

TOURS ESCAPE FROM HANOI

1. OVERVIEW:

Said to be the Vietnam's heart and soul, Hanoi is actually over one thousand years old. Witnessing the ups and downs of the history, the wealth of the culture and tradition here is undeniable. The charming capital never ceases to amaze its visitors while still keeping its true identity. Ancient pagoda and temples, historical monuments, tree-lined boulevards and lakes, the French architectures, all give the city a definite charm. Do not miss the chance to enjoy a cyclo tour around the Old Quarter, the unique water puppet show or amazing street food. Make sure to visit as many as possible and enjoy every moment you have because they all offer delights, fun, education at different turns.

HANOI – HALONG BAY – UNESCO WORLD HERITAGE

Tour code: HAN-H

Tour type: Cultural & Historical

City: Hanoi Capital

Time: Full day (Time: 08.00 – 20.00h.)

Overview:

Ha Long Bay, literally 'descending dragon bay' is one of the most wondrous bay said to be created when an ancient dragon swished its immense tail. Despite being one of Vietnam's busiest tourist sites attracting million visitors each year, the bay's enormous scale, unique karst formations and indisputable splendor makes a visit here worthwhile experience. One day tour to Ha Long is not enough to enjoy its fullest, however it is for those who have limited time then.

Itinerary:

- 7:00am meet your private guide and car at your hotel and transfer to Ha Long Bay, which is about 160 km. The transfer time is approximately 3 hours. Moving through the countryside on the way, you will find a clear perspective of a country's whose 80% of population live on farming. Sometimes you can see farmers working together with their buffalo on field, a smile of Vietnamese women under a colonial hat is the picture you will meet somewhere on the way. Stop shortly for a white en route to relax before reaching Ha Long City
- 10:00 Arrive in Ha Long Bay, embark on a wooden boat to explore the legendary Ha Long Bay. Enjoy 04-hour cruise to visit islands and grottoes. The Bay is famous as one of the world's wonders and heritage Sites whose formation dates back 500 million years, consists of about 2,000 karst islands and islets scattered over an area of 1,543 km². The boat will stop at Dau Go Island for you to visit **Thien Cung Cave** (Heaven Palace) and Dau Go Cave (Wooden Stakes). **Dau Go Cave**

in 13th Century was a depot to store pointed wooden stakes, which later were used by Vietnamese great military commander Tran Hung Dao to trap and puncture Mongolian naval boats in famous battles of Bach Dang. Continue cruising while fresh seafood lunch is served on board.

14:00 Return to the dock, disembark and travel back to Hanoi. Arrive in Hanoi in the evening at about 19:00pm.

Note: Full day tour might make you little tired. This tour is for those who have limited time. We highly recommend you to stay one night in Ha Long (at hotel or stay on boat) for longer time in Ha Long because traveling for a long way just stay few hours then back is not a really relaxation trip.

Rate is net in USD per person

Group	1	2	3-4	5-6	7-9	10-12	13-14	15+1
Price	267	156	117	82	76	60	52	51

Included: Private transportation with English or French speaking guide/Entrance fee & mineral water/ Private board for sightseeing in Ha Long Bay/Seafood lunch on board