

# 15 Day Luxury Vietnam & Cambodia Tour

## Asia Vacation Group – Authentic Asia!

Local knowledge, adventures of a lifetime.

Discover Asia with our team of experts, and a carefully selected, value-packed exploration of Asia's most iconic destinations. Our tours offer must-visit sights, rich experiences and quality inclusions all at an unbeatable prices. Your bucket list dreams are ticked off on these all-encompassing vacations.

Travel with the confidence. Your trip has been carefully crafted by our team with you in mind and it's that same team that takes you on the journey. One amazing team to help and guide you, not only as your local travel expert but also as a friend with helpfulness and sincerity.

Specialists in Asia touring since 2015, we are proud to be the people who craft your itinerary, help you at each step, plus guide and operate your tour.

<b>Small Group Tour</b>	<b>Returned Flight Included</b>	<b>Fully Escorted by English-speaking guide</b>
<b>Trust Tour Operator - Australian Company owned</b>		

## Day by Day Itinerary

Hanoi, Halong Bay, Hoi An, Saigon, Siem Reap

## HIGHLIGHTS

- **Return Flights included**
- Explore the tranquil capital city of Hanoi.
- Overnight on a luxury cruise in Halong Bay, a UNESCO Heritage Site.
- Walk around the charming and ancient alleys of Hoi An Old Town.
- Enjoy a lovely dinner on a Saigon River Cruise.
- Stand astounded by the UNESCO World Heritage Angkor Wat in Siem Reap.

## ITINERARY

### Day 1: Hanoi

Depart for Hanoi. On arrival, you will be greeted and transferred to your hotel for check-in.

**Meals:** In-flight meals.

**Accommodation:** Silk Path Hotel Hanoi 4\* or similar.

### Day 2: Hanoi - Halong Bay -

Today, you will take a 3.5-hour transfer by bus from Hanoi to **Halong Bay**, “a spectacular seascape sculpted by nature” by UNESCO due to its breathtaking caves and limestone pillars sitting on the water. Upon arrival, you will board a ship to explore the stunning scenery with a myriad of mysterious caves of all shapes and sizes.

**Meals:** Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner.

**Accommodation:** Starlight Cruise 4\*

### Day 3: Halong Bay - Hanoi

Awake early and join a Tai Chi session on the top deck or simply relax and enjoy the sunrise over the bay's towering islands. Enjoy a morning cup of coffee or tea before exploring nearby islands by rowboat. Return to the junk and admire the amazing rock formations of Halong Bay from the sundeck. Your driver will meet you at Halong jetty then we drive back to Hanoi.

**Meals:** Brunch.

**Accommodation:** Silk Path Hotel Hanoi 4\* or similar.

#### Day 4: Hanoi - Da Nang - Hoi An

This morning, you will take a half day Hanoi City Tour to **Ho Chi Minh Mausoleum** (photo spot only, a monumental edifice built to commemorate the Vietnamese Revolutionary leader), **One Pillar Pagoda** (one of Vietnam's two most iconic temples), **Temple of Literature** (known as the first university of Vietnam) and **Tran Quoc Pagoda** (one of the oldest pagodas in Vietnam).

Afterwards, get ready for a flight to Da Nang. Upon arrival, you will be transferred to the ancient Hoi An town, a UNESCO World Heritage Site.

**Meals:** Breakfast

**Accommodation:** Melberry Collection Silk Village 4\* or similar.

#### Day 5: Hoi An - Golden Bridge Tour

After breakfast, our tour guide and driver will take you to visit **Golden Bridge** on Ba Na Mountain. You will travel by cable car up to the Marseille station. Get out and take a short walk to the Golden Bridge – a break point of the trip – to feel like walking among the clouds. Just newly opened to the public in early June 2018 the bridge which was built in the midst of the forest stands out in yellow. Noteworthy, this unique architecture with the bridge image supported by grey hands, creates a beautiful scenery surprised. Time for taking photos and enjoying the easy breeze, breathtaking view and afterwards, we'll walk further to a romantic flower garden – **Le Jardin D'Amour**. The 9 gardens are 9 interesting stories in 9 unique architectural styles. These create a poetic and colourful space. Next, walk to visit **Linh Ung Pagoda** to admire its sophisticated architecture together with a 27m high Shakyamuni statue which brings us peaceful feeling as visiting this place. Finally, we will catch the cable car downhill and then transfer back to Hoi An. You are free at leisure to explore Hoi An ancient town as you wish.

