



Optional Tours

Pocket Book



IMPORTANT

*All schedules and prices in this pocketbook are subject to change without notice due to availability.

**Prices in this pocketbook are effective from March 2022

***Availability of the optional tours is dependent on group size.

Please contact us for the latest pricing and itinerary.

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Vietnam





NIGHTLIFE

HALF-DAY GUIDED TOUR AUSTRALIAN BEEF WITH WINE TASTING & RICKSHAW

 Hanoi, Vietnam

USD **86**

AUD **120**


NZD **135**

After a Cyclo ride around the Old Quarter, you enjoy the unique taste of Australian beef prepared and wine tasting by the talented hands of local chefs in an authentic Vietnamese restaurant.

You will embark on a journey full of flavors and surprises. True Aussie beef is combined with regional ingredients you hardly find at home. Get to know Vietnamese culture & history. Eager to taste the best local red wine or try a premium one directly imported from Australia (with extra fee services). Watch the chef showing off his incredible cooking skills with exotic dishes on the menu. Not just a dinner, it's a cultural experience you shouldn't miss out on.

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HALF-DAY

BAT TRANG POTTERY VILLAGE

📍 Hanoi, Vietnam

USD **66**

AUD **102**

NZD **112**


The metropolitan is really impressive with the city's iconic sights. However, there are lots to offer if you go out there to the vicinity.

This half-day tour is designed to show the famous 550-year-old pottery village which is just 45-minute drive from downtown. Once in the village, you'll walk along the narrow alleys to explore the village life. Start your discovery from the old communal house where the village founders are worshipped followed by different home factories that use techniques hundreds of years old. Then, you'll have a chance to hand on for a deeper insight before strolling in the local market to find a luck. This is a holiday enhancement which shouldn't be missed.



NIGHTLIFE

MY VILLAGE SHOW

 Hanoi, Vietnam

USD **73**

AUD **112**

NZD **123**

My Village Show was created by same creators of A O Show.

The show represents the poetic beauty of *Northern Vietnam* village life under the distinct folk music from more than 20 musical instruments. One of the unique elements of My Village version is its bamboo props inspired by tools used in daily routines of Vietnamese. With traditional activities of the villagers recreated by breath-taking dances, get ready to be mesmerized by this fantastic show.



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FULL-DAY

HOA LU & TAM COC TOUR

📍 Hanoi - Ninh Binh, Vietnam USD **110** AUD **169** NZD **186**

Hoa Lu had been the imperial capital of many dynasties in history. Due to the natural location surrounded by mighty mountains and deep water, the citadel was considered to be the “Great Wall” of Vietnam.

In the morning, arrive in Hoa Lu and start exploring the ancient kingdom with thousand-year-old buildings. Visit the famous temples worshipping the kings of Dinh & Le Dynasties before proceeding to Tam Coc. Upon arrival, enjoy your lunch before embarking on a boat trip to witness the exquisiteness of the karst formations and caves. We will travel back to Hanoi in the late afternoon.

**Lunch is included with this tour.*



FULL-DAY

TRANG AN & HOA LU TOUR

📍 Hanoi - Ninh Binh, Vietnam USD **110** AUD **169** NZD **186**

Trang An Eco-Tourism Complex, located at about 100 kilometres away from Hanoi, is a world's heritage that receives thousands of visits every year for its wonderful caves and grotto system.

Embark on a hand-rowed sampan boat, meander down the peaceful river and take perfect photographs of limestone hills jutting out from the green rice paddies. After lunch, continue to Hoa Lu, the imperial capital of many dynasties in history and explore this ancient kingdom with thousand-year-old buildings covered in moss. Get back to Hanoi in the late afternoon.

**Lunch is included with this tour.*



GOLDEN BRIDGE TOUR

📍 Da Nang & Hoi An, Vietnam USD **119** AUD **183** NZD **201**

Once picked up by our guide, you will be transferred to Ba Na mountains before boarding cable cars up to the Marseille station. Then, take a short walk to the Golden Bridge to feel like walking on the clouds. Time for taking photos and enjoying the easy breeze, breathtaking view and afterwards, let's visit a romantic flower garden – Le Jardin D'Amour. The 9 gardens are 9 interesting stories in 9 unique architectural styles. 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'll catch the cable car downhill and then head back to original pickup point.

