

Vietnam – A Journey Through Heritage & Wonders Hanoi | Ha Long Bay Cruise | Da Nang | Ba Na Hills | Hoi An Ancient Town | Ho Chi Minh City



Destination Introduction

Tour Highlights

- Ho Chi Minh Complex
- Halong Bay Cruise
- Sun World Ba Na Hills
- Marble Mountains
- Basket boat ride
- Hoi An
- Cu Chi Tunnels
- Mekong River Delta

Note: The highlights and sightseeing may change depending on the departure date you choose.

Detailed Itinerary

Day 01 - Welcome to Hanoi | Arrival & City Tou

Welcome to Vietnam! Upon arrival at **Hanoi (HAN) International Airport**, meet and greet our **Sunrays Holiday Tour Manager**, who will assist you with airport formalities and accompany you throughout your journey. Hanoi, the thousand-year-old capital of Vietnam, is renowned for its rich heritage, colonial architecture, vibrant culture, and charming old quarters.

?? Flight Advisory:

The group airport pickup is scheduled at **10:00 AM on 21st October** from **Hanoi International Airport**. Guests are requested to book flights that arrive in Hanoi before **10:00 AM** to avail the scheduled group transfer. Guests arriving after the scheduled pickup time will need to arrange their own airport transfer at an additional cost.

Upon arrival, we proceed directly for a guided **Hanoi City Tour**. Visit the historic **Ho Chi Minh Complex**, one of Vietnam's most important landmarks, followed by a walking tour of **Ba Dinh Square**, where the country's Declaration of Independence was proclaimed. Continue to the iconic **One Pillar Pagoda**, a unique 11th-century Buddhist temple, and, subject to operation, visit the **Ho Chi Minh Mausoleum**, where the preserved body of President Ho Chi Minh rests. Later, explore the **Temple of Literature**, Vietnam's first national university, established in the 11th century and dedicated to Confucius.

After completing the sightseeing, proceed to your hotel and check in.

(Please note: Standard hotel check-in time is from 3:00 PM onwards and is subject to hotel policy. Early check-in is subject to availability.)

In the evening, visit the famous **Hanoi Train Street**, one of the city's most unique attractions, where trains pass through a narrow residential lane lined with charming cafés. Later, enjoy the traditional **Vietnamese Water Puppet Show**, a fascinating cultural performance showcasing Vietnam's folklore through music and puppetry.

End your first day with a delicious **Indian dinner** before retiring for the night.

Today's Highlights

- Meet & Greet by Sunrays Holiday Tour Manager
- Hanoi City Tour
- Ho Chi Minh Complex
- Ba Dinh Square
- One Pillar Pagoda
- Ho Chi Minh Mausoleum (*subject to operation*)
- Temple of Literature
- Hotel Check-in

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- Hanoi Train Street
 - Traditional Vietnamese Water Puppet Show

?? **Meals:** Dinner

? **Overnight Stay:** Hanoi

Day 02 - Hanoi – Ha Long Bay Overnight Luxury Cruise

After an early breakfast, check out from the hotel and proceed towards the spectacular **Ha Long Bay**, a UNESCO World Heritage Site renowned for its emerald-green waters, dramatic limestone karsts, and thousands of picturesque islands rising from the sea.

Upon arrival at the cruise terminal, complete the check-in formalities and board your **Luxury Overnight Cruise**. As the cruise begins its journey through the breathtaking bay, enjoy a delicious lunch on board while admiring the magnificent scenery.

Spend the afternoon cruising through the enchanting limestone islands, hidden caves, and fascinating karst formations that make Ha Long Bay one of the world's most beautiful natural wonders. Relax on the sun deck, capture stunning photographs, and immerse yourself in the tranquil surroundings.

In the evening, participate in an interactive **Vietnamese Cooking Demonstration**, where you'll learn to prepare a traditional local delicacy. Later, savor a sumptuous dinner on board. After dinner, you may join the fun **Squid Fishing** experience or simply relax on the open deck under the starlit sky while enjoying the peaceful ambiance of the bay.

