

ESSENTIAL VIETNAM, 10 DAYS OF EXPLORATION

Aimed at travelers with little time to spare, this 10-day Vietnam tour is designed to help you discover Vietnam in its entirety.

You will start in the charming city of Hanoi, the historical and cultural center of the country. You will then descend to the Red River Delta, admiring its extraordinary beauty: the unique combination of limestone terrain and marshy landscape that creates the so-called "Ha Long Bay on land".

Continue to Ha Long Bay, a stunning pristine beauty recognized by UNESCO as a World Heritage Site. You will head to central Vietnam to visit two UNESCO World Heritage cities, Hue and Hoi An.

The last stop of the trip is lively Ho Chi Minh City and the Mekong Delta, famous for its vibrant tropical orchards and typical villages along the canals.

Interests:

- ✓ Private and 100% tailor-made tours
- ✓ Visit important monuments and historical, cultural and spiritual places of the country.
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- ✓ Discover the traditions, culture and lifestyle of Vietnamese people
- ✓ Unforgettable experience in Ha Long Bay aboard an oriental style cruise ship with all comforts



Short Program: (B: Breakfast, B: Brunch, L: Lunch, D: Dinner)

Itinerary	Accommodation	Meals included
Day 01: Hanoi — Arrival	Hotel	
Day 02: Hanoi – Discover	Hotel	(B)
Day 03: Hanoi — Ninh Binh — Ha Long Bay	Hotel	(B)
Day 04: Ninh Binh — Ha Long Bay — Cruise	On board a cruise ship	(B, L, D)
Day 05: Ha Long Bay — Cruise — Hanoi → Hue	Hotel	(B, B)
Day 06: Hue – Discover	Hotel	(B)
Day 07: Hue – Da Nang – Hoi An – Discover	Hotel	(B)
Day 08: Hoi An − Da Nang → Ho Chi Minh City	Hotel	(B)
Day 09: Ho Chi Minh City — Ben Tre — Ho Chi Minh City	Hotel	(B)
Day 10: Ho Chi Minh City – Departure		(B)







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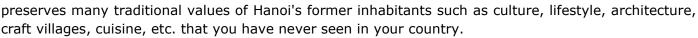
Day 01: Hanoi - Arrival

- ✓ English speaking guide and private driver
- ✓ From the airport to the city center: 30 km ~ 45' by private transport

Upon arrival at Noi Bai International Airport (Hanoi), you will be perfectly welcomed by our guide and driver, who will take you to the center of Hanoi. The first scenes of the noisy streets of Vietnam will appear before your eyes.

Depending on the arrival time of your flight, you can rest at your hotel if rooms are available or take a city tour on your own:

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Day 02: Hanoi - Discovery of the capital (B)

✓ English speaking guide and private driver



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You will have 02 options:

Option 01: You will visit Ho Chi Minh's Mausoleum, where you will find his mausoleum, his house on stilts and his garden inside the presidential palace (In particular, on Mondays and Fridays only the outside of the mausoleum is allowed to be visited due to

maintenance of the facilities). Continue to the one-pillar pagoda.

Option 02: You will visit the Vietnam Museum of Ethnology (closed on Mondays). This museum, inaugurated by Jacques Chirac in 1995, represents the traditions, production and recreational activities of Vietnam's 54 ethnic groups. Discover a variety of impressive collections and reconstructions that give



you a complete understanding of the architecture, crafts, music, traditions and traditional dress of this Southeast Asian country. This museum also dedicates a large outdoor exhibition that showcases various genuine traditional housing models of ethnic minorities from all over the country. The success of this museum is mainly due to the cooperation between Vietnamese intellectuals and French specialists in museology. In addition, the building teaches Vietnamese patriotic and revolutionary culture. It is considered a revolutionary relic, a place where various materials, pictures and documents about prominent revolutionaries, as well as evidence of crimes committed by French colonialists are displayed.

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Then, you will contemplate the relics scattered around Hoan Kiem (Restored Sword) Lake, such as the Turtle Tower and the Temple of Ngoc Son, and learn about the cultural singularities of the old quarter.

Afternoon theater: you will attend the water puppet dance show, an ancient performance art performance of the Red River Delta.

Meals on your own and hotel accommodation in Hanoi.

Day 03: Hanoi - Ninh Binh - Hoa Lu - Tam Coc - Bich Dong Pagoda (B)

- ✓ English speaking guide and private driver
- ✓ Hanoi Ninh Binh: 100 km ~ 2h by private transport

Breakfast at the hotel. Continue along the charming little road to Ninh Binh, the land christened "Ha Long Bay of land".

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In the afternoon, you will embark on a sampan for a pleasant ride on the Ngo Dong River. Amidst the rice fields, you will observe the breathtaking scenery of many limestone peaks with tormented shapes covered with lush vegetation. As a result, we call this place Ha Long Land Bay. Next, you will pass by the three beautiful caves (Tam Coc).



Then you will take a nice bike ride and visit the Bich Dong pagoda (the jade pagoda).

Meals on your own and hotel accommodation in Ninh Binh.

Day 04: Ninh Binh - Ha Long Bay - Cruise (B, L, D)

- ✓ English speaking guide on board and private driver
- ✓ Ninh Binh Ha Long: 180 km ~ 4h by private transport



After breakfast at the hotel, depart for Ha Long Bay through the vast landscapes of the Red River Delta.

Arriving at Ha Long Bay around noon, you will board the cruise ship, enjoy a welcome drink and spend a few minutes listening to an introduction about the safety of the ship and the activities included. You will then settle into your cabin to freely enjoy the first movements of the cruise.

Lunch is served as the ship sails into Bai Tu Long Bay through magnificent scenery of the seventh wonder of the world with thousands of sugar-cake shaped islands and islets.

Next, you will use a small boat to head to Cap La Island, where you will take a scenic kayak tour through breathtaking views of steep limestone peaks over the emerald waters of Bai Tu Long Bay. You will have time to swim and relax on the white sandy beach. Back on the boat, as the cruise continues, you can relax on the sundeck or take pictures while watching the sunset.

Lunch and dinner are served with excellent local dishes and fresh specialties from the sea.

Dinner, free time and overnight on board.

Day 05: Ha Long Bay - Cruise - Hanoi Q Hue (B, L)

- ✓ English speaking guide on board and private driver
- ✓ Ha Long Hanoi: 150 km ~ 3h30' by private transport
- ✓ Hanoi Hue: 1h15' by plane



Start the day with a Tai Chi class on the sundeck or enjoy the picturesque views of the bay in the morning. Light breakfast on board.

Afterwards, you will have breakfast on board before departing to Hon Co Island to discover Thien Canh Son Cave, one of the jewels of Bai Tu Long Bay. You will have the opportunity to swim on the sandy beach.



Back on board, the trip will continue peacefully through the most beautiful and quiet hidden corners of Bai Tu Long Bay. You will continue to enjoy the surreal scenery that this place has to offer.

Afterwards, you can participate in a Vietnamese cooking demonstration: how to make NEM CUON and taste dishes prepared by yourself.

A light brunch will be served while the boat returns to the pier.

In the afternoon, return to Hanoi through the breathtaking scenery of the vast rice fields of the Red River Delta. You will be in Hanoi in the afternoon, then transfer by private transportation to Noi Bai International Airport (Hanoi) for the flight to Hue. Upon arrival in Hue, driver will pick you up and take you to the hotel.

Dinner on your own and overnight at hotel in Hue.

Day 06: Hue - Discovery (B)

✓ English speaking guide on board and private driver



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Citadel still retains all the beauty of an original Vietnamese-Chinese architecture. You will visit sumptuous monuments: Ngo Mon Gate (Southern Gate), Thai Hoa Palace (Supreme Harmony), Royal Library (Thai Binh Lau), Imperial Garden (Ngu Uyen), Royal Theatre, etc.



Next, you will transfer to the beautiful Thien Mu (Heavenly Lady) Pagoda perched on the top of the hill overlooking the Huong (Perfume) River.

In the afternoon, you will visit the mausoleum of King Tu Duc, a mausoleum surrounded by tranquility, nature and one of the most beautiful works of royal architecture of the Nguyen dynasty. On your return to the city center, you will stop at the traditional incense craft village to take photos with bunches of incense sticks of various colors.

You will pass through Dong Ba market in the late afternoon, where you will find products that reflect the skill and delicacy of Hue women artisans, such as conical poem hats.

Meals on your own and hotel accommodation in Hue.

Day 07: Hue - Da Nang - Hoi An - Discovery (B)

- ✓ English speaking guide and private driver
- ✓ Hue Hoi An: 120 km ~ 3h30' 4h by private transport

Breakfast at the hotel and departure to Da Nang taking a charming road of Hai Van Pass that offers a magnificent panorama of the city. There is also a stop at the top of the pass for a beautiful view of Lang Co beach, one of the most beautiful peninsulas in Vietnam.

Arriving in Hoi An Old Town around noon, you will then take a stroll through the narrow streets, flanked by beautiful old houses, testimony to a flourishing era of the country's foreign trade several hundred years ago.



In 1999, UNESCO declared Hoi An, formerly known as "Faifo", a World Heritage Site thanks to its architectural and historical values. Coming to this ancient commercial jewel, you will visit Hoi An's famous monuments, such as: the Japanese bridge, Chinese temple, old house and handicraft quarter, etc.

The rest of the day is completely free for your personal discovery of this ancient port city. Meals on your own and hotel accommodation in Hoi An.



Day 08: Hoi An - Da Nang Q Ho Chi Minh City (B)

- ✓ English speaking guide and private driver
- ✓ Da Nang Ho Chi Minh City : 1h15' by plane



After breakfast at the hotel, you will transfer to Da Nang airport for your flight to Ho Chi Minh City, the former Saigon. It is one of the largest cities in the country and a modern, futuristic city whose cityscape is characterized by huge skyscrapers and neon lights. Upon arrival in Ho Chi Minh City, our driver and guide will take you to the city center. You will begin your city tour by visiting the Chợ Lớn Chinatown, with the Bình Tây market and the Thiên Hậu pagoda, dedicated to the worship of the Goddess of the Sea.

In the afternoon, you will visit the Reunification Palace, which was the residence of the President of the Republic of Vietnam until April 30, 1975. Meals on your own and overnight at the hotel in the center of Ho Chi Minh City.

You will then enjoy a walk through the colonial buildings, where you can observe the French presence for almost a hundred years in this land. You will explore Saigon through colonial buildings such as: the Saigon Central Post Office and the Municipal Theater (seen from outside).

Lunch on your own and overnight at the hotel in downtown Ho Chi Minh City.

Day 09: Ho Chi Minh City - Ben Tre (Mekong Delta) - Ho Chi Minh City (B)

- ✓ English speaking guide and private driver
- ✓ Ho Chi Minh City Ben Tre: 80 km ~ 2h by private transport

Breakfast at the hotel. You will head to Ben Tre to explore the Mekong Delta, the largest rice granary in Vietnam. Upon arrival in Ben Tre, you will board a local boat. You will explore the daily activities of the residents on this private boat as it moves along the river.

You will visit the coconut handicraft workshop while crossing the canal and listen to the southern vocal and musical art "Don ca tai tu", an intangible cultural heritage of the world. You will see how people use all parts of the coconut and taste coconut sweets with honey tea.





Navigation will continue on the Cai Son River. You will disembark at Nhon Thanh village, where local families have specialized in making mats from reed. You will be invited to taste fresh tropical fruits. You will continue by bicycle or tuk tuk, a "motorized vehicle", through coconut groves and fruit and vegetable gardens.

Then, you will take a ten-minute paddle boat ride through a coconut orchard crossing beautiful and romantic landscapes.

Disembark and return to Ho Chi Minh City in the late afternoon.

Lunch on your own and hotel accommodation in Ho Chi Minh City.

Day 10: Ho Chi Minh City - Departure (B)

✓ Private driver

After breakfast, you will have the rest of the day to relax and discover the city before transferring to Tan Son Nhat International Airport for your international departure flight.

Trip price/person	From USD 2,900 per person
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The price includes:

- ✓ Private transportation with air conditioning
- ✓ Accommodation in 5* hotels
- ✓ All air tickets for domestic flights: (HANÓI HUE, DA NANG HO CHI MINH CITY) in economy class
- ✓ Meals mentioned in the program
- ✓ English speaking guide for each stage of the circuit
- ✓ All entrance fees to tourist sites
- ✓ Authorizations to visit villages
- ✓ Excursion boats as described in the program
- ✓ An unforgettable cruise in Ha Long Bay for 02 days and 01 night
- ✓ All other services mentioned in the program (cycling, water puppet show, etc.)
- ✓ Bottles of mineral water
- ✓ All costs for all other services as clearly described in the program.
- ✓ Medical and travel insurance
- ✓ Daily itinerary and assistance 24.7

The price does not include:

- Personal expenses
- International flights
- Gratuities



VIETNAM & BEACH ESCAPE, 17 DAYS OF ADVENTURE

This extraordinary 17-day tour of Vietnam will allow you to travel the country from north to south and explore the most emblematic places of such a hospitable country.

You will start in the charming city of Hanoi, the historical and cultural center of the country. The next day, you will visit the Sapa Mountains, famous for their unique appeal of lush nature, fresh air and distinctive national identity. You will then descend to the Red River Delta, admiring its extraordinary beauty: the unique combination of limestone terrain and marshy landscape that creates the so-called "Ha Long Bay on land". You will then drive to Ha Long Bay, a breathtaking pristine beauty recognized by UNESCO as a World Heritage Site.

To continue, you will head to central Vietnam to visit two UNESCO World Heritage cities, Hue and Hoi An. You will then spend a few wonderful nights on the beach in Hoi An, one of the most stunning beaches in Vietnam.

At the end, you will visit the lively Ho Chi Minh City and the Mekong Delta, famous for its vibrant tropical orchards, typical villages along the canals.

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Day 07: Ha Long Bay − Crucero − Hanói → Hue	Hotel	(B, B)
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Day 11: Hoi An — Staying by the sea	Hotel	(B)
Day 12: Hoi An — Staying by the sea	Hotel	(B)
Day 13: Hoi An — Staying by the sea	Hotel	(B)
Day 14: Hoi An — Da Nang → Ho Chi Minh City — Discover	Hotel	(B)
Day 15: Ho Chi Minh City – Cu Chi Tunnels	Hotel	(B)
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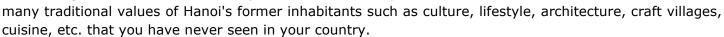
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Day 02: Hanoi - Discovery of the capital (B)

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Day 03: Hanoi - Sapa - Thac Bac (Silver Waterfall) - Thac Tinh Yeu (Waterfall of Love) - Sapa (B)

- ✓ English speaking guide and private driver
- ✓ Hanoi Sapa: 300km ~ 5 hours by private transport

The hotel will prepare breakfast to take away. Departure to Sapa early in the morning. Transfer to the Silver waterfall (thac bac), a unique and beautiful convergence of the northwest mountains. This majestic waterfall over 200 meters high surprised many domestic and international visitors. After ascending the stone stairs, there is nothing better than looking at the white foam of the water, the majestic natural scenery and breathing the fresh air.



Then, you will continue to the beautiful Love waterfall (thac tinh yeu). According to legend, the fairy fell in love with the melodious flute of the woodcutter O Quy Ho.



Unfortunately, their families prevented it. One day, the fairy got angry and turned into a bird to look for her lover, but did not find him. Since then, the top of the pass was christened O Quy Ho. You can contemplate the nearly 100-meter high waterfall meandering like a strip of silk, surrounded by rows of green trees, as you arrive here. At the foot of this waterfall is the Golden Stream, whose water is clear and amber-colored.

Return to Sapa town.

Lunch on your own and overnight at hotel in Sapa.

Day 04: Sapa - Y Linh Ho - Lao Chai - Ta Van - Hanoi (B)

- ✓ English speaking guide and private driver
- ✓ Sapa Hanoi: 300km ~ 5h by private transport
 - ❖ Hike of 6 to 7 km with a duration of 3 hours to 3.5 hours maximum at medium level. Depending on your physical condition and your wishes, we will adapt the duration of the hike to your pace.

Note: Rice fields are only cultivated in Sapa from July to early September.



Breakfast at the hotel. Then, start the day with an expedition to the beautiful Y Linh Ho valley. The expedition will continue through the Hoang Lien Son mountain range, also known as the "Roof of Indochina". The terraced fields of the Muong Hoa valley provide an opportunity to freely contemplate the beauty of the northwest, which is characterized by fields. Muong Hoa Valley, with many villages and village houses, is beautiful from above. In addition, you will have the opportunity to learn and discover the customs and culture of long-settled ethnic minorities, such as Dao, Tay and H'mong.

Next, you will visit the beautiful ethnic villages of the Lao Chai Valley. The tour will take you through beautiful, wild and romantic landscapes, such as country terraces, hanging bridges and ethnic villages. If you keep walking, you will reach Ta Van. There, you will meet the Black H'mong and Dao people and their way of life and customs.

In the afternoon, you will return to Hanoi. Lunch on your own and hotel accommodation in Hanoi.



Day 05: Hanoi - Ninh Binh - Hoa Lu - Tam Coc - Mua Cave (B)

- ✓ English speaking guide and private driver
- ✓ Hanoi Ninh Binh: 100 km ~ 2h by private transport

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You will discover Mua Cave where you can fully enjoy the beauty of Ninh Binh. To reach the top of Hang Mua, you will have to climb almost 500 rock steps. From the highest point, you can see the beautiful panorama of the area bathed by the Ngo Dong River dotted with karst rock formations and rice fields of different shades of colors.

Lunch on your own and hotel accommodation in Ninh Binh.

