HANOI – DANANG
7 DAYS & 6 NIGHTS
Tour Code: IHDD9



DAY 1: HANOI ARRIVAL – HALF DAY HANOI CITY TOUR (PRIVATE TOUR)

Welcome to Hanoi, Vietnam!
Upon arrival, you will be collected by our local guide at Noi Bai Airport and transferred to the hotel, then check in as per the hotel's standard check-in time.
Afternoon, start with a visit to the Ho Chi Minh Complex, including the Ho Chi Minh Mausoleum (outside only since it's closed on Mondays, Fridays and all afternoon), Presidential Palace, Ho Chi Minh's Stilt House, and the One Pillar Pagoda.
Following that, a walking tour in the Old Quarter will allow you to explore the bustling streets, traditional shops, and colonial architecture.
Following our adventure, we'll make our way to Train Street, nestled within Phung Hung Ward, situated in the heart of Hang Ma, Hoan Kiem, Hanoi. Here, under the soft glow of twilight, we'll relish the anticipation of the train's gentle passage, all while sharing moments over your chosen beverage (beverage on your account). It's a truly magical experience that promises to linger in our memories forever. The tour concludes with a drop-off at your hotel.
Overnight at the hotel in Hanoi.

DAY 2: HANOI - NINH BINH (HOA LU - CYCLING - TRANG AN) - HANOI (SIC TOUR) (B/L)

Breakfast at the hotel.
Pick-up time: ~ 7:00 / Drop-off time: ~ 18:30
Our tour guide will pick you up from your hotel in Hanoi and take you to Ninh Binh province, located about 120 km from the city.
After a short break along the way, the first stop is at Hoa Lu, the ancient capital of Vietnam. Here, you'll learn about the history behind the capital's move to Hanoi and explore the impressive architecture of the

temples dedicated to King Dinh and King Le, the first and second emperors of ancient Vietnam. The temples, built in the 17th century, offer a glimpse into the country's rich history and culture.
Next, enjoy a 45-minute cycling tour around the village, giving you a chance to discover the daily life of the local people.
A buffet lunch awaits you at a local restaurant, offering a variety of local dishes.
After lunch, visit Trang An, a UNESCO World Heritage Site since 2014. Known for its stunning tunnel cave system, Trang An was a filming location for the 2016 movie "Kong: Skull Island." Embark on a boat trip to explore the area, taking in the breathtaking scenery, caves such as Sang Cave, Toi Cave, and Nau Ruou Cave, and the tranquil green river.
The tour concludes with a return trip to Hanoi, where you'll be dropped off at your hotel.
Overnight at the hotel in Hanoi.

DAY 3: HANOI - HALONG BAY - TRANSFERRED BY SHUTTLE BUS - OVERNIGHT ON CRUISE (SHARED BOAT) (B/L/D)

After breakfast at the hotel and check-out, transfer to Ha Long Bay by the cruise's shuttle bus.
Upon arrival, board the cruise and begin your journey through the stunning Ha Long Bay while enjoying a lunch of local cuisine on board. Ha Long Bay, meaning "Descending Dragon Bay" in Vietnamese, is steeped in legend as the place where a sacred dragon descended from the sky. The bay, recognised as one of the world's wonders and a UNESCO World Heritage Site, boasts around 2,000 karst islands and islets spread over 1,553 km^2, with a geological history dating back 500 million years.
After lunch, participate in a guided tour of a grotto, where you'll marvel at the fascinating formations of stalactites and stalagmites. Continue with a visit to a nearby island, where you can relax on the beach or take a short hike to a viewpoint for a panoramic view of the bay.
As the day winds down, return to the cruise to unwind and take in the breathtaking bay view at sunset. Then, join a cooking class where you can learn to make traditional Vietnamese dishes and later enjoy a dinner featuring local specialities on board. In the evening, join in on optional activities such as squid fishing.
Overnight on the cruise.
Note: The cruise itinerary may vary based on your chosen cruise. A stationed English-speaking guide will be available on board.

DAY 4: HALONG - HANOI - TRANSFERRED BY SHUTTLE BUS – FLIGHT AFTER 17:30 TO DANANG (B/BR)

In the morning, start your day with a refreshing Tai Chi session on the sundeck at dawn, taking in the serene beauty of Ha Long Bay. Enjoy tea and coffee on board as you continue exploring the bay's stunning 2,000 islets and some of its major highlights.
Later, you have the option to go kayaking or take a bamboo boat ride to explore hidden lagoons and get up close to the towering limestone cliffs.
Around 9:00, check out of your cabin and savor a brunch (local food) while cruising back toward the shore.
As you approach the mainland, enjoy some final moments on the deck, taking in the last views of the magnificent bay. Disembark at around 11:00 AM and transfer back to Hanoi by shuttle bus.
Head to the airport with driver (no guide) for your flight to Danang (air tickets excluded).
Upon arrival, you will be collected by our local guide at Danang Airport and transfer to the hotel to check in. Overnight at hotel in Danang.

