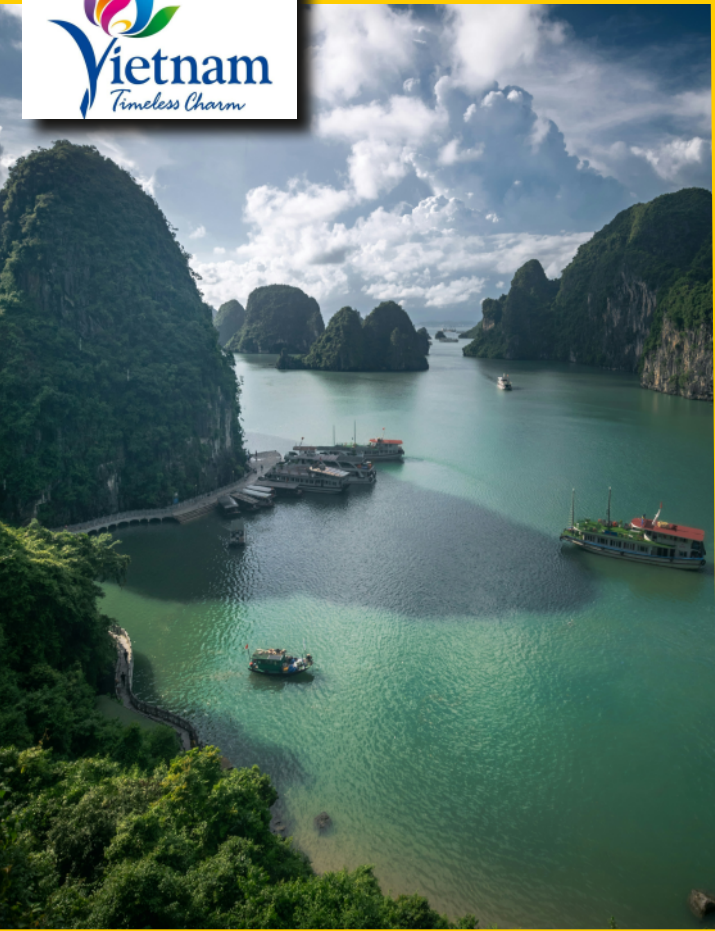


JTB USA Vietnam North & South Tour

*** Hanoi to Saigon with Halong Bay Cruise ***

Feb 10th (Mon) ~ Feb 22nd (Sat), 2025



Escorted with Air from Honolulu \$3,999.00

Air tax \$472.50 included as of July 30th 2024

Based on double occupancy

\$600.00 additional charge for single occupancy

Land Only: \$3,199.00 per person double occupancy

- Roundtrip international air including tax and surcharges.
- Local English-speaking guides from 2/11 to 2/22
- 11 nights in deluxe hotel accommodations
- Sightseeing by chartered motor coach.
- All meals included: daily breakfast, 10 lunches and 10 dinners
- Vietnam eVisa processing and Fast Track entry.
- UNESCO World Heritage cities:
Ha Long Bay, Huế, Hoi An, and My Son
- Escort from Honolulu by JTB USA



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- Please print clearly. Name must match passport name, passport must be valid for 6 months past travel dates.
- Please submit a passport copy with this application form.

1) ☐ Mr ☐ Mrs ☐ Ms
Last Name First Name Middle Name Date of Birth (mm/dd/yyyy)

Passport Number Expiration (mm/dd/yyyy) (US/Japan/Other) Cell Phone Number Email Address

2) ☐ Mr ☐ Mrs ☐ Ms
Last Name First Name Middle Name Date of Birth (mm/dd/yyyy)

Passport Number Expiration (mm/dd/yyyy) (US/Japan/Other) Cell Phone Number Email Address

3) ☐ Mr ☐ Mrs ☐ Ms
Last Name First Name Middle Name Date of Birth (mm/dd/yyyy)

Passport Number Expiration (mm/dd/yyyy) (US/Japan/Other) Cell Phone Number Email Address

Home Address City State Zip Code Home Phone Number

Emergency Contact Contact Phone Number Contact Email Address

I certify that I have read the Escorted Tour's Terms and Conditions and agree to abide by them:

Signature: Date: ☐ E-signature: type and submit (or print and sign)

Food allergies, special needs, and requests:

☐ I am interested in travel insurance.

