

A TASTE OF VIETNAM

7 DAYS / 6 NIGHTS

CODE VNRT001E

VALIDITY 01.01.2025 - 31.12.2025

TYPE Private

START Daily

HANOI – HALONG – HANOI – HUE – HOI AN – SAIGON



I. HIGHLIGHTS

- Halong Bay Cruise: Explore Halong Bay's stunning limestone caves and enjoy a seafood lunch on a 6-hour cruise.
- Hanoi City Tour: Discover Hanoi's history with visits to Ba Dinh Square, Hoan Kiem Lake, and the Temple of Literature.
- Hue Imperial Palace: Tour the Imperial Palace and Tu Duc Tomb, followed by a cyclo ride through the citadel.
- Hoi An Ancient Town: Explore Hoi An's historic streets, including the Japanese Covered Bridge and local markets.

II. ITINERARY

DAY 1

HANOI – HALONG

Arrive on flight xxx (before midday), where you will be warmly greeted by your guide. Enjoy a scenic transfer to Halong Bay, approximately 3.5 hours, and spend the rest of the day at your leisure, soaking in the serene surroundings.

Overnight in HALONG⁽⁻⁾

DAY 2

HALONG – HANOI

Halong Bay is one of Vietnam's most breathtaking natural wonders and was designated a UNESCO World Heritage Site in 1994. This stunning bay is dotted with nearly 2,000 islets that rise majestically from the emerald waters of the Gulf of Tonkin. Spend 6 hours cruising through the serene waters of Halong Bay, exploring two limestone caves adorned with vibrant stalagmites and stalactites—an experience you'll never forget. Relish a delicious seafood lunch served on board. After the cruise, return to Hanoi by vehicle.

Overnight in HANOI^(B, L)

DAY 3

HANOI – HUE

With a millennium-long history, Hanoi is a city of lakes, shaded boulevards and public parks dotted with French-style buildings and historical monuments. During the half-day city tour, you'll see cultural and historical highlights, comprising Ba Dinh Square, Ho Chi Minh's former residence, Presidential Palace (in order to take photos of the outside), One-pillar Pagoda, Temple of Literature, Hoan Kiem Lake, and Ngoc Son Temple. The tour gives you time for shopping and socializing with the local people.

Airport transfer with Guide. Flight from Hanoi to Hue. Airport transfer with Guide.

Overnight in HUE^(B)

DAY 4

HUE

Enjoy sightseeing in Hue including a visit to the Imperial Palace with cyclo-ride, the tomb of the emperor Tu Duc as well as a visit to Dong Ba Market. The Imperial Palace was completed in 1833 and from here the emperors of the Nguyen Dynasty ruled Vietnam until 1945. Entering the citadel via a stone bridge you can see the Thai Hoa Palace, an important venue for official receptions and other important court ceremonies. The ostentatious columns supporting the roof are lacquered and inlaid with gold. There is a pair of smaller halls behind the Thai Hoa Palace used by mandarins to prepare for court ceremonies. A one-hour pedicab ride gives you a chance to assess the size of the citadel and to watch the daily life of people living in its boundaries. The tomb of Tu Duc is one of the most beautiful works of royal architecture of the Nguyen dynasty. In a sprawling lush pine forest 8km (5 miles) from Hue, this tomb is the final resting place of Emperor Tu Duc (1848-83) who enjoyed the longest reign of any monarch of the Nguyen dynasty. The construction of the tomb started in December 1864 and was completed in 1867. Stroll around Dong Ba Market at the end of your sightseeing.

(B)
Overnight in HUE

DAY 5

HUE – HOI AN

Board a traditional 'Dragon Boat' for a 40 minute ride on the Perfume River to the Thien Mu Pagoda, which overlooks the river. The Thien Mu Pagoda has two sections. The front of the Pagoda houses the seven-storey octagonal Phuoc Duyen tower, which has become the symbol of Hue. The other section of the pagoda is its rear portion, where the monks of the temple live and practice Buddhism. The Pagoda was the centre of Buddhism in central Vietnam. In 1963, in an act of defiance against the Diem regime, Thich Quang Duc torched himself in downtown Saigon. Transfer to Hoi An via the Hai Van Pass with a visit of the Cham Museum in Danang en route. The Cham Museum, housed in a classical French colonial building in Danang, has the finest collection of Cham sculpture in the world.