Today's Highlights

- Scenic Drive to Ha Long Bay
- UNESCO World Heritage Site
- Luxury Overnight Cruise
- Lunch on Board
- Limestone Islands & Karst Formations
- Vietnamese Cooking Demonstration
- Squid Fishing Experience
- Relax on the Open Deck

?? **Meals:** Breakfast, Lunch & Dinner

?? **Overnight Stay:** Luxury Ha Long Bay Cruise

Day 03- Ha Long Bay – Hanoi – Da Nang

Begin your morning with a refreshing **Tai Chi Session** on the cruise deck while enjoying the peaceful sunrise over the magnificent limestone islands of Ha Long Bay. Later, savor a delicious breakfast on board as you cruise through the tranquil waters before completing the check-out formalities and disembarking.

En route to Hanoi Airport, stop to enjoy an authentic **Vietnamese Coffee**, a must-try local specialty, before continuing your journey.

?? Flight Advisory

Guests are advised to book the Hanoi (HAN) ? Da Nang (DAD) flight departing at 7:10 PM on 23rd October.

Upon arrival in **Da Nang**, one of Central Vietnam's most vibrant coastal cities, our local team will assist with the airport transfer. En route to the hotel, enjoy a panoramic drive past the city's beautifully illuminated landmarks, including the iconic **Dragon Bridge** and other spectacular bridges spanning the Han River.

Check in to your hotel and relax after an exciting day of travel.

? Your home for the next 3 nights will be Da Nang, perfectly located to explore the city's stunning beaches, Ba Na Hills, Hoi An, and nearby attractions.

Today's Highlights

- Sunrise Tai Chi Session on Cruise
 - Breakfast on Board
 - Scenic Cruise Check-out
 - Authentic Vietnamese Coffee Experience
 - Flight from Hanoi to Da Nang (*HAN – DAD*)
 - Drive Past Dragon Bridge & Han River Bridges
 - Hotel Check-in at Da Nang
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?? **Meals:** Breakfast, Lunch & Dinner

? **Overnight Stay:** Da Nang (03 Nights)

Day 04- Sun World Ba Na Hills – Golden Bridge

After breakfast, proceed for a full-day excursion to **Sun World Ba Na Hills**, one of Vietnam's most spectacular mountain resorts. Enjoy a scenic drive to the cable car station before boarding one of the world's longest and most impressive **cable car rides**, offering breathtaking views of Da Nang City, lush forests, and the surrounding mountains.

Upon arrival, visit the world-famous **Golden Bridge**, the iconic architectural masterpiece gracefully held by two giant stone hands, making it one of Vietnam's most photographed attractions.

Continue exploring the many attractions of **Ba Na Hills**, including the charming **French Village**, the beautiful **Le Jardin D'Amour Gardens**, peaceful **Pagodas**, the fascinating **Wax Museum** (*optional*), and enjoy the thrilling **Alpine Coaster** (*subject to operation*) along with other exciting attractions within the resort.

In the afternoon, indulge in a lavish **International Buffet Lunch** at one of Ba Na Hills' restaurants before spending some leisure time exploring the resort, shopping for souvenirs, or enjoying its picturesque surroundings.

Later, descend by cable car and return to Da Nang.

Enjoy a delicious **Indian dinner** before heading back to the hotel.

Today's Highlights

- Sun World Ba Na Hills
- Scenic Cable Car Ride
- Golden Bridge
- French Village
- Le Jardin D'Amour Gardens
- Pagodas
- Wax Museum (*Optional*)
- Alpine Coaster (*Subject to Operation*)
- International Buffet Lunch
- Leisure Time at Ba Na Hills

?? **Meals:** Breakfast, International Buffet Lunch & Dinner

? **Overnight Stay:** Da Nang

Day 05- Marble Mountains – Hoi An Ancient Town -Cam Thanh Coconut Village

After breakfast, begin the day with a visit to the magnificent **Marble Mountains**, a cluster of five limestone and marble hills renowned for their ancient caves, Buddhist shrines, pagodas, and breathtaking viewpoints. Explore the fascinating caves and enjoy panoramic views of Da Nang's coastline before continuing your journey to Hoi An.

Later, proceed to the charming **Hoi An Ancient Town**, a UNESCO World Heritage Site celebrated for its exceptionally well-preserved architecture, rich cultural heritage, and timeless charm.

