



Vietnam & Cambodia Discovery

14 Days 13 Nights From \$3,199 per person twin share

- Depart: Sydney / Melbourne
- Availability : Until Jun 2026
- International & Domestic Vietnam Airlines Airfare
- Accommodation 3 ★ Hotels (4 - 5 ★ Hotel Options Available)

Overview

Experience the captivating beauty and rich cultural heritage of Vietnam and Cambodia on this 14-day journey designed specifically for Australian travellers. With direct flights from Sydney, Melbourne, or Perth via 5-star Vietnam Airlines, hassle-free visa assistance, and English-speaking guides throughout, this thoughtfully crafted itinerary balances iconic sights with authentic local experiences and ample free time.

Discover the ancient temples, bustling cities and spellbinding countryside at the heart of Vietnam and Cambodia on this 14-day tour with highlights as below.

Highlights

Explore the cities of Hanoi and Ho Chi Minh City to explore the vibrant mix of influences, from the French to Asian traders, settlers and indigenous peoples.

Observe as daily life unfolds along the banks of the Mekong Delta on a boat cruise, with stops in coconut groves to see how the skills behind ancient handicrafts are handed down from generation to generation.

Explore the charming old town of Hoi An, known for its quaint canals and historic architecture. Sit down to enjoy a famed egg coffee at a local cafe and relax from the hustle and bustle.

You'll also have the chance to take an overnight cruise through the unearthly emerald waters of Ha Long Bay, gliding majestically through jungle-clad limestone peaks.

Explore the world-famous Angkor Wat: spend a full day discovering these ancient archaeological wonders.

With a choice of 3★, 4★ or 5★ accommodations and small group sizes, this journey promises the ideal Southeast Asian experience without compromising on Australian travel preferences.

Destination Overview

Hanoi → Halong Bay → Danang → Hoi An → Ho Chi Minh City → Mekong Delta → Phnom Penh → Siem Reap

This comprehensive journey takes you through the cultural and natural wonders of Vietnam and Cambodia, beginning in Vietnam's charming capital of Hanoi with its blend of French colonial architecture and ancient Asian traditions. You'll then cruise through the UNESCO World Heritage-listed Halong Bay before exploring the atmospheric ancient trading port of Hoi An with its lantern-lit streets and expert tailors.

The adventure continues through vibrant Ho Chi Minh City and the lush waterways of the Mekong Delta before crossing into Cambodia to discover Phnom Penh's royal heritage and the magnificent temples of Angkor in Siem Reap. Throughout your journey, you'll enjoy a perfect balance of guided excursions and free time to explore at your own pace, creating a travel experience that truly captures the essence of Southeast Asia while catering to Australian preferences.

Itinerary in Brief

Day 1 Sydney / Melbourne – Hanoi Arrival (International Flight)

Day 2 Hanoi – City Tour

Day 3 Hanoi – Halong Bay overnight on cruise

Day 4 Halong – Hanoi – Danang – Hoi An (Domestic flight)

Day 5 Hoi An – Free Day

Day 6 Hoi An – Free Day

Day 7 Hoi An – Danang – Ho Chi Minh City (Domestic flight)

Day 8 Ho Chi Minh City – Mekong Delta – Ho Chi Minh City

Day 9 Ho Chi Minh City – Free Day

Day 10 Ho Chi Minh City – Phnom Penh (International Flight)

Day 11 Phnom Penh – Siem Reap (Giant ibis bus)

Day 12 Siem Reap Tour

Day 13 Siem Reap – Free Day

Day 14 Siem Reap – Ho Chi Minh City – Departure – Back to Sydney / Melbourne / Perth (International Flight)



Itinerary

Day 1: Sydney / Melbourne - Hanoi Arrival (No Meal)

Your Vietnam and Cambodia adventure begins with a direct overnight flight from Australia to Vietnam's capital city. Upon arrival at Noi Bai International Airport, our representative will greet you and transfer you to your centrally located hotel in Hanoi, where you can settle in and adjust to the local time zone.