** Lunch is included with this tour.*



HALF-DAY

TRA QUE VEGETABLE VILLAGE TOUR

📍 Hoi An, Vietnam

USD **80**

AUD **124**

NZD **136**

Just several kilometres up the road from the ancient Hoi An town is a petite charming Tra Que Vegetable Village. This village is named after the famous scented vegetables used to spice up the daily meal of Hoi An people.

You will get a chance to stroll through the fresh vegetable gardens to observe and join the farmer's activities such as raking the ground, sowing, watering, picking vegetables and many others. We will finish with a visit to the local market to shop for unique ingredients.

**A light meal is included with this tour.*



HALF-DAY

MY SON SANCTUARY & THANH HA VILLAGE TOUR

📍 Hoi An, Vietnam

USD **61**

AUD **93**

NZD **102**

You will be picked up at your hotel for a 40-kilometre drive to My Son Sanctuary, a World Heritage Site.

Upon arrival, get ready to stand astounded by the abandoned and partially ruined Hindu temples constructed by the kings of Champa. We will journey back to Hoi An, embark on a cruise down the poetic Thu Bon River. Enjoy the idyllic and scenic view along the river's banks before stopping by a famous traditional ceramic village, Thanh Ha Pottery Village. Have fun experiencing the villagers' daily life.



NIGHT LIFE

HOI AN COOKING CLASS TOUR

📍 Hoi An, Vietnam

USD **73**

AUD **112**

NZD **123**

There is no doubt that Vietnamese cuisine is unlike any others. For you who love cooking, you may even wonder how the papaya salad gets that zing flavour or how the rolls get so soft and tasty. Let's find out!

This tour will let you experience all the typical features of traditional Vietnamese cuisine and master your cooking skills. You will be accompanied by a professional chef for every single step to cook them into delicious and irresistible dishes. Toward the end of the class, get a chance to share your masterpiece with others.

**Dinner is included with this tour.*



NIGHTLIFE

HOI AN MEMORIES SHOW

📍 Hoi An, Vietnam

USD **80**

AUD **116**

NZD **130**

As Vietnam's largest outdoor visual art-show, Hoi An Memories is guaranteed to sweep you off reality. Featuring 500 performers with superb choreography, this open-air theatrical extravaganza tells a story about the quintessence of Hoi An throughout 400 years of history while shining the spotlight on Ao Dai and the hidden charming beauty of Vietnamese women. Right in front of your eyes, Hoi An will transform from a small farming village to an international trading port where East meets West. A spot in the VIP seat zone ensures a full view of the 1000-meter road stage featuring nearby mountains and sodden river flood, which will leave you an unforgettable experience.

**Soft-drink and beer are included.*



FULL-DAY

NHA TRANG ISLAND & SNORKELING

📍 Nha Trang, Vietnam

USD **90**

AUD **138**

NZD **152**

This day trip could well be a highlight of your visit to Vietnam. The beach capital of Vietnam, Nha Trang, enjoys a stunning coastline with white sandy beaches, an abundance of marine life and thriving reefs. You'll experience the best of what the area has to offer on board the historic Junk-style boat. We'll explore numerous islands, many dotted with idyllic fishing villages.

On the junk, you'll be able to swim, snorkel and kayak in some of the secluded bays in the area. Or just relax in the shade on a private beach.

Paddling out to visit a local fish farm in a basket boat is another tour feature.

Finally, we'll cruise back to Nha Trang Harbor passing Vung Ngan floating village and the resort on Vinpearl Island.



NIGHT LIFE

SUNSET COCKTAIL & DINNER CRUISE TOUR

📍 Nha Trang, Vietnam

USD **90**

AUD **138**

NZD **152**

Begin your journey at around 17.00 from your hotel to the pier with our bus, followed by a sail along the coastline.


Enjoy a welcome drink onboard where you'll admire the spectacular landscape of Nha Trang Bay at sunset. Continue your journey with cocktails & free flow of wines on the sundeck as you are entertained by musicians playing against the stunning backdrop of stars, the moon, and the city lights. Experience the gastronomical pleasure of enjoying a 5-course seafood dinner onboard while being serenaded and served by the cruise's team.

**Dinner is included with this tour.*

The background of the top half of the page is a photograph of the interior of the Cu Chi tunnels. It shows a narrow, dimly lit passage with rough, uneven rock walls. A bright light source, possibly a flashlight or a small opening, is visible in the distance, creating a strong contrast and illuminating the texture of the rock. In the top right corner, there is a teal circular badge with a white border containing the text 'HALF-DAY'.