**Meals:** Breakfast.

**Accommodation:** Melberry Collection Silk Village 4 \* or similar.

#### Day 6: Hoi An

Today you are free at leisure to explore Hoi An, a World Heritage Site.

**Meals:** Breakfast.

**Accommodation:** Melberry Collection Silk Village 4\* or similar.

#### Day 7: Hoi An - Da Nang - Ho Chi Minh City

Prepare for a flight to Saigon today. On arrival, check in your hotel and enjoy the night at your leisure.

**Meals:** Breakfast.

**Accommodation:** Eastin Grand Saigon Hotel 5\* or similar.

#### Day 8: Ho Chi Minh City - Mekong River Cruise Tour

Today you will travel to the **Mekong Delta River** to explore the unique lifestyle of inhabitants living along the Mekong Delta. Embark on a cruise visiting the regional coconut forest and a home of Vietnamese farmers, handicrafts and culture along the Mekong Delta. Enjoy lunch at a local restaurant on **Turtle Island**. Visit fruit and bonsai gardens, a coconut candy workshop and a rice paper mill. Bike ride or travel by horse carriage along the village road and enjoy local delicacies and tropical fruits. You'll also visit **Vinh Trang pagoda**, one of the most beautiful ancient pagodas in Mekong Delta before heading back to Ho Chi Minh City this afternoon. This evening is at leisure.

**Meals:** Breakfast, Lunch.

**Accommodation:** Eastin Grand Saigon Hotel 5\* or similar.

#### Day 9: Ho Chi Minh City - Cu Chi Tunnels - Dinner Cruise

After breakfast, head to **Cu Chi Tunnels**, a byzantine maze of underground passages, chambers and booby traps used by both the Viet Minh and the Viet Cong during Vietnam-US war. The tunnel system had become legendary during the 1960s as a strategic military base and underground community life.

**Meals:** Breakfast, Lunch.

**Accommodation:** Eastin Grand Saigon Hotel 5\* or similar.

#### Day 10: Ho Chi Minh City Tour - Siem Reap

This morning, enjoy breakfast at the hotel and some free time. Check out your hotel and then hop on the city tour around Saigon with highlights such as **Notre Dame Cathedral**, **Post Office** (photo spot only), **War Remnant Museum** and soaking up the atmosphere at **Ben Thanh market**, one of Ho Chi Minh's liveliest areas. You may want

some souvenirs before leaving.

In the afternoon, board a flight to Siem Reap, Cambodia. On arrival, check in your hotel and take a rest.

**Meals:** Breakfast.

**Accommodation:** Angkor Paradise Hotel 5\* or similar.

#### **Day 11: Siem Reap - Angkor Temples Complex**

After breakfast, you spend a full day discovering the mystical Angkor temples. Your day starts with a visit to Angkor Wat, then we will visit the ancient Ta Prohm Monastery.

In the afternoon, visit Angkor Thom (the Great City) beginning by the south gate and the famous Bayon of the 12th and 13th centuries. Then, journey to the Elephant Terrace and the raised Leper King Terrace, built in the 12th century and which features many beautifully sculptured Apsaras.

**Meals:** Breakfast, Lunch.

**Accommodation:** Angkor Paradise Hotel 5\* or similar.

#### **Day 12: Siem Reap**

Today, you are free time at leisure to explore the mystery of Siem Reap or swim at hotel.

**Meals:** Breakfast.

**Accommodation:** Angkor Paradise Hotel 5\* or similar.

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**Meals:** Breakfast.

**Accommodation:** Angkor Paradise Hotel 5\* or similar.

#### **Day 14: Siem Reap - Home**

Today you are free time at leisure until we transfer to the airport for the flight back home.