Day 06: Ninh Binh - Ha Long Bay - Cruise (B, L, D)

- ✓ English speaking guide on board and private driver
- ✓ Ninh Binh Ha Long: 180 km ~ 4h by private transport





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- √ Ha Long Hanoi: 150 km ~ 3h30' by private transport
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Dinner on your own and overnight at hotel in Hue.

Day 08: Hue - Discovery (B)

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Day 09: Hue - Da Nang - Hoi An (B)

- ✓ English speaking guide and private driver
- ✓ Hue Da Nang Hoi An: 120 km ~ 3h30' 4h by private transport

Breakfast at the hotel and departure to Da Nang taking a charming road of the Hai Van Pass that offers a magnificent panorama of the city. There is also a stop at the top of the pass for a beautiful view of Lang Co beach, one of the most beautiful peninsulas in Vietnam.

Upon arrival in Da Nang, you will have 02 options:

Option 01: You will be amazed by the unprecedented beauty of the 150-meter long golden bridge. It is located more than 1400 meters above sea level and is supported by two giant hands carved in stone.



(It is recommended that you go from March to September to make the most of the scenery; the remaining months are usually cloudy or rainy).

Option 02: You will discover the Son Tra (Monkey Mountain) peninsula, once a floating island formed by three mountains. This jewel of Da Nang city has experienced exponential growth in both maritime tourism and spiritual tourism. Among them is the Linh Ung Pagoda, which features the statue of the Buddha of Compassion Kuan Yin (67 meters), the tallest in Vietnam. Next, you will visit the marble mountains of Ngu Hanh Son (Five Elements Mountains) which are prized for their historical, cultural and spiritual values. From the top, you can see the peaceful Ngu Hanh Son Mountain, the majestic Truong Son mountain range and the complex of temples and mysterious caves.

Return to Hoi An in the late afternoon.

Day 08: Hoi An - Discovery of the city (B)



✓ English speaking guide and private driver

Breakfast at the hotel. You will start the day with a stroll through the heart of Hoi An's old quarter.

You will stroll through the narrow streets, flanked by beautiful old houses, testimony to a flourishing era of the country's foreign trade several hundred years ago.



In 1999, UNESCO declared Hoi An, formerly known as "Faifo", a World Heritage Site thanks to its architectural and historical values. Coming to this ancient commercial jewel, you will visit Hoi An's famous monuments such as: the Japanese bridge, Chinese temple, old house and handicraft quarter, etc.

The rest of the day is completely free for your personal discovery of this ancient port city.

Meals on your own and overnight at the hotel in Hoi An city center.

Day 11: Hoi An - Stay by the sea (B)

✓ Without a guide or driver

Breakfast at the hotel and then transfer to the hotel near the beach. You will have the rest of the day at leisure, to relax or swim at An Bang beach.

Located about 4 km from the center of Hoi An ancient city, An Bang beach is like a jade stone with cool blue waters, worthy of a perfect place for rest and relaxation, helping visitors to find peace. The best time to summer at this beach is from March to September.

Meals on your own and hotel accommodation near the beach.

Day 12, 13: Hoi An - Stay by the sea (B)

✓ Without a guide or driver

Breakfast at the hotel and you will have the rest of the day at leisure to relax or swim at An Bang beach.

Meals on your own and hotel accommodation near the beach.

Day 14: Hoi An - Da Nang 🛪 Ho Chi Minh City (B)

- ✓ English speaking guide and private driver
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After breakfast at the hotel, you will transfer to Da Nang airport for your flight to Ho Chi Minh City, the former Saigon. It is one of the largest cities in the country and a modern, futuristic city whose cityscape is characterized by huge skyscrapers and neon lights. Upon arrival in Ho Chi Minh City, our driver and guide will take you to the city center.

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In the afternoon, you will visit the Reunification Palace, which was the residence of the President of the Republic of Vietnam until April 30, 1975. Meals on your own and overnight at the hotel in the center of Ho Chi Minh City.

You will then enjoy a walk through the colonial buildings, where you can observe the French presence for almost a hundred years in this land. You will explore Saigon through colonial buildings such as: the Saigon Central Post Office and the Municipal Theater (seen from outside).

Lunch on your own and overnight at the hotel in downtown Ho Chi Minh City.

Day 11: Ho Chi Minh City - Cu Chi Tunnels - Ho Chi Minh City (B)

- ✓ English speaking guide and private driver
- ✓ Ho Chi Minh Cu Chi: 50 km ~ 1h30' by private transport



After breakfast at the hotel, departure to the Cu Chi Tunnels, an unparalleled 250 kilometers long subway passage system with several tunnels including polyclinics, dormitories, meeting rooms, kitchens, warehouses, etc.. Visiting this liberated village, you will be immersed in the brave and indomitable spirit of the Vietnamese army and people in their resistance against the Yankees for national liberation.

In the afternoon, return to Ho Chi Minh City via a pleasant country road.

Lunch on your own and hotel accommodation in Ho Chi Minh City.



Day 12: Ho Chi Minh City - Ben Tre (Mekong Delta) - Ho Chi Minh City (B)

- ✓ English speaking guide and private driver
- ✓ Ho Chi Minh City Ben Tre: 80 km ~ 2h by private transport

Breakfast at the hotel. You will head to Ben Tre to explore the Mekong Delta, the largest rice granary in Vietnam. Upon arrival in Ben Tre, you will board a local boat. You will explore the daily activities of the residents on this private boat as it moves along the river.

You will visit the coconut handicraft workshop while crossing the canal and listen to the southern vocal and musical art "Don ca tai tu", an intangible cultural heritage of the world. You will see how people use all parts of the coconut and taste coconut sweets with honey tea.



Navigation will continue on the Cai Son River. You will disembark at Nhon Thanh village, where local families have specialized in making mats from reed. You will be invited to taste fresh tropical fruits. You will continue by bicycle or tuk tuk, a "motorized vehicle", through coconut groves and fruit and vegetable gardens.

Then, you will take a ten-minute paddle boat ride through a coconut orchard crossing beautiful and romantic landscapes. Disembark and return to Ho Chi Minh City in the late afternoon.

Lunch on your own and overnight at hotel in Ho Chi Minh City.

Day 17: Ho Chi Minh City - Departure (B)

✓ Private driver

After breakfast, you will have the rest of the day to relax and discover the city before transferring to Tan Son Nhat International Airport for your international departure flight.

*** End of our services ***

Trip price / person	From USD 3 900 per person
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The price includes:

- ✓ Transportation in private air-conditioned transport
- ✓ Accommodation in well-planned hotels or similar according to availability
- ✓ Air tickets for domestic flights: (HANÓI HUE, DA NANG HO CHI MINH CITY) in economy class
- \checkmark Meals mentioned in the program: (B = breakfast, L = lunch, D = dinner)
- ✓ English speaking guide in each region
- ✓ Entrance fees to tourist sites
- ✓ Authorizations to visit villages
- ✓ Excursion boats according to the program
- ✓ Bottles of mineral water
- ✓ An unforgettable cruise in Ha Long Bay for 02 days and 01 night
- ✓ Other services mentioned in the program (cycling, water puppet show, etc.).
- ✓ Charges for all other services according to the program.

The price does not include:

- Personal expenses
- International flights
- Tips



VIETNAM & ITS HIDDEN CHARM, 14 DAYS OF DISCOVERY

This extraordinary 14-day tour of Vietnam will allow you to travel the country from south to north and explore the most iconic sights of such a hospitable country.

You will start in bustling Ho Chi Minh City and the Mekong Delta, famous for its vibrant tropical orchards, typical villages along the canals.

You will head to central Vietnam to visit two UNESCO World Cultural Heritage cities, Hue and Hoi An.

In the north, you will explore the charming city of Hanoi, the historical and cultural center of the country. You will then descend to the Red River Delta, admiring its extraordinary beauty: the unique combination of limestone terrain and marshy landscape that creates the so-called "Ha Long Bay on land". Finally, you will head to Ha Long Bay, a breathtaking pristine beauty recognized by UNESCO as a World Heritage Site.

Interests:

- ✓ Private and 100% tailor-made tours
- ✓ Visit important monuments and historical, cultural and spiritual places of the country.
- ✓ Contemplate the beauty of nature and landscapes
- ✓ Meet warmly the local people
- ✓ Discover the traditions, culture and lifestyle of Vietnamese people
- ✓ Unforgettable experience in Ha Long Bay aboard an oriental style cruise ship with all comforts



Short program: (B: Breakfast, B: Brunch, L: Lunch, D: Dinner)

Itinerary	Accommodation	Meals included
Day 01: Ho Chi Minh City – Arrival	Hotel	
Day 02: Ho Chi Minh City – Discover	Hotel	(B)
Day 03: Ho Chi Minh City – Ben Tre – Ho Chi Minh City	Hotel	(B)
Day 04: Ho Chi Minh City	Hotel	(B)
Day 05: Hoi An — Ecological Tour	Hotel	(D, L)
Day 06: Hoi An — Da Nang — Discover — Hue	Hotel	(B)
Day 07: Hue − Discover 🚜 Hanói	Hotel	(B)
Day 08: Hanoi – Discover	Hotel	(B)
Day 09: Hanoi — Hoa Binh — Mai Chau	Hotel	(B)
Day 10: Mai Chau — Pu Luong	Hotel	(B)
Day 11: Pu Luong — Ninh Binh —Ha Long Bay	Hotel	(B)
Day 12: Ninh Binh – Ha Long Bay – Cruise	On board cruise	(B, L, D)
Day 13: Ha Long Bay — Cruise — Hanói	Hotel	(B, B)
Day 14: Hanói – Departure		(B)







Detailed program:

Day 01: Ho Chi Minh City - Arrival

- ✓ English speaking guide and private driver
- ✓ Transfer from Tan Son Nhat International Airport to hotel: 12 km ~ 45' by private transport

Upon arrival at Tan Son Nhat International Airport, you will be warmly welcomed by our driver and guide, who will take you to the center of Ho Chi Minh City, the former Saigon. It is one of the largest cities in the country and a modern, futuristic city whose cityscape is characterized by huge skyscrapers and neon lights.

You will have the rest of the day to relax or discover Ho Chi Minh City.



Meals on your own and hotel accommodation in the city center.

Your hotel room will be officially available from 2:00 pm.

Day 02: Ho Chi Minh City - Discovery (B)

✓ English speaking guide and private driver



After breakfast at the hotel, you will begin your city tour by visiting the Chợ Lớn Chinatown with the Bình Tây market and the Thiên Hậu pagoda, dedicated to the worship of the Goddess of the Sea.

Next, you will visit the Vietnam War Remnants Museum, located behind the Reunification Palace. This compound specializes in researching, collecting, preserving and displaying evidence of the crimes and consequences of Vietnam's wars of invasion.

In the afternoon, you will visit the Reunification Palace, which was the residence of the President of the Republic of Vietnam until April 30, 1975.



You will then enjoy a walk through the colonial buildings, where you will observe the French presence for almost a hundred years in this land. You will explore Saigon through colonial buildings such as: the Saigon Central Post Office and the Municipal Theater (seen from outside).

Lunch on your own and overnight at the hotel in downtown Ho Chi Minh City.

Day 03: Ho Chi Minh City - Ben Tre (Mekong Delta) - Ho Chi Minh City (B)

- ✓ English speaking guide and private driver
- ✓ Ho Chi Minh City Ben Tre: 80 km ~ 2h by private transport

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You will visit the coconut handicraft workshop while crossing the canal and listen to the southern vocal and musical art "Don ca tai tu", an intangible cultural heritage of the world. You will see how people use all parts of the coconut and taste coconut sweets with honey tea.



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Then, you will take a ten-minute paddle boat ride through a coconut orchard crossing beautiful and romantic landscapes.

Disembark and return to Ho Chi Minh City in the late afternoon.

Lunch on your own and overnight at hotel in Ho Chi Minh City.



Day 04: Ho Chi Minh City 🛪 Da Nang - Hoi An - Discovery (B)

- ✓ English speaking guide and private driver
- ✓ Ho Chi Minh City Da Nang : 1h15' by plane



Breakfast at hotel and transfer to Ho Chi Minh's Tan Son Nhat International Airport for flight to Da Nang.

Upon arrival in Da Nang, you will be met by our driver and guide, then transfer by private transport to Hoi An town.

You will take a stroll through the narrow streets, flanked by beautiful old houses, testimony to a flourishing era of the country's foreign trade several hundred years ago.

In 1999, UNESCO declared Hoi An, formerly known as "Faifo", a World Heritage Site thanks to its architectural and historical values. Coming to this ancient commercial jewel, you will visit Hoi An's famous monuments such as: the Japanese bridge, Chinese temple, old house and handicraft quarter, etc.

The rest of the day is completely free for your personal discovery of this ancient port city.

Meals on your own and overnight at hotel in Hoi An.

Day 05: Hoi An - Ecological Tour (B, L)

→ English-speaking guide and transfer by bicycle and electric car

Breakfast at the hotel, then cycling through the Vietnamese countryside away from the hustle and bustle of the city, traffic and tourist routes. From village to village, you will ride through vast rice paddies and quiet zigzag roads to the fishing village of Van Lang and the coconut forest of Bay Mau.

This forest covers an area of about seven hectares, surrounded by mangroves, canals and coconut leaf-roofed houses. During the years of resistance against the French colonialists and the American empire, this place became a revolutionary base and to



this day, visitors are impressed by the placid and beautiful natural landscape of this place.



On the way, you will stop at some main places: Ba Le market, rice fields, cemetery, school, etc.

Arriving at the village, you will be warmly welcomed at the local people's house where you will meet their family of more than 3 generations, you will also have a chance to taste green tea and take a walk around the village. Then, the fishermen will take you to discover their traditional fishing techniques and the coconut forest with a coracle in "Thung chai".

Return to the local people's house to relax with a herbal foot massage. Afterwards, you will participate in lunch preparation with your family with dishes such as: banh xeo (sizzling pancake), Hoi An spring rolls, Tam Huu (Meat - Shrimp - Herbs with shallot leaves), grilled fish wrapped in guise leaves, etc. Afterwards, you can taste the dishes you have prepared.

You will return to the hotel by electronic car. The rest of the day is completely free for your personal discovery of this ancient port city.

Dinner on your own and overnight at the hotel.

Day 06: Hoi An - Da Nang - Hue (B)

- ✓ English speaking guide and private driver
- ✓ Hoi An Da Nang Hue : 120 km ~ 3h30' 4h by private transport



Breakfast at the hotel. Then, you will transfer to Da Nang.

Upon arrival in Da Nang, you will have 02 options:

Option 01: You will be amazed by the unprecedented beauty of the 150-meter long golden bridge. It is located more than 1400 meters above sea level and is supported by two giant hands carved in stone. (It is recommended that you go from March to September to make the most of the scenery; the remaining months are usually cloudy or rainy).

Option 02: You will visit the marble mountains of Ngu Hanh Son (Five Element Mountains) which are prized for their historical, cultural and spiritual values. From the top, you can contemplate the peaceful Ngu Hanh Son Mountain, the majestic Truong Son mountain range and the complex of temples and mysterious caves. Next, you will discover the Son Tra (Monkey Mountain) peninsula, once a floating island formed by three mountains. This jewel of Da Nang city has experienced exponential growth in both maritime tourism and spiritual tourism. Among them is the Linh Ung Pagoda, which features the statue of the Buddha of Compassion Kuan Yin (67 meters), the tallest in Vietnam.



In the afternoon, departure to Hue taking a charming road of Hai Van Pass which offers a magnificent panorama of the city. There is also a stop at the top of the pass for a beautiful view of Lang Co beach, one of the most beautiful peninsulas in Vietnam.

Lunch on your own and overnight at the hotel.

Day 07: Hue - Discovery **✗** Hanoi (B)

- ✓ English speaking guide and private driver
- ✓ Hue Hanoi: 1h15' by plane

Hue was the capital and cultural, political and economic center of Vietnam between 1802 and 1945, one of the country's most turbulent times. The city's historical heritage and intact architecture will provide visitors with many unforgettable emotions.

After breakfast at your hotel, you will visit for the first time the majestic imperial city of Hue, where 13 emperors of the Nguyen dynasty lived between 1802 and 1945. Over the years, the Hue Citadel still retains all the beauty of an original Vietnamese-Chinese architecture. You will visit sumptuous monuments: Ngo Mon Gate (Southern Gate), Thai Hoa Palace (Supreme Harmony), Royal Library (Thai Binh Lau), Imperial Garden (Ngu Uyen), Royal Theatre, etc.



Next, you will transfer to the beautiful Thien Mu (Heavenly Lady) Pagoda perched on the top of the hill overlooking the Huong (Perfume) River.

In the afternoon, you will visit the mausoleum of King Tu Duc, a mausoleum surrounded by tranquility, nature and one of the most beautiful works of royal architecture of the Nguyen dynasty. On your return to the city center, you will stop at the traditional incense craft village to take photos with bouquets of incense sticks of various colors.

In the late afternoon, transfer to Da Nang airport for flight to Hanoi. Upon arrival in Hanoi, driver will pick you up and take you to the city center.

Meals on your own and hotel accommodation in Hanoi.



Day 08: Hanoi - Discovery of the capital (B)

✓ English speaking guide and private driver



After breakfast at the hotel, you will explore the capital city of Hanoi.

You will have 02 options:

Option 01: You will visit Ho Chi Minh's Mausoleum, where you will find his mausoleum, his house on stilts and his garden inside the presidential palace (In particular, on Mondays and Fridays only the outside of the mausoleum is allowed to be visited due to facilities maintenance). Continue to the one-pillar pagoda.

