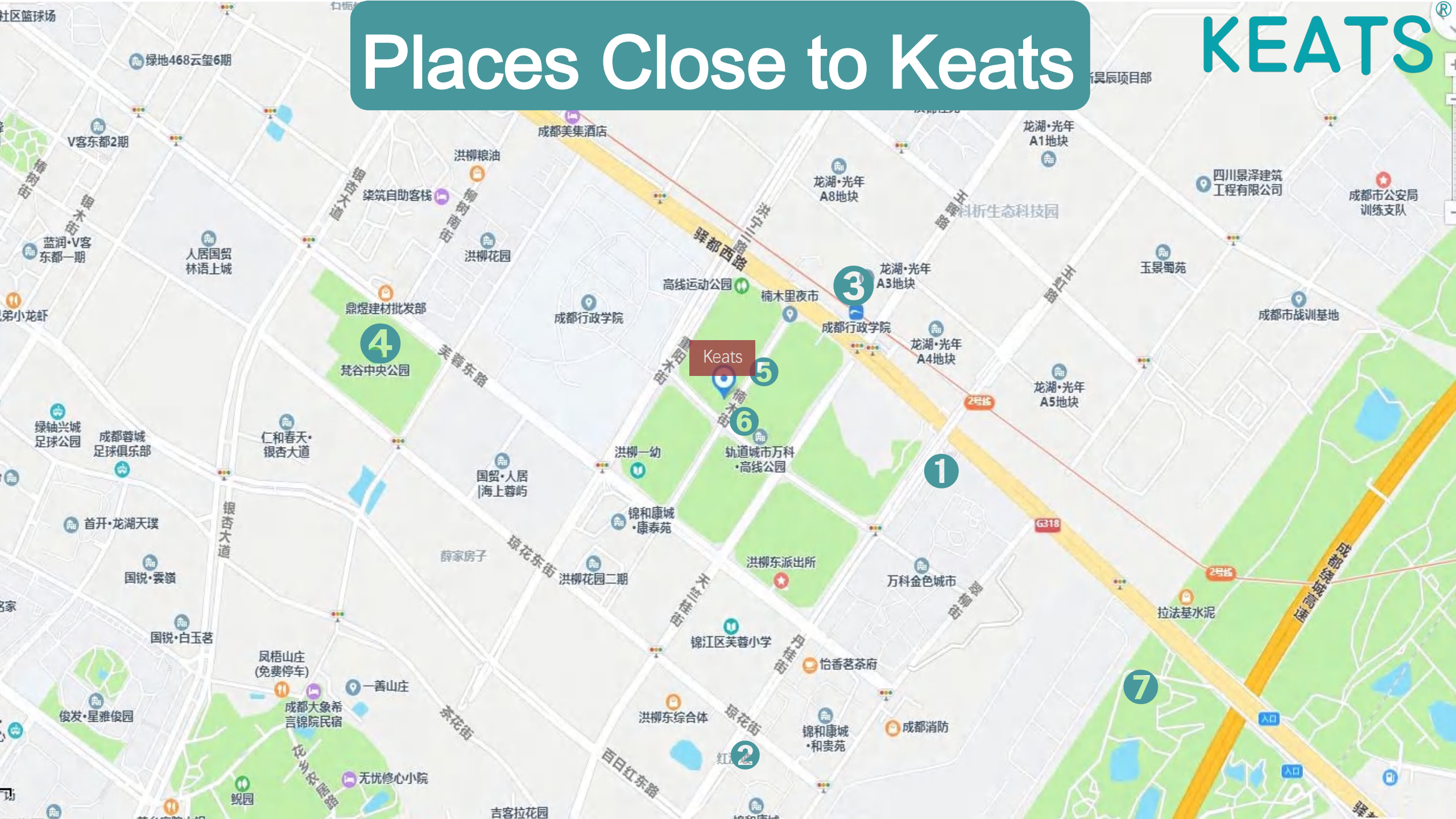


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Places Close to Keats

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麓谷中央公园

3

龙湖·光年 A3地块

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5

轨道城市万科·高线公园

1

龙湖·光年 A4地块

6

轨道城市万科·高线公园

7

拉法基水泥

2

洪柳东综合体

① China Unicom for SIM Card , 7 minutes by walk from Keats.