Rooming Preference: ☐ Single ☐ Twin ☐ Triple



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Package includes the following:

- Roundtrip international air by Asiana Airlines including tax and surcharges. (Tax and surcharges are subject to change and adjusted for differences greater than \$10.00)
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- 11 nights in deluxe hotel accommodations
- Sightseeing by chartered motor coach.
- **All meals included:** daily breakfast, 10 lunches and 10 dinners
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- **UNESCO World Heritage** Ha Long Bay, Huế, Hoi An, and My Son
- Escort from Honolulu by JTB USA

Rules and Restrictions

- Passport valid for 6 months past dates of travel with 1 blank page for entry stamp.
- Passengers with foreign passports (other than U.S.) may need visa. Please call the Consulate General of Vietnam in San Francisco at (415) 922-1707.
- Seats are limited; please call 808-979-0111 for reservations.
- Price/Schedule is subject to change by vendor.
- Minimum 10 people are required to guarantee departure.
- A moderate degree of physical health and physical ability is required to participate in the tour. In the event of special physical or mental needs, JTB USA cannot assume any responsibility in relation to the difficulty or impossibility that the said passenger may encounter in undertaking the activities planned for the tour, nor can JTB USA assume any responsibility for aiding their adaption to, or continuation of, the trip.
- JTB USA reserves the right to suspend any tour for passengers who's physical and/or mental conditions make their participation difficult or dangerous to themselves or others. JTB USA likewise reserves the right to exclude passengers who disrupt the smooth-running of the trip.



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JTB USA, Inc. TOUR TERMS & CONDITIONS

1. **Deposit and Final Payment:**

- A \$300.00 deposit per person will be required at the time of booking. Deposit is fully refundable until 100 days prior to departure.
- The remaining balance is due 100 days prior to departure or at time of booking if reservation is made less than 100 days prior to departure.
- If remaining balance of payment is not made within the above-required period JTB USA, Inc. reserves the right to cancel reservations.

2. **Cancellation and Change Fees: (Please read very carefully)**

- Regardless of reason, cancellations result in costly charges from travel and hotel providers covering penalties and fees incurred by canceling confirmed bookings:

Cancellation or any changes within:

- | | |
|--|---------------------------------|
| • Up to 101 days prior to departure: | No penalty |
| • From 100 days prior to Dec 2nd, 2024: | \$300 deposit is non-refundable |
| • From Dec 3 rd to Dec 27 th , 2024: | 75% of the total tour fee |
| • From December 28 th , 2024: | 100% of the total tour fee |

Airline tickets are non-refundable after issue. Other additional individual arrangements may not be refundable. Please check with our travel agents.

3. **Participation:**

For the benefit of everyone in your tour group, JTB USA, Inc. reserves the right to accept or reject any person as a tour participant, and to remove from the tour any participant whose conduct is deemed incompatible with the interests of the other participants.

We require a minimum number of 10 participants to guarantee the tour. We regret that our escorted tours will operate only when booked by a minimum number of participants. We reserve the right to cancel any departure date that has insufficient demand.

** It may be possible to operate tours with less than the minimum number, but changes to price and itinerary may become necessary.

4. **Responsibility:**

The tour participant agrees that neither JTB USA, Inc. nor its affiliates shall be liable for any damage, loss (including personal injury, death, and property loss) or expense occasioned by any act or omission of any supplier providing services, or any insurer or insurance administrator under the Travel Protection Plan, or of any other person, or any other situations beyond the control of JTB USA, Inc., including weather, natural disaster, war, civil unrest, and order of government or immigration regulations. Itinerary is subject to change due to availability of facilities, access restrictions, and other unforeseen circumstances.

