

**Welcome to the**  
**Vietnam Family Trips: Hanoi-Nha Trang-Saigon 13 days**  
**Tripcode: 300**  
**Tour length: 13**

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## **DETAILED ITINERARY**

### **DAY 1: ARRIVAL HANOI, VIETNAM**

Pick you up on arrival and transfer to the hotel, check in and if there is time permits, we will start to visit Ho Chi Minh President Complex (Ho Chi Minh Mausoleum, the house on stilts, presidential palace, the One Pillar Pagoda at outside only). Visiting this site, you will understand more about the life of President Ho, a great leader, Hero of national liberation and a great man of world culture. Our next stop is the Temple of Literature, which is built in 1070 and it is the first university of Vietnam. Overnight Hanoi.

### **DAY 2: HANOI - HALONG BAY CRUISES (ABOARD)- SHUTTLE BUS**

Have breakfast at hotel.

Our Shuttle bus and tour guide will pick you up at hotel lobby at around 08.30 Am and depart for Halong Bay, some 170 km away from Hanoi and drive down to the biggest delta (the Red River delta), great opportunity for stopping along the way for taking pictures of local daily activities.

On Arrival, board the traditional sailing junk and ready for [Halong Bay Cruises](#). Whilst cruising the exquisite waters sample the regions fresh seafood.

Visit the recently discovered Surprise Grotto with its great views, and on the next island see the yawning mouth of Bo Nau Cave.

Alternatively journey to Dau Go Cave and nearby see the famous stalagmites and stalactites of Thien Cung Cave.

Enjoy a swim in the emerald waters of Halong Bay at any spot that you wish to visit.

Watch the sunset over the bay whilst enjoying a delicious dinner. Overnight on boat (B/L/D)

### **DAY 3: HALONG BAY CRUISE- HANOI -SHUTTLE BUS**

Wake up to fresh coffee and a wholesome breakfast before cruising back to Halong City. En route, the junk weaves through strange-shaped rock formations that invite comparisons from fighting cocks to dragons and even General de Gaulle's nose! A quick early lunch will be served before disembark at the dock at Halong City by noon time.

Meet back the shuttle bus and driver back Hanoi on the same road.

Arrival Hanoi around 04.00 Pm and check in the hotel, free time for your own shopping in Old quarter Hanoi. Overnight Hanoi (B/L)

### **DAY 4: HANOI-NHA TRANG/ FLY**

Have breakfast in the hotel and next will transfer to Noi Bai airport for flying to Nha Trang Beach City. Meet our guide at Cam Ranh airport and transfer to hotel in town, free time at leisure and Overnight in Nha Trang. (B)

### **DAY 5: NHA TRANG FREE DAY FOR SWIM**

Have breakfast in the hotel and free time at leisure for swimming on beach. Overnight Nha Trang (B)

### **DAY 6: NHA TRANG FREE DAY FOR SWIM**

Have breakfast in the hotel and free time at leisure for swimming on beach. Overnight Nha Trang (B)

#### **DAY 7: NHA TRANG FREE DAY FOR SWIM**

Have breakfast in the hotel and free time at leisure for swimming on beach. Overnight Nha Trang (B)

#### **DAY 8: NHA TRANG FREE DAY FOR SWIMMING**

Have breakfast in the hotel and free time at leisure for swimming on beach. Overnight Nha Trang (B)

#### **DAY 9: FREE DAY IN NHA TRANG**

Have breakfast in the hotel, free time for your own of relaxing and sightseeing today (B)

#### **DAY 10: FREE DAY IN NHA TRANG**

Have breakfast in the hotel, free time for your own of relaxing and sightseeing today (B)

#### **DAY 11: NHA TRANG- SAIGON/ FLIGHT**

Have breakfast in the hotel, next will transfer you back the airport for flying to Saigon/ Hochiminh city, at Tan Son Nhat airport, meet our Saigon guide to transfer to your hotel in downtown and if there time permits, we will visit to the Unification Palace, the former palace of President Thieu and his predecessors.

Today this building is a museum and venue for official receptions. there will be over 1 hour of sightseeing entire the building from the private rooms of the president, the "War Room" from where the South Vietnamese forces were controlled, and underground head quarter.

Next will be the Post Office and the Saigon Notre Dame Cathedral, built between 1877 and 1883 and one of the city's major landmarks. Neo-Romanesque in form, Notre Dame is the major seat of the Catholic religion in modern Vietnam. Overnight Saigon (B)

#### **DAY 12: CU CHI TUNNELS- CAO DAI TEMPLES**

Early in the morning, we pick you up at your hotel and depart for cu chi tunnels. By 1965, 250 km of tunnels criss-crossed Cu Chi and surrounding areas -just across the Saigon River was the notorious guerrilla power base known as the IRON TRIANGLE.