③ Chengdu Institute of Public Administration Station 4 minutes by walk from Keats

② Supermarket 17 minutes by walk from Keats.

④ Fangu Central Park 17 minutes by walk from Keats.

⑤ Bank of China is opposite of school building

⑥ Convenience Store is opposite of school building downstairs

⑦ Huatian Wetland Park

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MONEY

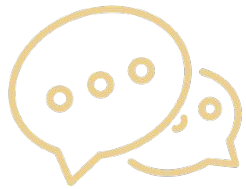


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ATM Cash Withdraw

If you use a foreign credit card on a Chinese ATM, you can withdraw RMB cash with a limit of RMB 2000 per withdraw. Transaction fee might be high as it is done in a foreign country.

Please confirm with your bank or notice them that you will use your credit/debit card in China. Many students encountered problems when they withdrew money in Chengdu. Their bank blocked their cards because the bank suspected their cards were stolen.



Shopping in China

Most stores in Chengdu do not accept foreign credit card payment. More specifically, a credit card with “VISA” or “MASTER” can hardly be accepted in many stores. It would be better if you pay cash when you buy things in China. Chinese people use WeChat or Alipay through cellphones to make payments in China. You can also make payments through WeChat or Alipay if you link a valid card to your WeChat or Alipay account.



How to use Alipay and Wechat

WeChat and Alipay now support foreign users to bind with visa or master and other foreign credit cards to use. However, there are certain restrictions on usage scenarios, the transactions can only be conducted with merchants that support or have foreign credit cards such as Visa and Master. Except for large supermarkets or shopping malls, many small stores or online stores on Taobao and Jingdong do not support payment with foreign currency credit cards.



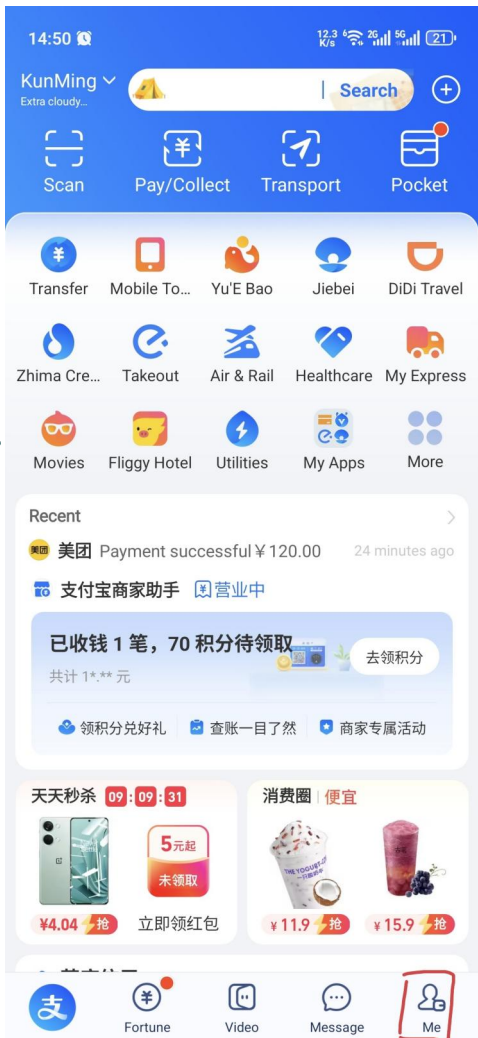
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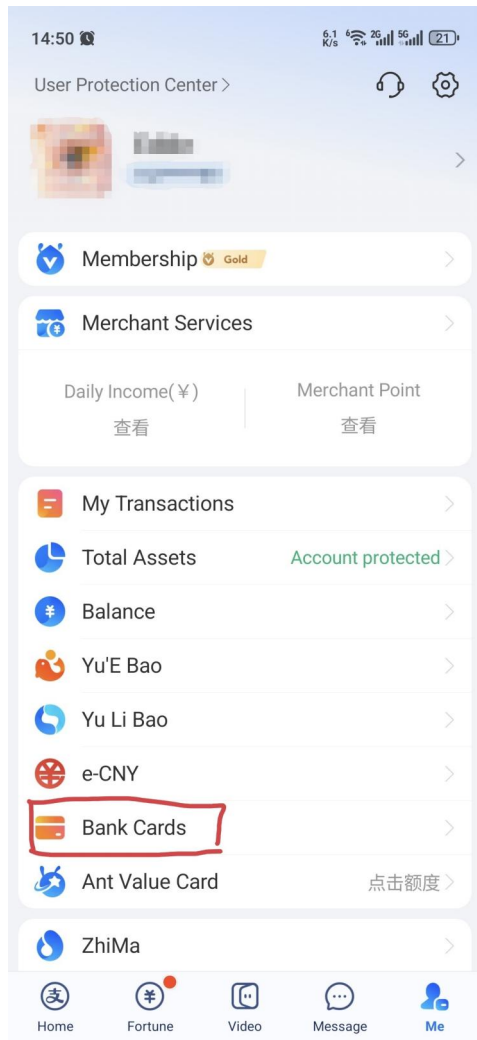


