

Best North Vietnam Tour 10 Days



Brief itinerary

Day	Itinerary Description	Overnight
Day 1	Arrive in Hanoi	Hanoi
Day 2	Hanoi City tour full day - Sapa	Hanoi
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Day 5	Hanoi - Halong Bay Cruises	Halong Bay
Day 6	Halong Bay Cruise - Ninh Binh Tours	Ninh Binh
Day 7	Trang An – Hoa Lu – Mai Chau	Ninh Binh
Day 8	Mai Chau – Trekking to Xa Linh – Pa Co - Hanoi	Hanoi
Day 9	Hanoi – Duong Lam Village	Hanoi

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Day 10	Hanoi departure	Hanoi

Detailed Itinerary

Day 1: Arrive in Hanoi



Upon arrival, you will be met outside the baggage claim area by your guide who will escort you to a waiting vehicle for your transfer to downtown with a brief introduction en route. Your guide will be holding a welcome signboard with the ASIA TOUR ADVISOR LOGO & your name. The rest of the day is at your leisure to explore the tree-lined boulevards, French Indochinese architecture and tranquil lakes of this unique city.

Meals: None, Lunch at local favorite restaurant

Accommodation: Hanoi hotels

Day 2: Hanoi City tour full day - Sapa



After breakfast, the guide pick you up for visiting the capital of Vietnam, a city that celebrated 1.000 years in 2010 has countless fascinating cultural and historic sites and our days' tour will visit the highlights. See the grand and solemn mausoleum of Ho Chi Minh (viewed from outside; closed Mon and Fri and from Oct-Nov), the 'icon of Hanoi' - The One Pillar Pagoda, West Lake's Tran Quoc temple and Quan Thanh pagoda as well as the fascinating Ethnology Museum. Visit Flower market before Lunar New Year. Then you will take a cycle for visiting the bustling Old Quarter and at the end of the day - a water puppet performance.

8.00pm – Asia TourAdvisor's tour guide come to pick you up from your hotel then transfer to Ha Noi Railway Station and catch the night train to Lao Cai (overnight on the train, the cabin with 4 berths, soft sleeper and air-conditioning)., Arrive Lao Cai 5:30 or 6:00am.

Meals: Breakfast at the dining lounge, Lunch at local favorite restaurant

Accommodation: Hanoi hotels



Day 3: Sapa Trekking Tours



The train arrives at about 6:00 am. Look for the “Asia Tour Advisor Logo & Your Name” sign when you exit the train station, as our guide will pick you up there. Take a morning drive through the clouds by car / van to Sapa, about 1.5 hours. When you arrive in Sapa you will be taken to a local restaurant for a morning shower, breakfast, a short rest and some last preparations before our inspiring trek. After lunch, our guide takes you to visit two Black H’mong villages (Cat Cat Village) and a waterfall. There, you will have a chance to see the hydroelectric power station built by the French. After that, it’s back to Sa Pa for dinner. In the evening, you’re free to do as you wish. You can explore the town of Sa Pa.

Meals: Breakfast at the dining lounge, Lunch/Dinner at local favorite restaurant

Accommodation: Sapa hotels



Day 4: Sapa Trekking Tours - Hanoi



Get up in the morning for breakfast and check out the hotel room, your bags will be put in the hotel luggage store again. We start the trip at 9 Am with the guide. We will walk to visit three different villages belonging to the Black H'Mong , Dzay and Red Dzao people. We guide you along waterfalls, rice fields and a small river in a lush valley with sweeping landscapes. This tour has the option of lunch in a minority home or pack lunch from the hotel at a picturesque location. We will get the pick up by van/ bus after visiting the last village. Our car will pick you up at the hotel for the night train back to Hanoi (time is at 4:30 Pm or 6:00 Pm, depending on your train time and your wishes).Arrive at Lao Cai train station and take the night train back to Hanoi.

Meals: Breakfast at the dining lounge, Lunch/Dinner at local favorite restaurant

Accommodation: Sapa hotels



Day 5: Hanoi - Halong Bay Cruises



Early in the morning arrive in Hanoi, the guide pick you up at transfer you to take a day use room for relaxing.

We'll pick you up in Hanoi by 8:00am and drive through the verdant Red River Delta to make our way to the famous UNESCO World Heritage site, Halong Bay. You'll board a luxury junk ship for an overnight cruise-- while you relax on-board you can marvel at the incredible limestone karsts that jut out of the sea and the thousands of jungle-covered islands that seem to float on the waves. The turquoise waters of the Gulf of Tonkin swirl around hidden grottoes and ancient caves to create an enchanting, timeless world.

We'll serve you a fresh seafood lunch while you sit back and relax as you enjoy the incredible view with a drink in your hand. We'll take you to a traditional fishing village where the locals have created an entire town on the decks of their boats, then you can explore Tien Ong Cave before returning to the cruise for cocktails, canapés, and a spectacular sunset. End your day with a romantic, candlelit dinner.