Option 02: You will visit the Vietnam Museum of Ethnology (closed on Mondays). This museum, inaugurated by Jacques Chirac in 1995, represents the traditions, production and recreational activities of Vietnam's 54 ethnic groups. Discover a variety of impressive collections and reconstructions that give you a complete understanding of the architecture, crafts, music, traditions and traditional dress of this Southeast Asian country. This museum also dedicates a large outdoor exhibition that showcases various genuine traditional housing models of ethnic minorities from all over the country. The success of this museum is mainly due to the cooperation between Vietnamese intellectuals and French specialists in museology. In addition, the building teaches Vietnamese patriotic and revolutionary culture. It is considered a revolutionary relic, a place where various materials, pictures and documents about prominent revolutionaries, as well as evidence of crimes committed by French colonialists are displayed.

You will visit the Temple of Literature, one of the symbols of Vietnamese feudal education. This site pays homage to intellectual curiosity, an important tradition in Vietnamese culture.

Then, you will contemplate the relics scattered around Hoan Kiem (Restored Sword) Lake, such as the Turtle Tower and the Temple of Ngoc Son, and learn about the cultural singularities of the old quarter.

Afternoon theater: you will attend the water puppet dance show, an ancient performance art performance of the Red River Delta.

Meals on your own and hotel accommodation in Hanoi.



Day 09: Hanoi - Hoa Binh - Mai Chau (B)

- ✓ English speaking guide and private driver
- ✓ Hanoi Mai Chau: 150 km ~ 3h30 'by private transport

Note: Rice fields are only cultivated from March to May and from August to early October.

Breakfast at the hotel. Then depart for the Mai Chau Valley through a charming road and magnificent scenery of green rice fields, sugar cane fields and ethnic villages. Stop at Thung Khe Pass (also known as White Stone Pass), a worthwhile stop on all four sides to view the vast Mai Chau Valley. Arrival in Mai Chau around noon.



In the afternoon, you will take a 2 to 3 hour hike or bike ride through the mountains and lush vegetation. You will pass

through several ethnic villages with houses on stilts that carry the "cultural identity" of the Thai people of Mai Chau. You will have the opportunity to share very interesting moments with the villagers. You will discover their accommodation, daily activities and local culture.

Meals on your own and overnight at the hotel in Mai Chau.

Day 10: Mai Chau - Pu Luong - Exciting hiking trails (B)

- ✓ English speaking guide and private driver
- ✓ Mai Chau Pu Luong: 100 km ~ 2h by private transport
- Easy hiking for about 2 3 hours



Note: Rice fields are only cultivated from March to May and from August to early October.

After breakfast, depart to Pu Luong Nature Reserve, a harmonious combination of natural beauty and minority group culture.

Pu Luong Nature Reserve, privileged by nature with wellpreserved landscapes and a diversity of flora and fauna, has become an attractive destination in the country. This reserve is



the largest karst forest area in northern Vietnam, with three major forest types: lowland rainforest, montane forest and bamboo and giant shrubs.

Continue to the suspension bridge over the Cham River to begin your walk in search of water wheels. You will experience how the river water flows through handmade bamboo aqueducts of all sizes and shapes.

You will continue through the valley, among roads and farmland, villages and fields, ponds and rivers, mountains.

Meals on your own and hotel accommodation in Pu Luong.

Day 11: Pu Luong - Ninh Binh - Hoa Lu - Trang An - Bich Dong Pagoda (B)

- ✓ English speaking guide and private driver
- ✓ Pu Luong Ninh Binh: 125 km ~ 3h by private transport

Breakfast at the hotel. Continue along the charming little road to Ninh Binh, the land christened as "Ha Long Bay of land".

Transfer to Hoa Lu, the ancient capital of Vietnam (under the Dinh dynasty 968-980 and the beginning of the previous Le dynasty 980-1009). You will visit the two temples of the kings dating from the 10th century. They still retain all the beauty of the monumental ensemble, you can admire the delicacy of art with wood and stone sculptures made by Vietnamese craftsmen since the seventeenth century.



Next, you will take a beautiful sampan ride in Trang An passing through the most beautiful caves with many limestone peaks covered with lush vegetation.

Then you will take a nice bike ride and visit the Bich Dong pagoda (the jade pagoda).

Lunch on your own and overnight in hotel in Ninh Binh.



Day 12: Ninh Binh - Ha Long Bay - Cruise (B, L, D)

- ✓ English speaking guide on board and private driver
- ✓ Ninh Binh Ha Long: 180 km ~ 4h by private transport



After breakfast at the hotel, depart for Ha Long Bay through the vast landscapes of the Red River Delta.

Arriving at Ha Long Bay around noon, you will board the cruise ship, enjoy a welcome drink and spend a few minutes to listen to an introduction about the safety of the ship and the activities included. You will then settle into your cabin to freely enjoy the first movements of the cruise.

Lunch is served as the ship sails into Bai Tu Long Bay through magnificent scenery of the seventh wonder of the world with thousands of sugar-cake shaped islands and islets.

Next, you will use a small boat to head to Cap La Island, where you will take a scenic kayak tour through breathtaking views of steep limestone peaks over the emerald waters of Bai Tu Long Bay. You will have time to swim and relax on the white sandy beach. Back on the boat, as the cruise continues, you can relax on the sundeck or take pictures while watching the sunset.

Lunch and dinner are served with excellent local dishes and fresh specialties from the sea.

Dinner, free time and overnight on board.

Day 13: Ha Long Bay - Cruise - Hanoi (B, D)

- → English speaking guide on board and private driver
- → Ha Long Hanoi: 150 km ~ 3h30' by private transport

Start the day with a Tai Chi class on the sundeck or enjoy the picturesque views of the bay in the morning. Light breakfast on board.

Afterwards, you will have breakfast on board before departing to Hon Co Island to discover Thien Canh Son Cave, one of the jewels of Bai Tu Long Bay. You will have the opportunity to swim on the sandy beach.





Back on board, the trip will continue peacefully through the most beautiful and quiet hidden corners of Bai Tu Long Bay. You will continue to enjoy the surreal scenery that this place has to offer.

Afterwards, you can participate in a Vietnamese cooking demonstration: how to make NEM CUON and taste dishes prepared by yourself.

A light brunch will be served while the boat returns to the pier.

In the afternoon, return to Hanoi through the breathtaking scenery of the vast rice fields of the Red River Delta. Dinner on your own and overnight at hotel in Hanoi.

Day 14: Hanoi - Departure (B)

✓ Private driver

After breakfast, you will have the rest of the day to relax and discover the city before transferring to Noi Bai International Airport for your international departure flight.

Trip price / person	From USD 3,400 per person

The price includes:

- ✓ Private, air-conditioned transportation
- ✓ Accommodation in 5* hotels
- ✓ All air tickets for domestic flights: (HO CHI MINH CITY HUE, DA NANG HANOI) in economy class
- ✓ Meals mentioned in the program
- ✓ English-speaking guide for each stage of the circuit
- ✓ All entrance fees to tourist sites
- ✓ Authorizations to visit villages
- ✓ Excursion boats as described in the program
- ✓ An unforgettable cruise in Ha Long Bay for 02 days and 01 night
- ✓ All other services mentioned in the program (cycling, water puppet show, etc.)



- ✓ Bottles of mineral water
- \checkmark All costs for all other services as clearly described in the program
- ✓ Medical and travel insurance
- ✓ Daily itinerary and 24.7

The price does not include:

- Personal expenses
- International flights
- Gratuities



VIETNAM UNCOVERED, 13-DAY EXPERIENCE

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You will start in the charming city of Hanoi, the historical and cultural center of the country. You will then descend to the Red River Delta, admiring its extraordinary beauty: the unique combination of limestone terrain and marshy landscape that creates the so-called "Ha Long Bay on land".

Continue to Ha Long Bay, a stunning pristine beauty recognized by UNESCO as a World Heritage Site. You will head to central Vietnam to visit two UNESCO World Heritage cities, Hue and Hoi An.

The last stop of the trip is the bustling Ho Chi Minh City and the Mekong Delta, famous for its vibrant tropical orchards, typical villages along the canals.

Interests:

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Short program: (B: Breakfast, B: Brunch, L: Lunch, D: Dinner)

Itinerary	Accommodation	Meals included
Day 01: Hanói – Arrival	Hotel	
Day 02: Hanói – Discover	Hotel	(B)
Day 03: Hanói — Ninh Binh — Discover	Hotel	(B)
Day 04: Ninh Binh – Ha Long Bay – Cruise	On board	(B, L, D)
Day 05: Ha Long Bay – Cruise – Hanói → Hue	Hotel	(B, B)
Day 06: Hue – Discover	Hotel	(B)
Day 07: Hue – Da Nang – Hoi An	Hotel	(B)
Day 08: Hoi An – Discover	Hotel	(B)
Day 09: Hoi An — Ecological Tour	Hotel	(B, L)
Day 10: Hoi An — Da Nang → Ho Chi Minh City	Hotel	(B)
Day 11: Ho Chi Minh City - Cu Chi Tunnels	Hotel	(B)
Day 12: Ho Chi Minh City – Ben Tre – Ho Chi Minh City	Hotel	(B)
Day 13: Ho Chi Minh City - Departure		(B)







Detailed program:

Day 01: Hanoi - Arrival

- ✓ English speaking guide and private driver
- ✓ From the airport to the city center: 30 km ~ 45' by private transport

Upon arrival at Noi Bai International Airport (Hanoi), you will be perfectly welcomed by our guide and driver, who will take you to the center of Hanoi. The first scenes of the noisy streets of Vietnam will appear before your eyes.

Depending on the arrival time of your flight, you can rest at your hotel if rooms are available or take a city tour on your own:

You will pass through the Old Quarter of Hanoi, also known as "Hanoi and its 36 guilds" and admire the filmy architecture, which preserves

many traditional values of Hanoi's former inhabitants such as culture, lifestyle, architecture, craft villages, cuisine, etc. that you have never seen in your country.

Meals on your own and overnight at the hotel in the heart of the capital.

Day 02: Hanoi - Discovery of the capital (B)

✓ English speaking guide and private driver



After breakfast at the hotel, you will explore the city of Hanoi.

You will have 02 options:

Option 01: You will visit Ho Chi Minh's Mausoleum, where you will find his mausoleum, his house on stilts and his garden inside the presidential palace (In particular, on Mondays and Fridays only the outside of the mausoleum is allowed to be visited due to facilities maintenance). Continue to the one-pillar pagoda.

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Afternoon theater: you will attend the water puppet dance show, an ancient performance art performance of the Red River Delta.

Meals on your own and hotel accommodation in Hanoi.

Day 03: Hanoi - Ninh Binh - Hoa Lu - Cueva de Mua - Trang An (D)

- ✓ English speaking guide and private driver
- ✓ Hanoi Ninh Binh: 100 km ~ 2h by private transport

Breakfast at the hotel. Continue along the charming little road to Ninh Binh, the land named "Ha Long Bay of land".

You will discover Mua cave where you can enjoy the beauty of Ninh Binh to the fullest. To reach the top of Hang Mua, you will have to climb nearly 500 rock steps. From the highest point, you can contemplate the beautiful panorama of the area washed by the Ngo Dong River dotted with karst rock formations and rice fields of different shades of colors.



Next, you will take a beautiful sampan ride in Trang An passing by the most beautiful caves with many limestone peaks covered with lush vegetation.

Meals on your own and overnight in hotel in Ninh Binh.



Day 04: Ninh Binh - Ha Long Bay - Cruise (B, L, D)

- ✓ English speaking guide on board and private driver
- ✓ Ninh Binh Ha Long: 180 km ~ 4h by private transport



After breakfast at the hotel, depart for Ha Long Bay through the vast landscapes of the Red River Delta.

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Lunch and dinner are served with excellent local dishes and fresh specialties from the sea.

Dinner, free time and overnight on board.

Day 05: Ha Long Bay - Cruise - Hanoi 🛪 Hue (B, L)

- ✓ English speaking guide on board and private driver
- ✓ Ha Long Hanoi: 150 km ~ 3h30' by private transport
- √ Hanoi Hue: 1h15' by plane

Start the day with a Tai Chi class on the sundeck or enjoy the picturesque views of the bay in the morning. Light breakfast on board.

Afterwards, you will have breakfast on board before departing to Hon Co Island to discover Thien Canh Son Cave, one of the jewels of Bai Tu Long Bay. You will have the opportunity to swim on the sandy beach.

Back on board, the trip will continue peacefully through the most beautiful and quiet hidden corners of Bai Tu Long Bay. You will continue to enjoy the surreal scenery that this place has to offer.



Afterwards, you can participate in a Vietnamese cooking demonstration: how to make NEM CUON and taste dishes prepared by yourself.

A light brunch will be served while the boat returns to the pier.

In the afternoon, return to Hanoi through the breathtaking scenery of the vast rice fields of the Red River Delta. You will be in Hanoi in the afternoon, then transfer by private transportation to Noi Bai International Airport (Hanoi) for the flight to Hue. Upon arrival in Hue, driver will pick you up and take you to the hotel.

Dinner on your own and overnight at hotel in Hue.

Day 06: Hue - Discovery of the city (B)

✓ English speaking guide on board and private driver



Hue was the capital and cultural, political and economic center of Vietnam between 1802 and 1945, one of the country's most turbulent times. The city's historical heritage and intact architecture will provide visitors with many unforgettable emotions.

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will visit sumptuous monuments: Ngo Mon Gate (Southern Gate), Thai Hoa Palace (Supreme Harmony), Royal Library (Thai Binh Lau), Imperial Garden (Ngu Uyen), Royal Theatre, etc.

Next, you will transfer to the beautiful Thien Mu (Heavenly Lady) Pagoda perched on the top of the hill overlooking the Huong (Perfume) River.

In the afternoon, you will visit the mausoleum of King Tu Duc, a mausoleum surrounded by tranquility, nature and one of the most beautiful works of royal architecture of the Nguyen dynasty. On your return to the city center, you will stop at the traditional incense craft village to take photos with bunches of incense sticks of various colors.

You will pass through Dong Ba market in the late afternoon, where you will find products that reflect the skill and finesse of Hue's women artisans, such as conical poem hats.

Lunch on your own and overnight at hotel in Hue.



Day 07: Hue - Da Nang - Hoi An (B)

- ✓ English speaking guide and private driver
- ✓ Hue Da Nang Hoi An: 120 km ~ 3h30' 4h by private transport

Breakfast at the hotel and departure to Da Nang taking a charming road of Hai Van Pass that offers a magnificent panorama of the city. There is also a stop at the top of the pass for a beautiful view of Lang Co beach, one of the most beautiful peninsulas in Vietnam.

Upon arrival in Da Nang, you will have 02 options:

Option 01: You will be amazed by the unprecedented beauty of the 150-meter long golden bridge. It is located more than 1400 meters above sea level and is supported by two giant hands carved in stone.



(It is recommended that you go from March to September to make the most of the scenery; the remaining months are usually cloudy or rainy).

Option 02: You will discover the Son Tra (Monkey Mountain) peninsula, once a floating island formed by three mountains. This jewel of Da Nang city has experienced exponential growth in both maritime tourism and spiritual tourism. Among them is the Linh Ung Pagoda, which features the statue of the Buddha of Compassion Kuan Yin (67 meters), the tallest in Vietnam. Next, you will visit the marble mountains of Ngu Hanh Son (Five Elements Mountains) which are prized for their historical, cultural and spiritual values. From the top, you can see the peaceful Ngu Hanh Son Mountain, the majestic Truong Son mountain range and the complex of temples and mysterious caves.

Return to Hoi An in the late afternoon. Meals on your own and hotel accommodation in Hoi An.

Day 08: Hoi An - Discovery of the city (B)

✓ English speaking guide on board and private driver





Breakfast at the hotel. You will start the day with a walk through the heart of the old town of Hoi An.

You will stroll through the narrow streets, flanked by beautiful old houses, testimony to a flourishing era of the country's foreign trade several hundred years ago.

In 1999, UNESCO declared Hoi An, formerly known as "Faifo", a World Heritage Site thanks to its architectural and historical values. Coming to this ancient commercial jewel, you will visit Hoi An's famous monuments such as: the Japanese bridge, Chinese temple, old house and handicraft quarter, etc.

The rest of the day is completely free for your personal discovery of this ancient port city.

Meals on your own and overnight at hotel in Hoi An.

Day 09: Hoi An - Ecological Tour (B, L)

✓ Spanish-speaking guide and transfer by bicycle and electric car

Breakfast at the hotel, then cycling through the Vietnamese countryside away from the hustle and bustle of the city, traffic and tourist routes.

From village to village, you will cross vast rice paddies and quiet zigzag roads, towards the fishing village of Van Lang and the coconut forest of Bay Mau.

This forest covers an area of about seven hectares, surrounded by mangroves, canals and coconut leaf-roofed houses. During the years of resistance against the French colonialists and the American empire, this place became a revolutionary base and to this day, visitors are impressed by the placid and beautiful natural landscape of this place.

On the way, you will stop at some main places: Ba Le market, rice fields, cemetery, school, etc.

Arriving at the village, you will be warmly welcomed at the local people's house where you will meet their family of more than 3 generations, you will also have a chance to taste green tea and take a walk around the village. Then, the fishermen will take you to discover their traditional fishing techniques and the coconut forest with a coracle in "Thung chai".





Return to the local people's house to relax with a herbal foot massage. Afterwards, you will participate in lunch preparation with your family with dishes such as: banh xeo (sizzling pancake), Hoi An spring rolls, Tam Huu (Meat - Shrimp - Herbs with shallot leaves), grilled fish wrapped in guise leaves, etc. Afterwards, you can taste the dishes you have prepared.

You will return to the hotel by electronic car. The rest of the day is completely free for your personal discovery of this ancient port city.

Lunch included, dinner on your own and hotel accommodation in Hoi An.

Day 10: Hoi An - Da Nang ₹ Ho Chi Minh City - Discovery (B)

- ✓ English speaking guide and private driver
- ✓ Da Nang Ho Chi Minh City : 1h15' by plane



After breakfast at the hotel, you will transfer to Da Nang airport for your flight to Ho Chi Minh City, the former Saigon. It is one of the largest cities in the country and a modern, futuristic city whose cityscape is characterized by huge skyscrapers and neon lights. Upon arrival in Ho Chi Minh City, our driver and guide will take you to the city center.