How to link the bank card to Alipay

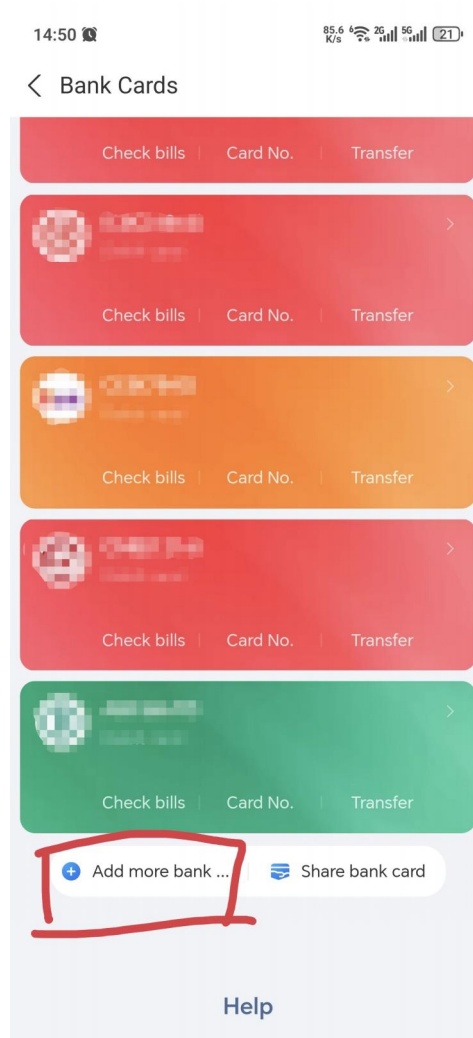
Step 1 Click "Me"



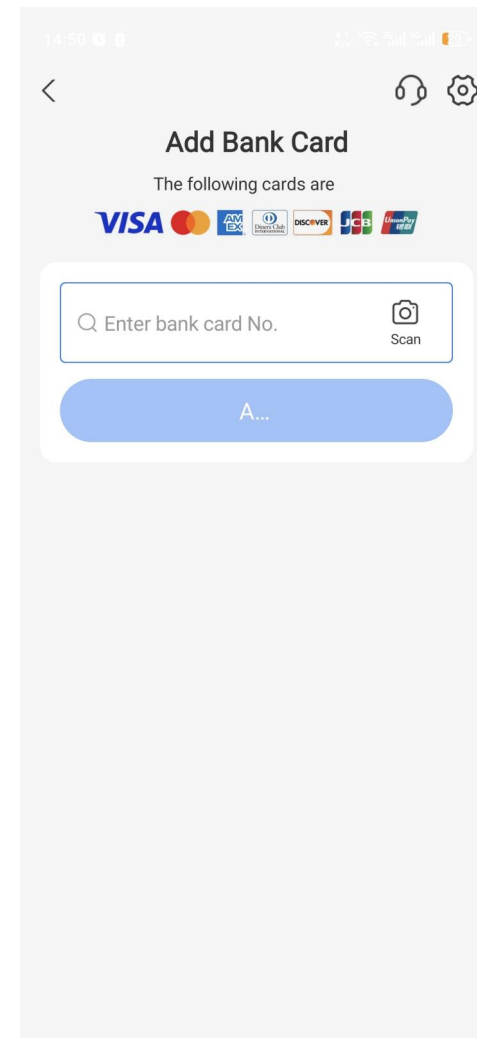
Step 2 Click "Bank Cards"