(B)
Overnight in HOI AN

DAY 6

HOI AN – SAIGON

Start your walking tour at the Culture and History Museum where you will learn about the history of this charming and peaceful town before you walk around the small market regarded as more authentic than markets in Vietnam's big cities. Walk along the main street to the Chinese Assembly Hall of Fujien Chinese community. The hall, built in 1697 has been used as the worshipping place to dedicate to Thien Hau (the Goddess of the Sea or Holy Mother) and the meeting place for the Fujien Chinese community. Continue to the riverbank along narrow streets – on both sides are old houses transformed into beautifully decorated shops with colorful lanterns in different shapes. Next we'll stop to see the Japanese covered bridge built in the early 17th century by Japanese traders who settled in the town. The special pagoda-shaped bridge is now the official symbol of Hoi An. We finish with a visit to a historic old house of this UNESCO - recognized town. Airport Transfer with Guide. Flight from Danang to Saigon. Airport Transfer with Guide.

(B)
Overnight in SAIGON

DAY 7

SAIGON

Enjoy a half day tour through colonial Saigon. The tour will take you through the busiest city of Vietnam for an overview of a rapidly developing city. You will learn its history and culture with stops at the History Museum and Notre Dame Cathedral, the Central Post Office and the Old Town Hall. Take the rest of the time for shopping activities around Dong Khoi Street and Ben Thanh Market. Transfer to the airport for your departure. (B)

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III. RATES

TOUR PRICE

01 JANUARY – 31 DECEMBER 2025

PAX	SUPERIOR 3-4*	DELUXE 4-5*
1 pax in SGL	932	1466
2 pax	792	1051
3 - 4 pax	623	883
5-6 pax	455	720
7-9 pax	435	700
10 + pax	382	650
Single Supplement	140	415

Rates are net and in USD.

Rates mentioned above are based on sharing a Twin or Double and per person.

Please add Single Supplement for any odd number of pax or pax requesting SGL rooms.

ACCOMMODATION

CITY	SUPERIOR 3-4*	DELUXE 4-5*
Halong	Muong Thanh Hotel Deluxe City View	Novotel Halong Superior Room
Hanoi	Anise Hotel Deluxe City View	Hotel Du Parc Deluxe Room

Hue	Park View Hotel ROH	Pilgrimage Village Deluxe Room
Hoi An	Kimán Hoi An Hotel & Spa Deluxe	Almanity Resort & Spa Superior Town (exclude Spa)
Saigon	The Odys Boutique Hotel Deluxe Room	Grand Hotel Saigon Deluxe Room (Luxury Wing)

Accommodation in hotels is subject to availability. If the listed hotel is fully booked, alternate accommodation will be booked within the same hotel category without surcharge/reduction. If no hotel in the same category is available, we preserve the right to apply a surcharge for any higher category or a reduction for any lower category. All hotel ratings are according to the local accreditation authority. Compulsory surcharges and meal options apply during peak holiday periods such as Christmas, May 1st, New Years and Chinese New Year. These will be advised at the time of booking or at any time should the hotel apply on an ad hoc basis.

SERVICES

INCLUDED SERVICES

All described sightseeing as in program above
 Transportation in private air-conditioned vehicle
 Accommodation in hotels with daily breakfast English-speaking local guides
 Domestic flights HAN-HUI and DAD-SGN
 Admission fees to indicated sights
 Meals mentioned in the itinerary (B=breakfast, L=lunch, D=dinner)
 Domestic gov't tax and service charge

EXCLUDED SERVICES

International air tickets Flights & visa fees Travel
 Insurance in all kinds
 Meals not mentioned in itinerary Compulsory
 Meals
 Drinks during Meals
 Tip, drinks, any personal expenses Early
 check-in and late check-out Peak season
 surcharges
 Compulsory meals on 24 and 31 Dec