You will begin your city tour by visiting the Chợ Lớn Chinatown, with the Bình Tây market and the Thiên Hậu pagoda, dedicated to the worship of the Goddess of the Sea.

In the afternoon, you will visit the Reunification Palace, which was the residence of the President of the Republic of Vietnam until April 30, 1975. Meals on your own and overnight at the hotel in the center of Ho Chi Minh City.

You will then enjoy a walk through the colonial buildings, where you can observe the French presence for almost a hundred years in this land. You will explore Saigon through colonial buildings such as: the Saigon Central Post Office and the Municipal Theater (seen from outside).

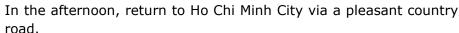
Lunch on your own and overnight at the hotel in downtown Ho Chi Minh City.



Day 11: Ho Chi Minh City - Cu Chi Tunnels - Ho Chi Minh City (B)

- ✓ English speaking guide and private driver
- ✓ Ho Chi Minh Cu Chi: 50 km ~ 1h30' by private transport

After breakfast at the hotel, departure to the Cu Chi Tunnels, an unparalleled 250 kilometers long subway passage system with several tunnels including polyclinics, dormitories, meeting rooms, kitchens, warehouses, etc.. Visiting this liberated village, you will be immersed in the brave and indomitable spirit of the Vietnamese army and people in their resistance against the Yankees for national liberation.





Lunch on your own and hotel accommodation in Ho Chi Minh City.

Day 12: Ho Chi Minh City - Ben Tre (Mekong Delta) - Ho Chi Minh City (B)

- ✓ English speaking guide and private driver
- ✓ Ho Chi Minh City Ben Tre: 80 km ~ 2h by private transport



Breakfast at the hotel. You will head to Ben Tre to explore the Mekong Delta, the largest rice granary in Vietnam. Upon arrival in Ben Tre, you will board a local boat. You will explore the daily activities of the residents on this private boat as it moves along the river. You will visit the coconut handicraft workshop while crossing the canal and listen to the southern vocal and musical art "Don ca tai tu", an intangible cultural heritage of the world. You will see how people use all parts of the coconut and taste coconut sweets with honey tea.

Navigation will continue on the Cai Son River. You will disembark at Nhon Thanh village, where local families have specialized in making mats from reed. You will be invited to taste fresh tropical fruits. You will continue by bicycle or tuk tuk, a "motorized vehicle", through coconut groves and fruit and vegetable gardens.

Then, you will take a ten-minute paddle boat ride through a coconut orchard crossing beautiful and romantic landscapes. Disembark and return to Ho Chi Minh City in the late afternoon.



Lunch on your own and overnight at hotel in Ho Chi Minh City.

Day 13: Ho Chi Minh City - Departure (B)

✓ Private driver

After breakfast, you will have the rest of the day to relax and discover the city before transferring to Tan Son Nhat International Airport for your international departure flight.

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The price includes:

- ✓ Transportation in private air-conditioned transport
- ✓ Accommodation in well-planned hotels or similar according to availability
- ✓ Air tickets for domestic flights: (HANÓI HUE, DA NANG HO CHI MINH CITY) in economy class
- ✓ Meals mentioned in the program
- ✓ English speaking guide in each region
- ✓ Entrance fees to tourist sites
- ✓ Authorizations to visit villages
- ✓ Excursion boats according to the program
- ✓ Bottled water
- ✓ An unforgettable cruise in Ha Long Bay for 02 days and 01 night
- √ Other services mentioned in the program (cycling, water puppet show, etc.)
- ✓ Charges for all other services as per the program.
- ✓ Medical and travel insurance
- ✓ Daily itinerary and 24.7 assistance

The price does not include:

- o Personal expenses
- International flights
- Tips



THE ULTIMATE VIETNAM & CAMBODIA, 18-DAY JOURNEY

A colorful journey will allow you to discover the national identity, culture and traditions of Vietnam and Cambodia.

You will start in the charming city of Hanoi, the historical and cultural center of the country. You will then descend to the Red River Delta, admiring its extraordinary beauty: the unique combination of limestone terrain and marshy landscape that creates the so-called "Ha Long Bay on land".

Continue to Ha Long Bay, a breathtaking pristine beauty recognized by UNESCO as a World Heritage Site. You will head to central Vietnam to visit two UNESCO World Heritage cities, Hue and Hoi An.

Next stop on the trip is bustling Ho Chi Minh City and the Mekong Delta, famous for its vibrant tropical orchards, typical villages along the canals and unique floating markets.

The trip ends with Cambodia, discovering the mysterious temples of Angkor. So many UNESCO World Heritage sites and beauties come together at the heart of this journey.

Interests:

- ✓ Private and 100% tailor-made tours
- ✓ Visit important monuments and historical, cultural and spiritual places of the country.
- ✓ Contemplate the beauty of nature and landscapes
- ✓ Meet warmly the local people
- ✓ Discover the traditions, culture and way of life of Vietnamese and Cambodian people
- ✓ Unforgettable experience in Ha Long Bay aboard an oriental style cruise ship with all comforts.
- ✓ Discover a peculiar floating market
- ✓ Discover the majestic temples of Angkor in Cambodia.



Short Program: (B: Breakfast, B: Brunch, L: Lunch, D: Dinner)

Itinerary	Accommodation	Meals included
Day 01: Hanói – Arrival	Hotel	
Day 02: Hanói – Discover	Hotel	(B)
Day 03: Hanói — Ninh Binh — Ha Long Bay	Hotel	(B)
Day 04: Ninh Binh – Ha Long Bay – Cruise	On board on a cruise ship	(B, L, D)
Day 05: Ha Long Bay — Cruise — Hanói → Da Nang — Hoi An	Hotel	(B, B)
Day 06: Hoi An – Ecological tour	Hotel	(B, L)
Day 07: Hoi An — Discover — Da Nang — Hue	Hotel	(B)
Day 08: Hue – Discover	Hotel	(B)
Day 09: Hue → Ho Chi Minh City - Discover	Hotel	(B)
Day 10: Ho Chi Minh City – Túneles de Cu Chi – Ho Chi Minh City	Hotel	(B)
Day 11: Ho Chi Minh City - Ben Tre - Can Tho	Hotel	(B)
Day 12: Can Tho – Floating market – Chau Doc	Hotel	(B)
Day 13: Chau Doc – Phnom Penh	Hotel	(B)
Day 14: Phnom Penh – Siem Reap	Hotel	(B)
Day 15: Siem Reap – Discover	Hotel	(B)
Day 16: Siem Reap – Discover	Hotel	(B, L)
Day 17: Siem Reap — The floating village of Tonle Sap Lake	Hotel	(B)
Day 18: Siem Reap – Departure		(B)







Detailed program:

Day 01: Hanoi - Arrival

- ✓ English speaking guide and private driver
- ✓ From the airport to the city center: 30 km ~ 45' by private transport

Upon arrival at Noi Bai International Airport (Hanoi), you will be perfectly welcomed by our guide and driver, who will take you to the center of Hanoi. The first scenes of the noisy streets of Vietnam will appear before your eyes.

Depending on the arrival time of your flight, you can rest at your hotel if rooms are available or take a city tour on your own:

You will pass through the Old Quarter of Hanoi, also known as "Hanoi and its 36 guilds" and admire the filmy architecture, which preserves

many traditional values of Hanoi's former inhabitants such as culture, lifestyle, architecture, craft villages, cuisine, etc. that you have never seen in your country.



Day 02: Hanoi - Discovery of the capital (B)

✓ English speaking guide and private driver



After breakfast at the hotel, you will explore the capital city of Hanoi.

You will have 02 options:

Option 01: You will visit Ho Chi Minh's Mausoleum, where you will find his mausoleum, his house on stilts and his garden inside the presidential palace (In particular, on Mondays and Fridays only the outside of the mausoleum is allowed to be visited due to facilities maintenance). Continue to the one-pillar pagoda.

Option 02: You will visit the Vietnam Museum of Ethnology (closed on Mondays). This museum, inaugurated by Jacques Chirac in 1995, represents the traditions, production and recreational activities of Vietnam's 54 ethnic groups. Discover a variety of impressive collections and reconstructions that give you a complete understanding of the architecture, crafts, music, traditions and traditional dress of this Southeast Asian





country. This museum also dedicates a large outdoor exhibition that showcases various genuine traditional housing models of ethnic minorities from all over the country. The success of this museum is mainly due to the cooperation between Vietnamese intellectuals and French specialists in museology. In addition, the building teaches Vietnamese patriotic and revolutionary culture. It is considered a revolutionary relic, a place where various materials, images and documents about prominent revolutionaries, as well as evidence of the crimes committed by French colonialists are displayed.

Next, you will contemplate the relics scattered around Hoan Kiem (Restored Sword) Lake, such as the Turtle Tower and Ngoc Son Temple, and learn about the cultural uniqueness of the old town.

Afternoon theater: you will attend the water puppet dance show, an ancient performance art performance of the Red River Delta.

Meals on your own and hotel accommodation in Hanoi.

Day 03: Hanoi - Ninh Binh - Hoa Lu - Tam Coc - Bich Dong Pagoda (B)

- ✓ English speaking guide and private driver
- ✓ Mai Chau Ninh Binh: 150 km ~ 3h30 'by private transport

Breakfast at the hotel. Continue along the charming little road to Ninh Binh, the land christened "Ha Long Bay of land".

Transfer to Hoa Lu, the ancient capital of Vietnam (under the Dinh dynasty 968-980 and the beginning of the previous Le dynasty 980-1009). You will visit the two temples of the kings dating from the 10th century. They still retain all the beauty of the monumental ensemble, you can admire the delicacy of art with wood and stone sculptures made by Vietnamese craftsmen since the seventeenth century.



In the afternoon, you will embark on a sampan for a pleasant ride on the Ngo Dong River. Amidst the rice fields, you will observe the breathtaking scenery of many limestone peaks with tormented shapes covered with lush vegetation. As a result, we call this place Ha Long Land Bay. Next, you will pass by the three beautiful caves (Tam Coc).

Then you will take a nice bike ride and visit the Bich Dong pagoda (the jade pagoda).

Meals on your own and hotel accommodation in Ninh Binh.



Day 04: Ninh Binh - Ha Long Bay - Cruise (B, L, D)

- ✓ English speaking guide on board and private driver
- ✓ Ninh Binh Ha Long: 180 km ~ 4h by private transport



After breakfast at the hotel, depart for Ha Long Bay through the vast landscapes of the Red River Delta.

Arriving at Ha Long Bay around noon, you will board the cruise ship, enjoy a welcome drink and spend a few minutes listening to an introduction about the safety of the ship and the activities included. You will then settle into your cabin to freely enjoy the first movements of the cruise.

Lunch is served as the ship sails into Bai Tu Long Bay through cenery of the seventh wonder of the world with thousands of sugar-cake shaped islands and

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Next, you will use a small boat to head to Cap La Island, where you will take a scenic kayak tour through breathtaking views of steep limestone peaks over the emerald waters of Bai Tu Long Bay. You will have time to swim and relax on the white sandy beach. Back on the boat, as the cruise continues, you can relax on the sun deck or take pictures while watching the sunset.

Lunch and dinner are served with excellent local dishes and fresh specialties from the sea. Dinner, free time and overnight on board.

Day 05: Ha Long Bay - Cruise - Hanoi to Da Nang - Hoi An (B, L)

- ✓ English speaking guide on board and private driver
- ✓ Ha Long Hanoi: 150 km ~ 3h30' by private transport
- ✓ Hanoi Da Nang : 1h15' by plane

Start the day with a Tai Chi class on the sundeck or enjoy the picturesque views of the bay in the morning. Light breakfast on board.

Afterwards, you will have breakfast on board before departing to Hon Co Island to discover Thien Canh Son Cave, one of the jewels of Bai Tu Long Bay. You will have the opportunity to swim on the sandy beach.





Back on board, the trip will continue peacefully through the most beautiful and quiet hidden corners of Bai Tu Long Bay. You will continue to enjoy the surreal scenery that this place has to offer.

Afterwards, you can participate in a Vietnamese cooking demonstration: how to make NEM CUON and taste dishes prepared by yourself. A light brunch will be served while the boat returns to the pier.

Return to Hanoi in the afternoon, passing through the magnificent scenery of the vast rice paddies of the Red River Delta. Then, you will transfer directly to the airport for your flight to Da Nang. Upon arrival, our driver will welcome you and take you to Hoi An city.

Dinner on your own and overnight at hotel in Hoi An.

Day 06: Hoi An - Ecological Tour (B, L)

✓ Spanish-speaking guide and transfer by bicycle and electric car



Breakfast at the hotel, then cycling through the Vietnamese countryside away from the hustle and bustle of the city, traffic and tourist routes.

From village to village, you will cross vast rice paddies and quiet zigzag roads, towards the fishing village of Van Lang and the coconut forest of Bay Mau.

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of resistance against the French colonialists and the American empire, this place became a revolutionary base and to this day, visitors are impressed by the placid and beautiful natural landscape of this place.

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You will return to the hotel by electronic car. The rest of the day is completely free for your personal discovery of this ancient port city.

Lunch included, dinner on your own and hotel accommodation in Hoi An.

Day 07: Hoi An - Discovery - Da Nang - Hue (B)

- ✓ English speaking guide and private driver
- ✓ Hoi An Da Nang Hue: 120 km ~ 3h30' 4h by private transport

Breakfast at the hotel. You will start the day with a stroll through the heart of Hoi An's old quarter.

You will stroll through the narrow streets, flanked by beautiful old houses, testimony to a flourishing era of the country's foreign trade several hundred years ago.

In 1999, UNESCO declared Hoi An, formerly known as "Faifo", a World Heritage Site thanks to its architectural and historical values. Coming to this ancient commercial jewel, you will visit the famous



monuments of Hoi An, such as: the Japanese bridge, the Chinese temple, the ancient house and the handicraft quarter, etc.

In the afternoon, departure to Hue by taking a charming road of Hai Van Pass which offers a magnificent panorama of the city. Also, stop at the top of the pass for a beautiful view of Lang Co beach, one of the most beautiful peninsulas in Vietnam.

Lunch on your own and hotel accommodation in Hue.

Day 08: Hue - Discovery (B)

✓ English speaking guide and private driver

Hue was the capital and cultural, political and economic center of Vietnam between 1802 and 1945, one of the country's most turbulent times. The city's historical heritage and intact architecture will provide visitors with many unforgettable emotions.





After breakfast at your hotel, you will visit for the first time the majestic imperial city of Hue, where 13 emperors of the Nguyen dynasty lived between 1802 and 1945.

Over the years, the Hue Citadel still retains all the beauty of an original Vietnamese-Chinese architecture. You will visit sumptuous monuments: Ngo Mon Gate (Southern Gate), Thai Hoa Palace (Supreme Harmony), Royal Library (Thai Binh Lau), Imperial Garden (Ngu Uyen), Royal Theatre, etc.

Next, you will transfer to the beautiful Thien Mu (Heavenly Lady) Pagoda perched on the top of the hill overlooking the Huong (Perfume) River.

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You will pass through Dong Ba market in the late afternoon, where you will find products that reflect the skill and finesse of Hue women artisans, such as conical poem hats.

Lunch on your own and overnight at hotel in Hue.

Day 09: Hue 🛪 Ho Chi Minh City - Discovery (B)

- ✓ English speaking guide and private driver
- ✓ Hue Ho Chi Minh City: 1h15' by plane

Breakfast at hotel before transfer to Hue airport for flight to Ho Chi Minh City, formerly Saigon. It is one of the largest cities in the country and a modern, futuristic city whose cityscape is characterized by huge skyscrapers and neon lights. Upon arrival in Ho Chi Minh City, our driver and guide will take you to the city center.

You will begin your city tour by visiting the Chợ Lớn Chinatown, with the Bình Tây market and the Thiên Hậu pagoda, dedicated to the worship of the Goddess of the Sea.





In the afternoon, you will visit the Reunification Palace, which was the residence of the President of the Republic of Vietnam until April 30, 1975. Meals on your own and overnight at the hotel in the center of Ho Chi Minh City.

You will then enjoy a walk through the colonial buildings, where you can observe the French presence for almost a hundred years in this land. You will explore Saigon through colonial buildings such as: the Saigon Central Post Office and the Municipal Theater (seen from outside).

Lunch on your own and overnight at the hotel in downtown Ho Chi Minh City.

Day 10: Ho Chi Minh City - Cu Chi Tunnels - Ho Chi Minh City (B)

- ✓ English speaking guide and private driver
- ✓ Ho Chi Minh City Cu Chi: 50 km ~ 1h30' by private transport



After breakfast at the hotel, departure to Cu Chi Tunnels, an unparalleled 250 kilometers long subway passage system with several tunnels including polyclinics, dormitories, meeting rooms, kitchens, warehouses, etc. Visiting this liberated village, you will be immersed in the brave and indomitable spirit of the Vietnamese army and people in their resistance against the Yankees for national liberation.

In the afternoon, return to Ho Chi Minh City via a pleasant country road.

Lunch on your own and hotel accommodation in Ho Chi Minh City.

Día 11: Ciudad Ho Chi Minh - Ben Tre (Mekong Delta) - Can Tho (D)

- ✓ English speaking guide and private driver
- ✓ Ho Chi Minh City Ben Tre: 80 km ~ 2h by private transport
- ✓ Ben Tre Can Tho: 115 km ~ 3h by private transport

Breakfast at the hotel. You will head to Ben Tre to explore the Mekong Delta, the largest rice granary in Vietnam. Upon arrival in Ben Tre, you will board a local boat. You will explore the daily activities of the residents on this private boat as you move along the river.



