

Hanoi-HaLongBay-Hue-DaNang-HoiAn-SaiGon-Mekong-10D9N

Ha Noi - Ha Long Bay - Hue - Da Nang - Hoi An - Sai Gon - Mekong

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B: Breakfast - Br: Brunch - L: Lunch - D: Dinner

ESG: English Speaking Guide

No.	Itinerary	Meals	Guide	Driver
Day 1	Arrival to Hanoi	N/A	N/A	Driver
Day 2	Ha Noi – City tour	B	ESG	Limousine Bus
Day 3	Ha Noi – Ha Long Bay	B, L, D	Guide on Cruise	Limousine Bus
Day 4	Ha Long Bay – Ha Noi – Flight to Hue Flight must be after 17:45	B, Br	Guide on Cruise	Limousine Bus + Private Airport Transfer
Day 5	Hue – City tour	B	ESG	Shuttle Bus
Day 6	Hue – Da Nang – Cam Thanh Coconut Village – Hoi An Ancient Town	B	ESG	Shuttle Bus
Day 7	Da Nang – Ba Na Hills – Golden Bridge	B	ESG	Shuttle Bus
Day 8	Da Nang – Flight to Ho Chi Minh city – Half day City Tour	B	ESG	Private Airport Transfer + Shuttle Bus
Day 9	Ho Chi Minh city – Mekong Delta Tour	B	ESG	Shuttle Bus
Day 10	Ho Chi Minh city – Departure	B	N/A	Driver



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Day 1		**Arrival to Hanoi**	
No Meal		**No Guide**	**Driver**

Welcome to Hanoi – the millennium capital of Vietnam! Located on the right bank of the Red River, the present-day city was founded in 1010 on a prehistoric site. Occupied by the French in 1873, it became the capital of French Indochina in 1902. It fell into Japanese hands between 1940 and 1945, the same year when Ho Chi Minh of icially proclaimed the country's independence there. It was recaptured by the French and only liberated definitively in 1954. Since 1976, following the bloody Vietnam War, it has become the capital of the present-day Socialist Republic of Vietnam. The current face of Hanoi dates back to the French period, as demonstrated by the numerous colonial buildings and large tree-lined boulevards. Upon arrival at Noi Bai Airport, our tour guide will greet you and transfer you to the city center for hotel check-in.

Overnight in Ha Noi.

Day 2		**Ha Noi – City tour**	
Breakfast		**English Speaking Guide**	**Limousine Bus**

08:00 – Departure from Hotel

Meet your friendly guide at your hotel to begin a full-day exploration of Hanoi’s historical and cultural highlights.

Tran Quoc Pagoda

Visit Tran Quoc Pagoda, located on Golden Fish Island in West Lake. Dating back to the 6th century, it is Hanoi’s oldest pagoda and a serene example of Buddhist architecture.

Ho Chi Minh Complex

Explore the Ho Chi Minh Complex, including the Mausoleum (note: closed for maintenance from June 15 to August 15, and closed on Mondays and Fridays). View the embalmed body of Ho Chi Minh from outside, and stroll through the surrounding gardens to see his former residences where he lived and worked from 1954 to 1969.

One Pillar Pagoda

Visit the iconic One Pillar Pagoda, a unique structure dedicated to the Goddess of Mercy, celebrated as one of the world’s most remarkable pagodas.

Vietnam Ethnology Museum

Gain insight into Vietnam’s 54 ethnic groups at the Vietnam Ethnology Museum. This museum is renowned for its comprehensive indoor exhibits and outdoor displays, including carefully reconstructed traditional tribal houses.



Note: On Mondays, the Women's Museum will be visited instead, as the Ethnology Museum is closed.

Temple of Literature (Van Mieu)

Discover Vietnam's first university, founded in 1070 to honor Confucius. See the stone steles mounted on turtle backs, engraved with the names of the country's most esteemed scholars. The temple reflects the high value placed on education throughout Vietnamese history.

Hoa Lo Prison Museum

Conclude the day with a visit to the Hoa Lo Prison Museum. Originally built by the French for political prisoners, it was later used to house American POWs during the Vietnam War and became known as the "Hanoi Hilton."

Train Street

Enjoy Hanoi's famous Egg Coffee. At the end of the afternoon, you can take a cyclo ride (at their own expense) around the Old Quarter before returning to the hotel or signing up to watch a water puppet show...