HALF-DAY

CU CHI TUNNELS TOUR

 Saigon, Vietnam

USD **61**

AUD **88**

NZD **97**

Cu Chi tunnels is 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.

With the help of a tour guide, you will be able to squeeze in the tight tunnels and discover how the residents can eat, sleep, get medication and education, and perform other daily activities. Be ready to live the guerrilla warfare once again!

**Lunch is included with this tour.*



FULL-DAY

MEKONG “VISIT THE LOCALS” TOUR

📍 Saigon, Vietnam

USD **110**

AUD **169**

NZD **186**

The Mekong Delta is known as “The Rice Bowl of Vietnam” and this tour offers a real insight into the culture and everyday life of the local villagers.

You will be picked up at your hotel for the 1.5-hour transfer to Ben Tre River where you will embark on a river trip which takes in local industries such as a brickworks, a coconut processing workshop and a village which derives its income from making mattresses. We continue on by motor cart (xe loi), or cycling, through the green rice fields and vegetable plantations. After lunch, we get return to Hung Vuong Pier for the trip back to Saigon.

**Lunch is included with this tour.*



NIGHTLIFE

A O SHOW

📍 Saigon, Vietnam

USD **73**

AUD **112**

NZD **123**

A O Show is a sophisticated cultural show featuring talented performers and usually held at Saigon Opera House. Directed by Director Tuan Le, who has lived in Germany for a long time, the show is promised to deliver a best-in-class choreography and optical illusions.

The show will bring you on a journey from the rural to urban life of Vietnam via a series of sketches and acting involving Vietnamese traditional props such as bamboo poles and giant woven baskets. You will find a perfect mixture of classical and modern spirits. Grab a drink and get ready to be amazed by the show with your family and friends!

* “A O” stands for “wow”.





SHORT TOUR

SUNRISE AT MUI NE WHITE SAND DUNES

📍 Mui Ne, Vietnam

USD **65**

AUD **90**

NZD **99**

Early wake up and start your sunrise trip at 4.15 AM, your jeep will take you to visit the White sand dunes. Kept changing their shapes as a result of blowing wind and the shadow of sunlight. Not only can you enjoy sand-sliding or quad-bikes for fantastic eye-viewing the lotus lake located in the heart of the dunes, which is available during four seasons.

On the way back, you enjoy one more time the RED SANDDUNES, the exciting daily activities of local fishermen and thousands of fishing boats delivering their products from the sea to the local market at the FISHING VILLAGE. Then, visit the FAIRY STREAM, a natural beauty spot with a nice mountain – water view the white Canyon, which is a unique and primitive place untouched by human beings, near a small brook white clean water. Return to your hotel for breakfast.



NIGHTLIFE

TEH DAR SHOW

📍 Saigon & Hoi An, Vietnam

USD **73**

AUD **112**

NZD **123**

Teh Dar Show invites you on a venture into the charming world of Vietnamese highlanders. Let your heart beats sync with drum beats & enchanting music of tribal instruments with the stories of love, spirit and faith of Vietnamese minority group living in South West Highland.



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NIGHTLIFE

VESPA ADVENTURE - SAIGON AFTER DARK TOUR

📍 Saigon, Vietnam

USD **145**

AUD **223**

NZD **246**

Discover Saigon's nightlife on the back of a vintage Vespa scooter.

You will be picked up at your hotel and start off your amazing night with some cocktail and appetizer at Café Zoom. Afterwards, enjoy some Saigon's best authentic local food, followed by a stop at a Vietnamese-style coffee shop featuring live music. Your perfect evening will be wrapped up at an exciting music bar where local people party.



NIGHTLIFE

DINNER ON SAIGON RIVER CRUISE

📍 Saigon, Vietnam

USD **73**

AUD **112**

NZD **123**

Dinner on Saigon River Cruise offers an opportunity to witness another side of Saigon. The city is not only a bustling metropolis but also a romantic land.

Hop on a huge wooden barge and sail down the river. Feel the gentle breeze caressing your skin and enjoy a lovely dinner accompanied by the traditional music and dance performances.