**Meals:** Breakfast.

**Accommodation:** On plane.

#### **Day 15: Home**

Arrive home today and we hope you enjoy your trip with Asia Vacation Group.

## **INCLUSIONS**

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- International and domestic flights.
- Accommodation and meals in the itinerary.
- All local boat rentals and cycling as mentioned in the program.
- All entrance fees and sightseeing as mentioned in the program.
- Water bottles during tours.
- Transportation by air-conditioning vehicles.
- Local English-speaking tour guides.

## **EXCLUSIONS**

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- Meals and drinks are not mentioned in the program
- Visa fees in Vietnam and Cambodia
- Tipping for driver and tour guide & personal expenses
- Travel insurance
- Trip delay or interruption by airline schedule change
- Extra cost or missing tour caused by flight delay or cancel
- Any service not clearly mentioned in the program

## DEPARTURE DATES: PRICE IS QUOTED IN AU\$ PER PERSON

DEPART AU	RETURN DATE	PRICE	NOTE	RESERVE YOUR SEAT
<b>Wednesday</b> 17 Apr 2024	<b>Wednesday</b> 01 May 2024	AU\$4,399		<a href="#">Book</a>
<b>Wednesday</b> 08 May 2024	<b>Wednesday</b> 22 May 2024	AU\$3,999		<a href="#">Book</a>
<b>Wednesday</b> 15 May 2024	<b>Wednesday</b> 29 May 2024	AU\$3,999		<a href="#">Book</a>
<b>Wednesday</b> 22 May 2024	<b>Wednesday</b> 05 Jun 2024	AU\$3,999		<a href="#">Book</a>
<b>Wednesday</b> 05 Jun 2024	<b>Wednesday</b> 19 Jun 2024	AU\$3,999		<a href="#">Book</a>
<b>Wednesday</b> 12 Jun 2024	<b>Wednesday</b> 26 Jun 2024	AU\$3,999		<a href="#">Book</a>
<b>Wednesday</b> 19 Jun 2024	<b>Wednesday</b> 03 Jul 2024	AU\$3,999		<a href="#">Book</a>
<b>Wednesday</b> 03 Jul 2024	<b>Wednesday</b> 17 Jul 2024	AU\$4,399		<a href="#">Book</a>
<b>Wednesday</b> 17 Jul 2024	<b>Wednesday</b> 31 Jul 2024	AU\$4,399		<a href="#">Book</a>
<b>Wednesday</b> 31 Jul 2024	<b>Wednesday</b> 14 Aug 2024	AU\$4,399		<a href="#">Book</a>
<b>Wednesday</b> 07 Aug 2024	<b>Wednesday</b> 21 Aug 2024	AU\$3,999		<a href="#">Book</a>
<b>Wednesday</b> 21 Aug 2024	<b>Wednesday</b> 04 Sep 2024	AU\$3,999		<a href="#">Book</a>
<b>Wednesday</b> 11 Sep 2024	<b>Wednesday</b> 25 Sep 2024	AU\$3,999		<a href="#">Book</a>
<b>Wednesday</b> 18 Sep 2024	<b>Wednesday</b> 02 Oct 2024	AU\$4,399		<a href="#">Book</a>
<b>Wednesday</b> 02 Oct 2024	<b>Wednesday</b> 16 Oct 2024	AU\$4,399		<a href="#">Book</a>
<b>Wednesday</b> 09 Oct 2024	<b>Wednesday</b> 23 Oct 2024	AU\$3,999		<a href="#">Book</a>
<b>Wednesday</b> 16 Oct 2024	<b>Wednesday</b> 30 Oct 2024	AU\$3,999		<a href="#">Book</a>

## OPTIONAL TOURS



**Half-Day Guided Tour  
Australian Beef with Wine  
Tasting & Rickshaw in**  
**AU\$120**



**My Son Sanctuary and  
Thanh Ha Village Tour**  
**AU\$93**



**Dinner on Saigon River  
Cruise**  
**AU\$135**

## FINE PRINT

### FLIGHT INFORMATION

#### Airline

- In this packages, we will use some different airlines such as: Vietnam Airlines, Vietjet Air or similar airlines (20kg for checked baggage per passenger and 7kg hand luggage per passenger, 01-piece check-in baggage).
- Customers must send us the electrical copy of passport by scanning or taking the first page of your passport. By this way, we could secure the accuracy of your personal information to make proper reservation for you.
- The airfare is non-refundable at all times.