Overnight: Hotel in Hanoi

Day 3		**Ha Noi – Ha Long Bay**	
Breakfast + Lunch + Dinner		**Guide on Cruise**	**Limousine Bus**

After breakfast at your hotel, depart Hanoi in the morning for the scenic journey to Ha Long Bay (approximately 2.5–3 hours via expressway).

Upon arrival at the cruise port around midday, complete check-in procedures and board your cruise. Enjoy a welcome drink while the cruise manager introduces the itinerary and safety briefing.

As the cruise begins sailing through the breathtaking limestone karsts of Ha Long Bay — a UNESCO World Heritage Site — enjoy a delicious lunch served onboard while admiring the panoramic views of thousands of dramatic limestone islands rising from emerald waters.

In the afternoon, participate in exciting activities (depending on the cruise program), such as:

Kayaking or bamboo boat rowing through peaceful lagoons and hidden caves

Exploring magnificent limestone caves with impressive stalactites and stalagmites

Relaxing on the sundeck and capturing stunning photos of the iconic scenery

As evening approaches, enjoy one of the most beautiful moments of the day — **Sunset on the sundeck over Ha Long Bay**. The sky turns shades of orange and pink, creating a magical atmosphere perfect for photos and relaxation. You may also join a **Vietnamese cooking demonstration** before dinner.



In the evening, savor a freshly prepared dinner featuring local seafood and Vietnamese specialties.

After dinner, you can:

Try **night squid fishing**

Relax under the stars on the deck

Enjoy drinks at the bar

Simply unwind in the peaceful ambiance of the bay

Overnight on cruise in Ha Long Bay.

Day 4		**Ha Long Bay – Ha Noi – Flight to Hue** **Flight must be after 17:45**
Breakfast + Brunch	**Guide on Cruise**	**Limousine Bus +** **Private Airport Transfer**

Start your day with **Tai Chi class on the sundeck**. Enjoy a **light breakfast** with **coffee, tea, cake, and fruit**. Explore **Sung Sot Cave**, one of the **largest and most beautiful caves in Ha Long Bay**.

Back on board, you can **rest in your room**, **sunbathe on the sundeck**, **take pictures of Ha Long Bay**, or **shop for souvenirs on the boat**. **Check-out time at 9:30**. Then enjoy an **early lunch buffet at the restaurant on the 2nd floor** and **settle the bills if any**. **Arrival at Tuan Chau Marina at 11:00**.

Back to **Hanoi** for the **flight to Hue**.

Upon arrival in **Hue**, pick up and transfer to your **hotel**.

Overnight at hotel in Hue.

Day 5		**Hue – City tour**
Breakfast	**English Speaking Guide**	**Shuttle Bus**

After breakfast, meet your local guide and driver at your hotel for a full-day exploration of **Hue**, Vietnam's former imperial capital, renowned for its rich royal heritage, ancient architecture, and peaceful riverside landscapes.

Begin with a visit to the **Imperial Citadel**, a UNESCO World Heritage Site that once served as the political and cultural center of the Nguyen Dynasty. Explore its impressive gates, palaces, royal courtyards, and historical buildings, offering a glimpse into the grandeur of Vietnam's last imperial dynasty.

Continue to discover two of Hue's most remarkable royal tombs: **Minh Mang Tomb**, famous for its harmonious combination of traditional architecture, gardens, lakes, and natural surroundings,



and **Khai Dinh Tomb**, an impressive architectural masterpiece blending Vietnamese and European influences, featuring elaborate mosaics and intricate decorations.

Next, visit **Thien Mu Pagoda**, one of Hue's most iconic religious landmarks, beautifully situated on the banks of the Perfume River. Admire its distinctive seven-story tower and enjoy the peaceful atmosphere of this historic Buddhist site.

Enjoy a scenic **boat trip along the Perfume River**, taking in the tranquil scenery and beautiful views of Hue from the water.

The journey also includes visits to two traditional local villages, where you can discover the region's traditional crafts, local lifestyle, and cultural heritage through authentic interactions with the local community.

After the tour, return to your hotel in Hue.

Overnight in Hue.

Day 6		**Hue – Da Nang – Cam Thanh Coconut Village – Hoi An Ancient Town**	
Breakfast		**English Speaking Guide**	**Shuttle Bus**

After breakfast at the hotel, check out and depart from **Hue** towards **Da Nang**, travelling along one of Central Vietnam's most scenic coastal routes. Enjoy beautiful views of mountains, beaches, and the coastline along the way.

