



Small group tour with maximum personal experience

Home-lunch with local family to learn the villagge culture through their cuisine and daily activities



Discovery to Tam Coc – the ?Halong Bay on land? by sampan boat rowed by local people

Unique and unforgetable biking route passing through villages, rice fields and karst mountant on a high quality sport bikes

## **Trip Overview**

Hoa Lu and Tam Coc, the two must-see destinations when visiting Ninh Binh province, are located about 100 km away from the southeast of Hanoi. Joining this day trip, you will have opportunity to explore both these destinations and enjoy luxury services from transfer, meal quality to activities in the tour. All will bring you a memorable moment.

# What you'll get

**DURATION** Full day

PRICE STARTING FROM US\$ 72

STARTS IN / ENDS IN

Hanoi / Hanoi











#### **SUITABLE**

Family, friends, couples, solo travelers...

**Transportation** 

Van

**PRODUCT CODE** 

**T88NBG01** 

**MEALS** 

1 Lunch

**ACCOMMODATION** 

Homestay

**TYPE** 

Land tour

### **Price Includes**

- English speaking guide
- Spork bike for cycling
- Meal (Vietnamese family lunch)
- All sightseeing and boat fees
- Pick up & drop off in Hanoi Old Quarter area
- All air-conditioned transport as mentioned in tour
- 03 bottle of water per person (02 on the bus, 01 for cycling time)



### **Price Excludes**

- Pick up & drop off outside Hanoi Old Quarter area (10 USD fees for a group)
- Motorbike option (7 USD/pax)
- Animal Cart option (7 USD/pax)
- Tip and personal expenses

## **Cancellation by Customer**

For almost of our tours, once tour is confirmed and fully paid but for one reason they cancel the tour, the following charges will apply in the event of cancellation prior to tour commencement:

- More than 30 days before arrival: No charge
- 15-30 days before arrival: 10% of total tour price.
- 7-15 days before arrival: 50% of total tour price.
- 4-7 days before arrival: 75% of total tour price.
- Within 3 days before arrival: 100% tour price.

#### Notes:

- There will be no refund given for any unused or missed ground arrangements, sightseeing, meals or hotel accommodations.
- For no show cases, there will be no refund.
- All cancellations must be in person or in writing and received by Asia Travel Package

## **Cancellation by Weather**

In case of an unexpected situation/ bad weather causes an effect on your trip after commencement, we serve the right to change the itinerary of your booked tour for the safety of all clients in the group. If there are more than one solution, we will ask for your permission and agreement to do the next step. In such kind of cancellation, the refund of

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any payment on the un-used portion of transportation service, hotel service, car rental or tours will be given.

### **Itineraries**

### Hanoi - Tam Coc - Hoa Lu - Hanoi

**07.15–07.45**: Pick up from your hotel or private address in Hanoi Old Quarter and departure to Ninh Binh by comfortable transfer.

**09.00**: Have a short break for relaxing at a stop-over in Dong Van, Ha Nam province.

**10.00**: Arrive Tam Coc area. Start the journey by visiting a local family in Tam Coc. They are a traditional Vietnamese family with three generations living together. Here you will get the chance to see the house architecture and their daily life and their handicraft job of making traditional embroidery.

- Option 1: You will take a bike and start riding to explore the rice fields and limestone mountains for about 1 hour with an 8 km unique route. Animal Cart or Motorbike is available for those who can't ride bike or want to try different version. ( with extra charge )
- Option 2: Learn the traditional embroidery with the host family.

**11:30** Come back to the host family to enjoy a special lunch prepared by the home chef with the local cuisine featuring the yin-yang balance of the Asian culture. After lunch, a break with a cup of Vietnam green tea or coffee will be served before you continue the journey of discovery Tam Coc- the Halong Bay on land.

**13.30**: Visit Tam Coc by a small boat rowed by a local for about 2 hours. Known as Halong Bay on land, Tam Coc is the name of the limestone caves area stretching along Ngo Dong river. The boat trip is a nice journey along the river with the peaceful scenery of Limestone Mountains, rice paddy and the sight of some temples along the way. If traveling during harvest season, you may have chances to see the

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yellow rice carpet along the river banks.

**15.30**: Arrive at Hoa Lu, the ancient capital of Vietnam in the 10th century, visit the temple of King Dinh. Under the introduction of our local guide, you will get to know more about the Vietnamese history. Hoa Lu existed as the capital of Vietnam for 41 years (968 – 1009), of which 12 years was under the Dinh dynasty – King Dinh Tien Hoang, when country named Dai Co Viet.

16.30: Leave Hoa Lu and drive straight back to Hanoi.

**18:30** Arrive in Hanoi, drop you back to your hotel or private address in Hanoi Old Quarter. Trip ends.

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Accommodation:

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