You will visit the coconut handicraft workshop while crossing the canal and listen to the southern vocal and musical art "Don ca tai tu", an intangible cultural heritage of the world. You will see how people use all parts of the coconut and taste coconut sweets with honey tea.

Navigation will continue on the Cai Son River. You will disembark at Nhon Thanh village, where local families have specialized in making mats from reed. You will be invited to taste fresh tropical fruits. You will continue by bicycle or tuk tuk, a "motorized vehicle", through coconut groves and fruit and vegetable gardens.



Then, you will take a ten-minute paddle boat ride through a coconut orchard crossing beautiful and romantic landscapes.

Disembark and transfer to Can Tho in the late afternoon.

Meals on your own and hotel accommodation in Can Tho.

Day 12: Can Tho - Cai Rang floating market - Chau Doc (B)

- ✓ English speaking guide and private driver
- ✓ Can Tho Chau Doc: 120 km 2h30' in private transport



After breakfast at the hotel, you will take a private boat on the Mekong River to visit the original Cai Rang floating market. This is one of the most typical markets in the southern regions of Vietnam.

You will admire the local boats carrying a variety of fresh fruits and vegetables, and above all you will immerse yourself in the lively, bustling atmosphere of buyers and sellers.

You will leave the market and continue the boat trip to a tropical fruit orchard. You will taste fresh and succulent fruit. Next, you will visit the noodle making craft (Hu Tieu), a famous specialty in Cai Rang floating market.

Continue to Chau Doc village, passing through the beautiful scenery of the south. Arrival in Chau Doc, you will visit the beautiful Tay An pagoda. Continuation of the program by discovering the Sam Mountain, which



is the unique summit of the Mekong Delta, where pilgrims come to pay homage to the queen of the country during the first 3 months of the year. You will admire picturesque sunsets overlooking the Mekong Delta.

Lunch on your own and hotel accommodation in Chau Doc.

Day 13: Chau Doc - Phnom Penh (by speedboat) (B)

✓ English speaking guide and private driver

After breakfast at the hotel, you will board a motorboat to travel to Phnom Penh, the capital of Cambodia, along the Mekong River.

After 4 hours on the Mekong River, arrival in the beautiful city of Phnom Penh.

Upon arrival in Phnom Penh, you will be met by our driver and guide, then transferred by private transport to check in at the hotel. In the afternoon, you will visit the Royal Palace, built in 1919, where



important ceremonies and coronation ceremonies are held, the most sacred silver temple in Cambodia. You will then take in the spectacular views of Wat Phnom and its sacred site, the oldest in the city of Phnom Penh. The pagoda is situated on a hill about 5 hectares wide and 27 meters high, and is a popular site for Buddhist festivals.

Meals on your own and hotel accommodation in Phnom Penh.

Day 16: Phnom Penh - Siem Reap (by road) (B)

- ✓ English speaking guide and private driver
- ✓ Phnom Penh Siem Reap: 320 km ~ 5 6h by private transport

After breakfast at the hotel, you will travel through the provinces of Kampong Thom and Kampong Cham from Siem Reap. On the way, you will pass by the Skun insect market. Upon arrival in Siem Reap, lunch on your own, then you will discover the town and visit the old market as well as a Khmer handicraft manufacturing workshop, such as silk weaving, marble sculptures, wooden furniture, etc.

Meals on your own and hotel accommodation in Siem Reap.



Día 15: Siem Reap - Gran Circuito - Banteay Srei - Banteay Samre - Srah Srang (D)

✓ English speaking guide and private driver



After breakfast at the hotel, you will visit the monuments of the Grand Circuit, including Pre Rup, 10th century; 10th century Mebon-Hindu Hindu Temple, erected on the central island of East Baray; Ta Som - Buddhist Temple of the late 12th century; Neak Poan (intertwined Nagas) formed by a square basin surrounded by four small basins and Preah Khan (sacred sword) (which was invaded by vines and saplings).

In the afternoon, you will visit Banteay Srei (women's citadel), located on the site of the ancient city of Iśvarapura, 20 km northeast

of Angkor, built in the 10th century. in pink sandstone and probably consecrated in 967, during the reign of Jayavarman V and dedicated to Tribhuvanamaheśvara (the Lord of the Three Worlds). After that, you will continue on to Banteay Samre, of elaborate architecture and exceptional carvings. On your way back, you will pass by Srah Srang (ablution pool), where you will contemplate the sunset.

Lunch on your own and overnight at the hotel in Siem Reap.

Día 16: Siem Reap - Templo de AngKor Thom - Templo de Angkor Wat - Ta Prohm (D, C)

✓ English speaking guide and private driver

Breakfast at the hotel, enjoy a beautiful and incredibly rewarding day of exploration. First, visit the Angkor Thom temple complex, which was built by Khmer King Jayavarman VII in the late 12th and early 13th century. This complex includes the South Gate, Bayon, Baphuon, Elephant Terrace, Phimeanakas, Old Royal Palace and Terrace of the Leper King. Angkor Thom, whose name means "great city", witnessed the greatness of the Empire.

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In the afternoon, you will visit the largest and most beautiful temple of the monumental complex of Angkor Wat, built by Suryavarman

II in the early 12th century. This place is the city of monasteries, the spiritual center and identity of the Khmer people in the South. The temple is imbued with a unique, natural, complex and symbolic Khmer architecture. It is also one of the most impressive architectural masterpieces still preserved in the world.



You will then head to Ta Prohm, an abandoned Buddhist temple dating from the 12th century and considered a symbol of the power of nature.

In the evening, you will enjoy an Apsara dance show while dining at a local restaurant.

Overnight at the hotel in Siem Reap.

Day 17: Siem Reap - Floating village on the Tonlé Sap lake (B)

✓ English speaking guide and private driver



After breakfast at the hotel, departure to the lakeside village of Kampong Khleang, about fifty kilometers from Siem Reap. The route will pass through typical Cambodian landscapes, with its rice paddies and scenes of daily life. A walk through the village will give you the opportunity to meet the villagers and observe their still traditional way of life. You will then take an excursion on the Tonlé Sap Lake, among canals, houseboats and a local life that lives according to the rhythm of the seasons. You will have the rest of the day to relax or discover the city on your own.

Meals on your own and hotel accommodation in Siem Reap.

Day 18: Siem Reap - Departure (B)

✓ Private driver

After breakfast, you will have the rest of the day to relax and discover the town before transferring to Siem Reap International Airport for your international departure flight.



The price includes:

- ✓ Transportation in comfortable, air-conditioned private transportation with a helpful, professional and competent driver.
- ✓ Accommodation in 5* hotels
- ✓ Air tickets for domestic flights: (HANOI HUE, DA NANG HO CHI MINH) in economy class
- ✓ Speedboat tickets: (CHAU DOC PHNOM PENH)
- ✓ Meals mentioned in the program
- ✓ English speaking guide in each region
- ✓ Entrance fees to tourist sites
- ✓ Bottles of mineral water
- ✓ An unforgettable cruise in Ha Long Bay for 02 days and 01 night
- ✓ Other services mentioned in the program (cycling, water puppet show, etc.)
- ✓ Medical and travel insurance
- ✓ Daily itinerary and 24.7 assistance

The price does not include:

- Personal expenses
- International flights
- Tips



VIETNAM & CAMBODIA, 15-DAY JOURNEY WITH MAI CHAU

A colorful trip will allow you to discover the national identity, culture and traditions of Vietnam and Cambodia.

You will start in the charming city of Hanoi, the historical and cultural center of the country. The next day, you will visit the Mai Chau Mountains, famous for their unique appeal of lush nature, fresh air and distinctive national identity. You will then descend to the Red River Delta, admiring its extraordinary beauty: the unique combination of limestone terrain and marshy landscape that creates the so-called "Ha Long Bay on land".

Continue to Ha Long Bay, a stunning pristine beauty recognized by UNESCO as a World Heritage Site. You will head to central Vietnam to visit two UNESCO World Heritage cities, Hue and Hoi An.

Next stop on the journey is lively Ho Chi Minh City and the Mekong Delta, famous for its vibrant tropical orchards, typical villages along the canals and unique floating markets.

The trip ends with Cambodia, discovering the mysterious temples of Angkor. So many UNESCO World Heritage listed sites and beauties come together at the heart of this trip.

Interests:

- ✓ Private and 100% tailor-made tours
- ✓ Visit important historical, cultural and spiritual monuments and sites in the country.
- ✓ Contemplate the beauty of nature and landscapes
- ✓ Meet warmly the local people
- ✓ Discover the traditions, culture and way of life of Vietnamese and Cambodian people
- ✓ Unforgettable experience in Ha Long Bay aboard an oriental-style cruise ship with all the amenities
- ✓ Discover the majestic temples of Angkor in Cambodia



Brief program: (B: Breakfast, B: Brunch, L: Lunch, D: Dinner) dates are approximate

Itinerary Accommodation Included Day 01: Hanói/ Arrival Hotel Day 02: Hanói – City Tour Hotel (B) Hotel Day 03: Hanói – Hoa Binh – Mai Chau (B) Day 04: Mai Chau - Ninh Binh - "Ha Long Bay" Hotel (B) On Cruise Day 05: Ninh Binh - Ha Long Bay - Cruise (B, L, D) Day 06: Ha Long Bay - Cruise - Hanói 🛪 Hue Hotel (B, B) Day 07: Hue - Discover Hotel (B) Day 08: Hue - Da Nang - Hoi An - Discover Hotel (B) Day 09: Hoi An − Da Nang 🎢 Ho Chi Minh City Hotel (B)

Day 10: Ho Chi Minh City – Cu Chi Tunnels

Day 12: Ho Chi Minh City X Siem Reap

Day 13 y 14: Siem Reap - Discover

Day 15: Siem Reap / Departure

Day 11: Ho Chi Minh City - Ben Tre - Ho Chi Minh City

Hotel

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Meals

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Detailed program:

Day 01 : Hanói / Arrival

- → English-speaking guide and private driver
- → From the airport to the city center: 30 km ~ 45' by private transport

Upon arrival at Noi Bai International Airport (Hanoi), you will be perfectly welcomed by our guide and driver, who will take you to the center of Hanoi. The first scenes of the noisy streets of Vietnam will appear before your eyes.

Depending on the arrival time of your flight, you can rest at your hotel if rooms are available or take a city tour on your own:

Stroll around the Old Quarter of Hanoi, also known as "Hanoi and its 36 Guilds" and admire the filmy architecture, which preserves many traditional values of the former inhabitants of Hanoi such as culture, lifestyle, architecture, craft villages, cuisine, etc. that you have never seen in your country.

Dinner on your own and check-in at the hotel in the heart of the capital. Your hotel room will be officially available from 14:00 hours.

Day 02: Hanoi - Discovery of the capital (B)

→ English-speaking guide and private driver

After breakfast at the hotel, you will explore the city of Hanoi.

You will have 02 options:

Option 01: You will visit Ho Chi Minh's Mausoleum, where you will find his mausoleum, his house on stilts and his garden inside the presidential palace (In particular, on Mondays and Fridays, only the outside of the mausoleum is allowed to be visited due to facilities maintenance). You will continue with the one-pillar pagoda.

Option 02: You will visit the Vietnam Museum of Ethnology (closed on Mondays). This museum, inaugurated by Jacques Chirac in 1995, represents the traditions, production and recreational activities of Vietnam's 54 ethnic groups. Discover a variety of impressive collections and reconstructions that give you a complete understanding of the architecture, crafts, music, traditions and traditional dress of this Southeast Asian



country. This museum also dedicates a large outdoor exhibition that showcases various genuine traditional housing models of ethnic minorities from all over the country. The success of this museum is mainly due to the cooperation between Vietnamese intellectuals and French specialists in museology. In addition, the building teaches Vietnamese patriotic and revolutionary culture. It is considered a revolutionary relic, a place where various materials, pictures and documents about prominent revolutionaries, as well as evidence of crimes committed by French colonialists are displayed.



You will visit the Temple of Literature, one of the symbols of Vietnamese feudal education. This site pays homage to intellectual curiosity, an important tradition in Vietnamese culture.

Then, you will contemplate the relics scattered around Hoan Kiem (Restored Sword) Lake, such as the Turtle Tower and the Temple of Ngoc Son, and learn about the cultural singularities of the old quarter.

Afternoon theater: you will attend the water puppet dance show, an ancient performance art performance of the Red River Delta.

Meals on your own and hotel accommodation in Hanoi city.

Day 03: Hanoi - Hoa Binh - Mai Chau (B)

- English-speaking guide and private driver
- → Hanoi Mai Chau: 150 km ~ 3h30' by private transport

Breakfast at the hotel. Then departure by private transport to reach the Mai Chau Valley through a charming

road and a magnificent landscape of green rice fields, sugar cane fields and ethnic villages. You will stop at Thung Khe Pass (also known as White Stone Pass), a worthwhile stop on all four sides to view the vast Mai Chau Valley. Arrival in Mai Chau around noon.

In the afternoon, you will take a 2-to-3-hour hike or bike ride through the mountains and lush vegetation. You will pass through several ethnic villages with houses on stilts that carry the "cultural identity" of the Thai people of Mai Chau. You will have the opportunity to share very interesting moments with the villagers.



You will discover their accommodation, daily activities and local culture.



Day 04: Mai Chau - Ninh Binh - Hoa Lu - Tam Coc - Bich Dong Pagoda (B)

- → English-speaking guide and private driver
- → Mai Chau Ninh Binh: 150 km ~ 3h30' by private transport



Breakfast at the hotel. Continue along the charming little road to Ninh Binh, the land christened as "Ha Long Bay of land".

Transfer to Hoa Lu, the ancient capital of Vietnam (under the Dinh dynasty 968-980 and the beginning of the previous Le dynasty 980-1009). You will visit the two temples of the kings dating from the 10th century. They still retain all the beauty of the monumental ensemble, you can admire the delicacy of art with wood and stone sculptures made by Vietnamese craftsmen since the seventeenth century.

In the afternoon, you will embark on a sampan for a pleasant ride on the Ngo Dong River. Amidst the rice fields, you will observe the breathtaking scenery of many limestone peaks with tormented shapes covered with lush vegetation. As a result, we call this place Ha Long Land Bay. Next, you will pass by the three beautiful caves (Tam Coc).

Then you will take a nice bike ride and visit the Bich Dong pagoda (the jade pagoda).

Meals on your own and hotel accommodation in Ninh Binh.

Day 05: Ninh Binh - Ha Long Bay - Cruise (B, L, D)

- → English-speaking guide and private driver
- → Ninh Binh Ha Long: 180 km ~ 4h by private transport

After breakfast at the hotel, depart by private transportation and English-speaking guide to Ha Long Bay through the vast landscapes of the Red River Delta.

Arriving at Lan Ha Bay around noon, you will immediately board a beautiful traditional wooden cruise ship, converted into a small floating hotel for a scenic cruise to explore a place of great beauty. The site is recognized by Unesco as a World Heritage Site.



You will enjoy a welcome drink and spend a few minutes listening to an introduction about the safety of the boat and the activities included. Then settle into your cabin to freely enjoy the first movements of the cruise.

Lunch is served as the ship cruises through magnificent scenery of the seventh wonder of the world with thousands of sugar-cane shaped islands and islets.

Visit the Dark and Bright Cave, famous for its untouched natural beauty and the poetic and enchanting scenery of Lan Ha Bay, where you will take some photos of the romantic and lyrical local landscapes. This is also the most suitable time for tourists to take swimming or bamboo boat tours, an interesting activity to discover the authentic beauty of the limestone mountains while immersing themselves in the crystal blue waters of the bay.

Afterwards, you can participate in a Vietnamese cooking demonstration: how to make NEM CUON (spring rolls) and taste dishes prepared by yourself. A light lunch will be served while the boat returns to the pier.

Lunch and dinner are served with excellent local dishes and fresh specialties from the sea. Dinner and overnight on board.

Day 06: Ha Long Bay - Cruise - Hanoi → Hue (B, B)

- → English-speaking guide and private driver
- → Ha Long Hanoi : 150 km ~ 3h30' by private transport and
- → Hanoi Hue : 1h15' by plane



Weather permitting, we recommend you start the day with a Tai Chi class on the sundeck and watch the sunrise over the picturesque Lan Ha Bay. Light breakfast on board.

Join kayaking and swimming to explore the Tra Bau area, the famous filming location of Kong Skull Island (King Kong) in Quang Ninh in 2018.

While a well-prepared lunch is served, you will slowly cruise through the emerald waters and thousands of karst mountains to the harbor.



In the afternoon, return to Hanoi through the breathtaking scenery of the vast rice fields of the Red River Delta. You will be in Hanoi in the afternoon, then transfer by private transportation to Hanoi airport for domestic flight to Hue. Upon arrival in Hue, your driver will pick you up and take you to the city center.

Dinner on your own and overnight at hotel in Hue.

Day 07: Hue - Discovery (B)

→ English-speaking guide and private driver

Hue was the capital and cultural, political and economic center of Vietnam between 1802 and 1945, one of the country's most turbulent times. The city's historical heritage and intact architecture will provide visitors with many unforgettable emotions.

After breakfast at your hotel, you will visit for the first time the majestic imperial city of Hue, where 13 emperors of the Nguyen dynasty lived between 1802 and 1945. Over the years, the Hue Citadel still retains all the beauty of an original Vietnamese-Chinese architecture. You will visit sumptuous monuments: Ngo Mon Gate (Southern Gate), Thai Hoa Palace (Supreme Harmony), Royal Library (Thai Binh Lau), Imperial Garden (Ngu Uyen), Royal Theatre, etc.



Next, you will transfer to the beautiful Thien Mu (Heavenly Lady)
Pagoda perched on the top of the hill overlooking the Huong (Perfume) River.