**** Optional Travel Insurance is Recommended ****

We strongly advise that tour participants purchase optional travel insurance coverage. Please ask one of our travel consultants for more information or contact Travel Insured directly:

<http://www.travelinsured.com/agency?agency=52919>

1-855-752-8303 / Office Number: 52919



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Day 1 Feb 10 (Mon) Honolulu – Seoul

11:10 AM Depart for Incheon on **Asiana Airlines flight OZ 231**, meal and snack served on the flight (11h 20m flight, Boeing 777, 3-3-3 seating). Asiana Airlines was recognized as the first environmentally friendly company within the service industry by the South Korean Ministry of the Environment. It was named the best airline in the world by Skytrax in 2010 and has been recognized as a **5-Star Airline** by Skytrax for quality since 2007.

Day 2 Feb 11 (Tue) Arrival Day: Seoul to Hanoi

5:30 PM Arrive at **Incheon International Airport**, awarded the **World's Best Airport Staff Service** by Skytrax in 2023. **wait for your tour escort** and then transfer for your flight to Hanoi.

7:30 PM Depart for Vietnam on Asiana Airlines flight OZ 733, meal served on the flight (4h 30m flight, Airbus A333, 2-4-2 seating).

10:00 PM Arrive in Hanoi at **Nội Bài International Airport**, Vietnam's busiest airport. **Wait for your tour escort and proceed as a group** to immigration, where we have arranged for special **Fast Track** processing. After immigration, claim your luggage and **wait for your tour escort** before exchanging currency and exiting customs.

Meet our local English-speaking guide and transfer to our Hanoi hotel. Our hotel tonight is located in the center of the Hanoi Old Quarter, convenient to all that the capitol city has to offer and is rated 100 out of 100 for walkers on Trip Advisor.

Accommodations at Silk Path Hotel Hanoi or similar

Day 3 Feb 12 (Wed) Inside the River - Hanoi City Tour (B, L, D)

Breakfast at hotel, lunch and dinner at local restaurants.

This morning, we will depart by chartered coach with English speaking guide to explore **Hanoi**, whose name means "Inside the River", due to its location between the Red and Black Rivers.

We will visit the fascinating **Old Quarter** - 36 ancient streets where peddlers continue to trade as they have done for centuries, the **Hoàn Kiếm Lake** area (Hanoi's heart, and one of the four original districts of Hanoi), the **Hanoi Opera House (Nhà hát lớn Hà Nội)**, and the St. Joseph's, the **Grand Cathedral of Hanoi (Nhà thờ Lớn Hà Nội)**, named after the patron saint of Vietnam.

We continue our tour with a visit to the **President Ho Chi Minh Mausoleum (Lăng Chủ tịch Hồ Chí Minh)**, the last resting place of the Vietnamese revolutionary and president - set on the spot in Ba Dinh square where Ho Chi Minh first declared independence from French rule in 1945.

Then we will visit the **Humble House on Stilts** from which "Uncle Ho", as he is affectionately known, ruled Vietnam until his death in 1969. Our final stop of the day will be at Hanoi's first University, the **Temple of Literature (Quoc Tu Giam)**, built in 1070.

Accommodations at Silk Path Hotel Hanoi or similar

Day 4 Feb 13 (Thu) Hanoi to UNESCO World Heritage Hạ Long Bay (B, L, D)

Breakfast at hotel, lunch on cruise, and dinner at local restaurant.

Depart for a day trip to UNESCO World Heritage **Hạ Long ("Descending Dragon") Bay**.

There we will take a magical 4 hour cruise around the bay. Considered Vietnam's greatest natural wonder, **Hạ Long Bay** is home to over 3,000 islands, said to have been formed by a family of dragons sent by the gods to protest Vietnam, that jut out of the sea to provide a spectacular natural environment.

