

HANOI SNAPSHOT

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DAYS

Tour Highlights:

- Hanoi city tour
- Halong Bay cruise

Price per person is from

Hotel Standard	Hotel Name	Price per person
3*	Ha Noi: Ha Noi Boutique, Deluxe Room – 3 nights	\$550
4*	Ha Noi: Rex Ha Noi, Executive Room – 3 nights	\$655

*Price does not apply at Chinese public holidays, local festivals and trade fairs.

*Price is based on minimum 2 people travelling.

Inclusions

- Accommodation in: Twin/Double sharing room + Breakfast
- All transfers by private air-conditioned vehicles
- Entrance tickets per the itinerary
- English speaking tour guide
- Meals as mentioned (B = Breakfast/ L = Lunch/ D = Dinner)
- Complimentary 2 bottles of drinking water per person per day

Remark: Gratuities to tour guide and driver (USD\$5 per person per day suggested).



DAY 01: Hanoi Arrival

Welcome to Hanoi! The modern capital of Vietnam, and the heart of Northern Vietnam. Our driver will pick you up at the airport and transfer to hotel for check in. Overnight in Hanoi

DAY 02: Hanoi Full day City (B/L)

Pick up at your hotel and let's start your full day city tour. Drive to Ho Chi Minh's complex, including the Mausoleum (outside view on Monday and Friday/ Fine Art Museum as alternative) of the nation's founder and leader. Here, large crowds gather to pay their respects to the man they simply call Uncle Ho as they silently file past his glass sarcophagus. The Presidential Palace and Uncle Ho's wooden stilt house can also be seen here. One of must-see places in the complex is One Pillar pagoda dating back 11th century. Looking from far distance, its shape looks like a huge lotus flower. The next stop is the Temple of Literature, the site of Vietnam's oldest university and dedicated to one of the world's most famous scholars, Confucius. Inside the temple grounds, huge steles rest on the backs of even larger stone turtles (in Vietnam's culture, the turtle represents longevity). The stele recorded the names of the successful candidates who later became mandarins in the Emperor's court. Have lunch at a local restaurant. After that, visit, Hoan Kiem Lake (Restored Sword lake) with Ngoc Son temple and Ethnology Museum (closed every Monday/ Vietnam Women's Museum as alternative). Then take the 1 hour cyclo tour around the Old quarter through its streets which are named after the guilds that used to represent such as Hang Bac (Silver Street), Hang

Gai (Silk Street), Hang Tre (Bamboo Street) etc... Return to hotel. Finish unforgettable full day Hanoi Sightseeing! Overnight in Hanoi.

DAY 03: Hanoi – Ha Long Bay – Hanoi (B/L)

Halong Cruise day trip will take you for a discovery of Halong Bay. Three different formulas to take you each for a ride amidst the magic archipelago; and depending on the length of the cruise, you'll enjoy a global overview of different wonders that this UNESCO World Heritage site has to offer. Early in the morning, you are picked up by shuttle bus and start the scenic, 3.5 hour drive to Halong Bay. Enjoy the landscape of the Red River Delta country side and have a short break on the way. You arrive at the Tuan Chau Haber, then embark your private boat followed by a short cruise briefing. Start a dreamy cruise to stunning scenery with thousands of limestone mountains and have seafood lunch while cruising through the emerald water passing by the Dog Stone, the Burning Incense islet, the symbol of Halong Bay. You will then head on to Thien Cung (Heavenly Palace Grotto), a magnificent cave. Explore their huge chambers adorned with stalactites and stalagmites of all kinds. Enjoy Kayaking or Bamboo boat around the islands and water tunnels and bask in the charm of this natural paradise. Late in afternoon, back to Tourist wharf and get on shuttle bus to Hanoi. Arrive in Hanoi.

DAY 04: Departure flight (B)

After breakfast, head you to the airport for your departure flight. Goodbye and wish you have great time in Vietnam.