Step 3 Add more bank cards

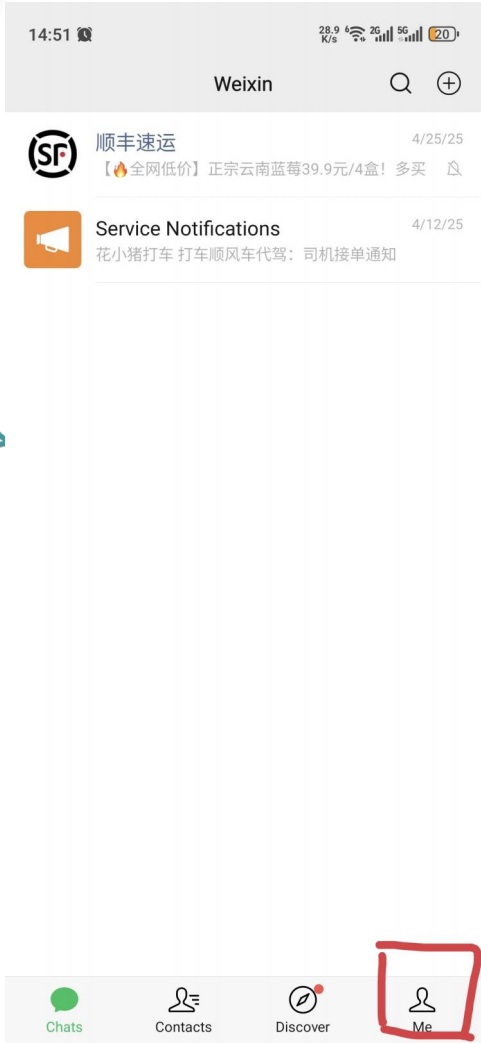


Step 4 Enter bank card No.

