

Offered Date: Mar 2023

Offered by: Asia Platform Travel

No of pax: 1-15 pax

Valid: 31 Dec 2023 (except Peak Season)

Thank you very much for your kind support. We are pleased to specially offer your group as below in details. Happy selling and cheers!

# **TOUR NAME: VIETNAM HIGHLIGHT TOUR**

Duration: 7 days, 6 nights







#### Day 1: Arrival Hanoi Vietnam

Our English speaking guide will meet and welcome you at Noi Bai international airport. Transfer you to Hanoi downtown for check in. Late afternoon, drive to central Hanoi for an hour cyclo tour through the Old Quarter to enjoy the bustling local life. This bustling area of narrow streets and alleys is home to literally thousands of small businesses and shopkeepers. It's a great place to explore with plenty of photo opportunities all around you. Enjoy the water Puppet Show – routed from 11th century. Stay overnight at a hotel in Hanoi.

## Day 2: Tam Coc full day tour (B)

Trip starts at 8:00am from your hotel lobby in Ninh Binh province, which has Hoa Lu and Tam Coc as the most favorite sightseeing destinations of tourists from all over the world. About 10:30am, you will arrive at Hoa Lu Ancient Capital. In 968, Dinh Bo Linh declared himself as the King. Since the n Hoa Lu existed as the capital for the next 41 years (968 – 1009), of which 12 years was under the Dinh dynasty – King Dinh Tien Hoang, the country named Dai Co Viet, and 29 years later was under the Le dynasty – King Le Dai Hanh. In 1010, King Ly Thai To moved the capital from Hoa Lu to Thang Long – present day Hanoi. Hoa Lu became the old citadel. In Hoa Lu there are now 2 temples that have been built on the ground of the old royal palace, one is dedicated to King Dinh Tien Hoang, the other is to King Le Dai Hanh. The visit offers a chance to know more about part of feudal dynasties and historical periods in Vietnamese history.



01:30pm, 5 minute-walk to the boat station and start the 2 hour-boat trip to visit Tam Coc. Known as "Halong Bay on land", Tam Coc are three limestone caves stretching along Ngo Dong river. The boat trip is a nice journey along the river with peaceful scenery of Limestone Mountains, rice paddy and the site of some temples along the way from Hang Ca (first cave) to Hang Hai (second cave) and Hang Ba (third cave).

04:00pm leave Tam Coc and drive back to Hanoi. I Arrived in Hanoi at 6:00pm.

# Day 3: Hanoi – Halong. Stay overnight on board (B,L,D)

## Note: Hanoi - Halong Bay - Hanoi by Cruise's shuttle bus

Your morning departure from your hotel in Hanoi to Halong Bay takes you on a journey through the rich farmlands of the Red River Delta. Observe everyday life of Vietnamese Villages as you see the villagers work the local rice fields, take live pigs to market on bicycles and plow the fields with their large water buffaloes. Arrive in Halong and board a traditional sailing junk. As the vessel sets sail, you will be greeted by the Crew Team who will aim throughout your stay at providing you with the highest standards of service for a pure pleasure and utmost comfort onboard. Discover some of the treasures disseminated across the Bay of the Descending Dragon during the afternoon: fascinating caves, pristine beaches, picturesque floating villages, fantastic rock formations rising up out of emerald water. While onboard, you can take advantage at leisure of the cruise services; surrounded by a stunning setting in motion, you could attend our chef's cooking demonstration and try your skills in the art of traditional Vietnamese cooking.

Defined to be one of the highlights of your stay, a highly refined, innovative and varied cuisine will be presented for Lunch and Dinner in the elegant dining-room, accompanied by a wide selection of wines and beverages (with extra charge applied) for drink).

In the evening enjoy the entertainment activities such as movie night, squid fishing or just enjoying a cocktail surrounded by limestone rocks majestically springing out from silent waters in the night. Stay overnight on a cruise in Halong.