The remainder of your evening is at leisure to rest or perhaps take a gentle stroll around the picturesque Hoan Kiem Lake to get your first taste of Hanoi's vibrant atmosphere. Your guide will provide recommendations for nearby dining options featuring both local Vietnamese cuisine and more familiar international dishes to ease you into your Southeast Asian journey.

Meal included: No meal.

Day 2: Hanoi - Half Day City Tour (Breakfast)

After a hearty breakfast at your hotel, your guide will lead you on a morning tour of Hanoi's highlights, including the Ho Chi Minh Complex and Presidential Palace, the thousand-year-old One Pillar Pagoda, and the Temple of Literature – Vietnam's first university founded in 1070. The tour offers fascinating insights into Vietnam's complex history and cultural heritage while showcasing the city's unique blend of French colonial architecture and ancient Asian influences.

The afternoon is yours to explore Hanoi at your leisure. Perhaps wander through the narrow streets of the Old Quarter, sample Vietnamese coffee at a lakeside café, or visit additional museums and galleries. For those interested in local cuisine, we recommend the optional evening street food tour where you can sample authentic dishes like pho, bun cha, and the famous egg coffee – a Hanoi specialty that Australians particularly enjoy.

Meal included: Breakfast at hotel.

Day 3: Hanoi - Halong Bay/Bai Tu Long - Overnight on Cruise (Breakfast / Lunch / Dinner)

Following breakfast, we'll depart for the approximately 3.5-hour scenic drive to Halong Bay, one of Vietnam's most spectacular natural wonders. Upon arrival, you'll board your comfortable cruise vessel for an overnight experience amongst the bay's iconic limestone karsts. After settling into your cabin and enjoying a welcome drink, a delicious seafood lunch will be served as you begin cruising through the emerald waters.

The afternoon offers various activities depending on your cruise, including visits to spectacular caves, kayaking around hidden lagoons, swimming in secluded areas (weather permitting), and joining a Vietnamese cooking demonstration on deck. As evening falls, enjoy happy hour drinks while watching the sunset over the bay before a fresh seafood dinner. The night concludes with optional activities such as squid fishing under the stars, board games, or simply relaxing on deck – a magical experience that consistently ranks as a highlight for Australian travellers.

Itinerary of 3-star cruise: Garden bay Cruise

08:00 -08:30 Hotel pick-up.

11:45 Arriving at Sunworld International Harbor, Bai Chay Ward, Ha Long City.

12:15 Transfer to Tonkin Cruise Boat by tender

(5 -10 minutes)

12:30 Enjoy welcome drink, safety briefing then
check in to your cabin

13:00 Cruising through Bai Tu Long Bay & having lunch with Set Menu

15:30 Kayaking to explore some lagoons, Swimming, Relaxing at the Beach in Cap La

17:30 Relax and enjoy the sunset party with Happy Hour (from 5h30pm- 7h30pm)

while the boat is cruising to Cong Dong-Cong Do area to anchor for overnight

19:00 Having BBQ dinner (on the sundeck if condition permit otherwise in the restaurant)

21:00 Free evening to join some activities of board games or squid fishing, play guitar,
watch movies or karaoke (advance request) or taste the variety of drinks
at our luxury sky bar (chargeable) with wines, cocktails, brandy, juices...

Itinerary of 4-star cruise: Calypso cruise

12:15 – 13:00 From Tuan Chau wharf, Tuan Chau island of Ha Long city, we go to Calypso Cruise by small boat. A warmly welcome drinks will be served upon arrival the cruise then has a short time for check in proceeds: get a brief introduction and safety guidelines then check in

Have lunch while cruising in the magnificent Ha Long Bay, admiring the fascinating nature, then anchor at Lan Ha Bay area.

15:00 Join a guide to explore hidden parts of the bay, the area of Dark and Bright cave where to goes through the cave, under the mountain to a lake which is formed by a Karst – well like a dragon eye inside the mountain. This is a very beautiful sight that visitors like the most. You share a sampan with other tourists with a local rower OR taking a kayak on your own.

Return to Calypso Cruises for changing swimming suits then join swimming time in the sea or at the swimming pool on sundeck.

