

Vietnam with Teens: An Active Family Adventure - 17 Days

17 days · Tailor-made itinerary



Tour photograph · Phu Quoc

Your journey. Your pace. Your experiences.

Hanoi - Pu Luong - Ninh Binh - Halong Bay - Hoi An - Ho Chi Minh City - Mekong Delta - Phu Quoc

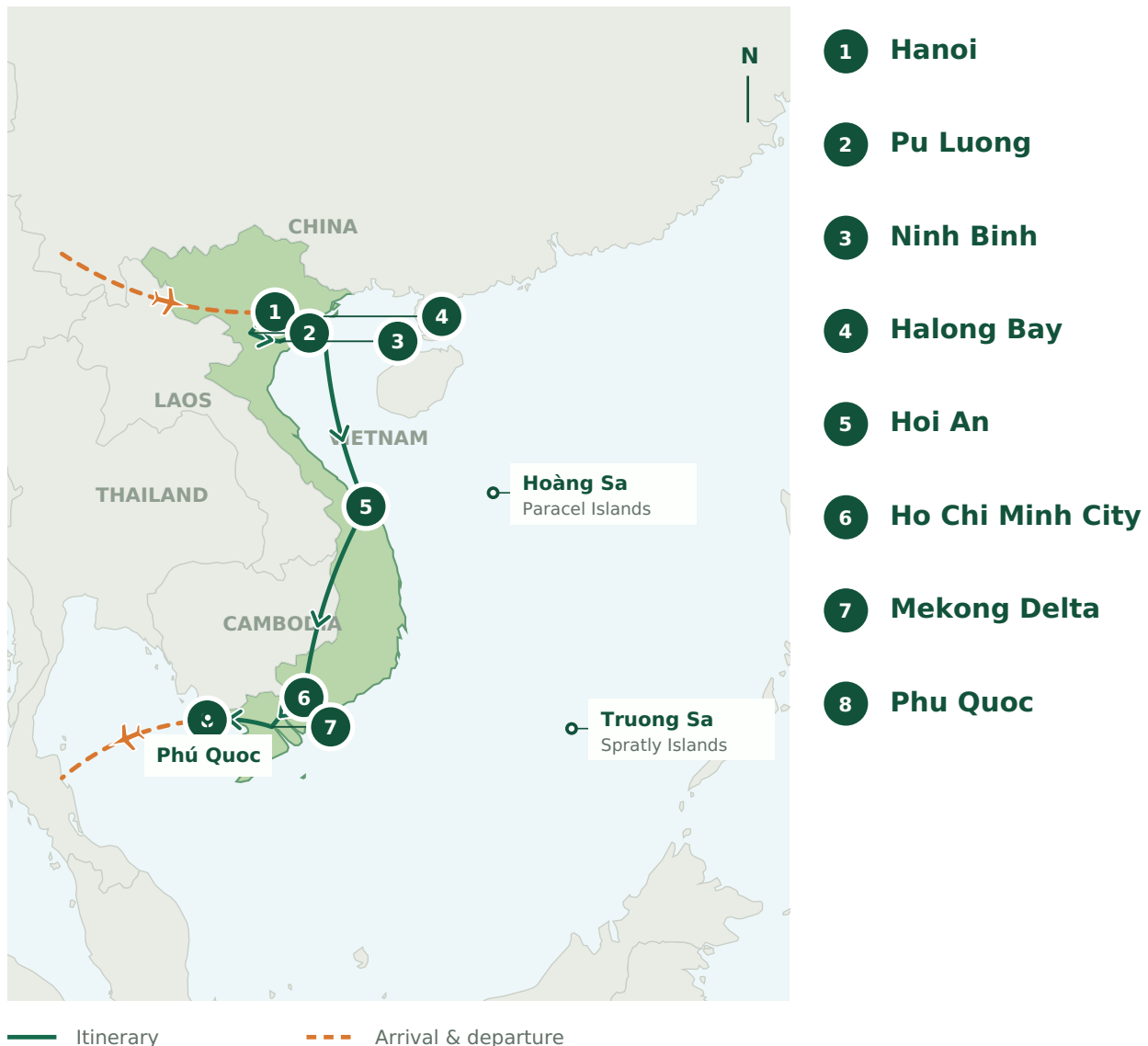
From USD 3,311 per person

Indicative price · international arrival and departure flights excluded

A tour idea we can personalise together.

