

COLORS OF VIETNAM

12 DAYS / 11 NIGHTS

PRIVATE TOUR



Our tour to Vietnam will take you to places you'll surely never forget! The north with its breathtaking scenery of Halong Bay will leave you speechless. Hue, in the centre, with its Perfume River, and Ho Chi Minh with its Mekong Delta, historical landmarks and the famous Cuchi tunnels will definitely make this the most memorable of all your travels

ITINERARY

DAY 1 HANOI

Arrive in Hanoi, city of lakes, shaded boulevards and public parks. Transfer to your hotel.

DAY 2 HANOI Today, your visit will include Hoan Kiem Lake in the city center and the Temple of Literature dedicated to Confucius. After lunch, visit a museum. In the evening enjoy a welcome dinner. (B/L/D)

DAY 3 HANOI · HALONG

Depart for Halong Bay. After check-in on your “junk” boat (without guide). Start cruising around thousands of islands emerging from the Gulf of Tonkin. Explore Dinh Huong and Ga Choi islands and Songsot cave (or similar). Lunch, dinner and overnight on board. (B/L/D)



DAY 4 HALONG · HANOI · HUE (flight)

Continue cruising in the morning before your departure by road to Hanoi airport for your flight to Hue. Arrive and transfer to your hotel. (B)

DAY 5 HUE

Visit the Old Imperial City modeled after the Forbidden City of Beijing, the Thai Hoa Palace, and the Halls of the Mandarins. Enjoy a leisurely boat ride on the Perfume River and visit the Thien Mu Pagoda. Continue cruising to the Imperial Tomb of Minh Mang, a majestic complex of courtyards, pavilions and temples. (B/L)



DAY 6 HUE · DANANG · HOI AN

Take the scenic route to Hoi An with spectacular landscapes and mountains. Stop in Danang and visit the Cham Museum. Pass by China Beach and the Marble Mountains before arriving in Hoi An. (B/L)

DAY 7 HOI AN

Enjoy a walking tour through the cobbled streets to see the central market and the harbor. Visit a private house and its traditional setting. Continue to the Japanese Covered Bridge, built by the Japanese community to link the town with the Chinese quarters across the stream. (B/L)

DAY 8 HOI AN · DANANG · HO CHI MINH) (flight)

Transfer to Danang airport for your flight to Ho Chi Minh. Arrive and transfer to your hotel. (B/L)

DAY 9 HO CHI MINH · MEKONG DELTA · HO CHI MINH

Immerse yourself fully in the local culture of the Mekong Delta with a day out to rustic Ben Tre. A journey of about two and a half hours will bring you to a peaceful area of lush orchards, green rice paddies and coconut fields. Hop on a bike for a ride along the shady paths to visit the home of local antique collector, Uncle Six. Continue your two-wheeled exploration along rural pathways that wind their way alongside dense vegetation and small tributaries of the Mekong. Board a rowing boat and cruise along the small canals under the shade of the coconut trees. Then change your mode of transport to a motorised boat. After a delicious lunch of local specialties cooked by the host, visit some local workshops to see how rice paper and sticky coconut sweets are made. (B/L)

DAY 10 HO CHI MINH

Begin your tour with the historic city center. Pass by City Hall and the old Opera House (outside views only). Visit the Central Post Office. Afterwards, dive into modern history with a tour of the Reunification Palace, formerly the Independence Palace of the South Vietnamese president. Continue to the harrowing War Remnants Museum. After lunch, head out to Cholon (China town) and visit the Jade Emperor Pagoda and the Giac Lam Pagoda. Visit the Binh Tay Market and the Ben Thanh Market. (B/L)



DAY 11 HO CHI MINH · CUCHI · HO CHI MINH

Depart for Cuchi. Visit the Cu Chi tunnels used during the Vietnam War, with 200km of underground galleries, an arms factory, living quarters, rural hospitals, and kitchens and command centers. Return to Ho Chi Minh and enjoy a walking tour of Old Saigon. (B/L)

DAY 12 HO CHI MINH · DEPART

Your journey comes to an end. Transfer to the airport for your flights home. (B)

This tour is guaranteed with minimum 2 passengers. A private vehicle with driver and private local guides will be provided during sightseeing

INCLUSIONS

- Domestic flights: Hanoi-Hue, Danang-Ho Chi Minh
- Return airport transfers by private vehicle
- English speaking local guides, Private
- 11 night accommodation in double occupancy
- 22 meals : 11 breakfasts, 9 lunches, 2 dinners
- Visits and excursions as per itinerary with private car or minivan during sightseeing

Not included · International airfare and airport taxes · Gratuities to hotel personnel, guides and drivers · Beverages · Optional excursions · Visa for Vietnam approx \$120

Rates are in CAD\$, per person, double occupancy, starting from:	Land Package	
	First Class	Superior
Daily departures 2021		
January 10 – November 30	3099	3499
Single room supplement (minimum 2 passengers required on tour)	950	1190

HOTEL OPTIONS OR SIMILAR

CITY	FIRST CLASS	SUPERIOR
Hanoi	Rex Hotel 4*	Hotel du Park Hanoi 4*+
Cruise	Bhaya Premium (3-7 cabins) Classic 4*	Prince Junk 2 (4 cabins) Cruise *
Hue	Mondial Hue Hotel 4*	Emm Hotel Hue 4*
Hoi An	Emm Hotel Hoi An 4*	LaSenta Boutique Hotel 4+*
Ho Chi Minh	Harmony Saigon Hotel 4*	Grand Hotel Saigon 5*

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