DAY 5: MARBLE MOUNTAIN & HOI AN ANCIENT TOWN (SIC TOUR) (B)

Breakfast at the hotel. Enjoy the morning at your leisure. Lunch in your own.
1:30 - 2:00PM: Driver and tour guide will collect you from your hotel in Danang and move to Marble Mountains.
Discovery the Marble Mountains by climbing up to the top (elevator is optional). Here we will see beautiful pagodas which were made in the 19th century by the last dynasty of the Vietnam monarchy, and visit Huyền Không or Tàng Chơn Caves. After that stop for a walk along the site to see local factories of stone sculptures - the most impressive handicrafts village in Da Nang.
3.00PM After leaving Marble Mountains, we'll visit Hoi An Ancient Town, where we'll explore its enchanting streets, visit the Phuc Kien Chinese Assembly Hall for ancestor worship, explore well-preserved old houses

like Phung Hung and Tan Ky. Visit the Japanese Bridge, a 400-year-old bridge connecting Japanese and Chinese communities.
Enjoy a light dinner with one local specialty from Hoi An (1 dish) (Chicken rice/ Cao Lau/ My Quang/...)
6 PM: Experience a boat journey on the Hoai River, where you can release flower lantern for good fortune, explore Lantern Street, and enjoy the vibrant atmosphere of Hoi An's night market.
7.30PM: Drop you off at your hotel in Da Nang. End of our service!
Overnight in hotel.

DAY 6: DANANG – BA NA HILLS WITH THE GOLDEN BRIDE (SIC TOUR) (B/L)

Breakfast at hotel.
Pick-up time: ~ 7:30 / Drop-off time: ~17:30
Our car and guide will meet you at your hotel to begin your trip to Ba Na Hills.
Upon arrival at Ba Na Hills, board the cable car for a breathtaking ride on the world's longest non-stop cable car (11,587 meters) and the heaviest cable roll (141.24 tons).
At the top station, visit Le Jardin D'Amour Flower Garden and marvel at the stunning Golden Bridge. Enjoy the opportunity to take photos of this iconic landmark.
Next, explore Linh Ung Pagoda, home to the tallest Buddhist statue in Vietnam.
Enjoy lunch at a local restaurant and take a brief rest.
After lunch, continue your adventure by discovering the French Square and having fun at Fantasy Park, where you can play a variety of games and enjoy the amusement park attractions.
Later, take the cable car back down the mountain. Return your hotel in Da Nang.
Overnight at hotel in Danang.
Please note: Alpine roller coaster (USD 3/pax), Wax Museum entrance fee (USD 5/pax), Debay Wine Cellar entrance fee (USD 5/pax for Silver ticket, including 1 glass of wine, or cocktail, or fruit juice), coin games at Fantasy Park are not included in the entrance ticket; joining them will be at your own account.

DAY 7: DANANG DEPARTURE (B)

Breakfast at the hotel and check out, Free at leisure until transfer with driver (no guide) to the airport for your departure flight. We trust that you enjoyed your Vacation. Please do give us your valuable suggestions at feedback@southerntravels.com.

ACCOMMODATIONS (BELOW HOTELS OR SIMILAR)

CITY	3-STAR	4-STAR	5-STAR
Hanoi	**Moonview Hotel/Similar** Superior	**Thang Long Opera Hotel/Similar** Superior	**Grand Vista Hotel/Similar** Deluxe
Halong	**Le Journey Premium Cruise/Similar** Deluxe	**Hera Classic Boutique Cruise/Similar** Deluxe Cabin	**La Regina Royal Cruise/Similar** Noble Suite
Danang	**Anfada Hotel Danang/Similar** Superior (Inside View)	**Santa Luxury Hotel/Similar** Santa City view	**Rosamia Danang Hotel/Similar** Deluxe City View

Note: Some hotels may request security deposits at check-in.

Accommodation is listed without availability. Please check with us for availability once you confirm this package. Similar options will be provided in case the listed ones are sold out.

Price in details
Tour Price Per Person in INR for Land Package only:
Booking Window: Until 31 March 2027
Travel Period: 01 Oct. 2026 - 31 Mar. 2027

Hotel category	2 pax	3 pax	4 – 6 pax
3-star	56,000	53,500	51,500
4-star	68,500	59,500	57,500
5-star	82,500	79,500	78,000
Vehicle use	4 seats	7 seats	Mini van

Price in details
Tour Price Per Person in INR with airfare ex HYD/MAA/BLR/CCU/DEL
Booking Window: Until 31 March 2027
Travel Period: 01 Oct. 2026 - 31 Mar. 2027

Hotel category	2 pax	3 pax	4 – 6 pax
3-star	1,16,000	1,13,500	1,11,500
4-star	1,28,500	1,19,500	1,17,500
5-star	1,42,500	1,39,500	1,38,000
Vehicle use	4 seats	7 seats	Mini van

Note.

