

HANOI-HA LONG, OVERNIGHT ON CRUISE

Duration: 04Days/03Nights

Tour code: VN4D-02

Highlights: Hanoi – Ha Long bay



DAY 01: HANOI ARRIVAL

Arrive at Noi Bai International Airport, welcome by our guide and transfer to your hotel. The transfer distance is approximately 40 minutes.

Hanoi or “River-bound City” as its name literally means is Vietnam’s capital with a thousand-year-old history dating back to 1010. The city’s fascinating beauty which is characterized by unique cultural relics, ancient streets of antique houses, elegant French colonial buildings, tree-lined boulevards and romantic lakes has made it one of the most charming cities of Asia.

Late afternoon, visit Hoan Kiem Lake and **Ngoc Son Temple** located on an islet in the lake. Hoan Kiem Lake is the center point of Hanoi and home to a rare endangered giant turtle species. Its name “Returned Sword” comes from a legend of a sacred sword being lent to an ancient Vietnamese King by a holy turtle from the lake and later returned to the turtle. Shop or walk at leisure in the Old Quarter of 36 ancient streets.

Meals: No Meal

Accommodation: A hotel used in Hanoi

DAY 02: HANOI – HA LONG

Morning pickup at 8:00 AM from your hotel for transfer to Ha Long Bay, which is about 160 km or 3.5-hour drive away. On the way, you will see some rural areas of the Red River Delta with plenty of chances to take photos of Vietnamese farmers working in paddy fields. Stop half way to visit a handicraft workshop of fine clothes and embroidered paintings.

Arrive in Ha Long City at 11:30 AM and check in aboard the booked junk right after the welcome drink is served. Start cruising while having lunch on board and enjoy the mighty bay view. Ha Long Bay meaning Descending Dragon Bay in Vietnamese as legend has it that it was where a holy dragon landed down from sky. The bay, famous as one of the world’s wonders and heritage sites whose formation dates back 500 million years, consists of around 2,000 karst islands and islets scattered over an area of 1,553 km². The bay cruise will continue with up close sighting of Dinh Huong Island, Ga Choi Island, Dog Island, Sail Island, a visit to Sung Sot Cave and swimming stop at Titov Beach. Relax to enjoy the bay view at sunset, have dinner after, go fishing at 09:00 PM and spend a night on board.

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch (Local Food), Dinner (Local Food)

Accommodation: A cruise used in Ha Long

DAY 03: HA LONG – HANOI

Early risers can enjoy the splendid yet tranquil view of the bay at the crack of dawn. Breathe the sea’s fresh air, feel the morning breeze and hear the sounds of birds above. Have breakfast and cruise to visit Human head shaped island and Tortoise Island. Continue to cruise into Bai Tu Long Bay to discover the adjacent bay of “The Little Dragon Bowing to His Mother” as it is named. Check out and have lunch on board while heading to shore. Disembark and transfer back to Hanoi. Check in hotel. Evening at leisure.

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch or Brunch (Local Food)

Accommodation: A hotel used in Hanoi

DAY 04: HANOI DEPARTURE

Morning, start a full day city tour beginning with the **Ho Chi Minh Complex**, containing the mausoleum of the nation’s founder, and his rural style residence with a house on stilts and the **Presidential Palace**. Also part of this complex is the unique **One Pillar Pagoda**, built in the 11th Century in dedication to Avalokiteshvara or Buddha of Compassion and reminiscent of a lotus blossom rising from a pond. The tour will continue on with a visit to the **Temple of Literature**, known as the first university of Vietnam built in 1070 by the Ly Dynasty to honor Confucius, sages and outstanding Vietnamese scholars. Then, transfer to airport for departure flight.