DA NANG DELIGHTS

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Tour Highlights:

- Da Nang city tour
- My Son Holy Land
- Hoi An city tour

Price per person is from

Hotel Standard	Hotel Name	Price per person
4*	Hoi An: Thuy Duong III, Deluxe Room – 3 nights	\$629
4*	Hoi An: Thanh Binh Riverside, Deluxe Room – 3 nights	\$589

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Inclusions

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- All transfers by private air-conditioned vehicles
- Entrance tickets per the itinerary
- English speaking tour guide
- Meals as mentioned (B = Breakfast/ L = Lunch/ D = Dinner)
- Complimentary 2 bottles of drinking water per person per day

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DAY 01: Arrive at Da Nang – Half day City Da Nang – Hoi An (B/L)

Fly to Da Nang City. Upon arrival, we visit the Cham Sculpture Museum, which boasts the finest collection of Cham sandstone sculptures in the world and Marble Mountain, a cluster of five marble and limestone mountains which are named after the five elements and is a popular sightseeing location in Da Nang because of its alluring beauty. Continue to Hoi An, the most charming town in Vietnam. Overnight in Hoi An.

DAY 02: Hoi An – Explore Golden Bridge – Hoi An (B/L)

Transfer to Ba Na Hill for a panorama view of Ba Na cable car system in the central city of Da Nang was awarded Guinness records for the longest and highest non-stop cable car system with the biggest height gap between its departures. Arrive at the cable car station. Sitting in the cabin, in mid-air, looking upon the endless tree lone of the forest. Experiencing the pristine ecological system of the Ba Na Mountain will leave you a sense of unforeseeable discovery. Continue to enjoy funicular to Visit the Le Jardin, old wineries - remains of French Villas and Linh Ung pagoda with 27m high Buddha statue. Leave Le Jardin for Gare Debay, the second cable car station, to go to the top of Ba Na. Have lunch Vietnamese buffet at Restaurant. Visit and play game at the Fantasy Park- Ba Na Hills Fantasy Park- the third largest indoor amusement park

in the world (only some free games depending on Ba Na policy). Challenge the most popular adventure ride – Slide of Tube Car (free ride). You could enjoy watch carnival Performance Show, Square Du Dome, etc. Note: The schedule of performance can be changed because of weather. Return the Cable Car for leaving Ba Na Hills. Return to your hotel in Hoi An. Overnight in Hoi An.

Day 03: My Son Holy Land - Hoi An Half Day City (B/L)

Pick up at hotel and then we would drive towards the southwest to pamper in religious centre of My Son Sanctuary - The UNESCO – listed site was constructed between the 7th and the 13th centuries, with dozens of red brick towers and sanctuaries scattered through a scenic valley. This was the heart of the Champa kingdom, and many of the landmarks recall the Cham people's Hindu beliefs. After lunch with Vietnamese dishes, you continuously visit Hoi An Ancient Town- an exceptionally well-preserved example of a South-East Asian trading port dating from the 15th to the 19th century. Its buildings and its street plan reflect the influences, both indigenous and foreign, that have combined to produce this unique heritage site. Overnight in Hoi An.

DAY 04: Da Nang Departure (B)

Transfer to the airport for your flight back to your home.

HO CHI MINH CITY SNAPSHOT

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DAYS

Tour Highlights:

- Cu Chi Tunnel
- Mekong Delta
- Ho Chi Minh city tour

Price per person is from

Hotel Standard	Hotel Name	Price per person
3*	Ho Chi Minh: Sun Flower, Deluxe Room – 3 nights	\$769
4*	Ho Chi Minh: Liberty Central Saigon Central, Deluxe Room – 3 nights	\$929

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Inclusions

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DAY 01: Arrive at Ho Chi Minh City – Half day city (B/L)

Our tour guide and driver will wait for you at the airport. Upon arrival, have lunch at local restaurant. After lunch, take a brief on the day and notifications. Have a walk to Notre Dame, the Post Office and along the Catinat to Opera House, Hotel de Ville, famed Rex and other historically colonial site of Ho Chi Minh City. Arrive to the front of Reunification Palace (outside only) where the tank of North Vietnam has crashed into the gate and end the war in Vietnam. Visit the colourful Mariamman Hindu Temple. On the way we can stop by a local coffee shop and get a cup of “Cà Phê Sữa Đá” – Vietnamese ice coffee with sweet condensed milk. Tempt the taste buds at Nhu Lan Baker shop for special Vietnamese baguette. Last stop is Ben Thanh Market, one of the busiest local markets that you should visit to enjoy famous Vietnamese foods and shopping for lovely souvenirs. You will definitely be amazed by plenty of colourful kiosks where they sell foods, gifts, clothes and thousands of other items here. End the walking tour by a taxi back to hotel. Overnight in Ho Chi Minh City.