In the afternoon, you will visit the mausoleum of King Tu Duc, a mausoleum surrounded by tranquility, nature and one of the most beautiful works of royal architecture of the Nguyen dynasty. On your return to the city center, you will stop at the traditional incense craft village to take photos with bunches of incense sticks of various colors.

You will pass through Dong Ba market in the late afternoon, where you will find products that reflect the skill and finesse of Hue women artisans, such as conical poem hats.

Lunch on your own and overnight at hotel in Hue.

Day 08: Hue - Da Nang - Hoi An - Discovery of the city (B)

- → English-speaking guide and private driver
- → Hue Da Nang Hoi An: 120 km ~ 3h30' 4h by private transport





Breakfast at the hotel and departure to Da Nang taking a charming road of Hai Van Pass that offers a magnificent panorama of the city. There is also a stop at the top of the pass for a beautiful view of Lang Co beach, one of the most beautiful peninsulas in Vietnam.

Arriving in Hoi An Old Town around noon, you will then take a stroll through the narrow streets, flanked by beautiful old houses, testimony to a flourishing era of the country's foreign trade several hundred years ago.

In 1999, UNESCO declared Hoi An, formerly known as "Faifo", a World Heritage Site thanks to its architectural and historical values. Coming to this ancient commercial jewel, you will visit the famous monuments of Hoi An, such as: the Japanese bridge, the Chinese temple, the old house and the handicraft quarter, etc.

The rest of the day is completely free for your personal discovery of this ancient port city.

Meals on your own and overnight at hotel in Hoi An.

Day 09: Hoi An - Da Nang **X** Ciudad Ho Chi Minh City (B)

- English-speaking guide and private driver
- → Da Nang Ho Chi Minh City: 1h15' by plane

Breakfast at the hotel before transfer to Da Nang airport for flight to Ho Chi Minh City, formerly Saigon. This is one of the largest cities in the country and a modern, futuristic city whose cityscape is characterized by huge skyscrapers and neon lights. Upon arrival in Ho Chi Minh City, our driver and guide will take you to the city center.

You will begin your city tour by visiting the Chợ Lớn Chinatown, with the Bình Tây market and the Thiên Hậu pagoda, dedicated to the worship of the Goddess of the Sea.



In the afternoon, you will visit the Reunification Palace, which was the residence of the President of the Republic of Vietnam until April 30, 1975. Meals on your own and overnight at the hotel in the center of Ho Chi Minh City.



You will then enjoy a walk through the colonial buildings, where you can observe the French presence for almost a hundred years in this land. You will explore Saigon through colonial buildings such as: the Saigon Central Post Office and the Municipal Theater (seen from outside).

Lunch on your own and overnight at the hotel in downtown Ho Chi Minh City.

Day 10: Ho Chi Minh City - Cu Chi Tunnels - Ho Chi Minh City (B)

- → English-speaking guide and private driver
- → Ho Chi Minh Cu Chi: 50 km ~ 1h30' by private transport



After breakfast at the hotel, departure to the Cu Chi Tunnels, an unparalleled 250 kilometers long subway passage system with several tunnels including polyclinics, dormitories, meeting rooms, kitchens, warehouses, etc.. Visiting this liberated village, you will be immersed in the brave and indomitable spirit of the Vietnamese army and people in their resistance against the Yankees for national liberation.

In the afternoon, return to Ho Chi Minh City via a pleasant country road.

Lunch on your own and hotel accommodation in Ho Chi Minh City.

Day 11: Ho Chi Minh City - Ben Tre (Mekong Delta) - Ho Chi Minh City (B)

- → English-speaking guide and private driver
- → Ho Chi Minh City Ben Tre: 80 km ~ 2h by private transport

Breakfast at the hotel. You will head to Ben Tre to explore the Mekong Delta, the largest rice granary in Vietnam. Upon arrival in Ben Tre, you will board a local boat. You will explore the daily activities of the residents on this private boat as it moves along the river.

You will visit the coconut handicraft workshop while crossing the canal and listen to the southern vocal and musical art "Don ca tai





tu", an intangible cultural heritage of the world. You will see how people use all parts of the coconut and taste coconut sweets with honey tea.

Navigation will continue on the Cai Son River. You will disembark at Nhon Thanh village, where local families have specialized in making mats from reed. You will be invited to taste fresh tropical fruits. You will continue by bicycle or tuk tuk, a "motorized vehicle", through coconut groves and fruit and vegetable gardens.

Then, you will take a ten-minute paddle boat ride through a coconut orchard crossing beautiful and romantic landscapes.

Disembark and return to Ho Chi Minh City in the late afternoon.

Lunch on your own and overnight at hotel in Ho Chi Minh City.

Day 12: Ho Chi Minh City → Siem Reap (B)

→ English-speaking guide and private driver

Breakfast at hotel and transfer to Ho Chi Minh's Tan Son Nhat International Airport for flight to Siem Reap.

Upon arrival in Siem Reap, you will be met by our driver and guide, then transferred by private transportation to check in at the hotel.

Meals on your own and overnight at the hotel in Siem Reap.

Day 13: Siem Reap - Grand Circuit - Banteay Srei - Banteay Samre - Srah Srang (B)

→ English-speaking guide and private driver



After breakfast at the hotel, you will visit the monuments of the Grand Circuit, including Pre Rup, 10th century; 10th century Mebon-Hindu Hindu Temple, erected on the central island of East Baray; Ta Som - Buddhist Temple of the late 12th century; Neak Poan (intertwined Nagas) formed by a square basin surrounded by four small basins and Preah Khan (sacred sword) (which was invaded by vines and saplings).

In the afternoon, you will visit Banteay Srei (women's citadel), located on the site of the ancient city of Iśvarapura, 20 km northeast of Angkor, built in the 10th century.



in pink sandstone and probably consecrated in 967, during the reign of Jayavarman V and dedicated to Tribhuvanamaheśvara (the Lord of the Three Worlds). After that, you will continue to Banteay Samre, of elaborate architecture and exceptional carvings. On your way back, you will pass by Srah Srang (ablution pool), where you will contemplate the sunset.

Lunch on your own and overnight at the hotel in Siem Reap.

Day 14: Siem Reap - Angkor Thom Temple - Angkor Wat Temple - Ta Prohm (B, L)

→ English-speaking guide and private driver

Breakfast at the hotel, enjoy a beautiful and incredibly rewarding day of exploration. First, visit the Angkor Thom temple complex, which was built by Khmer King Jayavarman VII in the late 12th and early 13th century. This complex includes the South Gate, Bayon, Baphuon, Elephant Terrace, Phimeanakas, Old Royal Palace and Terrace of the Leper King. Angkor Thom, whose name means "great city", witnessed the greatness of the Empire.



In the afternoon, you will visit the largest and most beautiful temple of the monumental complex of Angkor Wat, built by Suryavarman II in the early 12th century. This place is the city of monasteries, the spiritual center and identity of the Khmer people in the South. The temple is imbued with a unique, natural, complex and symbolic Khmer architecture. It is also one of the most impressive architectural masterpieces still preserved in the world.

You will then head to Ta Prohm, an abandoned Buddhist temple dating from the 12th century and considered a symbol of the power of nature.

In the evening, you will enjoy an Apsara dance show while dining at a local restaurant.

Overnight at the hotel in Siem Reap.

Day 15: Siem Reap - Departure (B)

→ Private Driver

After breakfast, you will have the rest of the day to relax and discover the city before transferring to Siem Reap International Airport for your international departure flight.



Trip price / person

From USD 3 900 per person

The price includes:

- ✓ Transportation in private, air-conditioned transportation
- √ Accommodation in 5* hotels
- ✓ All air tickets for domestic and international flights: (HANÓI HUE, DA NANG HO CHI MINH, HO CHI MINH SIEM REAP) in economy class
- ✓ Meals mentioned in the program
- ✓ English-speaking guide for each region of the tour
- ✓ All entrance fees to tourist sites
- ✓ Excursion boats as described in the program
- ✓ Unforgettable cruise in Lan Ha Bay for 02 days and 01 night
- ✓ All other services as mentioned in the program (bicycle, water puppet dance show, etc.)
- ✓ Bottles of mineral water
- ✓ All costs of other services as clearly indicated in the program
- ✓ Medical and travel insurance
- ✓ Daily itinerary and assistance 24.7

The price does not include:

- Personal expenses
- International Flights
- Tips



VIETNAM & LAOS EXPEDITION, 21 DAY JOURNEY

A colorful journey will allow you to discover the national identity, culture and traditions of Vietnam and Laos.

You will start in bustling Ho Chi Minh City and the Mekong Delta, famous for its vibrant tropical orchards, typical villages along the canals and unique floating markets. You will head to central Vietnam to visit two UNESCO World Cultural Heritage cities, Hue and Hoi An.

In the north, you will explore the charming city of Hanoi, the historical and cultural center of the country. You will then descend to the Red River Delta, admiring its extraordinary beauty: the unique combination of limestone terrain and marshy landscape that creates the so-called "Ha Long Bay on land". At the end, you will head to Ha Long Bay, a breathtaking pristine beauty recognized by UNESCO as a World Heritage Site.

The journey ends with Laos, a land of a million elephants. This country is an exceptional example of the fusion of traditional architecture with urban structures created by European colonial authorities. You will explore the unique architecture, culture and splendid nature of the former capital of Laos, a UNESCO World Heritage Site.

Interests:

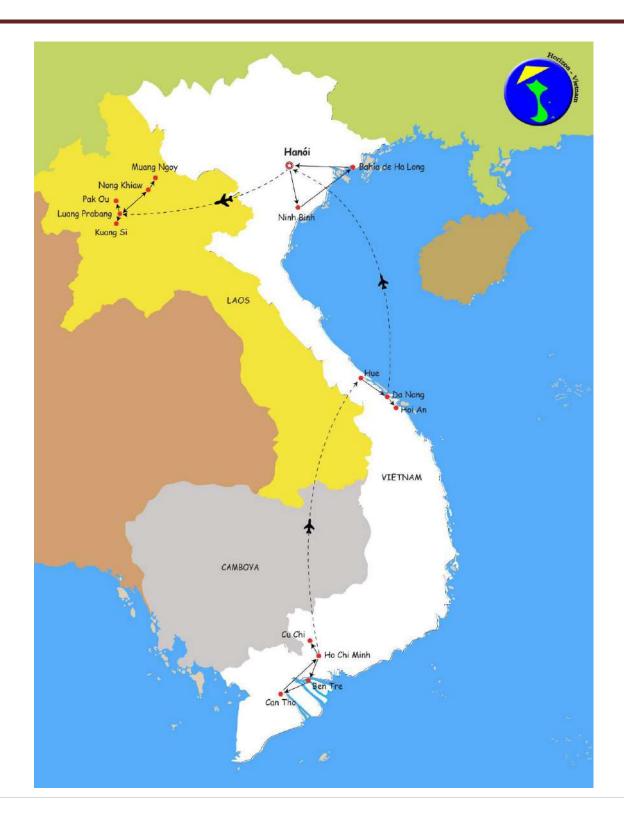
- ✓ Private and 100% tailor-made tours
- ✓ Visit important monuments and historical, cultural and spiritual places of the country.
- ✓ Contemplate the beauty of nature and landscapes
- ✓ Meet warmly the local people
- Discover the traditions, culture and way of life of Vietnamese and Laotians
- ✓ Unforgettable experience in Ha Long Bay aboard an oriental style cruise ship with all comforts.
- ✓ Discover a peculiar floating market
- ✓ Discover the splendid natures of Laos



Short program:	<u>(B: Breakfast, L: Lunch, D: Dinner)</u>

Itinerary	Accommodation	Meals Included
Day 01: Ho Chi Minh City – Arrival	Hotel	
Day 02: Ho Chi Minh City - Discover	Hotel	(B)
Day 03: Ho Chi Minh City - Cu Chi Tunnels - Ho Chi Minh City	Hotel	(B)
Day 04: Ho Chi Minh City - Ben Tre - Can Tho	Hotel	(B)
Day 05: Can Tho — Ho Chi Minh City ₹ Hue	Hotel	(B)
Day 06: Hue – Discover	Hotel	(B)
Day 07: Hue - Da Nang - Hoi An	Hotel	(B)
Day 08: Hoi An – Discover	Hotel	(B)
Day 09: Hoi An – Da Nang 🛪 Hanói	Hotel	(B)
Day 10: Hanói – Discover	Hotel	(B)
Day 11: Hanói – Ninh Binh – Ha Long Bay	Hotel	(B)
Day 12: Ninh Binh — Ha Long Bay — Cruise	A bordo de un crucero	(B, L, D)
Day 13: Ha Long Bay - Cruise - Hanói	Hotel	(B, B)
Day 14: Hanói ₹ Luang Prabang	Hotel	(B)
Day 15: Luang Prabang — Pak Ou Cave	Hotel	(B)
Day 16: Luang Prabang – Kuang Si Waterfall	Hotel	(B)
Day 17: Luang Prabang — Visit to the elephant village	Hotel	(B, B)
Day 18: Luang Prabang — Nong Khiaw	Hotel	(B)
Day 19: Nong Khiaw — Muang Ngoi — Nong Khiaw	Hotel	(B)
Day 20: Nong Khiaw – Luang Prabang – Discover	Hotel	(B)
Day 21: Luang Prabang – Departure		(B)







Detailed program:

Day 01: Ho Chi Minh City - Arrival

- ✓ English speaking guide and private driver
- ✓ From airport to city center: 12 km ~ 45' by private transport

Upon arrival at Tan Son Nhat International Airport, you will be perfectly greeted by our guide and driver, and then transferred by private transportation to check in at the hotel. The first scenes of Vietnam's noisy streets will appear before your eyes.

You will have the rest of the day to relax and discover the city. Meals on your own and hotel accommodation in downtown Ho Chi Minh City.



Your hotel room will be officially available from 2:00 pm.

Day 02: Ho Chi Minh City - Discovery (B)

✓ English speaking guide and private driver



After breakfast at the hotel, you will begin your city tour by visiting the Chợ Lớn Chinatown with the Bình Tây market and the Thiên Hậu pagoda, dedicated to the worship of the Goddess of the Sea.

Next, you will visit the Vietnam War Remnants Museum, located behind the Reunification Palace. This compound specializes in researching, collecting, preserving and displaying evidence of the crimes and consequences of Vietnam's wars of invasion.

In the afternoon, you will visit the Reunification Palace, which was the residence of the President of the Republic of Vietnam until April 30, 1975.

You will then enjoy a walk through the colonial buildings, where you will observe the French presence for almost a hundred years in this land. You will explore Saigon through colonial buildings such as: the Saigon Central Post Office and the Municipal Theater (seen from outside).



Lunch on your own and overnight at the hotel in downtown Ho Chi Minh City.

Day 03: Ho Chi Minh City - Cu Chi Tunnels - Ho Chi Minh City (B)

- ✓ English speaking guide and private driver
- ✓ Ho Chi Minh City Cu Chi: 50 km ~ 1h30' by private transport

After breakfast at the hotel, departure to Cu Chi Tunnels, an unparalleled 250 kilometers long subway passage system with several tunnels including polyclinics, dormitories, meeting rooms, kitchens, warehouses, etc. Visiting this liberated village, you will be immersed in the brave and indomitable spirit of the Vietnamese army and people in their resistance against the Yankees for national liberation.



In the afternoon, return to Ho Chi Minh City via a pleasant country road.

Lunch on your own and overnight at hotel in Ho Chi Minh City.

Day 04: Ho Chi Minh City - Ben Tre (Mekong Delta) - Can Tho (B)

- ✓ English speaking guide and private driver
- ✓ Ho Chi Minh City Ben Tre: 80 km ~ 2h by private transport
- ✓ Ben Tre Can Tho: 115 km ~ 3h by private transport



Breakfast at the hotel. You will head to Ben Tre to explore the Mekong Delta, the largest rice granary in Vietnam. Upon arrival in Ben Tre, you will board a local boat. You will explore the daily activities of the residents on this private boat as it moves along the river.

You will visit the coconut handicraft workshop while crossing the canal and listen to the southern vocal and musical art "Don ca tai tu", an intangible cultural heritage of the world. You will see how people use all parts of the coconut and taste coconut sweets with honey tea.



Navigation will continue on the Cai Son River. You will disembark at Nhon Thanh village, where local families have specialized in making mats from reed. You will be invited to taste fresh tropical fruits. You will continue by bicycle or tuk tuk, a "motorized vehicle", through coconut groves and fruit and vegetable gardens.

Then, you will take a ten-minute paddle boat ride through a coconut orchard crossing beautiful and romantic landscapes.

Disembark and transfer to Can Tho in the late afternoon. Meals on your own and hotel accommodation in Can Tho.

Day 05: Can Tho - Cai Rang Floating Market - Ho Chi Minh City → Hue (B)

- ✓ English speaking guide and private driver
- ✓ Can Tho Ho Chi Minh City: 170 km ~ 3h30' by private transport
- ✓ Ho Chi Minh City Hue: 1h15' by plane

After breakfast at the hotel, you will take a private boat on the Mekong River to visit the original Cai Rang floating market. This is one of the most typical markets in the southern regions of Vietnam.

You will admire the local boats carrying a variety of fresh fruits and vegetables, and above all you will immerse yourself in the lively, bustling atmosphere of buyers and sellers.

You will leave the market and continue the boat trip to a tropical fruit orchard. You will taste fresh and succulent fruit. Next, visit the noodle making craft (Hu Tieu), a famous specialty in Cai Rang floating market.

Disembark, return to Ho Chi Minh City and transfer to Tan Son Nhat International Airport for flight to Hue.

Upon arrival in Hue, you will be met by our driver, then transferred by private transportation to check in at the hotel.

Meals on your own and overnight at hotel in Hue.