**Dinner is included with this tour.*

Cambodia





SUNSET QUAD BIKE ADVENTURE

📍 Siem Reap, Cambodia

USD **55**

AUD **85**

NZD **93**

Siem Reap attracts us not only with its temples but also its vicinity and the way that the local people live.

Let's join us on a Q-bike adventure that is exclusively designed to take you away from the tourist crowds and to picture what the authentic Cambodia is. The scenic rice fields, forests and villages will roll out as you are riding through the rural area at Sunset. This tour is a great choice for those who want to explore Cambodia in depth.

This tour includes transportation by car or tuk-tuk. The trip typically last 1 hour and available options are Solo (1 passenger on 1 Quad) and Tandem (2 passengers on 1 Quad).



TONLE SAP LAKE TOUR

📍 Siem Reap, Cambodia

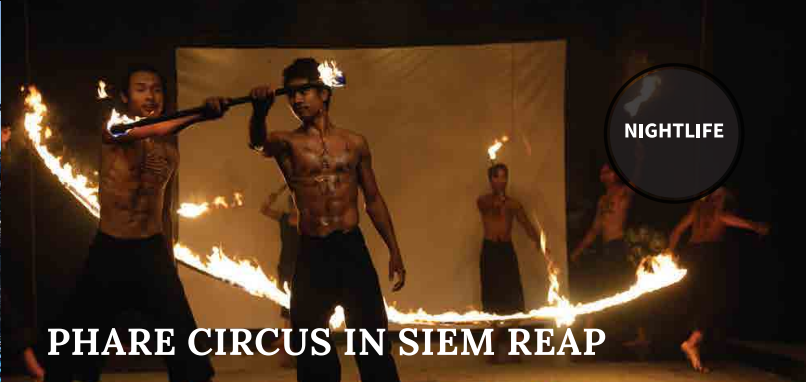
USD **80**

AUD **136**

NZD **149**

You'll be picked up at your hotel to start your Tonle Sap Lake tour which includes a visit to a floating village where you'll enjoy watching seasonal activities of Cambodian agriculture and aquaculture.

Tonle Sap Lake, or "Great Lake", is a magnificent natural water wonder. During the high water level season (August – November), the lake expands to 2,600 square kilometers in size and becomes the biggest freshwater lake in Southeast Asia. Being rich and bio-diverse, the lake has been able supply the whole civilization floating on it, since ancient times.



NIGHTLIFE

PHARE CIRCUS IN SIEM REAP

📍 Siem Reap, Cambodia

USD **50**

AUD **77**

NZD **93**

Phare, The Cambodian Circus, is the most unique, authentic, top rated evening entertainment in Siem Reap. You'll feast your senses on a 90-minute spectacle that blends riveting theater with folk music and distinctly Cambodian stories. Commend the determination of the young circus artists, many of who are from challenging social and economic backgrounds, as they hypnotize the audience with their energy and emotion. This tour includes pickup and drop-off by our driver.

Note: SEAT- C is not reserved seat/ open seat so clients suggest to be in 1 hour before the show starts).

Thailand

An aerial photograph of a tropical beach in Thailand. The water is a vibrant turquoise, transitioning to deep blue further out. A white sandy beach curves along the right side, where several thatched-roof huts are built. Two motorboats are anchored near the shore, and many people are seen swimming and sunbathing. In the foreground, two large, rocky islands with green vegetation jutting out into the water.



HALF-DAY

THE ROYAL GRAND PALACE TOUR

 Bangkok, Thailand

USD **64**

AUD **98**

NZD **108**

The Royal Grand Palace complex features a number of striking buildings used as the royal residence from the 18th century to the mid of 20th century.

You will be picked up at your hotel then get transferred to the attractions. Start your visit with the great architectural masterpieces of the Grand Palace including the Throne Hall, The Reception Hall and The Coronation Hall. Afterwards, be mesmerized by Wat Phra Kaew, Bangkok's most sacred temple, in which the world's most precious Emerald Buddha located.



KANCHANABURI & THE RIVER KWAI

📍 Kanchanaburi, Thailand

USD **123**

AUD **189**

NZD **208**


The province of Kanchanaburi in Thailand is best known for its horrors of World War II's Death Railway.

Start off the trip in Kanchanaburi Province and learn more about the turbulent history of the eminent 300m-long Death Railway, which cost thousands of labourers' lives in the past. Afterwards, proceed to the war cemetery and a reconstructed POW camp where over thousands of war prisoners lived and worked to build the Death Railway until their last breath. Finally, enjoy the train ride across the River Kwai Bridge, a part of the original Death Railway.



