

A scenic view of a river flowing through a valley with steep, forested mountains under a hazy, golden sky. The mountains are covered in lush green vegetation, and the river reflects the warm light. A small boat is visible on the river in the lower left.

# Hanoi Incentive program

6 days / 5 nights

Vietnam is a destination defined by strength, grace, and limitless potential - a land of paradise beaches, captivating landscapes, and sensory enchantment. A rich tapestry of local tradition and colonial influence has gifted Vietnam with some of the world's most treasured natural, cultural, and historical heritage sites.

# Day 1

Welcome to Hanoi



## Day 1



Pick up at  
Noi Bai airport - Hanoi



Welcome Cocktail  
at your hotel



Time to unpack  
and to refresh



### Welcome to Vietnam!

Enjoy VIP fast-track arrival at Noi Bai Airport, Hanoi, where you will be warmly welcomed by Vietnamese hostesses in traditional *Ao Dai*. You'll then be transferred to your hotel in a private luxury vehicle, accompanied by a professional tour guide.

### Check-in at Legendary Sofitel Hotel in Hanoi



### Afternoon Discovery – 1,000-Year-Old Water Puppet Tradition

In the afternoon, explore Hanoi's charming Old Quarter before experiencing the city's iconic water puppet performance, a tradition that has delighted audiences for over a millennium followed by a welcome cocktail and dinner reception at a rooftop restaurant overlooking the romantic Hoan Kiem Lake.



Overnight at the hotel



# Day 2

Explore the Timeless Charm of Hanoi



## Day 2



Breakfast at hotel

**Morning – Discover Historical Hanoi**

Begin the day with an immersive cultural journey, visiting the Ho Chi Minh Mausoleum, the elegant French Quarter, and the revered Temple of Literature, accompanied by a private guide. Conclude the morning with a delightful lunch at one of Hanoi's most renowned Vietnamese restaurants.

**Afternoon – Explore the Old Quarter of Hanoi**

After lunch, enjoy a traditional *xích lô* (cyclo) ride through Hanoi's charming Old Quarter. Take in the bustling streets, browse local shops, and sample authentic street delicacies for a true taste of the city.

**Evening – Cultural Dinner at the National History Museum**

End the day with an exclusive gala dinner at the National History Museum, set against the stunning backdrop of Vietnam's most prestigious French colonial architecture, a truly unforgettable dining experience.



Overnight at hotel



# Day 3

Journey to the Historic Capital of Hoa Lu and the Beauty of Tam Coc



## Day 3



Breakfast at hotel

**Morning – Journey to Ninh Binh & Visit the Ancient Capital of Hoa Lu**

Depart for Ninh Binh and explore Hoa Lu, Vietnam's first capital dating back to the 10th century, now a UNESCO-listed historical site.

**Private Sampan Cruise through Tam Coc**

Embark on a traditional Vietnamese sampan boat along the serene Tam Coc stream, passing limestone karsts and rice paddies—often called “Ha Long Bay on Land.” Savor a farm-to-table lunch served inside a limestone cave surrounded by lush rice fields.

**Afternoon – Buffalo Cart Ride in a Local Village**

After lunch, enjoy an optional buffalo cart ride through a charming local village, an authentic way to immerse yourself in rural Vietnamese culture.

**Evening – Luxury Resort Stay**

Check into your luxury resort in Ninh Binh and unwind with its premium facilities. End the day with an enchanting outdoor dinner under the stars, set in the resort's beautiful grounds.



Overnight at hotel



# Day 4

Sail Through the World Heritage Splendor of Ha Long Bay



## Day 4



Breakfast at hotel

**Morning – Journey to the UNESCO World Heritage Site of Ha Long Bay**

Travel north through the scenic countryside, passing vast rice paddies and picturesque villages in Ninh Binh and Trang An. Along the way, enjoy a surprise stop for tea, local snacks, and a captivating performance of *Quan Ho* folk songs, an authentic cultural experience.

**Afternoon – Check into Your Private Luxury Cruise**

Board your exclusive luxury boat and set sail through the breathtaking limestone karsts of Ha Long Bay. Enjoy a gourmet lunch on board, then choose from optional activities such as kayaking or exploring the bay's sacred caves.

**Evening – Candlelit Gala in a Limestone Cave**

Experience an unforgettable gala dinner set inside a dramatic limestone cave transformed by the Indochina Heritage Events team into a spectacular natural banquet hall. This rare and exclusive opportunity is one that only Indochina Heritage can provide, creating a truly once-in-a-lifetime experience.



Overnight on cruise



# Day 5

Soar Above the UNESCO Beauty of Ha Long Bay



## Day 5



Breakfast on cruise

**Morning – Sunrise over Ha Long Bay**

Begin your day with the magical sight of Ha Long Bay at sunrise. Join a serene Tai Chi session on the deck, followed by a hearty breakfast and a leisurely morning cruise to explore more of the bay's breathtaking limestone formations.

**Midday – Aerial Views by Seaplane**

Disembark and take to the skies on an exhilarating seaplane flight over Ha Long Bay. Admire the sweeping panoramic views of this UNESCO-listed seascape before returning to Hanoi.

**Evening – Dinner & Leisure in Hanoi**

Savor a fine dinner at your luxury hotel, then enjoy free time to wander Hanoi's vibrant Old Quarter, perfect for evening strolls, boutique shopping, and soaking in the city's lively atmosphere.



Overnight at hotel



# Day 6

Farewell for now – See you again in Vietnam!





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