17:30 Enjoy happy hours with various drinks on discounts, try swimming pool and charming the bay with our handsome bartenders. Sun set can be seen from the sundeck if it is a lucky day.

18:00 Take part in a cooking demonstration and food décor with our Chef.

19:00 Join dinner at Calypso Cruises restaurant.

20:30 – 22:00 Time of relaxation after a day on sundeck, leisure in room for watching films, sing karaoke in restaurant or go to tender for squid fishing with cruise staffs.

Overnight in Lan Ha Bay.

Itinerary of 5-star cruise: La Regina Grand

11:30 – Arrive at Le Regina private lounge – Lot 24, Tuan Chau Marina – Halong. Receive a warm welcome with a refreshing drink and undergo an express check-in process before boarding the La Regina Grand Cruise.

12:15 – Transferred by speed boat/tender to La Regina Grand Cruise. Embark on the cruise and be greeted by the Cruise Manager, who will provide a comprehensive briefing on the cruise itinerary, activities, and safety guidelines. As the boat sets sail towards Lan Ha Bay, take in the breathtaking views and enjoy the comfort of the cruise.

13:00 – Indulge in a delectable Vietnamese cuisine meal, specially crafted to tantalize your taste buds while avoiding the tourist crowds, ensuring a serene and relaxing dining experience.

15:30 – Reach the enchanting Light and Dark Cave, a prominent attraction in Lan Ha Bay known for its pristine and tranquil beauty. Explore this natural wonder either by a local boat or by kayaking. Take a refreshing swim in the emerald waters surrounding the cruise.

17:30 – Return to the cruise and savor the mesmerizing sunset over the bay while delighting in the “Happy Hour” offerings. For an immersive experience, join our chef in the kitchen and learn the art of making traditional spring rolls.

19:00 – Weather permitting, relish a delightful dinner on the sundeck or at La Corona restaurant on the second floor. Delight in a fusion of traditional Vietnamese flavors and innovative culinary influences, showcasing premium, fresh ingredients.

After dinner, unwind with your preferred activity, be it a fun squid fishing session, spa (additional fees apply), or simply relaxing and soaking in the serene ambiance.

Meal included: Breakfast at hotel, Lunch and Dinner on cruise.

Day 4: Halong Bay - Hanoi - Danang - Hoi An (Breakfast / Brunch)

Early risers can join a peaceful Tai Chi session on the sundeck as the morning light illuminates the bay. After a light breakfast or coffee, you'll visit either a floating fishing village or another scenic cave before returning to the cruise vessel for a hearty brunch while sailing back to the harbour. Once disembarked, you'll travel to Hanoi airport for your domestic flight to Danang in central Vietnam.

Upon arrival in Danang, our representative will transfer you to Hoi An, approximately 30 minutes away. After checking into your hotel, the evening is free to begin exploring Hoi An's enchanting ancient town with its distinctive mix of Vietnamese, Chinese, Japanese and European architecture. The town is particularly magical in the evening when colourful lanterns illuminate the streets, creating a romantic atmosphere that's perfect for a leisurely dinner at one of the many riverside restaurants.

Suggestion flight: from 16:00 onward

Itinerary of 3-star cruise: Garden Bay Cruise

06:30: Wake up early in the morning for Taichi exercise.

07:00: Have a light breakfast while the boat cruising to Vung Vieng area (app 45 min)

07:45: Visit Vung Vieng Fishing Village by bamboo boat to discover the daily life of the fisher communities.

09:00: Back to the main boat, relaxing packing up

09:30: Checking-out and relaxing on the sundeck.

10:30: Enjoy the last scenery of the Ha Long Bay over lunch when the boat cruises back to shore.

11:30: Disembark and return to Hanoi to take flight to Danang where you will be greeted and driven to Hoi An originally a Cham seaport but influenced over the centuries by a myriad of traders from various cultures. Then you are free. Overnight in Hoi an.

Itinerary of 4-star cruise: Calypso cruise

06:00 Welcome a new day with amazing dawn on the Legendary Gulf of Tonkin. Refresh your body & soul by taking a Tai-chi lesson on sundeck.