HALF-DAY

JAMES BOND & NAKA ISLAND TOUR

 Phuket, Thailand

USD **105**

AUD **160**

NZD **175**

You will be picked at your hotel then get transferred to Ao-Por Pier. Start your trip with sightseeing to the spectacular Phang-Nga National Park. Later, canoeing for 30 minutes to Hong Island (1 canoe for 2 passengers only). Visit Kao Ping Gun, also known as “James Bond Island” from the famous movie “The Man with the Golden Gun”, and have fun with various beach activities for a half hour. Continue for sightseeing by a speedboat through mangrove jungle and see many limestone rock island, stalactite and stalagmite. Visit Koh Panyi and take time to see the lifestyle of the fisherman village (Muslim Village) before having lunch onboard. Continuing cruising to Naka Island and freely relax, swim or experience some beach sports on this island. Afterwards, return to Ao-Por Pier and get transferred back to your hotel.



HALF-DAY

PHI PHI & BAMBOO ISLAND TOUR

📍 Phuket, Thailand

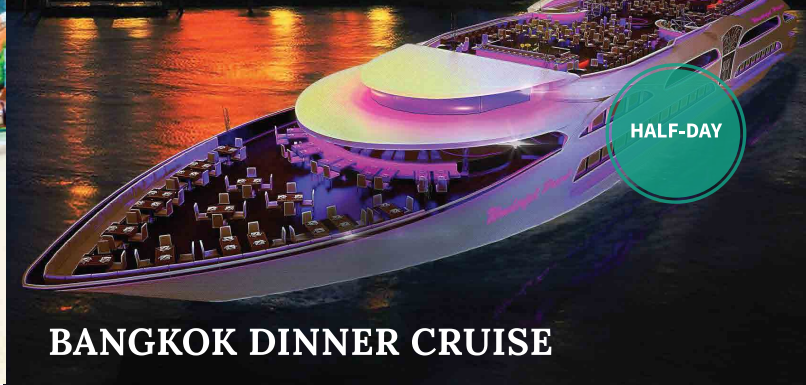
USD **149**

AUD **228**

NZD **250**

You will be picked up at your hotel then get transferred to Phuket pier and depart for Phi Phi Islands.

Go sightseeing at Camel Rock, Monkey Beach, Viking Cave and Pileh Cove lagoon. Continue to Loh Samah Bay for snorkelling before having lunch on Phi Phi Don. Later, visit Hin Klang (Great Coral Reef) to admire the greatest coral reef in Asia then relax, go swimming or sunbathe on the beach of Bamboo Island before returning to your hotel.



BANGKOK DINNER CRUISE

📍 Bangkok, Thailand

USD **108**

AUD **164**

NZD **172**

Enjoy your dinner on board along the most luxury cruise liner on the romantic Chao Phraya River Bangkok. Dinner will be served under the moonlight, with “Live Music” in a serenade atmosphere and a Thai Classical Dance Show.

Dinner includes a wide selection of dishes ranging from Thai-styled to international foods, appetizers to main dishes to deserts served in a buffet fashion. You will also have the opportunity to admire and take nice pictures of the two most magnificent night views of Bangkok: Wat Arun - The Temple of Dawn - and the Grand Palace with Wat Pra Kaew - The Temple of the Emerald Buddha. After the dinner, you will return to The River City Shopping Complex, enjoying the beautiful decorations and awesome sight of colored light on the river side.