#### Flights

- Flight itineraries will be provided only 30 days prior to departure. If you book our tour packages within 30 days, your flight itinerary will be provided within 7 days.
- Airline schedule may change or cancel before the itinerary and it is beyond our control. We will try utmost to assist our customers, however, the customers are also responsible for reviewing your flight schedule prior to the departure. Moreover, you can contact your Travel Insurance provider to check whether you are covered by your policy.

**Arriving early/Extending your trip:** From **AU\$200** per person is applied for trip extension or early arrivals (subject to availability and applicable fare difference). If you wish to extend your trip, please note in your Booking Form then we will provide quotations for you. The fee above is just administrative only, no service included.

### IMPORTANT INFORMATION

#### Tipping

A friendly reminder that tipping is not included in your package. Please be advised that tipping for tour guides, drivers and bellmen are required and will be collected by your travel consultant 7 days before you depart. A gratuity of **10AUD per person/day** can make a big difference to locals employed in the tourism industry as they have done an impeccable job to serve you through your holiday.

#### Accommodation

The accommodation listed is subject to change. Any changes will be of an equal or higher standard. Bedding configurations (double or twin) are requests only. All efforts will be made to meet your preferences however any changes are beyond our control.

#### Single Supplement

Single supplement is **\$1,050** per person in addition to the twin share price.

#### Paired Solo Traveller

Not available.

#### Group size: 2-15 pax

#### Triple Share

Upon your request except for cruises

#### Travel Insurance

Travel insurance is required to protect yourself against the unexpected.

We have partnered with Nib Travel Insurance to offer you competitive rates for your travel insurance. You can book comprehensive or budget cover simply to arrange your policy.

#### **Visa & Passport information**

It is the traveler's responsibility to ensure they have a valid passport. The passport must be valid for a minimum of six months from the intended date of return and must have more than 2 blank pages.

Australian passport holder is required to have a visa for travel to Vietnam. The visa is easiest to complete with Asia Vacation group and just need to pay **AUD160** for Vietnam visa single entry.

Once approved, please ensure that you travel with the following documentation as they are required to present to customs upon arrival into the country.

Please note that these details are subject to change without notice. We recommend visiting <https://smartraveller.gov.au> for up to date information in terms of entry requirements.

For Cambodia, you will obtain your visa when crossing the border from Vietnam to Cambodia. The cost of the Cambodian Visa around USD\$37 per person.

#### **Tour Documentation**

Final documentation, including e-tickets and hotel details, will be provided approximately 30 days prior to travel.

#### **Children**

Children must be 2 years old or over and share a room with parents at all times. Children are the same price as adults.

#### **Tour Length**

The total length of the tour in days includes time spent in flight and is subject to change depending on the flight schedule, please refer to the day by day itinerary for the time spent on land.

#### **HOW TO EXTEND YOUR STAY**

If you wish to do so, please follow these steps:

1. Follow the "Book Now" prompts, until you reach the "Anything else we need to know?" field
2. Here, please specify your preferred flight arrangements and if you require additional accommodation, with the number of nights needed.
3. After finalizing your purchase and submitting your booking form, a member of our Reservation team will be in contact with you via email to verify your request.

Please note, a supplement of **AU\$200** per person (plus any applicable fare and tax differences) applies to deviate from the standard itinerary. We will contact you via email with a quote and proposed flight itinerary, and then proceed with collecting the additional payment required to confirm your request.

The additional cost for these land arrangements will be added to your final payment invoice, due 90 days prior to departure, and is strictly subject to availability.

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