06:45 – 7:30 Have breakfast in the restaurant.

07:30 – 08:30 Join a guided and get your hands on some Kayaking to explore Tra Bau area. For those who do not fancy at kayaking can swim at the swimming pool on sundeck or swim in the sea.

08:30 – 9:30 Return to Calypso Cruises for shower. Check out of your room.

09:30 – 10:30 An early lunch will be served.

10:45 – 11:00 After paying the bills, a small boat will take all of us to Tuan Chau wharf.

11:00 – 11:45 Calypso cruises end at Tuan Chau wharf. Then we return to take flight to Danang where you will be greeted and driven to Hoi an originally a Cham seaport but influenced over the centuries by a myriad of traders from various cultures. Then you are free. Overnight in Hoi An.

Itinerary of 5-star cruise: La Regina Grand

06:00 – Awaken to the sunrise on the sundeck and immerse yourself in a Tai Chi session. Savor the crisp bay air while relishing a cup of invigorating tea or coffee.

06:45 – Enjoy a quick breakfast onboard, fueling up for an exciting day ahead.

07:30 – Embark on the tour of Cat Ba World Biosphere, It will take you around 30-minute from Gia Luan to Trung Trang Cave – one of the most impressive caves in Cat Ba Island, Vietnam.

09:30 – Return to La Regina Grand Cruise to unwind and complete the check-out process at the reception. Kindly place your luggage outside your cabin, crew members will help to bring luggage on land.

09:45 – Savor lunch in the restaurant while La Regina Grand Cruise back to Tuan Chau Harbor.

11:00 – Bid farewell to the cruise team as you disembark, concluding the journey with a speed boat ride back to Tuan Chau Marina. Return to Hanoi to take flight to Danang where you will be greeted and driven to Hoi an originally a Cham seaport but influenced over the centuries by a myriad of traders from various cultures. Then you are free. Overnight in Hoi An.

*Details cruise program will be update upon confirmation. Anyway it still can change prior to departure date without notification due the weather or quay policy

Optional Activity: Hanoi Evening Street Food Tour

Your English-speaking local guide will give you an insight into the intricacies and traditions of Vietnamese food culture including details on ingredients and historical backgrounds of popular northern dishes. We eat as we go, sampling tasty Hanoian street food from a street cart.

Walking through the maze of bustling streets that make up Hanoi's Old Quarter, we tempt our tastebuds with the famed Hanoi dish Bun Cha Ta, Nen Ran, Pho at a local eatery. Watch in awe as the skilled chefs demonstrate for you how this tasty dish is put together. Continuing into the atmospheric heart of the Old Quarter, we wander past street stalls and quiet residential lanes where you can observe local life that has changed little since Hanoi was founded over 1000 years ago.

Now, it's time for dessert as we venture down a small alley to join in the local tradition of feasting on fresh fruit served in a cup and smothered with crushed iced and condensed milk – this specialty is one not to be missed!

Your local guide will then take you to one of Hanoi's best kept secrets, a hidden café inside the old quarter. This hard-to-find café is one of the few lefts in the city that still serves egg coffee, a scrumptious local delicacy that we will sample whilst admiring the hustle and bustle of the city center below. Or, if coffee is not your style, a cold beer awaits!

At the end of our Hanoi Street food tour, you are free to continue exploring the area or your guide will assist you with directions or a taxi back to your hotel.

Meal included: Breakfast at hotel, Brunch on cruise.

Day 5: Hoi An - Free Day (Breakfast)

Enjoy a relaxed breakfast at your hotel before a full day to discover the UNESCO-listed ancient town of Hoi An at your own pace. This former trading port dates back to the 15th century and is remarkably well-preserved, with its charming streets lined with heritage buildings, traditional shophouses, and the iconic Japanese Covered Bridge. The town is also famous for its tailor shops, where you can have clothing custom-made within 24 hours – a popular activity among Australian visitors.

For those seeking a more active day, you might cycle to nearby An Bang Beach for some relaxation by the South China Sea, or join the optional excursion to Ba Na Hills, featuring the famous Golden Bridge supported by giant stone hands. As evening approaches, the town becomes even more atmospheric with thousands of colourful lanterns illuminating the streets and waterways, creating perfect photo opportunities and a truly magical ambiance.