Day 06: Hue - Discovery (B)

✓ English speaking guide and private driver

Hue was the capital and cultural, political and economic center of Vietnam between 1802 and 1945, one of the country's most turbulent times. The city's historical heritage and intact architecture will provide visitors with many unforgettable emotions.



After breakfast at your hotel, you will visit for the first time the majestic imperial city of Hue, where 13 emperors of the Nguyen dynasty lived between 1802 and 1945. Over the years, the Hue Citadel still retains all the beauty of an original Vietnamese-Chinese architecture. You will visit sumptuous monuments: Ngo Mon Gate (Southern Gate), Thai Hoa Palace (Supreme Harmony), Royal Library (Thai Binh Lau), Imperial Garden (Ngu Uyen), Royal Theatre, etc.

Next, you will transfer to the beautiful Thien Mu (Heavenly Lady) Pagoda perched on the top of the hill overlooking the Huong (Perfume) River.

In the afternoon, you will visit the mausoleum of King Tu Duc, a mausoleum surrounded by tranquility, nature and one of the most beautiful works of royal architecture of the Nguyen dynasty. On your return to the city center, you will stop at the traditional incense craft village to take photos with bunches of incense sticks of various colors.

You will pass through Dong Ba market in the late afternoon, where you will find products that reflect the skill and finesse of Hue women artisans, such as conical poem hats.

Lunch on your own and overnight at hotel in Hue.

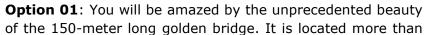
Day 07: Hue - Da Nang - Hoi An (B)

- ✓ English speaking guide and private driver
- ✓ Hue Da Nang Hoi An: 120 km ~ 3h30' 4h by private transport



Breakfast at the hotel and departure to Da Nang taking a charming road of the Hai Van Pass that offers a magnificent panorama of the city. There is also a stop at the top of the pass for a beautiful view of Lang Co beach, one of the most beautiful peninsulas in Vietnam.

Upon arrival in Da Nang, you will have 02 options:





1400 meters above sea level and is supported by two giant hands carved in stone. (It is recommended that you go from March to September to make the most of the scenery; the remaining months are usually cloudy or rainy).

Option 02: You will discover the Son Tra (Monkey Mountain) peninsula, once a floating island formed by three mountains. This jewel of Da Nang city has experienced exponential growth in both maritime tourism and spiritual tourism. Among them is the Linh Ung Pagoda, which features the statue of the Buddha of Compassion Kuan Yin (67 meters), the tallest in Vietnam. Next, you will visit the marble mountains of Ngu Hanh Son (Five Elements Mountains) which are prized for their historical, cultural and spiritual values. From the top, you can see the peaceful Ngu Hanh Son Mountain, the majestic Truong Son mountain range and the complex of temples and mysterious caves.

Return to Hoi An in the late afternoon.

Meals on your own and hotel accommodation in Hoi An.

Day 08: Hoi An - Immersion in local life (B, L)

✓ English-speaking guide and transfer by bicycle and electric car



Breakfast at the hotel, then cycling through the Vietnamese countryside away from the hustle and bustle of the city, traffic and tourist routes.

From village to village, you will cross vast rice paddies and quiet zigzag roads, towards the fishing village of Van Lang and the coconut forest of Bay Mau. This forest covers an area of about seven hectares, surrounded by mangroves, canals and coconut leaf-roofed houses. During the years of resistance against the French colonialists and the American empire, this



place became a revolutionary base and to this day, visitors are impressed by the placid and beautiful natural landscape of this place.

On the way, you will stop at some main places: Ba Le market, rice fields, cemetery, school, etc.

Arriving at the village, you will be warmly welcomed at the local people's house where you will meet their family of more than 3 generations, you will also have a chance to taste green tea and take a walk around the village. Then, the fishermen will take you to discover their traditional fishing techniques and the coconut forest with a coracle in "Thung chai".Regreso a la casa de gente local para relajarse con un masaje de pies a base de hierbas. Después, participará en la preparación del almuerzo con su familia con platos como: banh xeo (panqueque chisporroteante), rollitos de primavera Hoi An, Tam Huu (Carne – Gambas – Hierbas con hojas de chalota), pescado a la parrilla envuelto en hojas de guise, etc. A continuación, podrá degustar los platos que haya preparado.

You will return to the hotel by electric car. The rest of the day is completely free for your personal discovery of this ancient port city.

Lunch included, dinner on your own and hotel accommodation in Hoi An.

Day 09: Hoi An - Discovery - Da Nang → Hanoi (B)

- ✓ English speaking guide and private driver
- ✓ Da Nang Hanoi: 1h15' by plane

Breakfast at the hotel. You will start the day with a walk through the heart of the old town of Hoi An.

You will stroll through the narrow streets, flanked by beautiful old houses, testimony to the flourishing era of the country's foreign trade several hundred years ago.

In 1999, UNESCO declared Hoi An, formerly known as "Faifo", a World Heritage Site thanks to its architectural and historical



values. Coming to this ancient commercial jewel, you will visit the famous monuments of Hoi An, such as: Japanese bridge, Chinese temple, ancient house and handicraft quarter, etc.

Then transfer to Da Nang airport for the flight to Hanoi. Upon arrival at Noi Bai International Airport (Hanoi), you will be perfectly welcomed by our driver, who will take you to downtown Hanoi. Meals on your own and hotel accommodation in the heart of the capital.

Your hotel room will be officially available from 14:00 hours.



Day 10: Hanoi - Discovery of the capital (B)

✓ English speaking guide and private driver



After breakfast at the hotel, you will explore the capital city of Hanoi.

You will have 02 options:

Option 01: You will visit Ho Chi Minh's Mausoleum, where you will find his mausoleum, his house on stilts and his garden inside the presidential palace (In particular, on Mondays and Fridays only the outside of the mausoleum is allowed to be visited due to facilities maintenance). Continue to the one-pillar pagoda.

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Then, you will contemplate the relics scattered around Hoan Kiem (Restored Sword) Lake, such as the Turtle Tower and Ngoc Son Temple, and learn about the cultural uniqueness of the old town.

Afternoon theater: you will attend the water puppet dance show, an ancient performance art performance of the Red River Delta.

Meals on your own and hotel accommodation in Hanoi.



Day 11: Hanoi - Ninh Binh - Hoa Lu - Tam Coc - Bich Dong Pagoda (B)

- ✓ English speaking guide and private driver
- ✓ Hanoi Ninh Binh: 150 km ~ 3h30' by private transport

Breakfast at the hotel. Continue along the charming little road to Ninh Binh, the land christened as "Ha Long Bay of land".

Transfer to Hoa Lu, the ancient capital of Vietnam (under the Dinh dynasty 968-980 and the beginning of the previous Le dynasty 980-1009). You will visit the two temples of the kings dating from the 10th century. They still retain all the beauty of the monumental ensemble, you can admire the delicacy of art with wood and stone sculptures made by Vietnamese craftsmen since the seventeenth century.



In the afternoon, you will embark on a sampan for a pleasant ride on the Ngo Dong River. Amidst the rice fields, you will observe the breathtaking scenery of many limestone peaks with tormented shapes covered with lush vegetation. As a result, we call this place Ha Long Land Bay. Next, you will pass by the three beautiful caves (Tam Coc).

Then you will take a nice bike ride and visit the Bich Dong pagoda (the jade pagoda).

Meals on your own and hotel accommodation in Ninh Binh.

Day 12: Ninh Binh - Ha Long Bay - Cruise (B, L, D)

- ✓ English speaking guide on board and private driver
- ✓ Ninh Binh Ha Long: 180 km ~ 4h by private transport



After breakfast at the hotel, depart for Ha Long Bay through the vast landscapes of the Red River Delta.

Arriving at Ha Long Bay around noon, you will board the cruise ship, enjoy a welcome drink and spend a few minutes to listen to an introduction about the safety of the ship and the activities included. You will then settle into your cabin to freely enjoy the first movements of the cruise.



Lunch is served as the ship sails into Bai Tu Long Bay through magnificent scenery of the seventh wonder of the world with thousands of sugar-cake shaped islands and islets.

Next, you will use a small boat to head to Cap La Island, where you will take a scenic kayak tour through breathtaking views of steep limestone peaks over the emerald waters of Bai Tu Long Bay. You will have time to swim and relax on the white sandy beach. Back on the boat, as the cruise continues, you can relax on the sun deck or take pictures while watching the sunset.

Lunch and dinner are served with excellent local dishes and fresh specialties from the sea. Dinner, free time and overnight on board.

Day 13: Bai Tu Long Bay - Cruise - Hanoi (B,D)

- ✓ English speaking guide on board and private driver
- ✓ Ha Long Hanoi: 150 km ~ 3h30' by private transport

Start the day with a Tai Chi class on the sundeck or enjoy the picturesque views of the bay in the morning. Light breakfast on board.

Afterwards, you will have breakfast on board before departing to Hon Co Island to discover Thien Canh Son Cave, one of the jewels of Bai Tu Long Bay. You will have the opportunity to swim on the sandy beach.



Back on board, the trip will continue peacefully through the most beautiful and quiet hidden corners of Bai Tu Long Bay. You will continue to enjoy the surreal scenery that this place has to offer.

Afterwards, you can participate in a Vietnamese cooking demonstration: how to make NEM CUON and taste dishes prepared by yourself. A light brunch will be served while the boat returns to the pier.

Return to Hanoi in the afternoon, passing through the magnificent scenery of the vast rice paddies of the Red River Delta. You will have the rest of the day at leisure to relax or discover the capital on your own.

Dinner on your own and hotel accommodation in Hanoi.



Day 14: Hanoi 🗶 Luang Prabang (B)

✓ English speaking guide on board and private driver

Breakfast at hotel and transfer to Noi Bai International Airport for flight to Luang Prabang.

Upon arrival in Luang Prabang, you will be met by our driver and guide, then transferred by private transport to check in at the hotel.

Meals on your own and hotel accommodation in Luang Prabang.

Day 15: Luang Prabang - Pak Ou Caves - City Tour (B)

✓ English speaking guide on board and private driver



After breakfast, you will travel by boat along the tea-colored waters of the Mekong River to the Pak Ou Caves. The caves house hundreds of Buddha statues, both large and small, that have been left by devotees. Along the way, you will stop at a riverside village of Ban Xang Khong to watch the famous weavers at work on ancient looms before returning to the city.

In the afternoon, you will tour the city's oldest temple, Wat Sene and the magnificent Wat Xieng Thong, where you will see the impressive "tree of life" mosaic set in stained glass. We will

visit the impressive Wat Visoun stupa.

Afterwards, you will explore the night market, where you can find a charming selection of handmade textiles made by local people and hill tribes surrounding Luang Prabang.

Lunch on your own and hotel accommodation in Luang Prabang.



Day 16: Luang Prabang - City tour - Kuang Si waterfall (B)

✓ English speaking guide on board and private driver

After breakfast, you will start the day of discovery with the ascent of Mount Phousi, at the top of the mountain, you have a spectacular view of the former Royal Capital and the Mekong River.

Then, you will visit the Royal Palace, converted into a museum, where you will be told the history of the region and the royal family. The National Museum exhibits the famous Pha Bang, a golden statue of Buddha.



Then depart south for 1 hour to reach one of the most picturesque places in Luang Prabang, the emerald Kuang Si waterfalls. Once at the falls, embark on a leisurely hike through the National Park towards Kuang Si Falls and pass by the Asiatic Bear Rescue Center. For the more adventurous, continue to the top of the main waterfall. You can swim in its refreshing waters, except between November and January as the water temperature is very cold.

Meals on your own and overnight in Luang Prabang.

Day 17: Luang Prabang - Elephant Camp (B, L)

- ✓ English speaking guide and shared driver (shared tour in group)
- ✓ English speaking guide in Camp



Breakfast at the hotel.

08:00: Departure to the Elephant Camp.

Upon arrival at the Elephant Camp: You will be welcomed by the guide and participate in a short briefing about elephants.

You will then experience how to feed the elephants and meet them up close. You will visit the elephant hospital, museum, gallery and dung paper factory. Then, you will live the

impressive experience of being a mahout and how they communicate.



Enjoy a boat trip to Tad Sae waterfall: You will travel by traditional Lao long boat to the Tad Sae waterfall and relax or swim in the crystal clear water. Bathing suits are recommended.

Note: water levels will vary according to seasonal conditions.

Lunch at the Camp's restaurant. Buffet served with coffee/tea and drinking water (vegetarian options available).

Return to hotel in Luang Prabang.

Lunch included, dinner on your own and overnight at hotel in Luang Prabang.

Day 18: Luang Prabang - Nong Khiaw (B)

✓ English speaking guide on board and private driver

An early start gives you a fantastic opportunity to participate in the daily alms-giving ritual by saffronclad monks. Laos is the only Buddhist country that maintains this tradition. Transfer to the hotel for breakfast.

After breakfast, departure to Nong Khiaw (about 3.5 - 4 hours). On the way you will visit some villages and Ban Nanyang where it is still recognized as one of the most highly preserved forms of authentic life of the Leu and Algonquin ethnic peoples of textile production.

Meals on your own and hotel accommodation in Nong Khiaw.

Day 19: Nong Khiaw - Muang Ngoi - Nong Khiaw (B)

✓ English speaking guide on board and private driver

After breakfast, you will cruise down the river to Muang Ngoi. On the way, you will visit several different ethnic villages, especially Ban Sop Jam village. This village is noted for its traditional Laotian silk and cotton weaving, here you will be able to buy some beautiful weavings. Return downstream to Muang Ngoi.

Upon arrival, you will take some time to rest and have a coffee before starting a short hike that will take you through beautiful





landscapes formed by limestone cliffs, mountains and rice fields. The hike includes a visit to a historic cave that locals used as an air raid shelter during the Second Indochina War.

On the way back to Muang Ngoi, you will board a boat on the river and enjoy the beautiful sunset at Nong Khiaw.

Meals on your own and hotel accommodation in Nong Khiau.

Day 20: Nong Khiaw - Luang Prabang - Traditional Arts and Ethnology Center (B)

✓ English speaking guide on board and private driver

After breakfast, depart for Luang Prabang. Arrival in Luang Prabang, you will visit the Traditional Art and Ethnology Center (TAEC), where you will see valuable artifacts and traditional clothing and utensils from each of Luang Prabang's 20 ethnic minority groups.

Meals on your own and hotel accommodation in Luang Prabang.

Day 21: Luang Prabang - Departure (B)

✓ Private driver

Breakfast at the hotel. You will have the rest of the day to relax and discover the city before transferring to Luang Prabang International Airport for your international departure flight.

Trip Price / Person	From USD 3 900 per person



The price includes:

- ✓ Transportation in private air-conditioned transport
- ✓ Accommodation in 5* hotels
- ✓ Air tickets for domestic and international flights: (HO CHI MINH HUE; DA NANG HANÓI; HANÓI LUANG PRABANG) in economy class
- ✓ Meals mentioned in the program
- ✓ English speaking guide in each region
- ✓ Entrance fees to tourist sites
- ✓ Excursion boats as per program
- ✓ Bottles of mineral water
- ✓ An unforgettable cruise in Lan Ha Bay for 02 days and 01 night.
- ✓ Other services mentioned in the program cycling, water puppet show....
- ✓ Charges for all other services according to the program.
- ✓ Medical and travel insurance
- ✓ Daily itinerary and assistance 24.7

The price does not include:

- Personal expenses
- International flights
- Gratuities



SOUTHEAST ASIA TRIO: 18 DAYS IN VIETNAM, CAMBODIA & THAILAND

A colorful journey will allow you to discover the national identity, culture and traditions of Vietnam, Cambodia and Thailand.

You will begin by exploring Vietnam in all its aspects: fascinating natural beauty, diverse cultures rich in color and relics that reveal a history that ranks as one of the most eventful and glorious in the world.

Then you will radically change your culture by going to Cambodia to discover Siem Reap and the mysterious temples of Angkor. So many sites and beauties listed as UNESCO World Heritage Sites come together at the heart of this trip.

The trip ends with Thailand, a land of contrasts, where ancient Buddhist temples and modern street food stalls coexist. You will visit a unique floating market and experience local Thai life.