Upon arrival in Da Nang, continue to **Cam Thanh Coconut Village**, a peaceful countryside destination famous for its water coconut forest and traditional fishing culture. Enjoy a fun **basket boat ride** through the narrow waterways, surrounded by lush coconut palms. Discover local fishing traditions and experience the unique activities of this riverside village.

After the excursion, proceed to **Hoi An Ancient Town**, a charming UNESCO World Heritage Site renowned for its well-preserved architecture and rich cultural heritage. Explore its narrow streets lined with centuries-old merchant houses, traditional assembly halls, and iconic yellow-painted buildings. Admire the colorful silk lanterns, discover local handicraft shops, and enjoy the romantic atmosphere along the Thu Bon River.

After the visit, return to **Da Nang** and transfer to your hotel for check-in and relaxation.

Overnight in Da Nang.

Day 7		**Da Nang – Ba Na Hills – Golden Bridge**	
Breakfast		**English Speaking Guide**	**Shuttle Bus**

After breakfast at your hotel, depart for Ba Na Hills, located about 40 minutes from Da Nang city center. Upon arrival, you will board the **modern cable car system, one of the longest and most**

impressive in the world, ascending gradually above dense forests and rolling mountains. The panoramic views from the cabin are breathtaking as the landscape opens up beneath you.

Your first highlight is the iconic **Golden Bridge**, famously supported by two giant stone hands emerging from the mountainside. Suspended above the hills, the bridge offers spectacular scenery and is one of the most photographed landmarks in Vietnam. You will have time to walk along the bridge, enjoy the fresh mountain air, and capture unforgettable photos.

Continue your visit with a stroll through **Le Jardin D'Amour Flower Garden,** where colorful blossoms are beautifully arranged across themed gardens. Nearby, **Linh Ung Pagoda** offers a peaceful spiritual atmosphere with its serene Buddha statue overlooking the mountains. The journey then leads you to the charming **French Village,** designed with European-style architecture, cobblestone streets, and castle-like buildings that create the feeling of stepping into a medieval town in France.

Spending time at **Fantasy Park**, an indoor entertainment center featuring a variety of games and activities suitable for all ages. In the afternoon, take the cable car down the mountain and transfer back to your hotel in Da Nang.

Overnight in Da Nang.

Day 8		**Da Nang – Flight to Ho Chi Minh city – Half day City Tour**	
Breakfast		**English Speaking Guide**	**Private Airport Transfer + Shuttle Bus**

Flight to Ho Chi Minh City in the morning.

Upon arrival in **Ho Chi Minh City**, start your tour with **The Reunification Palace**, formerly the residence of the **President of the Republic of Vietnam**. On **30 April 1975**, when **North Vietnam soldiers** set foot inside this building with the **red flag in hand**, the whole world knew that the **Vietnam War had ended**.

Next stop is the **War Remnants Museum**. On the way, stop to visit **Notre Dame Cathedral** and **Old Post Office**, the **two most famous and oldest examples of classical French colonial architecture**, built more than **100 years ago**. **War Remnants Museum** displays many photographs from both **Vietnamese and US sources**, and **US military vehicles** such as **tanks, jets, and bombs** are exhibited outside.

Before the tour ends, stop for shopping at **Ben Thanh Market** in the city center, then return to your **hotel in Saigon**.

Overnight at hotel in Ho Chi Minh City.

Day 9		**Ho Chi Minh city – Mekong Delta Tour**	
Breakfast		**English Speaking Guide**	**Shuttle Bus**



In **Southern Vietnam**, the **Mekong River** unravels into nine sprawling rivers, forming the fertile **Mekong Delta**. It's here the river rules. Daily life flows with the ever-changing waters: fisheries thrive during the annual flood and rice fields are quickly dug as the waters recede.

Start your day with an **8:30 AM pick-up** from your **centrally located hotel in Ho Chi Minh City**. Then head to the city of **My Tho** by bus. During the **1.5-hour bus drive** to My Tho, learn about the cultures of the local people and enjoy the scenery of **green rice fields**.

Visit **Vinh Trang Pagoda**, the biggest pagoda in the Mekong Delta.

Continue to **My Tho** and take a **boat trip along the Mekong River**. During the cruise, see **fish cages** and **floating houses** on the river.

The boat will take you to a small canal, where you can escape the busy town. The cruise through the **coconut tree-lined canal** will lead you to a **coconut island in Ben Tre**.

Disembark, walk around the village and visit a **local family** to enjoy **tropical fruit**, taste **honey tea** and **honey wine**, and listen to **Vietnamese traditional music** performed by the villagers.

