

SOUTHEAST ASIA ESCORTED TOUR



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Vietnam, Cambodia & Thailand Tour with Flights

Duration: 14 days

Stay: 12 nights hotels (5- & 4-star rating), overnight flight

Travel style: Escorted tour with Flights from Australia

Booking code: VCTT14M

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14 Days Vietnam, Cambodia & Thailand Tour

About the holiday

Uncover new and unique experiences through Cambodia, with a taste of city vibes in Vietnam and Thailand!

Begin in vibrant Ho Chi Minh City. Go deep into the Mekong Delta as you cruise the lush forests and maze-like canals of the mighty river. Then travel by speed boat to Cambodia's capital city of Phnom Penh. Take in jaw-dropping sights at the unmissable Angkor Wat Temples and soak up incredible countryside views in Battambang. Learn of treasured Cambodian traditions, including silk making and Khmer pottery. Plus, there'll be no shortage of tasty street food and unique souvenirs with plenty of village markets to explore along the way!

Finish your adventure as you fly in to lively Bangkok for an extended 5-night stay - where old and new combine in a boiling pot of culture, cuisine and traditions. This two-week adventure is packed with down-right incredible and authentic experiences!

Why you'll love this trip...

- Stay in carefully selected, premium hotels with all breakfasts & 1 lunch included
- Cruise the lush green wetlands and floating villages of the Mekong Delta
- Follow your local guide on an included city tour to the highlights of Phnom Penh
- Visit the world's largest and most impressive temple complex - Angkor Wat
- Finish your trip in bustling Bangkok & stay at an elegant 4-star hotel
- Flights from Australia and internal flights are included with this special deal

Travel Dates:

2024 & 2025 - Departs Fridays from January to December

Departures are subject to confirmation at time of booking & peak season surcharges apply - see the website for details.

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Escorted tour package includes:

Flights - International return economy airfares to Ho Chi Minh City & from Bangkok
Intra-flight from Siem Reap to Bangkok

Accommodation - 12 nights in 4- & 5-star hotels

Meals - 12 breakfasts, 1 lunch

Transportation - Air-conditioned coach or mini bus

Speedy boat from Chau Doc to Phnom Penh

Airport transfers for intra-tour flights (excludes days 2 & 14)

Escorted Tour - Services of experienced guides licenced by the Ministry of Tourism

Sightseeing - Sightseeing as per itinerary

Mekong River

Tra Su Sanctuary

Wat Phnom

Phnom Udong

Phnom Penh Banon Temple

Angkor Wat

Wat Pho

Cai Rang Floating Market

Royal Palace

Tuol Sleng Museum

Phnom Sampeu Mountain

Angkor Thom

Grand Palace

Package excludes:

Visa fees

Airport transfers on days 2 & 14

Meals & sightseeing not specified in the inclusions or itinerary

Entrance fees to the sights and museums

Optional tours & activities

Personal items, such as drinks, snacks, laundry, WiFi access etc.

Camera & video permits at sights

Gratuities for tour managers & drivers

Travel insurance is essential, please contact us for a quote

Prices are based on twin share, please contact us for single rates

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Highlights:

- This 14-day adventure through South Vietnam, Cambodia, and Thailand's capital is jammed-packed with authentic experiences including visits to local villages, craftsmanship workshops, temple chasing and countryside exploration!
- Stay in carefully selected, premium hotels with all breakfasts and 1 lunch included. Plus, enjoy an included flight between Siem Reap and Bangkok to save on travel time.
- Get set to cruise the lush green wetlands and floating villages of the Mekong Delta, greeted with smiley locals in small river-side towns along the way.
- Follow your local guide on an included city tour to the highlights of Phnom Penh including the Royal Palace, Wat Phnom Temple and National Museum.
- Visit the world's largest and most impressive temple complex - Angkor Wat. This UNESCO World Heritage-listed site is the prized heart and soul of Cambodia!
- Witness the magic of Cambodia's talented performers at the Phare Circus and support the dreams of young students and graduate performers eager to earn a decent wage and better living standard.
- Finish your trip in bustling Bangkok. Sleep at an elegant 4-star hotel with sensational rooftop views over Thailand's capital city - the perfect spot to enjoy a final sunset with your new travel mates before a big night out in Bangkok!