Your journey at a glance

Destinations: Vietnam



Connections are schematic. Flights depend on your travel arrangements.

Map data: Natural Earth.

What makes this journey special

- Cooking together at Rose Kitchen in Hanoi
- Mountain trails through Pu Luong Nature Reserve
- A boat trip and walk through Hoi An Ancient Town
- Local crafts and everyday life in the Mekong Delta

DAY 1**Welcome to Vietnam — Arrival in Hanoi**

Tour photograph · Hanoi

Xin Chào! Welcome to Vietnam!

After completing the customs formalities, go to the exit and look for your driver, who will be waiting in the arrivals hall with a sign displaying your name. If you cannot find your driver, please go to the airport information desk and call the number on your confirmation voucher for assistance.

A private car takes you to your hotel in the Old Quarter.

Overnight at La Siesta Hang Be Hotel (connecting or adjacent rooms).

- Meals: No meals included
 - Transfer time: 45 minutes
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DAY 2**Exploring Hanoi & a Cooking Class at Rose Kitchen**

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Discover Hanoi's many sides today. Begin at the Museum of Ethnology for an insight into Vietnam's cultural diversity, then visit the Temple of Literature, a peaceful oasis in the city. Lunch is at KOTO Restaurant, which trains disadvantaged young people for careers in hospitality.

In the afternoon, take part in a special cooking class at Rose Kitchen. Shop for fresh ingredients at the market with a local chef, then learn to prepare and enjoy authentic Vietnamese dishes.

Overnight at La Siesta Hang Be Hotel (connecting or adjacent rooms).

- Meals: Breakfast, lunch, dinner
 - Tour duration: 8 hours
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DAY 3**Pu Luong Nature Reserve**

Tour photograph · Pu Luong

After a 4-hour transfer from Hanoi, arrive at your accommodation in time for a delicious lunch. You then have time to explore the beautiful reserve, with its panoramic views and peaceful surroundings.

After lunch, experience village life and meet people living in the hills above the retreat. Discover daily routines, walk through the fields and learn about the local culture before walking back to the retreat.

Overnight at Pu Luong Retreat (connecting or adjacent rooms).

- Meals: Breakfast, lunch
 - Transfer time: 4 hours
 - Tour duration: 3 hours
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DAY 4**Walking along Scenic Mountain Trails**

Tour photograph · Pu Luong

Begin the day with a 6 km walk down into an idyllic valley opposite Pu Luong Retreat. Follow narrow paths through lush vegetation to a picturesque village at the foot of a mountain, with wonderful opportunities for photographs. Walk past the palm-fringed village of Uoi and continue to Lan, where aromas from the houses drift through the valley. Enjoy the changing scenery on the way to another beautiful spot. Return to the retreat for lunch, then travel to Ninh Binh.

After checking in at the resort, the evening is at leisure.

Overnight at Tam Coc Retreat Resort (connecting or adjacent rooms).

- Meals: Breakfast, lunch
 - Transfer time: 4 hours
 - Tour duration: 3 hours
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DAY 5**A Day of Experiences in Ninh Binh**

Tour photograph · Ninh Binh

After breakfast, travel to Tho Ha village for a leisurely 5–15 km cycle ride through quiet villages and attractive countryside. In Dong Tam hamlet, join activities such as catching crabs, fishing or planting vegetables. Then take a cooking class and enjoy a traditional lunch with a local family, including sweet potato cakes and grilled fish. In the afternoon, explore the impressive Galaxy Grotto by rowing boat, seeing its sparkling stalactites and a bat colony. Return to the hotel in the late afternoon for free time.

Overnight at Tam Coc Retreat Resort (connecting or adjacent rooms).

- Meals: Breakfast, lunch
 - Tour duration: 8 hours
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DAY 6**Cruising through Spectacular Halong Bay**

Tour photograph · Halong Bay

After breakfast, travel to famous Halong Bay. Check in on board and begin your cruise through a spectacular landscape of striking limestone islands rising from emerald waters. Enjoy lunch before exploring hidden karst formations by kayak. Back on board, relax, join activities and admire the sunset. A delicious dinner on deck awaits in the evening.

Overnight on Rita Cruise (connecting or adjacent cabins).