Stop for a refreshing swim in a secluded bay at **Titop Island** (weather permitting), named after Russian cosmonaut Gherman Titov, the second man to orbit the earth. We will also take the opportunity to enjoy a fresh seafood lunch on board our boat.

Return to our Hanoi hotel in the afternoon, dinner at local restaurant.

Accommodations at Silk Path Hotel Hanoi or similar

Day 5 Feb 14 (Fri) Hanoi to Huế (B, L, D)

Breakfast at hotel, lunch and dinner at local restaurants.

Today we will fly to **Huế**, the ancient capital of the Nguyen Dynasty, nestled along the banks of the Perfume River.

4:35 PM Depart for Huế on **Vietnam Airlines flight VN1545**.

5:50 PM Arrive in Huế at **Phu Bai International Airport**. Claim your luggage and **wait for your tour escort** before exiting.

Our hot spring hotel is located in the heart of Huế, just a few minutes from the Perfume River. The mineral water in the hot spring is sourced from the geothermal hot springs which Dr. Albert Sallet discovered in 1928

Accommodations at the Alba Spa Hotel or similar

Day 6 Feb 15 (Sat) UNESCO World Heritage Huế (B, L, D)

Breakfast at hotel, lunch and dinner at local restaurants.

After breakfast we'll embark on a delightful boat trip along the romantic **Perfume River** to visit the **Thiên Mụ Pagoda**, which is the oldest and most revered site in Hue, its iconic seven-story Phước Duyên pagoda is regarded as the unofficial symbol of the city.

Next, we will visit the **Tomb of Khải Định** and the **Tomb of Tự Đức**. The kings of the Nguyen Dynasty designed their own tombs, reflecting their varying temperaments, philosophies, and priorities, and are a UNESCO World Heritage Site.

Take a break for lunch at a local restaurant, for delicious traditional Vietnamese cuisine.

In the afternoon, we will continue our tour with an exploration of **the Imperial Citadel**, a UNESCO World Heritage Site that showcases the grandeur and sophistication of the Nguyen Dynasty. Discover the fascinating history and architecture of the **Purple Forbidden City**, which was once the exclusive domain of the emperors and their royal family.

Next, visit the **Thuy Xuan Incense Village**, where you can witness the traditional process of making incense and learn about its cultural significance in Vietnam.

Finally, head to **Đông Ba Market**, the largest and most vibrant market in Hue, and shop till we drop for souvenirs, handicrafts, and local specialties.

Accommodations at the Alba Spa Hotel or similar

Day 7 Feb 16 (Sun) UNESCO World Heritage Hội An (B, L, D)

Breakfast at hotel, lunch and dinner at local restaurants.

After having breakfast at our hotel, we will depart for **Hội An**.

On the way we'll make a stop at the beautiful **Hai Van Pass** to take in the stunning views of Son Tra Peninsula from the top, and take a short break at **Lang Co Beach**, one of the most beautiful beaches in Vietnam.

Next, we'll stop to visit the **Museum of Cham Sculpture**, which houses the world's largest collection of Cham sculpture, and **Ngũ Hành Sơn ("The Marble Mountains")** in Da Nang.

Arrive in Hội An in the afternoon; after checking in we'll have some free time to explore the old town.

Our hotel tonight is in the heart of the Old Town, a UNESCO World Heritage Site, and within easy walking distance of all the main sites.

Accommodations at La Charm Hoi An Hotel & Spa or similar

Day 8 Feb 17 (Mon) Hội An – The Peaceful Meeting Place (B, L, D)

Breakfast at hotel, lunch and dinner at local restaurants.

Enjoy a full-day excursion to Hội An, a charming and historic trading center that was once known as "Faifo" to the earliest Western traders, an important port for the Dutch, Portuguese, Italian, Chinese, Japanese, and other merchant vessels from the Far East.