Meals: Breakfast

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COST DETAILS: All rates are per person sharing DBL/BB basis, in US dollar

Remark: The price isn’t applied for Tet holiday (28.Jan 2025 to 02.Feb 2025) and Public Holidays

Date: 01 Jan 2025 to 30 Apr 2025 & 01 Oct 2025 to 31 Dec 2025

<u>VN4D-02</u>	<u>ALL RATES IN US\$ PERSON</u>										
GROUP SIZE	1	2	3-5	6-9	10-14	15	20	25	30	35	S/S
First class – 3*	841	452	390	298	275	273	256	250	236	231	144
Superior – 4*	910	472	409	317	294	291	274	267	252	248	192
Deluxe – 5*	1043	559	496	405	381	380	362	354	337	332	239

Date: 01 May 2025 to 30 Sept 2025

<u>VN4D-02</u>	<u>ALL RATES IN US\$ PERSON</u>										
GROUP SIZE	1	2	3-5	6-9	10-14	15	20	25	30	35	S/S
First class – 3*	831	438	375	283	259	255	239	232	220	216	146
Superior – 4*	903	470	407	315	291	288	270	263	288	245	185
Deluxe – 5*	1036	550	486	394	370	375	357	348	331	328	239

REMARKS

- Kindly note that we do not include any meal except breakfast at the hotel. If you want to add on, please see below for a supplement.

SUPPLEMENT FOR MEAL (EXCLUDED TRANSPORTATION AND GUIDE)

MEAL (INDIAN OR SEAFOOD)	
FIT (< 10pax)	GIT (≥ 10pax)
Lunch: US\$ 13/pax	Lunch: US\$ 12/pax
Dinner: US\$ 14/pax	Dinner: US\$ 14/pax



Include

- ✓ Hotel accommodation with breakfast and based on twin or triple sharing (01pax staying in Single Room)
- ✓ Package 2D1N Overnight on cruise in Ha Long Bay with full board meals mention above
- ✓ Entrance fees for all visits as mentioned in the itinerary
- ✓ Services of a driver and private air-conditioned vehicle during all tours and transfers.
- ✓ Experienced English speaking guide during all tours and transfers
- ✓ Mineral water is available as complementary



Exclude

- ✓ Airfare (international and domestic) and airport tax
- ✓ Dinks and other meals not clearly mentioned
- ✓ Visa stamping fee at the airport (25US\$ for single visa to Vietnam, paid by cash at the airport)
- ✓ Surcharge for special request on food, and meals.
- ✓ Insurance, gratuities and personal expenses
- ✓ Tipping for guide and driver
- ✓ Surcharge for public holidays (if any)
- ✓ Compulsory dinner for Xmas and New Year Eve: TBA



Children Policy

- ✓ Infant below 3 years old sharing room with parents is free of charge.
- ✓ Child below 12 yrs old sharing same room with 1 ADL is charged for 90%.
- ✓ Child below 12 yrs old with extra bed and sharing same room with parents is charged for 65%.
- ✓ Child below 12 yrs old No extra bed & sharing same room with parents is charged for 55%

TIPPING FOR GUIDE AND DRIVER (PAID DIRECTLY TO GUIDE)

- ❖ US\$ 15/pax for 03-04nights itinerary
- ❖ US\$ 25/pax for longer itinerary (05nights above)

HOTEL CATEGORY:

Area	First Class (3*)	Superior (4*)	Deluxe (5*)
Hanoi	<p>Larosa Hanoi Hotel Deluxe www.larosahotel.com</p> <p>OR</p> <p>La Dolce Vita hotel Superior www.ladolcevita-hotel.com</p>	<p>Thang Long Opera hotel Superior room http://thanglongoperahotel.com</p> <p>OR</p> <p>The Q hotel Superior http://theqhotel.com.vn</p>	<p>Du Parc Hanoi hotel Deluxe https://hotelduparchanoi.com</p> <p>OR</p> <p>Grand Vista hotel Deluxe www.grandvistahanoi.com</p>
Cruise	<p>Swan Cruises Deluxe https://swancruiseshalong.com/</p> <p>OR</p> <p>Majestic Cruise Deluxe https://halongmajesticcruise.com</p>	<p>Paloma Cruise Deluxe www.palomacruise.com</p> <p>OR</p> <p>Calypso Cruise Deluxe https://calypsocruises.vn/</p>	<p>Alisa Premium Cruise Junior Suite cabin www.alisacruise.com</p> <p>OR</p> <p>Era Cruises Terrace Suites https://eracruises.com/en/</p>