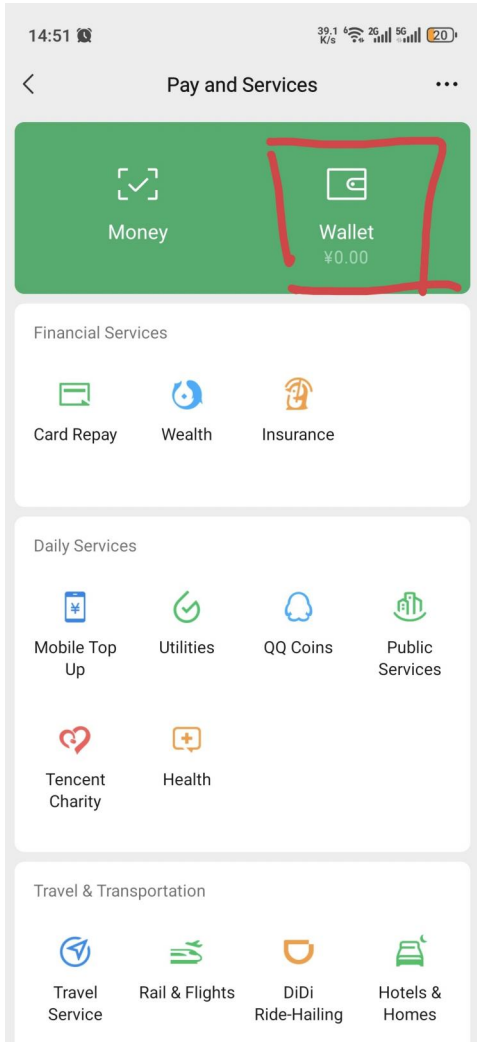


How to link the bank card to Wechat

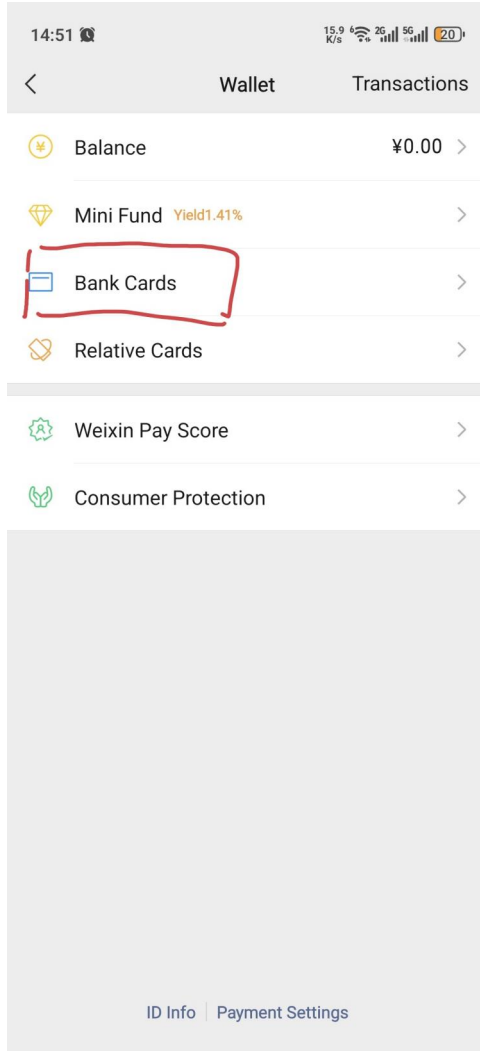
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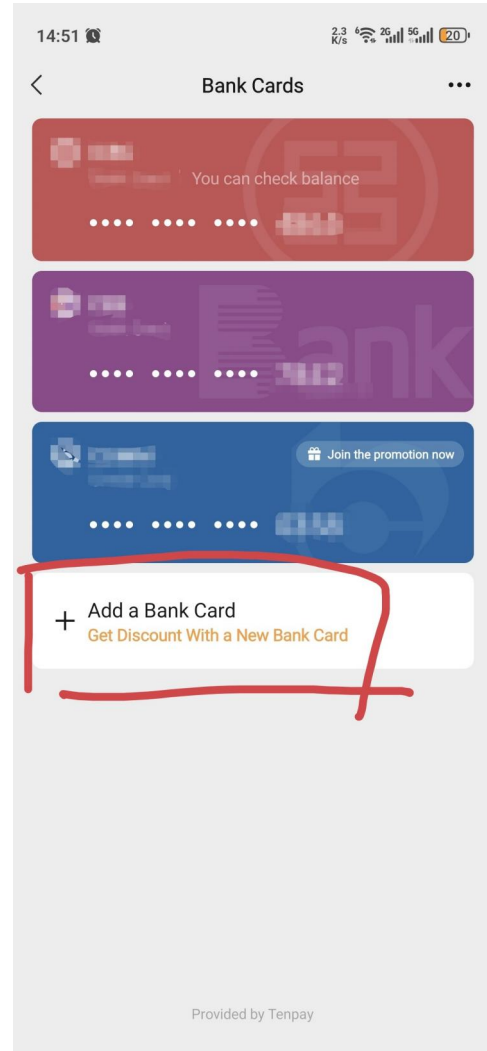
Step 2 Click "Wallet"