- The above rates are valid until 31st March 2027.
- The prices mentioned are not valid between 15th December 2026 and 15th January 2027.
- The above rates are based on current FIT airfare. Any fluctuation in airfare at the time of booking will be borne by the client. (Subject to availability of seats and applicable airfare at the time of booking).
- For travel within one month, please check availability and rates before confirming. Rates are subject to change based on contracted pricing and room availability at the time of booking.
- Please note that the above itinerary is tentative and subject to change at the time of confirmation. Arrival and departure points may be revised based on airfare availability.

Inclusions:

- Accommodations based on twin/double occupancy (Standard check-in time: ~14:00 – 15:00, standard check-out time: ~11:00 – 12:00 noon)
- Cruise based on twin/double occupancy on a shared boat (Check-in/check-out time: as per cruise's standard)
- Meals mentioned in the itinerary: B=Breakfast, Br=Brunch, L=Lunch, D=Dinner.
- Tours and sightseeing as per the itinerary
- Transfers by vehicles with A/C
- Private airport transfers
- Private vehicle(s) for private tour(s)
- Shared bus for SIC tours

- Boat trip(s) as mentioned in the itinerary
- Tour guide(s) escort as per the itinerary (English-speaking guides – different guides in different cities and SIC tours)
- Bottles of water on vehicles for tour days and transfers:
- 2 bottles per person per full day
- 1 bottle per person per half day or airport transfer

Exclusions:

- Airfare
- GST & TCS
- Visa Services
- Taxes
- Daily Tips
- Meals not mentioned in the itinerary
- Single Supplement. Early check-in and late check-out charges. Room upgrades.
- Flights tickets (International and Domestic) and airport taxes
- Personal expenses (laundry, beverages, and tips for SIC tours' staff, hotels' staff, restaurants' staff, boatmen…)
- Services not mentioned in the itinerary
- Compulsory tipping for tour guides and drivers – USD 5 PP per day.
- Prices are not valid during Christmas, New Year, Lunar New Year, Carnivals, Trade fair & events.

IMPORTANT NOTES

VISA: A visa online is required to be done in advance.

FLIGHTS: The schedule given in the program can differ with or without prior notice from the airlines. If you booked flights on your own, any change on the flights needs to be updated to us before the trip. We are not responsible for any changes, cancellations, or delays caused by airlines, but we will try to give the best solution following your program.

CHILDERN: Children's rates are **based on year of birth** (passport required for accuracy). Some attractions may apply child rates based on height. Any additional fees not prepaid must be paid on the spot.

HOTEL ACCOMMODATION:

- Check-in time is 2.00 pm or 3.00 pm - Checkout time is 10.30 am or 12.00 pm based on each hotel. A surcharge for early check-in or late check-out will be applied.
- A deposit for incidental charges may be required at 4 and 5-stars hotels upon check-in time by guests' credit card imprint OR cash from 50 -200 USD/room/night and it is refunded after deducting any consumption at checkout.

FOOD/MEALS if any:

- Breakfast in hotels (if we book hotels)
- Lunches and dinners on private tours will be Indian cuisine in major cities. However, this may not be applicable in certain destinations such as Ha Long Bay, mountainous areas, and local villages.
- Lunches and Dinners on the SIC tour (Group tour) are local food only (local veg and non-veg food are available).
- Other types of foods such as: Chinese, Japanese, Korean, Italian... and so on are excluded from our tour package. If you want to add these types of food to your trip, kindly update the requirements from the beginning of the travel request.
- Dinner time is in 2 hours from 07:00 – 09:00 pm, including pick up/drop off from/to hotel if any meals are requested to be included. Overtime (after 9.00 pm) will be surcharged.

TIPPING (UPTO 5 USD per person per day excluded from tour price): are highly recommended and expected for guides, drivers, staffs... Kindly prepare it in advance in cash and give it directly to them.

TRANSFER:

- Our price is based on the group arriving (or departing) at one time (one flight). In case, clients arrive (or depart) at different flight times and need a different airport transfer, an extra transfer will be charged.
- The transfer (or guide) will be provided only for sightseeing and activities as indicated in the detailed itinerary. If you need a transfer for lunch/dinner or more time for sightseeing or visiting more places or meals, please inform us in advance to include the cost from the beginning.

Your understanding and punctuality are appreciated because our tour guides and drivers also need to be refreshed and recharged to work well during these next days.

IMPORTANT NOTES

RATES AND CONDITIONS

- This is only a standard itinerary and quote; the final itinerary and price are subject to change based on the availability at the booking time and will be updated after confirmation. If the proposed service(s) is (are) not available at the booking time, alternative options will be advised and provided.
- Compulsory Gala Dinner will be applied on Christmas Eve and New Year's Eve.
- Supplementary charges are applied during peak periods or local/special events. Kindly contact us for the most suitable rates during these times: Xmas, Carnivals, National Day, New Year and Lunar New Year (4 Feb ->8 Feb 2027).

- Any increase in the rate of USD (presently calculated at USD 1 = INR 97) leading to an increase in the cost of the tour, which may come into effect prior to departure. However, at the time of full and final payment the rate of that day will apply. Given prices are based on August 2026. Any further increase in the same has to be borne by the passengers.