FULL-DAY

AYUTHAYA AND BANG-PA-IN

📍 Bangkok, Thailand

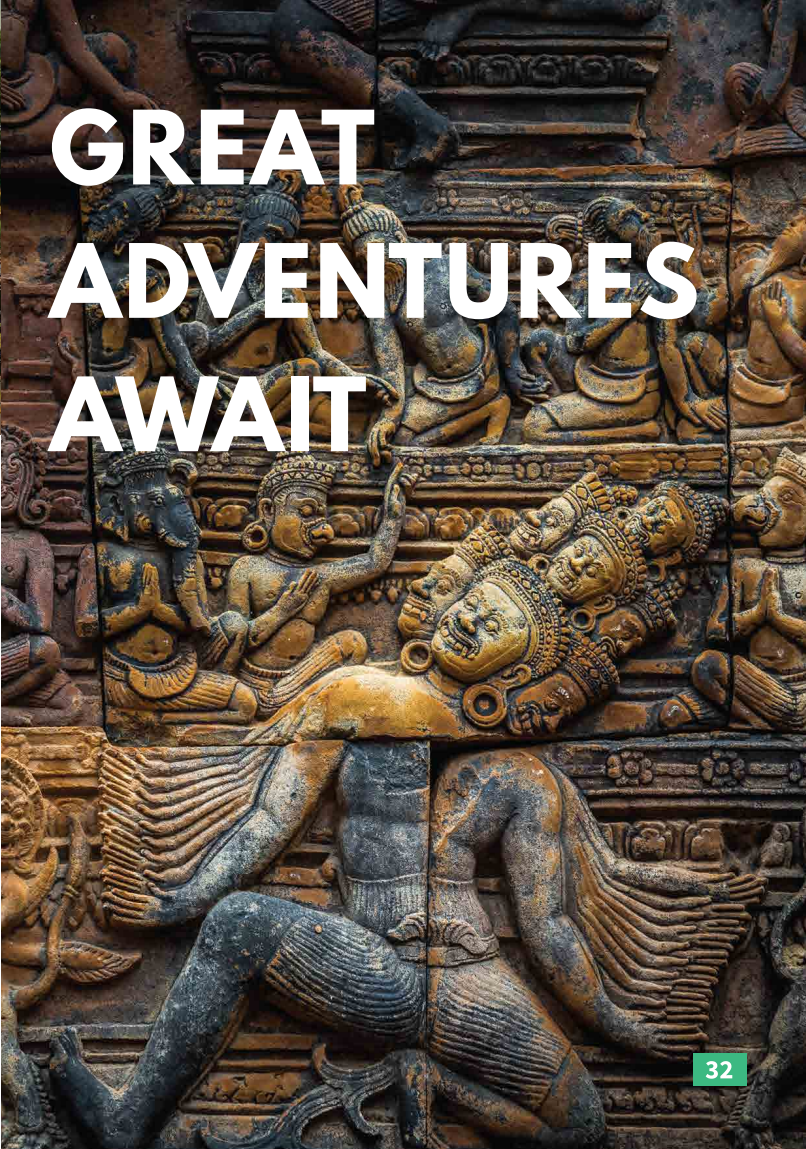
USD **100**

AUD **154**

NZD **169**

Start the tour by visiting Bang Pa In, the park comprises several iconic buildings dotted around a large park, especially on hot days. Upon reaching Ayutthaya area, be ready to explore its historical Wat complex including Wat Yai Chai Mongkol, Wat Pa Si Sanphet. After that, pass by the Monastery of the Great Relic to admire a Buddha Image in the Sitting Attitude.

Finishing the tour with Wat Chaiwatthanaram, a Buddhist temple in the city of Ayutthaya Historical Park, Thailand and then transfer back to Bangkok. Lunch at local restaurant.



GREAT ADVENTURES AWAIT

Frequently Asked Questions

1. Which tour can I book?

If the location of the optional tour is included in the itinerary of your main tour, then the optional tour is available. For example, *Hanoi Street Food Tour* will operate in or from Hanoi city, so you can book this tour if your main tour's itinerary includes Hanoi.

2. Can I buy optional tours if I'm not travelling with Asia Vacation Group?

Yes, of course. Simply give us a call at hotline 1800 22 93 39 or visit our website www.asiavacationgroup.com.au to submit an inquiry.

3. When is the best time to buy an optional tour?

You can buy an optional tour before or during your trip. However, it is highly recommended to buy before your trip due to the availability is subject to change and the methods of payment are limited during the trip. If you decide to buy optional tours during your trip, you will have to pay in **cash** (USD, AUD or Local Currency).

4. Can I get a refund?


Asia Vacation Group shall not deliver a refund for any delay or change in program or expenses incurred or injury and damage due to airlines, accident, breakdown of transport and sickness. In some cases, your chosen extra tours may be canceled by Asia Vacation Group due to force majeure you may choose to change to other alternative tour.

OR receive a coupon equal to the amount you paid for it. The difference in cost of the alternative tour will be paid by you or transferred to a coupon as applicable. This coupon is issued after the tour and is valid for two years. It is valid for any tour by Asia Vacation Group and cannot be redeemed for cash.



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