



Full Itinerary & Trip Details

# Vietnam Impression



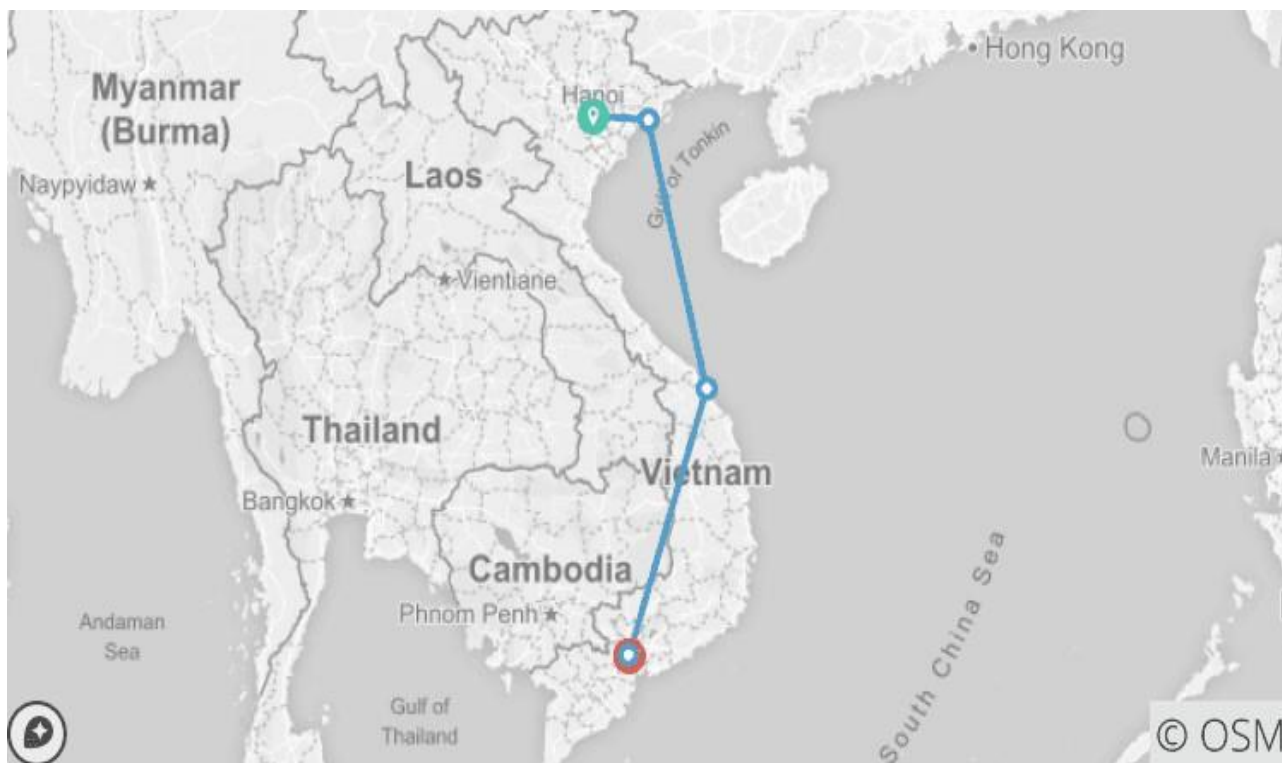
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# Trip Overview



## PRICE STARTING FROM

\$655

## DURATION

8 days

## IDEAL AGE

2 to 80 year olds

## STARTS IN → ENDS IN

Hanoi → Ho Chi Minh City

## STYLE

In-depth Cultural

# Itinerary

## Introduction

### Day 1: Hanoi

Welcome & Pick up at the airport Driver wait for you at the airport. Transfer to hotel in city centre and check-in. After relaxing time, at around 5.00 pm, you will join a culinary discovery tour which provides you with a chance to enjoy Hanoi local foods and drink such as Banh Cuon, Nom Bo Kho, Pho and drink Ca Phe Trung and Bia Hoi. Those are all very delicious and tasty foods of the Vietnamese. In addition, visiting some cultural and historical sites of Hanoi such as Kim Ngan Dinh, Bach Ma Temple or enjoy the cosy atmosphere of Hanoi Old Quarter in the evening.