Itinerary:

Day 1 : Depart Australia, Fly to Vietnam

Day 2 : Arrive Ho Chi Minh City

Welcome to South Vietnam! Kick off your epic adventure getting amongst the hustle of Vietnam's metropolitan city, Ho Chi Minh. Formerly known as Saigon, this city is a bubbling pot of energy, hidden gems and a cultural blend of old meets new. Make your own way from the airport, then join your guide and new tour mates in the hotel lobby for an informal meeting at 6.00pm. Then, hit the streets for an optional tour group dinner, enjoy a cold beer at Bui Vien or head to Ben Thanh Market for some night shopping.

- **Accommodation**
Wink Hotel - 4 Star
- **Included Activities**
Welcome Meeting
- **Optional Activities**
Group Dinner

Day 2 : Ho Chi Minh City, Mekong Delta, Can Tho

Rise and Shine, it's time to farewell Ho Chi Minh city and head towards the mighty Mekong River. Snag a window seat and soak in the views on a 2-hour drive to Cai Be. On the way, you'll stop in at South-Vietnam's first-ever chocolate factory and learn how to make the local sweet (and taste test, of course!). On arrival at Cai Be, hop on board the wooden boat and kick back as you cruise past lush green islands of the mighty Mekong. Enjoy lunch on board. Cruise past small river-side towns like Vinh Long and learn of the typical rural life on the Mekong. Your day cruising will end in Can Tho with free time to explore the buzzing town, lively waterfront, and quaint backstreets!

- **Accommodation**
TTC Hotel Premium - 4 Star
- **Meals Included**
Breakfast, Lunch
- **Included Activities**
Chocolate Factory Visit
Mekong River Boat Ride

Day 3 : Can Tho, Chau Doc

No place gives a better insight into life on the river than the floating markets in Cai Rang. After filling up on breakfast at your hotel, take a boat ride 6km from Can Tho to visit the fascinating markets, where hundreds of wooden rowboats trade everything from rice and clothing to exotic fruits on the river. Wander around the markets by foot and visit the nearby Orchard Garden.

Then, continue on to Chau Doc for a boat tour of the Tra Su Sanctuary - home to an array of tropical birds and splendid canals deep in the forest of the Mekong. Finish up your day in Chau Doc town and rest up before we cross the border for Cambodia bright and early tomorrow morning!

- **Accommodation**
Victoria Hotel - 4 Star
- **Meals Included**
Breakfast
- **Included Activities**
Cai Rang Floating Market
Tra Su Sanctuary Boat Ride
Crocodile Farm
- **Entrance Fees**
Tra Su Sanctuary - 9 USD

Day 4 : Chau Doc, Phnom Penh

Goodbye Vietnam, Hello Cambodia! Set an early alarm for your early transfer via public speed boat to Cambodia's capital city, Phnom Penh. Rest up on the way and arrive in Phnom Penh by 1.00pm with plenty of time to explore the fascinating city on a guided city tour in the afternoon. First up, one of the most popular attractions in the city - the Royal Palace and Silver Pagoda complex! Built in 1866 by the Predecessors of King Norodom, the palace is amongst the most impressive Khmer-style designs in Cambodia. Then, visit the Independence Monument and Wat Phnom Temple - where you'll score some epic views over the city! Visit the Tuol Sleng Genocide Museum in Phnom Penh to learn about a tragic period.

- **Accommodation**
Duong Chan Hotel - 4 Star
- **Meals Included**
Breakfast
- **Included Activities**
Phnom Penh City Tour
- **Entrance Fees**
Royal Palace Entry - 10 USD
Wat Phnom - 1 USD
Tuol Sleng Museum - 5 USD

Day 5 : Phnom Penh, Battambang

Today we're off to Battambang. Delve further into history as we continue to the ancient Cambodian Capital of the Khmer Empire - Phnom Udong! In the city, you'll find two large hills with incredible views across the countryside. Atop the twin humps stands several impressive stupas that survived bombing from both the Americans and Khmer Rouge during Cambodia's recent wars. After soaking in the views, continue on to Kompong Chhnang for a stop at a local pottery village.

This village is famous for producing traditional Khmer pottery, a craft passed down through generations for over 1,500 years! As night falls over South-East Asia, we'll head towards the Phnom Sampeau Mountains to witness thousands of nocturnal bats take flight through the caves. It's something quite spectacular to sit at the foot of Battambang's Phnom Sampeau caves as the sun sinks into the horizon and a stream of thousands of bats parade through the caves and zoom across the night sky. Be sure to bring your camera!