Continue walking on the village road to a **coconut candy shop** to learn how coconut candy is made and see handicrafts created from **coconut trees**.

Take a walk through the village and discover many kinds of **fruits**, **flowers**, **trees**, and **local houses**. Take your time to enjoy the natural scenery and take photos.

Back to **Ho Chi Minh City** in the afternoon.

Overnight in Ho Chi Minh City.

Day 10		**Ho Chi Minh city – Departure**	
Breakfast		**No Guide**	**Driver**

Free time for a last bit of shopping or exploring the city on your own, before we take you to Tan Son Nhat airport for your flight home. Your room is available until noon only.

END OF SERVICES



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HOTELS

City	Option 3* Hotel	Option 4* Hotel	Option 5* Hotel
HA NOI	**LA DOLCE VITA HOTEL** *Superior Room* https://ladolcevita-hotel.com/vi/	**HA NOI PEARL HOTEL** *Deluxe City View Room* https://www.hanoipearlhotel.com/	**MELIA HANOI** *Deluxe Room* https://www.melia.com/en/hotels/vietnam/hanoi/melia-hanoi
HA LONG BAY	**LE JOURNEY PREMIUM CRUISE** *Deluxe Cabin* https://lejourneyhalongcruise.com/le-journey-premium-cruise	**VERDURE LOTUS CLASSIC CRUISE** *Deluxe Cabin* https://verdurelotuscruises.com/overnight-cruises/verdure-lotus-classic-cruise/	**L'AMOUR CRUISE** *Century Cabin* https://lamourcruise.com/en
HUE	**ROSALEEN BOUTIQUE HOTEL** *Deluxe City View Room* https://rosaleenhotel.com/	**ÊMM HOTEL HUE** *Deluxe Room* https://www.emmhotels.com/vi/emm-hotel-hue/	**SILK PATH GRAND HUE HOTEL** *Deluxe Room* https://silkpathhotel.com/vi/hue/
DA NANG	**COSMOS HOTEL DA NANG** *Deluxe Room* http://www.cosmoshoteldanang.com/	**MINH TOÀN SAFI OCEAN** *Premier Deluxe Room* https://minhtoansafiocean.com/	**MELIA BEACH RESORT DA NANG** *Melia Room* https://www.melia.com/en/hotels/vietnam/da-nang/melia-danang-beach-resort
HO CHI MINH CITY	**QUEEN ANN HOTEL SAIGON** *Deluxe Window Room* https://www.queenannhotelvn.com/vi/	**PARAGON SAIGON HOTEL** *Premier Window Room* https://paragonsaigon.com/	**PULLMAN CENTRE SAIGON HOTEL** *Superior Room* https://www.pullman-saigon-centre.com/



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IMPORTANT NOTES	
• We do not hold any bookings and no services has been made yet until the confirmation • Above rates are for quotation only, not for confirmation. • All subjects are based on availability. • All requests such as smoking, non-smoking, interconnecting room, bedding type will be • subject to availability prior to check in. • Booking is non refundable nor amendable. • Prices are not include city tax nor other taxes nor deposits if required upon check-in. • Passport must be valid 6 months ahead since the time of departing the visited country.	
SERVICES INCLUDED	**SERVICES EXCLUDED**
• Accommodations at hotel with breakfast • Transport in air-conditioned vehicle • Meals plan: as mentioned on the program • Local English-speaking guide • All sightseeing fees • Daily bottled water	• International and domestic flights & departure taxes • Tip for guide and driver • E-Visa Viet Nam • Personal travel insurance • Other personal expenses such as drinks, laundry, phone…
TERMS AND CONDITIONS	
• Standard Hotel Check in time: 2:00pm – 3:00 pm (local time). • Standard Hotel Check out time: 11:00am-12pm (local time). • A supplement will be added if early check-in or late check-out is desired. • All hotel rooms are based on the lowest category of room or Run of House; upgrade is subject to availability & supplement charges will be applicable • The timing of sightseeing points shall be fixed by local operator due to traffic and weather conditions, however all points must cover unless amendment or cancellation make by clients themselves (Non-refundable for any cancellation that made by clients) • Tour and price are subject to change without notice or in case of deduct number of pax in quoted group; increasing in entrance fee; hotel policy … • Small deviations in the tour program are sometimes necessary, depending on weather, road conditions, flight schedules and room availability. • Overtime transfers and tour guides services to be charged on spot. Our tour guide will inform and do the best suitable timing for clients. • All the rates are based on minimum **01 pax**, any change in the total numbers will affect the costing.	