### Day 4: Halong – Hanoi airport - Ho Chi Minh City (B)

Early birds can attend a Tai Chi demonstration on the sundeck at the break of dawn. Start the day enjoying some delights with a light breakfast and follow by a colorful brunch. Continue exploring Halong Bay sailing across its 2000 islets and visiting some of its major highlights. After the tour, transfer to Noi Bai airport for flight to Saigon in the late afternoon. Stay overnight at a hotel in Saigon.

### Day 5: Cu Chi tunnels – Saigon city tour (B)

08:30: guide and vehicle pick up clients from hotel lobby and enjoy the visit.

The Cu Chi Tunnels are an immense network of interconnected tunnels near Saigon that are part of a much larger network lying below much of the country. A guided visit to these tunnels provides a better understanding of their history, the hardship of life underground and the resilience of the Vietnamese during combat. The tunnels were built and used initially by the Viet Cong guerrillas as hiding spots to protect them from the French air and ground sweeps. They later served as communication routes, storage facilities, hospitals and living quarters for the guerrilla fighters throughout the Vietnam-American war. You're invited to enter a section of the tunnels to witness the secrets of the tunnels



firsthand. Your guide will also show you various mantraps employed from this period, the remains of an American tank and numerous B52 bomb craters.

There is also the opportunity to fire an M60, M16 or AK47 rifle at the range next to the tunnel complex. After returning to Saigon, learn about the city's historic landmarks as you tour the city with your guide. Visit the former Presidential Palace, headquarters to the Saigon Government during the Vietnam-American war. You may also like to visit the War Remnants Museum for a vivid insight into the Vietnam-American war from a Vietnamese perspective. Next stop is the Notre Dame Cathedral, a red brick building with twin spires based on the original construction from Paris , then head across the square to the Central Post Office designed by the French architect Gustav Eiffel. Stay overnight in Ho Chi Minh city

## Day 6: Mekong full day tour (B)

Today takes you to My Tho, the capital of Tien Giang Province. Situated on the Mekong River, 75 kilometers southeast t of Ho Chi Minh City, the city is surrounded by orchards and rice fields, which produce grain for the entire country. Visit one or two of the islands that produce traditional handcrafts, coconut candy and bee farms. Visit the Vinh Trang Pagoda, the oldest one in the delta on your boat trip on the Mekong River. Return to Ho Chi Minh City. Check in at a hotel & stay overnight in Ho Chi Minh City.

#### Day 7: Departure (B)

Free at leisure until your private vehicle & guide will meet you at the hotel and transfer you to Tan Son Nhat airport for departure flight.

### Have a nice trip!

# PRICE BASED ON US\$ PER PERSON

Level	1 pax	2 - 3 pax	4 - 5 pax	6 - 9 pax	From 10	Single Sup
3 star	1088	568	455	405	377	249
4 star	1179	616	503	453	426	298
5 star	1436	743	630	580	555	425

Vietnam E Visa for Indian passport is USD 50 per person TIP for driver & guide is USD 3/pax/day Surcharge for Indian food:

Lunch at 13\$/person/meal

Dinner at USD 20 per person per meal with transfer



# Airfare of Hanoi – Ho Chi Minh city (subject to change) Economy fare is from USD 145 per person

# **HOTEL CATEGORY:**

The hotels can be changed based on availability when booking confirmed

Hotel	City	Level	Room Type	Website	
The Hanoian hotel	Hanoi	3*	Superior	http://www.thehanoianhotel.com/	
Majestic cruise	Halong	3*	Duluxe	http://halongmajesticcruise.com	
Sanouva Boutique hotel	нсмс	3*	Deluxe	https://www.sanouvahotel.com/	
Rex Hanoi hotel	Hanoi	4*	Deluxe	http://www.rexhanoihotel.com/	
Syrena cruise	Halong	4*	Deluxe	https://www.syrenacruises.com/	
Harmony Boutique hotel	нсмс	4*	Deluxe	http://www.harmonysaigonhotel.com	
Peridot Grand hotel	Hanoi	5*	Premier	https://peridotgrandhotel.com/	
Athena Cruise	Halong	5*	Deluxe	https://athenahalonggroup.com/	
Grand Saigon hotel	нсмс	5*	Deluxe	https://www.hotelgrandsaigon.com/	