- Meals: Breakfast, lunch, dinner
 - Note: In bad weather, the excursion may be cancelled or adjusted at short notice.
 - Transfer time: 3 hours
 - Tour duration: 3.5 hours
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DAY 7**Halong Bay & Flight to Hoi An**

Tour photograph · Hoi An

As the sun rises over Halong Bay, take part in a Tai Chi session before a light breakfast. Later in the morning, you can take a short excursion to one of the bay's most beautiful caves. On returning, complete the check-out formalities and enjoy brunch as the ship heads back to port. We then transfer you to the airport for your flight to Da Nang. On arrival, travel to a lovely resort in peaceful countryside. The rest of the day is at leisure.

Overnight at La Siesta Resort Hoi An (connecting or adjacent rooms).

- Meals: Breakfast, brunch
 - Transfer time: 2.5 hours
 - Tour duration: 1 hour
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DAY 8**Walking and a Boat Ride in Hoi An Ancient Town**

Tour photograph · Hoi An

Lanterns are Hoi An's colourful symbol, so why not make one yourself? In the morning, walk through the charming lanes of the Ancient Town and visit highlights including the Japanese Bridge, Tan Ky Old House, and the Phuc Kien and Cantonese assembly halls. Discover the lively Central Market, then enjoy a relaxing boat ride on the Thu Bon River, passing fishing boats and peaceful villages.

Return to the hotel in the early afternoon.

Overnight at La Siesta Resort Hoi An (connecting or adjacent rooms).

- Meals: Breakfast
 - Tour duration: 3 hours
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DAY 9

Craftsmanship in the Driftwood Village & Flight to Ho Chi Minh City



Tour photograph · Ho Chi Minh City

Today, explore the fascinating world of woodworking in Cui Lu village, surrounded by rice fields. The “Driftwood Village” is known for artworks made from wood collected on nearby beaches. Learn about its sustainable craftsmanship and village history. Under the guidance of local artisans, discover carving techniques and create and paint your own artwork.

Then transfer to the airport for your flight to Ho Chi Minh City.

Overnight at La Siesta Premium Ho Chi Minh (connecting or adjacent rooms).

- Meals: Breakfast
 - Transfer time: 50 minutes
 - Tour duration: 3 hours
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DAY 10**Discovering Colonial and Creative Saigon**

Tour photograph · Ho Chi Minh City

Begin at Saigon's iconic Central Post Office, a masterpiece of French colonial architecture. Meet Mr Duong, known for his love letters. Walk along Dong Khoi Street to Gia Long Palace, then continue to Le Loi Street to meet an artisan specialising in traditional engraving. Explore the old Central Market and an apartment building from the colonial period, built in 1886. Browse the quirky boutiques and cafés of young, creative Vietnamese people. Finish at the former Banque de l'Indochine building.

Overnight at La Siesta Premium Sai Gon (connecting or adjacent rooms).

- Meals: Breakfast

- Tour duration: 4 hours

DAY 11**Experiencing Local Life in the Mekong Delta**

Tour photograph · Mekong Delta

Travel to Coco Riverside Lodge in Vung Liem in the morning. After lunch at the resort and a rest, cycle through the village in the afternoon. At Mr Cong's, learn to make puffed rice, a popular snack that is later given as a gift. Experience local daily life and, if possible, visit a duck farm and fruit orchard to taste fresh fruit. Back at the lodge, meet a Vietnam War veteran and hear his story. In the evening, join a cooking class and enjoy dinner.

Overnight at Coco Riverside Lodge (connecting or adjacent rooms).

- Meals: Breakfast, lunch, dinner
 - Transfer time: 3 hours
 - Tour duration: 4 hours
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DAY 12**A Mekong Delta Boat Trip & Flight to Phu Quoc**

Tour photograph · Phu Quoc

After breakfast, take a boat trip to see the busy life on the Mekong River. Visit the Cao Dai temple and workshops to see how coconut fibres are made into different products.

Check out of the lodge and travel to Can Tho Airport for a flight to Phu Quoc Island.

Overnight at Dusit Princess Moonrise Beach Resort Phu Quoc (connecting or adjacent rooms).

- Meals: Breakfast
 - Transfer time: 3.5 hours
 - Tour duration: 3 hours
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DAYS 13-16**Free Time at the Beach**

Tour photograph · Phu Quoc

Phu Quoc is a tropical paradise, ideal for relaxing beach days and fun in the water. Swim, play or go snorkelling. Families can visit Vinpearl Land amusement park and its water park, or see wildlife at Vinpearl Safari. Nature lovers can enjoy a picnic at Suoi Tranh Waterfall or a jungle walk.

Option 1: Three-island speedboat tour.