Your first stop is the peaceful **Cam Thanh Coconut Village**, where you'll experience a memorable **Basket Boat Ride** through the lush coconut forests. Watch the exciting **Basket Boat Dance** performed by skilled local rowers and enjoy refreshing **fresh coconut water**.

Continue with a guided **walking tour of Hoi An Ancient Town**, exploring its narrow streets and iconic landmarks, including the **400-year-old Japanese Covered Bridge**, **Phung Hung Ancient House**, and the **Fujian Assembly Hall**. Hoi An is also famous as Vietnam's tailoring capital, offering the opportunity to have custom-made clothing stitched within just a few hours.

As evening falls, witness the magical transformation of Hoi An as thousands of colorful lanterns illuminate the ancient streets, creating an unforgettable atmosphere. Enjoy a serene **Lantern Boat Ride** along the **Hoai River**, where glowing lanterns reflect beautifully on the water, making for a truly enchanting experience.

After a memorable day, return to Da Nang and enjoy a delicious **Indian dinner**.

Today's Highlights

- Marble Mountains
- Ancient Caves & Buddhist Shrines
- Cam Thanh Coconut Village
- Basket Boat Ride
- Basket Boat Dance

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- Fresh Coconut Water
 - Hoi An Ancient Town Walking Tour
 - Japanese Covered Bridge
 - Phung Hung Ancient House
 - Fujian Assembly Hall
 - Shopping at Hoi An Tailor Shops
 - Lantern Boat Ride on Hoai River

?? **Meals:** Breakfast & Dinner

? **Overnight Stay:** Da Nang

Day 06- Da Nang – Ho Chi Minh City – Cu Chi Tunnels

After an early breakfast, check out from the hotel and proceed to **Da Nang International Airport** for your flight to **Ho Chi Minh City**.

?? Flight Advisory

Guests are advised to book the 9:00 AM flight from Da Nang (DAD) to Ho Chi Minh City (SGN) on 26th October.

Upon arrival, meet your local guide and begin your journey to the legendary **Cu Chi Tunnels**, one of Vietnam's most significant historical landmarks. Located approximately 70 km from Ho Chi Minh City, this remarkable underground network stretches over **200 kilometres** and played a vital role during the Vietnam War. The tunnels served as living quarters, command centres, hospitals, kitchens, weapon factories, and shelters, showcasing the extraordinary resilience and ingenuity of the Vietnamese people.

Explore sections of this fascinating tunnel system and gain a deeper understanding of Vietnam's wartime history through an informative guided tour.

Later, return to **Ho Chi Minh City** and continue your sightseeing with a visit to the **War Remnants Museum**, which houses an extensive collection of military equipment, photographs, and historical exhibits documenting the Vietnam War. Continue to view the iconic **Reunification Palace**, followed by photo stops at the magnificent **Notre Dame Cathedral** (*subject to restoration*), the historic **Saigon Central Post Office**, and the **Former U.S. Embassy**.

Drive through **Cho Lon (Chinatown)**, one of the largest and oldest Chinatowns in the world, and visit the beautiful **Thien Hau Pagoda**, dedicated to the Goddess of the Sea and renowned for its intricate architecture and cultural significance.

After a memorable day exploring the history and heritage of Ho Chi Minh City, enjoy a delicious **Indian dinner** before checking in to your hotel.

Today's Highlights

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- Flight from Da Nang to Ho Chi Minh City (*DAD – SGN*)
 - Cu Chi Tunnels
 - War Remnants Museum
 - Reunification Palace
 - Notre Dame Cathedral (*Photo Stop*)
 - Saigon Central Post Office
 - Former U.S. Embassy (*Photo Stop*)
 - Cho Lon (Chinatown)
 - Thien Hau Pagoda

?? **Meals:** Breakfast & Dinner

? **Overnight Stay:** Ho Chi Minh City

Day 07 - Ho Chi Minh City – Mekong Delta Excursion – Ho Chi Minh City

After breakfast, proceed for a **half-day excursion to the Mekong Delta**, one of Southern Vietnam's most picturesque regions, famous for its lush landscapes, winding waterways, and traditional riverside villages.

Upon arrival, enjoy a scenic **motorboat cruise** along the mighty **Mekong River**, passing through peaceful canals lined with coconut palms and tropical vegetation. Experience the authentic charm of the countryside with a relaxing **traditional rowing boat ride**, visit a local **Coconut Candy Workshop**, and enjoy fresh **seasonal tropical fruits** while learning about the local way of life.