Step 3 Click bank cards



Step 4 Add a bank card

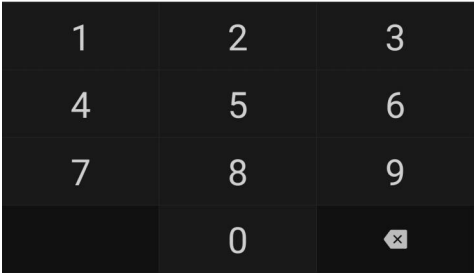
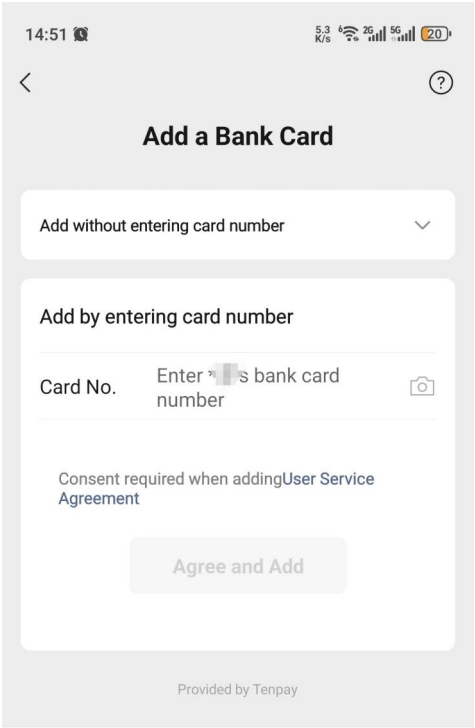
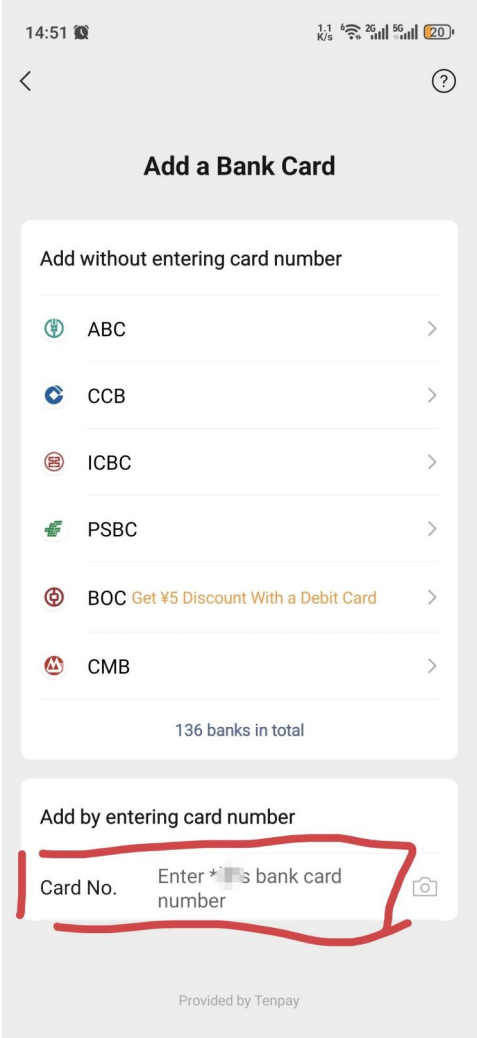


微信支付
Wechat Pay



How to link the bank card to Wechat

Step 5 Enter bank card number





MEDICAL/HEALTH

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01

Please check with your insurance provider that your insurance can cover the medical expense while you are abroad before you leave your country. Many Chinese insurance providers do not provide medical insurance for foreigners.



02

If you have a minor illness while you are at Keats, such as cold and cough, Keats School can provide you with medicine for free. If you need to see a doctor, the life advisor can take you to the hospital. Close to Keats School is Jinjiang Branch of West China Second University Hospital, Sichuan University.

If you need to purchase insurance in China, you can contact Keats for assistance. However, this insurance is only available to holders of the X2 student visa.

03

No vaccinations are needed, but we suggest all students consult with their doctor concerning personal needs or concerns.





TRANSPORTATION



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Bus

Buses directly to Keats School: 454, 891, 455, 854, 856, 218.

Bus Stop Name: Furong Primary School, Chengdu Academy of Governance Station



Subway

The closest metro station is Chengdu Academy of Governance Station with line 2. It is so easy to get around.



Taxi

The starting rate for a taxi in Chengdu is around RMB 11 yuan. A ride within the city costs about RMB 20 to RMB 80 yuan. It is hard to get a cab during the rush hours.



Shared Bikes

Shared bikes are now also a very common mode of transportation in China. Generally speaking, using shared bikes requires using WeChat and Alipay for payment.



ENTERTAINMENT



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Chengdu

Chengdu Research Base of Giant Panda Breeding

From the school, you can take Metro Line 2 from Chengdu Academy of Governance Station (toward Xipu) for 10 stops to Chunxi Road Station. Then transfer to Line 3 (toward Chengdu Medical College Xindu Campus) for 9 stops and get off at General Military Hospital (Panda Base West Gate Station), Exit B. From there, walk about 2.1 kilometers to reach the destination. It takes 1 hour and 27 minutes to get there.

Chengdu

Kuanzhaixiangzi Alley

From the school, you can take Metro Line 2 from Chengdu Academy of Governance Station (toward Xipu) for 12 stops to People's Park Station. Get off at Exit D, then walk about 518 meters to reach the destination. It takes 46 minutes to get there.

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Chengdu

People's Park

From the school, you can take Metro Line 2 from Chengdu Academy of Governance Station (toward Xipu) for 12 stops to People's Park Station. Get off at Exit D, then walk about 518 meters to reach the destination. It takes 43 minutes to get there.