Optional SIC tour to Ba Na Hill
Depart: 7:30-8:00 from Hoi An

End: 17:30 – 18:00 at Hoi An

07:30 am – 08:00 am: Our Minivan and a tour guide pick you up at the hotel lobby. Reach Ba Na Hills via Cable Car.

Spend your time on the most modern Cable Car in Southeast Asia, then take The Climbing Train to visit the top of the mountain & further explore Le Jardin D'Amour (consists of 9 gardens), Debay Wine Cellar (old wineries) & Ling Ung Pagoda.

Continue the 2nd Cable Car to visit the French Village (enjoy Street Music, watch Art's statue), Campanile, Nine Floor Goddess Shrine, Tombstone Temple, Linh Phong Monastery, Linh Chua Linh Tu Temple & Tru Vu Tea Shop.

Watch Carnival Performance Show, Square Du Dome...

Challenge the most popular adventure ride – Slide of Tube Car (free ride),

Lunch at Restaurant (Buffet)

Join in Fantasy Park with Walking in Fairy Forest, discover Dinosaur Park, play 5D wild west, enjoy 4D death race ride, watch 3D mega 360-degree, ride on Journey into the underground, enter Jurassic Park, challenge Free fall Tower and participate in adventure in Horror House and over 90 free games.

15:00: return the Cable Car for leaving Ba Na Hills.

Highlight: Unique and unique design, unprecedented in Vietnam, the Golden Bridge is built at a height of more than 1400 meters above sea level. With total length of about 150 meters, with 8 spans, the largest is 21.2 meters. The bridge is made of 3 meters wide, 5 cm thick wood; along the aisles are planted a lot of flowers Queen Green, above the railing is made of stainless-steel gilt.

16:45 – 18:00: Our Minivan brings you back to your hotel.

Included: Sharing bus car with A/C, cable cars, entrance fee in the Fantasy Park, Alpine Coaster, Le Jardin D'amour, Debay Wine Cellar fee, Lunch with buffet, a bottle of mineral water, English speaking tour guide.

Meal included: Breakfast at hotel.

Day 6: Hoi An - Free Day (Breakfast)

After breakfast, enjoy another day to further explore Hoi An and its surrounding areas at your leisure. This additional free day allows you to truly soak in the laid-back atmosphere that makes Hoi An a favourite among

Australian travellers. Perhaps venture into the countryside to discover rural Vietnamese life, visit the ancient Cham ruins at My Son Sanctuary, or simply wander the town's narrow streets, discovering hidden cafés and art galleries.

For those interested in Vietnamese cuisine, the optional cooking class in Cam Thanh's coconut jungle offers an immersive cultural experience. You'll visit a local market to select fresh ingredients before taking a traditional round boat to the cooking school, where you'll learn to prepare classic Vietnamese dishes that you can recreate back home in Australia. The class includes a delicious lunch featuring your culinary creations – a memorable way to connect with Vietnamese culture through its flavourful cuisine.

Optional tour to Cam Thanh coconut Jungle cooking class

8:00 your guide will pick you up at your hotel at 8 am to 8:30 am by car or minivan.

Learn some Vietnamese words that can be used to bargain with local people over something at the market.

8:30 am: comeback to your cargo to the countryside where you can stop to take photo (5 minutes)

8:45: you can explore local market. Your guide will give you some money that you can buy somethings from local market.

9:45: take round boats to cooking school at Cam Thanh fishing village. We join with the local fisherman in traditional round boats as we paddle in to coconut forest waterways to catch purple crabs take photo, enjoy fresh air.

10:00 arrive cooking school

Welcome drink, your chef will demonstrate Vietnamese menu: you cook by yourself

How to make

Fish sauce

- Rice paper you can try how to make a wet rice paper
- Make wet spring roll: You use wet rice paper to make spring roll with shrimp, pork, herbs..
- Then you can taste with fish sauce
- Green papaya (mango or banana flower) salad
- Fish in Banana leaf: when the meal has been prepared we will enjoy what you cooked

13:30: Back to hotel, end tour.