### Day 2: Halong Bay

Be picked up at your hotel at around 8:30 am and transferred to Halong City. Upon arrival, embark on a memorable cruise with an overnight in Halong Bay. Have delicious lunch set around 1.00 pm while cruising ahead the middle of the bay. Enjoy the breath-taking scenery of this UNESCO listed World Natural Heritage with wonderful caves, tiny islets and beaches as well as floating villages scattering around. You may opt for activities, like kayaking and swim .

### Day 3: Halong Bay

At 6:00 am, greet the day with a morning Tai Chi exercise (at the request and not available on all boats). View the sunrise over the bay. Have breakfast while cruising through the bay. Visiting a cave or join a cooking class then enjoy set menu lunch before cruising back to the harbour. Upon disembarkation, transfer back to Hanoi around 5:00 pm. Free leisure in the evening and stay overnight in Hanoi hotel.

### Day 4: Hoi An

Transfer to the airport for your flight to Hoi An, check in your hotel and be free to enjoy Hoi An evening and dinner on your own .

## Day 5: Hoi An

Today you will have a cooking class and cycling tour to discover the city beauty in the morning and then transfer to Da Nang Airport and transfer to Hanoi. Around 8:00 am, our tour guide will come to your hotel and pick you up to the meeting point. Then you cycle along a quiet road and enjoy the peaceful beauty of the countryside before visiting a village to see how daily life of the local there. You will have a chance to enjoy local rice wine and experience buffalo ride. After that, at 2:00 pm, come back to Hoi An Town to join a cooking class. overnight in hotel in Hoi An

## Day 6: Hoi An - Ho Chi Minh city

Have breakfast at your hotel then you have free time to enjoy Hoi An at your own before transferring to the airport and fly to Ho Chi Minh city. Arrive in Ho Chi Minh, you check in your hotel and be free to explore the city in the evening

## Day 7: Ho Chi Minh City

At 8.00 am, we start the trip by visiting Notre Dame Cathedral, the historic Central Post Office, followed by exploring the Reunification Palace, and the remarkable site of the War Remnants Museum. Located 60km from HCMC, Cu Chi is now a popular spot for both Vietnamese & foreign tourists – the network of over 200km of tunnels became legendary when they played a vital role in the War. In their heyday, the tunnels were functioning underground cities including numerous trap doors, specially constructed living areas, storage facilities, weapons factories, field hospitals, command centers & kitchens. You may find it hard to imagine the destruction, damage & defoliation over this whole area, caused by bombing and mines. There is plenty of evidence of the fierce battle that took place here during the 1960s when Cu Chi was a “Free Target Zone”. Return to Sai Gon at 5.30 pm.

## Day 8: Ho Chi Minh City - Fairwell

Free to enjoy the morning in Ho Chi Minh city before the driver takes you to Tan Son Nhat Airport for your onward flight. Journey Vietnam hope to see you next time!

# What's Included

## Accommodation

**Guide**

**Meals**

**Transport**

# Question & Answers



## **Is a single supplement mandatory?**

If you are a solo traveller a single supplement is mandatory as there is no option to share a room with another solo traveller.



## **When did Journey Vietnam start operating?**

Journey Vietnam first started operating their tours in 2011 to share their love of Vietnam with other like-minded travellers.



## **Do you have any luggage restrictions on your tours?**

There are no luggage restrictions on the tours, however, for your comfort & ease of travelling a standard size suitcase is recommended as well as a daypack to use throughout the day.



## **Is it possible to adjust the itineraries?**

If there is somewhere you would like to go or an activity you wish to do which is not specified on the itinerary make sure you notify our team of Travel Experts before your booking is confirmed to see what options are available for you.



## **Is there a non-smoking policy on your tours?**

All the Journey Vietnam tours have a non-smoking policy. If you would like to smoke you will need to do so in designated smoking areas in the cities you visit.



## **Are the coaches used on the tour to travel between destinations air-conditioned?**

All the private transport used on the tours operated by Journey Vietnam are air-conditioned for your comfort.



## **I have travelled with Journey Vietnam before, is there a past traveller discount?**

Generally, a past passenger discount is applicable for customers who travelled with Journey Vietnam before. Please, contact our team of Travel Experts for further details.

**Is travel insurance mandatory?**

No, travel insurance is not mandatory on Journey Vietnam trips.

**Are children allowed to travel on your tours?**

Yes, families with children are allowed to travel on all Journey Vietnam tours, please contact our team of Travel Experts when booking your tour to see what discounts are applicable for your family.

**Is there a child discount?**

Generally, a child discount is applicable however it does depend on the age of the children, please contact our team of Travel Experts to see what discounts are available for you.

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