After completing the Mekong Delta sightseeing, return to **Ho Chi Minh City**, where you will have approximately **3 hours of free time for shopping**. Explore the city's bustling shopping streets, local markets, shopping malls, or pick up souvenirs, handicrafts, coffee, chocolates, and other Vietnamese

specialties at your own pace.

Later, proceed to the hotel for check-in and relax for the evening.

Today's Highlights

- Half-Day Mekong Delta Excursion
- Mekong River Boat Cruise
- Traditional Rowing Boat Ride
- Coconut Candy Workshop
- Tropical Fruit Tasting
- 3 Hours Free Time for Shopping in Ho Chi Minh City
- Hotel Check-in

?? **Meals:** Breakfast & Dinner

? **Overnight Stay:** Ho Chi Minh City

Day 08- Departure from Ho Chi Minh City

After a leisurely breakfast, enjoy your final morning in Vietnam at your own pace before completing the hotel check-out formalities.

? **Hotel Check-out: 12:00 Noon**

?? Flight Advisory

The group airport transfer is scheduled to depart from the hotel at 1:00 PM for Ho Chi Minh City (SGN) International Airport. Guests are advised to book departure flights after 5:00 PM on 28th October to avail the scheduled group transfer. Guests travelling on flight timings that do not align with the scheduled transfer (either earlier or later) will be required to arrange their own airport transfers at an additional cost.

As your incredible journey through Vietnam comes to an end, it's time to say goodbye to a country filled with breathtaking landscapes, vibrant cities, rich cultural heritage, delicious cuisine, and unforgettable experiences. We hope the memories of cruising through **Ha Long Bay**, walking across the iconic **Golden Bridge**, exploring the lantern-lit streets of **Hoi An**, discovering the history of **Cu Chi Tunnels**, and experiencing the beauty of the **Mekong Delta** will remain with you for years to come.

Thank you for choosing **Sunrays Holiday**. We sincerely appreciate your trust and look forward to welcoming you on another exciting adventure in the near future.

Have a safe flight and a pleasant journey home!

Today's Highlights

- Leisurely Breakfast
- Hotel Check-out

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- Group Airport Transfer
 - Departure from Ho Chi Minh City

?? **Meals:** Breakfast

Note: This is a **Mixed Group Tour**, welcoming **solo travellers, couples, families, and senior citizens**. Join **Sunrays Holiday** and create unforgettable memories together.

Package Inclusions

Please Check Package Inclusions Carefully,

- Services of a professional Sunrays Holiday Tour Manager throughout the tour.
- Comfortable transportation by Air-Conditioned Coach / Tempo Traveller / Mini Bus / Small Car / Large Coach, depending on the final group size.
- 07 Nights Premium Accommodation on a Twin/Double Sharing Basis, including: 01 Night in Hanoi – 4? Hotel 01 Night on a 4? Ha Long Bay Overnight Cruise 03 Nights in Da Nang – 4? Hotel 02 Nights in Ho Chi Minh City – 4? Hotel
- Daily Breakfast & Indian Dinner, along with 01 Local Lunch on the Ha Long Bay Cruise.
- 500ML X 2 packaged drinking water per person per day.
- All entrance fees to the sightseeing attractions mentioned in the itinerary.
- Vietnam Tourist Visa Fee included.
- All tips for drivers, restaurant staff, and cruise crew.
- All airport transfers and sightseeing as per the day-to-day itinerary.
- Services of experienced English-speaking local guides at all destinations.

Package Exclusions

Please Read Package Exclusions List Carefully.