Interests:

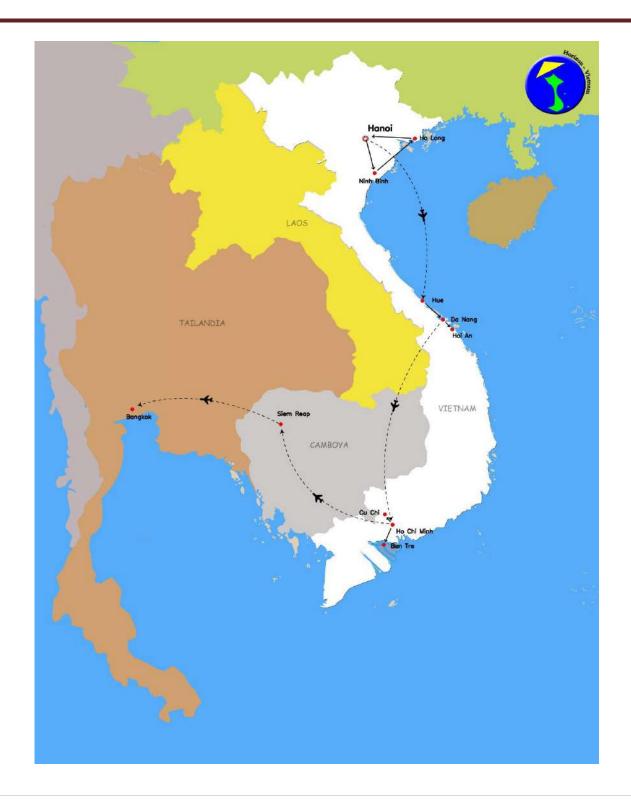
- ✓ Private and 100% tailor-made tours
- ✓ Visit important monuments and historical, cultural and spiritual places of the country.
- ✓ Contemplate the beauty of nature and landscapes
- ✓ Meet warmly the local people
- Discover the traditions, culture and way of life of Vietnamese, Cambodians and Thais
- ✓ Unforgettable experience in Ha Long Bay aboard an oriental style cruise ship with all comforts
- ✓ Discover a peculiar floating market
- ✓ Discover the majestic temples of Angkor in Cambodia
- ✓ Discover Thailand, the Land of Temples



Short Program: (B: Breakfast, B: Brunch, L: Lunch, D: Dinner)

Itinerary	Accommodation	Meals Included
Day 01: Hanói – Arrival	Hotel	
Day 02: Hanói – Discover	Hotel	(<u>B</u>)
Day 03: Hanói — Ninh Binh — Ha Long Bay	Hotel	(<u>B</u>)
Day 04: Ninh Binh — Ha Long Bay — Cruise	Aboard a cruise ship	(<u>B</u> , L, D)
Day 05: Ha Long Bay — Cruise — Hanói 🚜 Hue	Hotel	(<u>B</u> , B)
Day 06: Hue – Discover	Hotel	(<u>B</u>)
Day 07: Hue - Da Nang - Hoi An - Discover	Hotel	(<u>B</u>)
Day 08: Hoi An – Free day	Hotel	(<u>B</u>)
Day 09: Hoi An − Da Nang 🛪 Ho Chi Minh City − Discover	Hotel	(<u>B</u>)
Day 10: Ho Chi Minh City -Cu Chi Tunnels	Hotel	(<u>B</u>)
Day 11: Ho Chi Minh City - Ben Tre - Ho Chi Minh City	Hotel	(<u>B</u>)
Day 12: Ho Chi Minh City 🛪 Siem Reap	Hotel	(<u>B</u>)
Day 13: Siem Riep - Discover	Hotel	(<u>B</u>)
Day 14: Siem Riep – Discover	Hotel	(<u>B</u> , L)
Day 15: Siem Riep 🚜 Bangkok	Hotel	(<u>B</u>)
Days 16 y 17: Bangkok – Discover	Hotel	(<u>B</u>)
Day 18: Bangkok – Departure		(<u>B</u>)







Detailed program:

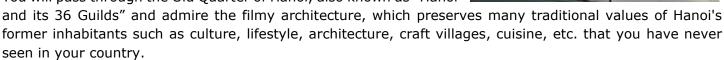
Day 01: Hanoi - Arrival

- ✓ English speaking guide and private driver
- ✓ From the airport to the city center: 30 km ~ 45' by private transport

A Upon arrival at Noi Bai International Airport (Hanoi), you will be perfectly welcomed by our guide and driver, who will take you to the center of Hanoi. The first scenes of the noisy streets of Vietnam will appear before your eyes.

Depending on the arrival time of your flight, you can rest at your hotel if rooms are available or take a city tour on your own:

You will pass through the Old Quarter of Hanoi, also known as "Hanoi



Meals on your own and hotel accommodation in the heart of the capital.

Your hotel room will be officially available from 2:00 pm.

Day 02: Hanoi - Discovery of the capital (B)

✓ English speaking guide and private driver



After breakfast at the hotel, you will explore the capital city of Hanoi.

You will have 02 options:

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You will visit the Temple of Literature, one of the symbols of Vietnamese feudal education. This site pays homage to intellectual curiosity, an important tradition in Vietnamese culture.

Then, you will contemplate the relics scattered around Hoan Kiem (Restored Sword) Lake, such as the Turtle Tower and the Temple of Ngoc Son, and learn about the cultural singularities of the old quarter.

Afternoon theater: you will attend the water puppet dance show, an ancient performance art performance of the Red River Delta.

Meals on your own and hotel accommodation in Hanoi.

Día 03: Hanói - Ninh Binh - Hoa Lu - Tam Coc - Pagoda Bich Dong (D)

- ✓ English speaking guide and private driver
- √ Hanoi Ninh Binh: 100 km ~ 2h by private transport

Breakfast at the hotel. Continue along the charming little road to Ninh Binh, the land christened "Ha Long Bay of land".

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Meals on your own and hotel accommodation in Ninh Binh.

Day 04: Ninh Binh - Ha Long Bay - Cruise (B, L, D)

- ✓ English speaking guide on board and private driver
- ✓ Ninh Binh Ha Long: 180 km ~ 4h by private transport



After breakfast at the hotel, depart for Ha Long Bay through the vast landscapes of the Red River Delta.

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Lunch is served as the ship sails into Bai Tu Long Bay through magnificent scenery of the seventh wonder of the world with thousands of sugar-cake shaped islands and islets.

Next, you will use a small boat to head to Cap La Island, where you will take a scenic kayak tour through breathtaking views of steep limestone peaks over the emerald waters of Bai Tu Long Bay. You will have time to swim and relax on the white sandy beach. Back on the boat, as the cruise continues, you can relax on the sundeck or take pictures while watching the sunset.

Lunch and dinner are served with excellent local dishes and fresh specialties from the sea. Dinner, free time and overnight on board.



Day 05: Ha Long Bay - Cruise - Hanoi → Hue (B, L)

- ✓ English speaking guide on board and private driver
- ✓ Ha Long Hanoi: 150 km ~ 3h30' by private transport
- ✓ Hanoi Hue : 1h15' by plane

Start the day with a Tai Chi class on the sundeck or enjoy the picturesque views of the bay in the morning. Light breakfast on board.

Afterwards, you will have breakfast on board before departing to Hon Co Island to discover Thien Canh Son Cave, one of the jewels of Bai Tu Long Bay. You will have the opportunity to swim on the sandy beach.



Back on board, the trip will continue peacefully through the most beautiful and quiet hidden corners of Bai Tu Long Bay. You will continue to enjoy the surreal scenery that this place has to offer.

Afterwards, you can participate in a Vietnamese cooking demonstration: how to make NEM CUON and taste dishes prepared by yourself. A light brunch will be served while the boat returns to the pier.

In the afternoon, return to Hanoi through the breathtaking scenery of the vast rice fields of the Red River Delta. You will be in Hanoi in the afternoon, then transfer by private transportation to Hanoi airport for the flight to Hue. Upon arrival, our driver will welcome you and drive you to Hue city.

Dinner on your own and overnight at hotel in Hue.

Day 06: Hue - Discovery (B)

✓ English speaking guide on board and private driver

Hue was the capital and cultural, political and economic center of Vietnam between 1802 and 1945, one of the country's most turbulent times. The city's historical heritage and intact architecture will provide visitors with many unforgettable emotions.





After breakfast at your hotel, you will visit for the first time the majestic imperial city of Hue, where 13 emperors of the Nguyen dynasty lived between 1802 and 1945. Over the years, the Hue Citadel still retains all the beauty of an original Vietnamese-Chinese architecture. You will visit sumptuous monuments: Ngo Mon Gate (South Gate), Thai Hoa Palace (Supreme Harmony), Royal Library (Thai Binh Lau), Imperial Garden (Ngu Uyen), Royal Theater, etc.

In the afternoon, you will visit the mausoleum of King Tu Duc, a mausoleum surrounded by tranquility, nature and one of the most beautiful works of royal architecture of the Nguyen dynasty. On your return to the city center, you will stop at the traditional incense craft village to take photos with bunches of incense sticks of various colors.

You will pass through Dong Ba market in the late afternoon, where you will find products that reflect the skill and delicacy of Hue women artisans, such as conical poem hats.

Lunch on your own and overnight at hotel in Hue.

Day 07: Hue - Da Nang - Hoi An - Discovery (B)

- ✓ English speaking guide and private driver
- ✓ Hue Da Nang Hoi An: 120 km ~ 3h30' 4h by private transport

Breakfast at the hotel and departure to Da Nang taking a charming road of Hai Van Pass that offers a magnificent panorama of the city. There is also a stop at the top of the pass for a beautiful view of Lang Co beach, one of the most beautiful peninsulas in Vietnam.

Arriving in Hoi An Old Town around noon, you will then take a stroll through the narrow streets, flanked by beautiful old houses, testimony to a flourishing era of the country's foreign trade several hundred years ago.



In 1999, UNESCO declared Hoi An, formerly known as "Faifo", a World Heritage Site thanks to its architectural and historical values. Coming to this ancient commercial jewel, you will visit Hoi An's famous monuments, such as: the Japanese bridge, Chinese temple, old house and handicraft quarter, etc.

The rest of the day is completely free for your personal discovery of this ancient port city.

Meals on your own and hotel accommodation in Hoi An.



Day 08: Hoi An - Free day (B)

√ No guide or driver

Breakfast at the hotel and you will have the rest of the day at leisure, to relax and discover the city or swim at An Bang beach.

Located about 4 km from the center of Hoi An ancient city, An Bang beach is like a jade stone with cool blue waters, worthy of a perfect place of rest and relaxation, helping visitors to find peace. The best time to summer at this beach is from March to September.

Meals on your own and hotel accommodation in Hoi An.

Day 09: Hoi An - Da Nang Ciudad Ho Chi Minh City (B)

- ✓ English speaking guide and private driver
- ✓ Da Nang Ho Chi Minh City: 1h15 'by plane



Breakfast at the hotel before transfer to Da Nang airport for flight to Ho Chi Minh City, formerly Saigon. It is one of the largest cities in the country and modern, futuristic, whose cityscape is characterized by huge skyscrapers and neon lights. Upon arrival in Ho Chi Minh City, our driver and guide will take you to the city center.

You will begin your city tour by visiting the Chợ Lớn Chinatown, with the Bình Tây market and the Thiên Hậu pagoda, dedicated to the worship of the Goddess of the Sea.

In the afternoon, you will visit the Reunification Palace, which was the residence of the President of the Republic of Vietnam until April 30, 1975. Meals on your own and overnight at the hotel in the center of Ho Chi Minh City.

You will then enjoy a walk through the colonial buildings, where you can observe the French presence for almost a hundred years in this land. You will explore Saigon through colonial buildings such as: the Saigon Central Post Office and the Municipal Theater (seen from outside).

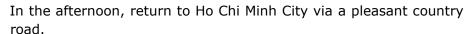
Lunch on your own and overnight at the hotel in downtown Ho Chi Minh City.



Day 10: Ho Chi Minh City - Cu Chi Tunnels - Ho Chi Minh City (B)

- ✓ English speaking guide and private driver
- ✓ Ho Chi Minh Cu Chi: 50 km ~ 1h30' by private transport

After breakfast at the hotel, departure to the Cu Chi Tunnels, an unparalleled 250 kilometers long subway passage system with several tunnels including polyclinics, dormitories, meeting rooms, kitchens, warehouses, etc.. Visiting this liberated village, you will be immersed in the brave and indomitable spirit of the Vietnamese army and people in their resistance against the Yankees for national liberation.





Lunch on your own and hotel accommodation in Ho Chi Minh City.

Day 11: Ho Chi Minh City - Ben Tre (Mekong Delta) - Ho Chi Minh City (B)

- ✓ English speaking guide and private driver
- ✓ Ho Chi Minh City Ben Tre: 80 km ~ 2h by private transport



Breakfast at the hotel. You will head to Ben Tre to explore the Mekong Delta, the largest rice granary in Vietnam. Upon arrival in Ben Tre, you will board a local boat. You will explore the daily activities of the residents on this private boat as it moves along the river.

You will visit the coconut handicraft workshop while crossing the canal and listen to the southern vocal and musical art "Don ca tai tu", an intangible cultural heritage of the world. You will see how

people use all parts of the coconut and taste coconut sweets with honey tea.

Navigation will continue on the Cai Son River. You will disembark at Nhon Thanh village, where local families have specialized in making mats from reed. You will be invited to taste fresh tropical fruits. You will continue by bicycle or tuk tuk, a "motorized vehicle", through coconut groves and fruit and vegetable gardens.

Then, you will take a ten-minute paddle boat ride through a coconut orchard through beautiful and romantic landscapes.



Disembark and return to Ho Chi Minh City in the late afternoon.

Lunch on your own and overnight at hotel in Ho Chi Minh City.

Day 12: Ho Chi Minh City→ Siem Reap (B)

✓ English-speaking guide and private driver

Breakfast at hotel and transfer to Tan Son Nhat International Airport for flight to Siem Reap.

Upon arrival in Siem Reap, you will be met by our driver and guide, then transferred by private transportation to check in at the hotel.

Meals on your own and hotel accommodation in Siem Reap.

Day 13: Siem Reap - Grand Circuit - Banteay Srei - Banteay Samre - Srah Srang (B)

✓ English-speaking guide and private driver

After breakfast at the hotel, you will visit the monuments of the Grand Circuit, including Pre Rup, 10th century; 10th century Mebon-Hindu Hindu Temple, erected on the central island of East Baray; Ta Som - Buddhist Temple of the late 12th century; Neak Poan (intertwined Nagas) formed by a square basin surrounded by four small basins and Preah Khan (sacred sword) (which was invaded by vines and saplings).



In the afternoon, you will visit Banteay Srei (women's citadel), located on the site of the ancient city of Iśvarapura, 20 km northeast of Angkor, built in the 10th century. in pink sandstone and probably consecrated in 967, during the reign of Jayavarman V and dedicated to Tribhuvanamaheśvara (the Lord of the Three Worlds). After that, you will continue on to Banteay Samre, of elaborate architecture and exceptional carvings. On your way back, you will pass by Srah Srang (ablution pool), where you will contemplate the sunset.

Lunch on your own and overnight at the hotel in Siem Reap.



Day 14 : Siem Reap - Angkor Thom - Angkor Wat - Ta Prohm (B, L)

✓ English-speaking guide and private driver



Breakfast at the hotel, you will enjoy a beautiful and incredibly rewarding day of exploration. First, you will visit the Angkor Thom temple complex, which was built by Khmer King Jayavarman VII in the late 12th and early 13th century. This complex includes the South Gate, Bayon, Baphuon, Elephant Terrace, Phimeanakas, Old Royal Palace and Terrace of the Leper King. Angkor Thom, whose name means "great city", witnessed the greatness of the Empire.

In the afternoon, you will visit the largest and most beautiful temple of the monumental complex of Angkor Wat, built by Suryavarman II in the early 12th century. This place is the city of monasteries, the spiritual center and identity of the Khmer people in the South. The temple is imbued with a unique, natural, complex and symbolic Khmer architecture. It is also one of the most impressive architectural masterpieces still preserved in the world.

You will then head to Ta Prohm, an abandoned Buddhist temple dating from the 12th century and considered a symbol of the power of nature.

In the evening, you will enjoy an Apsara dance show while dining at a local restaurant.

Lunch on your own, dinner included and hotel accommodation in Siem Reap.

Day 15: Siem Reap → Bangkok (B)

✓ English-speaking guide and private driver

Breakfast at the hotel and transfer to Siem Reap International Airport for flight to Bangkok.

Upon arrival in Bangkok, you will be met by our driver and guide, then transferred by private transport to check in at the hotel.

Meals on your own and hotel accommodation in Bangkok.



Day 16: Bangkok - Discovery (B)

✓ English-speaking guide and private driver

After breakfast at the hotel, departure to the most important place of worship in Thailand, the Grand Palace, built in 1782 by order of King Rama I. In the complex are the king's workplace, government offices, the harem, etc.. The highlight of the complex is Wat Phra Kaew, also known as the Temple of the Emerald Buddha.

The next stop is Wat Pho, also known as the Temple of the Reclining Buddha. The reclining Buddha, which is about 46 meters long, is one of the largest reclining Buddha in the world. Next, you will visit Wat



Traimit, also known as the Golden Buddha, a wonderful Buddha statue weighing 5.5 tons located in the China Town area.

You will take a boat ride for an excursion along the Chao Phraya River and nearby canals (also known as Khlong in Thai language) to see the bustling hinterland offering fantastic views of local life around the Bangkok waterway and its sub-districts.

At the end, you will visit Wat Arun, whose name means Temple of Dawn. It is one of the most famous temples on the western bank of the Chao Phraya River. This temple is famous because of the beauty and charm characteristic of its decoration.

Meals on your own and hotel accommodation in Bangkok.

Day 17: Bangkok - Railway market - Floating market (B)

✓ English-speaking guide and private driver



Breakfast at the hotel.

07h00: Departure to the Maeklong railway market. This market is called in Thai Talat Rom Hup, which means "market of unfolding umbrellas". Every time a train approaches, the awnings and store fronts are pulled away from the rails, only to be put up again once the train has passed.

You will continue to visit the Damnoen Saduak floating market. You will board a private boat and cruise along some of the canals on your way to the market

and get a glimpse of authentic life along the canals.



Return to the center of Bangkok.

Lunch on your own and hotel accommodation in Bangkok.

Day 18: Bangkok - Departure (B)

✓ Private driver

You will have the rest of the day to relax and discover the city before transferring to Bangkok International Airport for your international departure flight.

Trip price / person	From USD 4,900 per person

The price includes:

- ✓ Private, air-conditioned transportation
- ✓ Accommodation in 5* hotels
- ✓ All air tickets for domestic and international flights: (HANÓI HUE; DA NANG HO CHI MINH CITY, HO CHI MINH CITY SIEM REAP; SIEM REAP BANGKOK) in economy class
- ✓ Meals mentioned in the program
- ✓ English-speaking guide for each stage of the tour
- ✓ All entrance fees to tourist sites
- ✓ Excursion boats as described in the program.
- ✓ An unforgettable cruise in Ha Long Bay for 02 days and 01 night
- ✓ Bottles of mineral water
- ✓ Other services mentioned in the program (cycling, water puppet show, etc.)
- ✓ All costs for all other services as clearly described in the program
- ✓ Medical and travel insurance
- ✓ Daily itinerary and assistance 24.7

The price does not include:

- Personal expenses
- International flights
- Gratuities