- **Accommodation**
Battambang Classy Hotel - 4 Star
- **Meals Included**
Breakfast
- **Entrance Fees**
Phnom Sampeau Mountain - 5 USD
Bat Watching Ticket - 5 USD

Day 6 : Battambang, Siem Reap

Ever ridden on a Bamboo Train before? All aboard as we take an 8km journey through the scenic countryside and rice fields of Battambang. This Bamboo Train was set up by villagers to facilitate the transportation of goods and people. It's basic but effective with a single bamboo platform, 4 wheels, and a small motor. Then, get your hiking shoes on and camera ready for a visit to the 11th-century Angkorian temple of Phnom Banan. The 350+ step climb is well worth it, with peaceful views across the countryside waiting at the top! Soak up these picture-perfect scenes. In the afternoon, we'll leave Battambang and drive towards Siem Reap. Stopping at Puok District to visit a silk shop, a fascinating way to learn about Cambodian silk. Here we will spend some time learning about the process of creating silk, harvesting mulberry, and the life cycle of the silkworm. Tonight we recommend a full night's rest, before the long-awaited visit to the world-famous Angkor Wat temples tomorrow!

- **Accommodation**
Siem Reap Somadevi Angkor Hotel - 5 Star
- **Meals Included**
Breakfast
- **Entrance Fees**
Phnom Banan Temple - 5 USD
- **Optional Activities**
Bamboo Train - 5 USD

Day 7 : Siem Reap, Angkor Wat

Prepare for one awe-inspiring day at the world's largest temple complex - Angkor Wat! First up you'll visit Angkor Thom's South Gate to see the intricate Bayon Temple. This temple is famous for its Elephant Terraces and 54 towers decorated with over 200 enormous smiling faces of Avalokiteshvara.

Then, we'll return to the UNESCO World Heritage-listed temple of Angkor Wat to marvel at the prized heart and soul of Cambodia. Snap some beautiful pictures of the temple as it reflects across its impressive moat. Then, wander through the outer gallery walls as your local guide narrates stories from Hindu mythology. Tonight, we'll head out in Siem Reap to witness some of Cambodia's most talented performers at the Phare Circus. This uniquely modern circus provides young students and graduate performers the opportunity to hone their skills and earn a decent wage doing what they love!

- **Accommodation**
Siem Reap Somadevi Angkor Hotel - 5 Star
- **Meals Included**
Breakfast
- **Included Activities**
Angkor Thom & Angkor Wat Visit
- **Entrance Fees**
Angkor Wat - 37 USD for 1 day visit / 62 USD for 3 day visit
Angkor Museum
Phare Circus (Section B) - 28 USD

Day 8 : Siem Reap, Bangkok

Today we'll leave Cambodia and take a short international flight to the Thai capital city that never sleeps - Bangkok! You'll be greeted by your expert local guide at the ATTA counter on arrival in Thailand. Then, get ready for a full day of exploring with your guide as you hit up the city's best sites! Visit the Grand Palace, Emerald Buddha Temple and replica of Angkor Wat. Then, continue on towards Wat Pho to catch a glimpse at the 46-metre-long golden Reclining Buddha. After a busy day around the city, enjoy free time in the evening to hit up some of the local food markets or enjoy a sunset drink at one of Bangkok's many rooftop bars!

- **Accommodation**
Grand Mercure Bangkok Atrium - 4 Star
- **Meals Included**
Breakfast
- **Included Activities**
Bangkok City Tour
- **Entrance Fees**
Grand Palace - 17 USD
Wat Pho - 9 USD

Days 9 to 13 : Free days Bangkok

Following the end of the group tour, these are free days to explore Bangkok at your leisure. Bangkok, Thailand's capital, is a large city known for ornate shrines and vibrant street life.

The boat-filled Chao Phraya River feeds its network of canals, flowing past the Rattanakosin royal district, home to opulent Grand Palace and its sacred Wat Phra Kaew Temple. Nearby is Wat Pho Temple with an enormous reclining Buddha and, on the opposite shore, Wat Arun Temple with its steep steps and Khmer-style spire.

Day 14 : Depart Bangkok, Fly to Australia

Our trip will end in Bangkok when you check out of your hotel this morning. It's time to make your way to the airport in time for your departing flight to Australia.

Please note: The day-by-day descriptions are intended as an indicative guide only. Travel by nature is unpredictable. Weather patterns, road conditions, public holidays, travel restrictions and many other factors may necessitate itinerary changes that are ultimately for the client's benefit. It is essential that clients are flexible in this regard.

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