Airfare is not included, including: India ? Hanoi Hanoi ? Da Nang Da Nang ? Ho Chi Minh City Ho Chi Minh City ? IndiaGovt Tax of 5% over and above the Tour Cost mentionedTCS @ 2% on the total invoice amount (as applicable under the Income Tax Act and refundable by claiming credit while filing your Income Tax Return, subject to prevailing government regulations). If a valid PAN is not provided or is inoperative, TCS will be collected at the applicable higher rate (currently 20%) as per the prevailing provisions of the Income Tax Act. The applicable TCS can be claimed as credit while filing your Income Tax Return, subject to government rules.Any increase in tax, fuel surcharge etc.Any increase in Govt Taxes, Fuel Surcharges and any applicability of new taxes from GovtAny up gradation in vehicle class or hotel room categoryAny extra expense such as route change, Airline change, Date change, Accommodation facilities, etc. incurred due to the unforeseen, unavoidable forced majeure circumstances during the tourPorterage, laundry, telephone charges, shopping, wines & alcoholic beverages, items of personal nature and food or drink which is not part of a set group menuAny extra cost incurred on behalf of an individual due to illness, accident, hospitalization, or any personal emergencyCost of insuranceAny services or activity charges other than those included in the group tour itineraryLunches (except 01 Local Lunch included on the Ha Long Bay Overnight Cruise).Anything specifically not mentioned in the 'tour price includes' column. Note: TCS (Tax Collected at Source) is not an additional tax. It is adjustable/refundable against your income tax liability and can be claimed while filing your Income Tax Return (ITR), subject to the prevailing rules of the Government of India.

Additional Information / Notes

Documents Required for Travel

- Original passport with minimum 6 months validity from the date of tour arrival along with sufficient blank pages for the stamping of visa
- A valid Tourist Visa for the duration of the tour
- Handwritten passport is not acceptable

Packing List

- A light-weighted Haversack or Backpack, and a smaller day pack
- Good pair of trekking shoes and a pair of flip-flops
- Thermal Inners
Fleece Jackets
Windcheater/ponch
- Woolen Shocks And Gloves For Bumla Pass
- Head Torch – Necessary for Caving
- Personal clothing
Track pants, shorts napkins, etc.
- Cap, sunglasses, etc.
- Camera, binoculars, etc. (Optional)
- Toiletries – Sunscreen, Moisturizer, Lip balm, Wet wipes, Toothbrush, Toothpaste, Hand Sanitizer, etc.
- Extra Polythene Bags (To segregate clothes.)
- Any medicines that you consume normally, post consulting a doctor.
- Mosquito repellent.
- Snacks & Biscuits To munch.
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Important Note

Suggested Flight Schedule

Sector 01 | 21st October | India ? Hanoi (HAN)

Recommended Flight:

Mumbai: 00:40 hrs ? **Hanoi:** 07:10 hrs

OR

Guests may book **any flight arriving in Hanoi before 9:00 AM on 21st October** to avail the scheduled **10:00 AM** group airport pickup.

Sector 02 | 23rd October | Hanoi (HAN) ? Da Nang (DAD)

Recommended Flight:
18:45 hrs ? 20:05 hrs

Guests are advised to book the above flight to continue with the group itinerary.

Sector 03 | 26th October | Da Nang (DAD) ? Ho Chi Minh City (SGN)

Recommended Flight:
08:40 AM / 09:00 AM ? 10:00 AM

Guests are advised to book the recommended morning flight for a seamless continuation of the tour.

Sector 04 | 28th October | Ho Chi Minh City (SGN) ? India

Guests are advised to book **any flight departing after 5:00 PM on 28th October** to avail the scheduled **1:00 PM** group airport transfer.

Flight Booking Instructions

For guests travelling from cities other than Mumbai:

- Book a flight arriving in **Hanoi before 9:00 AM on 21st October** to join the scheduled group airport pickup.
- Book your return flight from **Ho Chi Minh City after 5:00 PM on 28th October** to avail the scheduled group airport transfer.
- Book the recommended domestic flights:
 - **23rd October:** Hanoi (HAN) ? Da Nang (DAD)
 - **26th October:** Da Nang (DAD) ? Ho Chi Minh City (SGN)
- To ensure smooth transfers and a hassle-free travel experience, **all guests are strongly advised to book the same flights as recommended above.**

Important Note: Air tickets are not included in the tour package. However, your **Vietnam Tourist Visa is included**. Our **Sunrays Holiday** team will be happy to assist you with **flight bookings** to ensure a seamless travel experience.

Tour Pricing

Cost Per Head

USD 760/- Per Person (Twin/Double Sharing)

Ex. Hanoi (07 Nights & 08 Days)

Partial Payment

INR: 25000

100 % Payment Required If Booked Within 45 Days Of Travel Date.