Meal included: Breakfast at hotel.

Day 7: Hoi An - Danang - Ho Chi Minh City (Breakfast)

Following breakfast at your hotel, the morning is free for last-minute shopping or exploration in Hoi An before your transfer to Danang Airport. A short domestic flight will take you to Ho Chi Minh City (formerly Saigon), Vietnam's largest and most dynamic urban center. Upon arrival, our representative will meet you and transfer you to your centrally located hotel in this vibrant metropolis.

The remainder of the day is yours to begin discovering Ho Chi Minh City's unique energy and character. Take a stroll around the central District 1 area to see landmarks such as the Opera House, Notre Dame Cathedral, and the historic Continental Hotel, or explore the bustling Ben Thanh Market. Your guide can recommend excellent dining options ranging from street food to sophisticated restaurants that blend Vietnamese flavours with international influences – perfect for your first evening in southern Vietnam.

Meal included: Breakfast at hotel.

Day 8: Ho Chi Minh City - Mekong Day Tour (Join in services) (Breakfast / Brunch)

7h30 AM Our tour guide will welcome you at your hotel before heading to My Tho city by bus. Enjoy the scenery and green rice paddies during the one-and-a-half-hour bus ride. Along the way, we will visit Vinh Trang pagoda, the biggest pagoda in the Mekong delta. Continue to My Tho, where we take a boat trip along the Mekong River, where you can see fish cages and floating houses on the river.

The boat takes you to a small canal, escaping the hustle and bustle of the town. We disembark at a coconut island in Ben Tre and enjoy a walk around the village. Stop at a local family home to enjoy tropical fruit, taste the honey tea and honey wine and listen to Vietnamese traditional music performed by the villagers. Check out the coconut candy shop and learn how to make candy, and see handicrafts made from coconuts.

Take your time snapping photos and enjoy the natural scenery before we head to the local restaurant. Lunch is set with special Vietnamese food. Enjoy your lunch outside under the shade of the trees. After lunch, enjoy your time relaxing, walking around the village, or perhaps going for a short bike ride. Travel back to Saigon and arrive around 5.00 pm for the end of the tour.

Meal included: Breakfast at hotel, Lunch at local restaurant.

Day 9: Ho Chi Minh City - Free Day (Breakfast)

Enjoy breakfast at your hotel before a full day to explore Ho Chi Minh City at your own pace. This dynamic metropolis offers something for everyone – from poignant historical sites like the War Remnants Museum and Reunification Palace to French colonial landmarks such as the Central Post Office designed by Gustave Eiffel and the Notre Dame Cathedral. The city also boasts excellent shopping opportunities ranging from modern malls to bustling local markets.

Food enthusiasts will appreciate Ho Chi Minh City's diverse culinary scene, from street food stalls to sophisticated restaurants serving both Vietnamese and international cuisine. Coffee lovers shouldn't miss experiencing Vietnam's unique coffee culture at one of the city's many cafés. For those interested in recent history, an optional excursion to the Cu Chi Tunnels offers fascinating insights into the underground network used during the Vietnam War – an educational experience that provides valuable context for Australian visitors.

Meal included: Breakfast at hotel.

Day 10: Ho Chi Minh City - Phnom Penh (Breakfast)

Suggest flight at 15:45 – 16:40

Following breakfast, enjoy a free morning for last-minute exploration or shopping in Ho Chi Minh City before transferring to the airport for your short flight to Phnom Penh, Cambodia's capital city. Upon arrival, our representative will greet you and transfer you to your hotel in this fascinating city where Cambodia's royal heritage meets its complex recent history.

The evening is yours to rest after your journey or perhaps take a stroll along Sisowath Quay, the vibrant riverside promenade lined with restaurants and cafés. Here you can enjoy your first taste of Khmer cuisine while watching the sunset over the confluence of the Tonle Sap and Mekong Rivers. Your guide can recommend suitable dining options catering to Australian palates while offering authentic Cambodian flavours – a perfect introduction to this captivating country.