Chengdu

Temple of Marquis

From the school, you can take Metro Line 2 from Chengdu Academy of Governance Station (toward Xipu) for 10 stops to Chunxi Road Station. Then transfer to Line 3 (toward Shuangliu West Station) for 5 stops and get off at Gaoshenqiao Station Exit C. From there, walk about 1.1 kilometers to reach the destination. It takes 1 hour and 5 minutes to get there.





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Chengdu Museum

From the school, you can take Metro Line 2 from Chengdu Academy of Governance Station (toward Xipu) for 11 stops to Tianfu Square Station. Get off at Exit C, then walk about 416 meters to reach the destination. It takes 42 minutes to get there.

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Du Fu Thatched Cottage

From the school, you can take Metro Line 2 from Chengdu Academy of Governance Station (toward Xipu) for 14 stops to TCM Univ. Provincial Hospital Station. Then transfer to Line 5 (toward Huilong Station) for 1 stop and get off at Qinyanggong Station Exit B. From there, walk about 1.7 kilometers to reach the destination. It takes 1 hour and 10 minutes to get there. ®

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Chengdu Dujiangyan Irrigation System

From the school, you can take Metro Line 2 from Chengdu Academy of Governance Station (toward Xipu) for 25 stops to Xipu Station. Then get off at Xipu Station Exit A1. Taking the High Speed Train to Lidui Park walk 10 minutes to the destination.

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Luodai Ancient Town

From the school, you can take Metro Line 2 from Chengdu Academy of Governance Station (toward Xipu) for 4 stops to Tchengdu East Bus Station. Then transfer to Line 7 (toward Yinghui Road Station) for 1 stop and get off at Yinghui Road Station Exit. From there, take bus 219 for 27 stops to get off at Luodai Bus Center station. It takes 1 hour and 48 minutes to get there.





Chengdu

Sanxingdui Museum

From the school, you can take Metro Line 2 from Chengdu Academy of Governance Station (toward Xipu) for 4 stops to Chengdu East Bus Station. Then take High Speed Train to Guanghan North, take the bus to the Museum. It takes 1 hour and 28 minutes to get there.

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Sichuan Museum

From the school, you can take Metro Line 2 from Chengdu Academy of Governance Station (toward Xipu) for 14 stops to TCM Univ. Provincial Hospital Station, and get off at Exit F. From there, walk about 1.4 kilometers to reach the destination. It takes 1 hour and 2 minutes to get there.





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Wenshu Temple

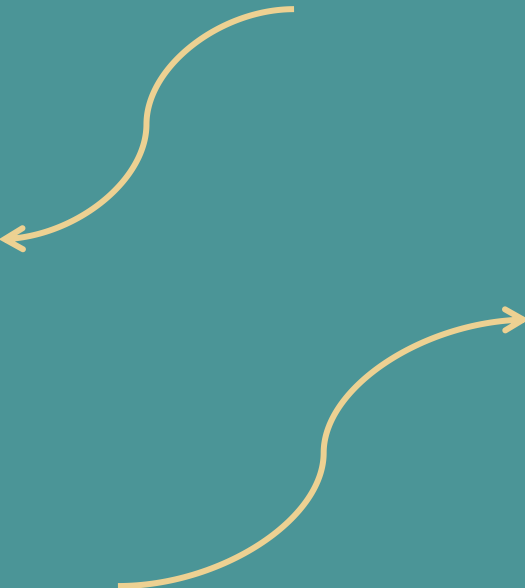
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RECOMMENDED
LOCAL FOOD IN
Chengdu



fū qī fèi piàn
夫妻肺片
Sliced Beef and
Ox Tongue



dàn dàn miàn
担担面
dandan noodles



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sān dà pào
三大炮
Three Cannon
Dumplings

dàn hōng gāo
蛋烘糕
Egg cake



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bō bō jī
钵钵鸡
Spicy Sichuan
Skewers

kǒu shuǐ jī
口水鸡
Saliva chicken



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yè ér bā

叶儿粑

Leaf-wrapped sticky
rice cake



táng yóu guǒ zi

糖油果子

Deep-fried glutinous
rice ball

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bīng fěn
冰粉
Ice Jelly



hóng yóu féi cháng
红油肥肠
Spicy Oil-Fried
Intestines



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Emergency Contact
Numbers for your
family and friends
(24/7):
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Please do not hesitate
to contact us at
info@keatschinese.com
if you have any
questions.

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