



Greetings from **Happy Map Holidays Pvt Ltd**!
As per your requirements,this is your detailed itinerary

# **Detailed Itinerary**



### Day 1 | Ha Noi - Arrival

Upon arrival in Hanoi, you will be welcomed by our driver and transferred to your hotel.

Hanoi is one of Asia's most charming cities, with its romantic tree-lined boulevards and colonial houses.

Check-in time: 14.00

Overnight at hotel in Hanoi.



## Day 2 | Ha Noi - City tour

Breakfast at hotel.

8:00-8:30: The tour guide and driver will pick you up at the hotel in the Old Quarter.

8:45: The group will visit **Tran Quoc Pagoda** - the oldest pagoda in Hanoi, built in the 6th century. Here, you will have the opportunity to see one of the largest Bodhi trees in Vietnam.

9:30: The group will visit the **Ho Chi Minh Mausoleum complex**, you will have the opportunity to see the body of beloved Uncle Ho, visit the Presidential Palace relic site, visit the place where Uncle Ho lived and worked from 1954 to 1969. Next, the group will visit the One Pillar Pagoda - a pagoda built in 1048 under the reign of King Ly Thai Tong.

11:15: The group will visit an **Ethnology Museum** - where many artifacts and antiques related to costumes, culture, history and customs of 54 ethnic groups are preserved and displayed. This is a meaningful place to visit for ethnological knowledge.

13:45: The group continues to visit the **Temple of Literature**, where Confucius is worshiped. This is considered the first university in Vietnam from the 11th to the 18th century.

15:30: The group visits **Hoa Lo Prison** - built by the French in 1886, the prison is famous for being the place to detain many great Vietnamese revolutionaries during the Indochina War and American pilots during the Vietnam War.

16:00-16:30: End of the program. The car takes you back to the hotel.



### Day 3 | Ha Noi - Ninh Binh (Hoa Lu - Tam Coc) - Ha Noi

Located in Ninh Binh province 100 km southeast of Hanoi, Hoa Lu and Tam Coc are two of the most picturesque spots in all the north. For 41 years, from 968 to 1009 CE, Hoa Lu was the ancient capital of Vietnam. Nearby Tam Coc is often referred to as "Ha Long among the rice paddies." Visitors are conveyed by rowboat along the peaceful Tam Coc stream past green fields and the feet of mountains into the mouths of caves, where they encounter new surprises, like stalactites and stalagmites that shimmer like gemstones just inches from the water

We pick you up at your hotel in Old Quater, departure for Hoa Lu - Tam Coc, enjoying the beautiful sceneries of the rural areas on the way.

10h30: After arriving in Ninh Binh province, the guide takes you to visitHoa Lu - the Ancient Royal capital of Viet Nam. We will visit Dinh king temple and Le king temple, in the 10th century, finding out the heroic histories of this two Kings in Chinese Wars. After that, we go to Tam Coc (10 km far from Hoa Lu). You will get on bamboo boat - rowed by the local people - inHoang Long River to visit Tam Coc (three caves) on the way. You pass through three enormous caves that provide a brief respite from the intense summer sun. It takes approximately two hours to go up and down the river and along the way, you witness local fisherfolk, village life along the river and, of course, the striking limestone karst formations that Tam Coc is famous for.

16h30: We take the car come back Ha Noi.

19h30: We arrive Ha Noi and finish the tour.



## Day 4 | Ha Noi - Ha Long Bay - Ha Noi

Breakfast at hotel.

Around 7:30 AM: Picking up from the hotel (in Hanoi Old Quarter area) and departing for Halong, stop over for a rest on the way.

11h30-12h00: Arrive Ha Long Harbor, welcome aboard, and safety briefing. The cruise will take you on a 5 hour journey via 2 day-sleeper boat cruise route which renowned for its striking, passages uninhabited islets and outcrops have been given imaginative names by the locals, due to their perceived shapes, including Cock Fighting and Thumb, while enjoy Vietnamese mouth-watering lunch on boat.

13h45-14h00: Arrive Bo Hon archipelago, you will visit Surprising Cave to see a lot of stalagmites and stalactites with different shapes of sea lives, then go kayaking or bamboo boat in Luon Cave to discover the beautiful lagoon. Visit Titov Island with sandy beach adjacent to the towering limestone mountain

with excellent backdrop of the Bay and climb up Titov Peak for a panoramic view of the bay like paradise.

16h30: Return the Cruise back toward the Harbor. There is a lot of time for sunbathing on the upper deck with music, enjoy great fun of group touring fellows among world iconic natural scenery.

17h00: Disembark for a bus ride back to Hanoi, short break on the way.

20h00-20h30: Drop off at your hotel/stay, trip ends.

Breakfast & Lunch.



## Day 5 | Ha Noi - Departure

Breakfast at hotel.

Free time for a last bit of shopping or exploring the city on your own, before we take you to Noi Bai airport for your flight home. Your room is available to 12 PM.

## #Inclusions/Exclusions

### **Inclusions**

- ☑ Transport in private air-conditioned vehicle.
- ☑ Meals plan: as mentioned on the program.
- ✓ 01 Local English-speaking guide.
- ☑ Daily bottle water on day have tour (1- 2 bottle/day/pax).
- ☑ Tip for guide and driver.

### **Exclusions**

- ☑ International and domestic flights & departure taxes if any
- Personal travel insurance
- Other personal expenses such as drinks, laundry, phone, etc.
- Visa.
- Anything not in inclusions is excluded

### **Terms and Condition**

- Standard Hotel Check in time: 2:00pm 3:00 pm (local time).
- Standard Hotel Check out time: 11:00 am-12 pm (local time).
- A supplement will be added if early check-in or late check-out is desired
- The timing of sightseeing points shall be fixed by local operators due to traffic and weather conditions. Non-refundable for any cancellation that is 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, etc.
- 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.

### **Notes**

- The group will visit the Vietnamese Women's Museum instead of the Museum of Ethnology which is closed every Monday.
- The time to visit Ha Long Bay may be changed depending on the weather in Ha Long or the coordination of the Management Board.