Overnight in Phnom Penh.

Meal included: Breakfast at hotel.

Day 11: Phnom Penh - Siem Reap (Breakfast)

Breakfast is at the hotel. We leave hotel at 8.30am by car to take a challenge of Cyclo ride (rickshaw) along riverfront for fantastic morning highlight of Phnom Penh Capital toward Independent Monument where we stop to capture some beautiful photos before resuming the ride to stroll around Central Market to see bustling local trades. Finished the Cyclo ride at Royal Palace, we walk to visit The Royal Palace – a complex of buildings which are served as the royal residence for the King of Cambodia, admired by impressive Silver Pagoda with over 5000 solid silver tiles and other Royal Stupas, shrines, monuments etc. Return to the hotel for refreshment and break.

Simply enjoy the rest of free time in Phnom Penh before our team picks you up from hotel's lobby and transfers to Siem Reap by Giant ibis bus. Upon your arrival at bus station, you will be greeted by our friendly team then transfers to a booked hotel for check in and have your own leisure. The evening is free to explore the lively Pub Street area and vibrant night markets, where you can sample local cuisine and perhaps enjoy a traditional Apsara dance performance – a cultural experience that offers insights into Cambodia's artistic heritage.

Overnight in Siem Reap.

Meal included: Breakfast at hotel.

Day 12: Siem Reap Tour (Breakfast)

Following breakfast, you'll embark on a full-day exploration of the magnificent Angkor Archaeological Park, beginning at the South Gate of Angkor Thom with its imposing stone faces. Your guide will lead you through the ancient city to discover the enigmatic Bayon Temple with its 200 smiling faces carved in stone, the impressive Baphuon and Phimeanakas temples, and the intricately carved Terrace of the Elephants. You'll also visit Ta Prohm, where massive tree roots entwine with ancient stonework in a dramatic display of nature reclaiming human creation – a temple made famous by the Tomb Raider film.

The afternoon is dedicated to exploring Angkor Wat, Cambodia's crown jewel and the world's largest religious monument. Built in the 12th century, this architectural masterpiece features exquisite bas-reliefs extending nearly one kilometer, depicting scenes from Hindu mythology and Khmer history. Your guide will explain the significance of this UNESCO World Heritage site as you wander through its impressive corridors and courtyards. As the day concludes, you'll return to your hotel to relax after a day filled with awe-inspiring discoveries that consistently rank as the highlight of our Australian guests' journey.

Meal included: Breakfast at hotel.

Day 13: Siem Reap - Free Day (Breakfast)

Enjoy breakfast at your hotel before a full day to further explore Siem Reap and its surroundings at your leisure. You might choose to visit additional temples such as the intricately carved pink sandstone temple of Banteay Srei, often called the "Citadel of Women," or take a boat trip to discover the floating villages on Tonle Sap Lake, where entire communities live on water, adapting to the lake's dramatic seasonal changes.

Alternatively, spend the day relaxing at your hotel, enjoying a traditional Khmer massage, or exploring Siem Reap's excellent shopping opportunities for handcrafted souvenirs and artwork. The Angkor National Museum offers fascinating insights into Khmer civilization for those interested in deeper cultural understanding. Your final evening in Cambodia is perfect for a special farewell dinner featuring Khmer cuisine and perhaps

attending an Apsara dance performance that showcases Cambodia's classical dance traditions – a memorable way to conclude your Southeast Asian adventure.

Overnight in Siem Reap.

Meal included: Breakfast at hotel.

Day 14: Siem Reap - Ho Chi Minh City Departure Back to Sydney / Melbourne (Breakfast)

After a final breakfast in Cambodia, the morning is free for last-minute shopping or relaxation before transferring to Siem Reap International Airport for your flight to Ho Chi Minh City. There, you'll connect with your international flight back to Australia, bringing your 14-day Vietnam and Cambodia discovery to a close with memories and experiences to last a lifetime.