Meals: Breakfast at the dining lounge, Lunch/Dinner at local favorite restaurant

Accommodation: Halong Bay hotels



Day 6: Halong Bay Cruise - Ninh Binh Tours



Begin the day with a Tai Chi class on deck in the early morning mist or just admire the beautiful scenery as the sun rises over the azure waters. Choose between an excursion to a secluded island with a sandy beach for a swim or join the chef for a cooking demonstration to learn more about Vietnamese cuisine. Enjoy a leisurely brunch while your junk cruises Halong Bay, passing islets and caves as you make your way back to the dock. The guide pick you up and transfer you back to Ninh Binh. Arrive in Ninh Binh, check in hotel. Free time.

Meals: Breakfast at the dining lounge, Lunch at local favorite restaurant

Accommodation: Ninh Binh hotels



Day 7: Trang An – Hoa Lu – Mai Chau



Breakfast at your hotel. The guide pick you up and visit Trang An tourist attraction, take boat trip to visit cave complex: Sang Cave, Toi Cave, Ba Giot Cave, Nau Ruou in mystery and wildness, see scenery of mountain and rivers. Trang An is considered as Ha Long on the land. After lunch, transfer for visiting visit Hoa 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. At the end of day, transfer back to Mai Chau. Arrive in Mai Chau, check in hotel. This evening enjoy a traditional Thai performance of music and dance. The Thai ethnic group has inhabited this area for centuries and much of their lifestyle and traditions have remained unchanged over the years.

Meals: Breakfast at the dining lounge, Lunch/Dinner at local favorite restaurant

Accommodation: Ninh Binh hotels



Day 8: Mai Chau – Trekking to Xa Linh – Pa Co - Hanoi



Breakfast at your hotel and then spend some hours exploring the surrounding Thai villages before a light trek 2-4 hours through Xa Linh, Pa Co which is home of the Green Hmong hill tribe. Picnic Lunch is served on road. In the afternoon, enjoy a leisure walk to Thai villages of Van Mai, Mai Hich, Cum and Xam Khoe before transferring back to Hanoi. Arrive in Hanoi, check in hotel and free time.

Meals: Breakfast at the dining lounge, Lunch at local favorite restaurant

Accommodation: Hanoi hotels



Day 9: Hanoi – Duong Lam Village



After breakfast at your hotel, You will drive from Hanoi to Son Tay province. Duong Lam is a purely agricultural village of the Northern Red River Delta. On arrival, you will take a walk on the village path to visit Mong Phu Temple (dedicated to national heroes) King Ngo Quyen Temple and King Phung Hung Temple.

You will enjoy a special Vietnamese lunch in an ancient house. While you are in the house you can also join the local people in producing local specialties, such as soft green-lentil cake and rice cake filled with brown onion (depending on the season).

You will continue to visit Mia Pagoda (built in 15th century) and admire 287 statues of all sizes before transfer back to your hotel in Hanoi.

Meals: Breakfast at the dining lounge, Lunch at local favorite restaurant

Accommodation: Hanoi hotels



Day 10: Hanoi departure



Your time will be your own until your private car and driver arrives to take you to the airport for your flight to next destination.

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Meals: Breakfast at the dining lounge, Lunch at local favorite restaurant

Accommodation: Hanoi hotels

Booking Policy

What's Included

- Hotel accommodation in shared twin or shared double room with daily breakfast.
- Meals as mentioned in the itinerary (B = Breakfast, L = Lunch, D = Dinner).
- Tours and transfers by private air-conditioned vehicles.
- English speaking local guide
- All entrance fees as indicated in itinerary.
- Boat trips as mentioned in the itinerary
- Return train ticket Hanoi – Sapa – Hanoi (Sharing Private cabin)
- Cruise in Halong Bay
- Cold water and towel during tours
- Visa on Arrival to Vietnam

What's Excluded

- Visa stamp fee
- International air ticket
- Other meal, drink, Tip to guide and driver, personal expenses
- Supplement for French, Spanish, Italian and German speaking guide

Cancellation by Customer

- Cancellation received before 60 days: FREE of charge
- Cancellation received from 30 days to 59 days prior arrival date: 10% of total rate
- Cancellation received from 15 days to 29 days prior arrival date: 30% of total rate
- Cancellation received from 7 days to 14 days prior arrival date: 50% of total rate
- Cancellation received less than 7 days prior arrival date or No show: 100% of total rate

Children Policy

- The rate for children applicable for one child sharing a twin or double cabin with two adults
For infant
- 04 - 11 years old without bed: 50% adult rate

- 04 - 11 years old with extra bed: 75% adult rate
- 04 - 11 years old in twin share: 90% adult rate

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