Option 2: Cable car ride, Aquatopia Water Park & a four-island tour.

Overnight at Dusit Princess Moonrise Beach Resort Phu Quoc (connecting or adjacent rooms).

- Meals: Breakfast

DAY 17**Departure from Phu Quoc**

Tour photograph · Phu Quoc

Complete the hotel check-out formalities. You can then visit local markets to buy souvenirs for friends and family. Later, your private driver takes you to the airport for your flight home.

Your 17-day journey through Vietnam ends with your return flight.

We hope to welcome you again soon!

Notes:

- Meals: Breakfast
 - Transfer time: 45 minutes
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Included services

- Private tour following the itinerary described.
- Pick-up service and transfers as described in the itinerary.
- Domestic flights according to the itinerary: Hanoi – Da Nang; Da Nang – Ho Chi Minh City; Can Tho – Phu Quoc.
- Accommodation and room or cabin category according to your selected proposal.
- Meals as specified in the itinerary (F = breakfast, M = lunch, A = dinner).
- Guiding for the guided sightseeing specified in the itinerary; German-speaking guides available on request.
- Boat trips and activities as specified in the itinerary.
- Admission tickets for the sightseeing included in the itinerary.
- Drinking water during transport.
- Service charges and VAT.
- 24/7 assistance hotline.
- No additional charge for confirmed services after the service confirmation.

Your personal proposal will set out the included services. Any changes and availability will be confirmed before you book.

Additional costs

- International arrival and departure flights and any applicable airport departure taxes.
- Early check-in and late check-out unless expressly agreed.
- Travel insurance.
- Drinks, personal expenses and tips.
- Visas and any applicable visa fees.
- Holiday surcharges, where applicable.
- Mandatory gala events on 24 or 31 December, where applicable.
- Bank charges associated with payment.
- Meals and optional activities not listed as included in the itinerary.
- Any taxi or airport-transfer surcharges between midnight and 05:00.
- Other services not listed in the confirmed travel proposal.

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Carefully selected accommodation

Suggested hotels by destination and category. Your personal proposal will confirm room types and availability.

Hanoi

3 stars**Mk Premier Boutique Hotel**

Deluxe City View

4 stars**La Siesta Hang Be Hotel**

Deluxe

5 stars**Peridot Grand Luxury Boutique Hotel**

Junior Suite

Mai Chau

3 stars**Mai Châu Ecolodge**

Superior

4 stars**Mai Châu Ecolodge**

Deluxe

5 stars**Mai Châu Ecolodge**

Suite

Pu Luong

3 stars**Puluong Luna Resort**

Junior Suite

4 stars**Pu Luong Retreat**

Deluxe

5 stars**Pu Luong Retreat**

Valley View Suite

Ninh Binh

3 stars**Le Clos Du Fil Boutique Hotel & Spa**

Superior

4 stars**Tam Coc Retreat**

Suite Garden Bungalow

5 stars**Tam Coc Garden Resort**

Premium Tonkin

Halong Bay

3 stars

Milalux Cruise

Junior With Balcony

4 stars

Peony Cruises

Deluxe Balcony

5 stars

Halong Capellacruise

Oasis Suite

Hoi An

3 stars

La Charm Hoi An Hotel & Spa

Premium with River View & Balcony

4 stars

La Siesta Hoi An Resort & Spa

Deluxe Balcony

5 stars

Palm Garden Resort - Hoi An

Bungalow Beach Front

Ho Chi Minh City

3 stars

Gk Central Hotel

Premier Deluxe

4 stars

La Siesta Premium Sai Gon

Deluxe

5 stars

Hôtel Des Arts Saigon Mgallery

Grand Deluxe Room

Mekong Delta

3 stars

Coco Riverside Lodge

Bungalow

4 stars

Coco Riverside Lodge

Bungalow

5 stars

Coco Riverside Lodge

Bungalow

Phu Quoc

3 stars

Thanh Kieu Beach Resort

Sea View Bungalows

4 stars

Dusit Princess Moonrise Beach Resort Phu Quoc

Deluxe Ocean View

5 stars

Green Bay Phu Quoc Resort & Spa

Beachfront Pool Villa

These hotels are suggestions, not reservations. If unavailable, a comparable alternative will be offered. Columns show the trip categories; some lodges, homestays and cruises may be the same across categories.

Turn your idea into your journey.

Discuss your route, pace, accommodation and activities with our local travel team. We will help you shape a trip around your interests, with personal advice in English.



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