As you journey home, reflect on the diverse experiences of your trip – from the emerald waters of Halong Bay to the ancient temples of Angkor, the charming lantern-lit streets of Hoi An to the vibrant energy of Ho Chi Minh City. The rich cultural heritage, warm hospitality, and breathtaking landscapes of Vietnam and Cambodia create an unforgettable Southeast Asian adventure tailored to Australian travellers.

Meal included: Breakfast at hotel.

Note: check out time is 12:00.

End of services. Have an enjoyable journey!

Tour Prices & Hotels

Tour Prices

Group size (Min.2 person)	Standard Class (3*)	Superior Class (4*)	Deluxe Class (5*)
Price per person	\$ 3,199	\$ 3,499	\$ 4,099
Single supplement min 3 pax	\$ 800	\$ 1000	\$ 1,650

List of Hotels (or Similar)

Standard Class (3*)

City	Hotel	Room Type
Hanoi	Chalcedony	ROH
Halong Bay	Oriental Sails	Deluxe Cabin
Hoi An	La Pavillion Paradise Hoi An	Deluxe
Ho Chi Minh City	Acnos	Deluxe
Phnom Penh	Okay Boutique hotel	Superior
Siem Reap	Pierre Hotel	Deluxe City View

Superior Class (4*)

City	Hotel	Room Type
Hanoi	The Q	ROH
Halong Bay	Calypso Cruise	Deluxe Cabin
Hoi An	Shinning Riverside Hoi An	Deluxe Pool View
Ho Chi Minh City	Alagon D'antique	Deluxe Room
Phnom Penh	Capri by Fraser	Deluxe
Siem Reap	Somadevi Angkor	Superior

Deluxe Class (5*)

City	Hotel	Room Type
Hanoi	Pan Pacific	Deluxe
Halong Bay	La Region Grand	Bai Tu Long suite
Hoi An	Allegro Hoi An	Junior Suite
Ho Chi Minh City	Grand Saigon	Premium Deluxe
Phnom Penh	Sun & Moon Riverside	Deluxe

Siem Reap	Somadevi Angkor Boutique	Executive Deluxe
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Departure Dates

Departure from Sydney & Melbourne on

2025: 20 Aug, 03 Sep, 22 Oct, 12 Nov, 03 Dec.

2026: 25 Feb, 18 Mar, 01 Apr, 13 May, 10 Jun.

Tour Inclusions & Exclusions

Inclusions

- Return international Vietnam Airlines airfare from Sydney / Melbourne to Vietnam!
- 02 domestic airfares: Hanoi to Da Nang, Da Nang to Ho Chi Minh City.
- 02 international flights from Vietnam to Cambodia.
- 02 days / 01 night on cruise in Halong Bay (share cruise/ shared cabin of twin or double)
- Meals (Breakfast/Lunch/Dinner) as indicated in itinerary
 - Daily breakfast at the hotel
 - 01 lunch + 01 dinner + 01 brunch on cruise in Ha Long Bay
- 02 bottles of mineral water/ person/ day on bus on days of transfer and sightseeing
- Local English-speaking guides:
 - Hanoi: 01 guide. Trip to Halong use guide inhouse of cruise
 - Da Nang – Hoi An: 01 guide
 - Ho Chi Minh City: 01 guide
 - Siem Reap: 01 guide
- Half day city tour Hanoi
- Join in tour (SIC services): Mekong Delta trip
- All transfers and transportation with air-con vehicles (types of vehicles depending on the number of pax) except Transfer Hanoi – Halong – Hanoi by shuttle bus.

Exclusion

- Visa to Vietnam (contact VN Holidays team to help with service fee.)
- Travel insurance
- Optional Tour
- Entrance fee to Hoi An town
- Early check-in or late check-out
- Meals, drinks, tips, and all not mentioned

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- Items of a personal nature (phone calls, laundry, beverages,...)
- Additional transfer required due to any emergency situation
- Optional excursions and activities
- Peak season surcharges if any

Other Information

Changes

- The itinerary can be changed due to weather, tide levels, and operating conditions.
- Programmers, prices, services and conditions are based on those valid at the time of proposal submission and are subject to change thereafter without advance notice until all services have been paid in full.

Special requests

- Your special requests (diet, vegetarian,...) should be sent before your departure date.

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