The Cu Chi tunnels played a vital part in the American war in that they allowed the Viet Cong to control a large rural area only 30 to 40 km from Saigon. At its height, the tunnel system stretched from Saigon to the Cambodian border. The network, parts of which were several levels deep, included innumerable trap doors, specially constructed living areas, storage facilities, weapons factories, field hospitals, command centres and kitchens. Today the remaining tunnels have become a major tourist attraction giving the visitor a unique experience and feel of what underground life in the American War must have been like.

The tunnels have been widened for our benefit (otherwise we would not be able to enter them!) For those interested there's even the opportunity to fire off rounds from an AK47 or MK16 at the nearby rifle range. Tour ends, we will drive for Cao Dai Temple in Tay Ninh (Have lunch in town of Tay Ninh), some 30km away from Cu Chi Tunnels, Cao Dai is a syncretist Vietnamese religious movement that incorporates aspect of Buddhism, Taoism, Confucianism and even Catholicism.

The Cao Dai Temple (as it is more commonly known) was begun in 1933 in a unique architectural style that reflects its blended traditions, drive back Saigon and drop off at your hotel around 5.00pm. Overnight Saigon (B/L)

#### **DAY 13: DEPARTURE SAIGON, VIETNAM**

Free at leisure until our driver will come to pick up you to transfer back the airport for flight onwards. Tour ends at airport (B)

**TOUR PRICES IN LOW SEASON/(PER/PERSON)  
( LOW SEASON FROM 1 MAY- 1 SEPT)**

Hotel rates/group	1 Star	2 Star	3 Star	4 Star	5 Star
2 Paxs	----	----	1,387 \$	1,584 \$	----
4 Paxs	----	----	957 \$	1,104 \$	----
6 Paxs	----	----	811 \$	953 \$	----
Single Supplement	0 \$	0 \$	485 \$	554 \$	0 \$

**TOUR PRICES IN HIGH SEASON/(PER/PERSON)  
(HIGH SEASON FROM 2 SEPT- 31 APRIL)**

Hotel rates/group	1 Star	2 Star	3 Star	4 Star	5 Star
2 Paxs	----	----	1,405 \$	1,635 \$	----
4 Paxs	----	----	973 \$	1,155 \$	----
6 Paxs	----	----	827 \$	1,004 \$	----
Single Supplement	0.0 \$	0.0 \$	491.8 \$	572.1 \$	0.0 \$

**HOTELS OR SIMILAR STANDARD**

Hotel names	Category	Room type	Link website	Location
Alagon Western Hotel (Hoang Hai Long 2)	3	Deluxe	<a href="http://www.alagonhotels.com">www.alagonhotels.com</a>	SAI GON
Adamas Hanoi Hotel (Former name Demantoid)	3	Lake view	<a href="http://www.adamashanoi.com">www.adamashanoi.com</a>	HANOI
The light resort & Spa Nhatrang	4	superior twin	<a href="http://www.thelighthotel.com.vn">http://www.thelighthotel.com.vn</a> /	NHA TRANG
Silk Path Luxury Hanoi (Hang bong)	4	Deluxe Room	<a href="http://www.silkpathhotel.com">www.silkpathhotel.com</a>	HANOI

<b>Silverland Yen Hotel</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>Premier Room</b>	<a href="http://www.silverlandhotels.com/silverland-yen-hotel.html">www.silverlandhotels.com/silverland-yen-hotel.html</a>	<b>SAI GON</b>
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## **INCLUSION**

Tours and transfers as mentioned by private air-conditioned car  
 Local English speaking guide in Vietnam  
 Private room on boat in Halong bay (Twin share)  
 Accommodation based on twin share basis with daily breakfast  
 Meals as mentioned in the itinerary  
 Relevant permits and fees

## **EXCLUSION**

### **Domestic Flights ( can be changed on issue dates):**

**+ HN- Nha Trang = 100 - 140 \$/one way**

**+ Nha Trang- SG= 100- 100 \$/one way**

### **Visa Approval for Vietnam**

Travel insurance

Personal expenses

Tips and gratuities = 3-5 \$/ pax/ day

Early check-in/Late check-out

Other not mentioned in the tour itinerary

## **NOTE**

Check in hotel at 02.00 Pm and check out at 12.00 Noon