### **REMARK:**

- Price based on twin/triple sharing room per person
- Prices quoted in USD and subject to change without prior notice.
- Please be informed that the quotation does not imply or constitute availability.
- In case if the hotel listed is unavailable, other similar class hotels shall be provided.
- Compulsory Gala Dinner will be applied during Christmas Eve and New Year Eve



- Airfare is same for children from 2 year-old and adult
- FOC is for land tours only and it is based on twin sharing. No FOC for airfare
- TIP is Compulsory for driver & guide is USD 3/pax/day

### **PRICE INCLUDES:**

- Transportation with air-conditioned as program
- Tour arrival and departure airport transfers
- Accommodation based on a twin-share basis with daily
- breakfast (check-in time: 14:00/Check-out time: 12:00)
- English Speaking Guide as per mentioned above
- All Entrance fee
- Meals as mentioned in program
- Cold towel and mineral water 2 bottles per person per day

### **PRICE EXCLUDES:**

- PCR Covid test or Rapid test before arrival
- Cambodia <a href="https://www.evisa.gov.kh/">https://www.evisa.gov.kh/</a>
- International airfare in & out Vietnam, Train Hanoi-Lao Cai
- Beverages and other meals do not indicate in the program
- Early check-in and late check-out at all hotels
- All visa stamp: Vietnam visa stamp is USD 25/pax & Cambodia is USD 35/pax
- Travel insurance in all kinds
- Personal expenses (laundry, telephone, shopping...)
- Tipping/ Gratuities (About 3-5 US\$/Person/Day)
- Any additional expenses caused by reasons beyond our control such as natural calamities (typhoons, floods), f
- light delays, rescheduling or cancellations, any accidents, medical evacuations, riots, strikes etc.
- Surcharge for peak season: New Year (01 05 Jan), Lunar New Year (23 28 Jan),
  Nation Day (30 Apr 01 May), Independence Day (02 Sep) Christmas (20 31 Dec)

### **CHILD POLICY:**

• Child under 10 years old sharing with 01 adult: 90% of adult fare



- Child under 10 years old sharing with 02 adults with extra bed: 75% of adult fare
- Child under 10 years old sharing with 02 adults without extra bed: 50% of adult fare
- Child under 02 years old sharing with 02 adults without bed: FOC

# **CANCELLATION POLICY (APPLIED FOR FIT BOOKINGS ONLY, NOT IN PEAK SEASON):**

- All cancellation must be made in writing
- Any cancellation at 30 Days prior to arrival date: No charge
- Any cancellation between 29Days 15 Days prior to arrival date: 75% of tour fare charge
- Any cancellation less than 14s Days: 100% of tour fare charge

## **EVISA:**

# All countries can do E Visa easily as below links:

• Vietnam: <a href="https://evisa.xuatnhapcanh.gov.vn">https://evisa.xuatnhapcanh.gov.vn</a>

• Cambodia: <a href="https://www.evisa.gov.kh">https://www.evisa.gov.kh</a>

• Laos: <a href="https://www.evisaasia.com/laos-visa">https://www.evisaasia.com/laos-visa</a>

Myanmar: <a href="https://evisa.moip.gov.mm/">https://evisa.moip.gov.mm/</a>

## **ARRIVAL VISA APPLICATION REQUIREMENT:**

- A completed visa application form (upon arrival)
- A Passport with at least 6 months' validity
- Two recent photograph (4x6 cm)
- Important: In order to be admitted into the country, tourists may need to demonstrate that they have sufficient funds for their stay and a return ticket.