DAY 02: Full day Cu Chi – Cao Dai Temple – Ho Chi Minh City (B/L)

Our Driver and tour guide pick you up then start from Ho Chi Minh City to Cao Dai Temple in Tay Ninh - a province 95 kms South East of HCMC, close to Cambodia border. Its exterior is decorated with multi-coloured dragons of all shapes and sizes. Above the main entrance is the all-seeing holy eye, the symbol of the Cao Dai sect. The interior is just as engaging as statues of Jesus Christ, Buddha and the Hindu god, Brahma, stand side by side. Cao Dai Temple is the eclectic mix of colours and the amazing use of architecture create a space of beauty, spirituality with a somewhat surreal flavour to western palates! Next transferring to Ben

Dinh Tunnels (one of the branches of the 200km underground tunnels system in Cu Chi Tunnel). Exploring the tunnels: You will be guided to the tunnels system including the weapon factory, hospitals, kitchens and crawl under the tunnels. After that you'll have the chance to try delicious manioc which is the main food for guerrillas in Cu Chi during the war. Overnight in Ho Chi Minh City.

DAY 03: Full day to Mekong Delta – Ho Chi Minh City (B/L)

Leave Ho Chi Minh City behind as you drive about 2.5 hours to the Mekong Delta town of Cai Be, one of the less travelled parts at the centre of the agricultural basket. Hop aboard a small boat to take a trip around the Cai Be colourful floating market cruising among local barges full of fruits and vegetables. Though it is not nearly as busy and crowded as day's past, you might still spot locals tossing watermelons or pineapple between their boats! The rowing boat will take you deeper into the countryside on smaller canals of the Delta surrounded by thousands of coconut palms to enjoy the peaceful time. Lunch at the local house, after meals we can walk around and then we will enjoy some kinds of fruits when listening to the traditional music. One more thing to do in this trip is biking! It will be so amazing to bike on village paths to see traditional houses made of wood as well as palm tree leaves and see some activities of the local farmers with an opportunity to make contacts with them and know how to make rice paper, coconut candy and pop-rice, pop-corn.... Visit the brick kilns where you can see how the local people create beautiful potteries from clay. Hop back on board the boat to explore more of the waterways before returning. Overnight in Ho Chi Minh City.

DAY 04: Ho Chi Minh City Departure (B)

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HO CHI MINH CITY DELIGHTS

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- Cai Be floating market
- Mekong Delta

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Hotel Standard	Hotel Name	Price per person
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DAY 03: Ho Chi Minh City – Cai Be Vinh Long (B/L/D)

Our Driver and tour guide will pick you up and proceed to Cai Be Harbour. The program will start with a visit of Cai Be floating market. Then, we'll come to Tân Phong Island for biking / walking on village paths to see the local daily life: orchard, school, church, pagoda, traditional houses and maybe the ancestral ways to pick up fruits in Mekong Delta... On the way, we can make some stops to see how they make rice-net for spring-rolls, sewing coconut-leaves for cottage roof and specially see how they wave the dried water-hyacinth to make many products: baskets, bags, hats, wallets, shoes... Then, the rowboat will take you deeper into the countryside on smaller canals to enjoy the peaceful time. Lunch can be served at Ba Kiet. Back to our boat to go across one of the longest rivers in the world, Mekong River, to come to An Binh Island. Travel on Muong Lo handmade canal to check in at Út Trinh / Út Quỳnh / Út Binh homestay. Have a fresh shower before cooking some special dishes with the members of local family. We'll enjoy dinner & overnight at homestay. Overnight in homestay in Vinh Long.

DAY 04: Vinh Long– Ho Chi Minh City (B/L)

Have a breakfast and check-out for a walk along the village to enjoy the fresh air in the morning & arrive at the local workshop to see how to make rice paper, coconut candy, pop-rice... Enjoy some sweets with a cup of hot tea. Boat trip to visit the brick kilns where you can see how the local people create beautiful potteries from clay. Our boat will go along the floating village. We will see how to farm catfish on Mekong River. Also, we can visit Vinhlong market in the town. This is the best choice for you to take pictures of fish, shrimps, prawns, crabs, snakes, rice-field rats, tropical fruits, vegetables... The cruise will end at Vinh Long harbour. Overnight in Ho Chi Minh City.

DAY 05: Ho Chi Minh City Departure (B)

Transfer to the airport for your flight back to your home.