We'll start out with a visit to the **Phuc Kien Temple** located in the center of Hoi An, with partially gilded statues reflecting the influences of both Chinese and Japanese styles. The pagoda is dedicated to sailors and fishermen, and the chapel has origins dating back to the 1700s.

Next, we will stop at the **Museum of Sa Huynh Culture**, located near the iconic **Japanese Covered Bridge**, for a look at Vietnam's pre-historic Bronze Age civilization. The museum contains exhibitions from the earliest period of Hội An's history, offering a glimpse into the city's rich and fascinating past.

Later in the afternoon after lunch will take a boat trip on the **Thu Bồn River** to **Kim Bồng Woodworking Village** on **Cẩm Kim Island**. Here, you will see skilled woodworkers and shipbuilding families who have been practicing their craft for generations. It's a unique opportunity to experience the traditional way of life in this part of Vietnam.

In the evening, we will have time to leisurely explore Hội An Ancient Town on our own.

Accommodations at La Charm Hoi An Hotel & Spa or similar

Day 8 Feb 18 (Tue) UNESCO World Heritage My Son (B, L, D)

Breakfast at hotel, lunch and dinner at local restaurants.

After breakfast we will depart to visit **My Son**, a UNESCO World Heritage site located 50 km southwest of Hội An. My Son was once the capital and religious center of the Cham people and is considered to be one of Southeast Asia's greatest archaeological sites, along with Angkor in Cambodia, Bagan in Myanmar, Ayutthaya in Thailand, and Borobudur in Indonesia. The towers and sanctuaries here were built between the 7th and 13th centuries. During our visit, we will explore the lush valley and learn

about the Cham civilization and their beliefs. We will have the opportunity to admire the intricate carvings and sculptures on the temples and learn about their significance.

Return to Hội An for lunch around 1:00 pm. In the afternoon, we will have free time to go shopping or explore the town at our own pace. Hội An is known for its beautiful lanterns, tailor-made clothing, and handcrafted souvenirs.

Accommodations at La Charm Hoi An Hotel & Spa or similar

Day 9 Feb 19 (Wed) Hội An - Da Nang - Ho Chi Minh City (B, L, D)

Breakfast at hotel, lunch and dinner at local restaurants

Today we will fly to Ho Chi Minh City, also known as **Sài Gòn**, Vietnam's largest city.

Check out from our hotel and transfer to Da Nang International Airport.

2:10 PM Depart for Ho Chi Minh City on **Vietnam Airlines flight VN127**.

3:55 PM Arrive in Ho Chi Minh City at **Tân Sơn Nhất International Airport**. Claim your luggage and **wait for your tour escort** before exiting.

Transfer to our Ho Chi Minh City Hotel. Our hotel tonight is located on one of Ho Chi Minh City's trendiest fashion streets, **Le Thanh Ton** street. It is only one block from the famous **Bến Thành Market**.

Accommodations at Liberty Central Saigon Hotel or similar

Day 10 Feb 20 (Thu) Mỹ Tho – Canals of the Mekong Delta (B, L, D)

Breakfast at hotel, lunch and dinner at local restaurants

This morning, we leave Ho Chi Minh city for **Mỹ Tho**, located on the northern banks of the **Mekong River Delta**, about two hours away from Ho Chi Minh City.

We'll take a cruise through the fish farms in the canals along the **Mekong River** and stop at a small island to visit a local fruit garden, coconut candy workshop, a bee farm and drink Vietnamese honey tea.

Sample coconut milk and seasonal fruit while listening to traditional Vietnamese music. Riding a rowing boat on a small canal under a green canopy of water-coconut trees, we'll catch a glimpse of the daily activities of the local people. Lunch at a local restaurant will feature **Elephant's ear fish**, a local delicacy.

Afterwards return to Ho Chi Minh City, where we will have some free time to explore and shop.

Accommodations at Liberty Central Saigon Hotel or similar

Day 11 Feb 21 (Fri) Ho Chi Minh City (B, L, D)

Breakfast at hotel, lunch and dinner at local restaurants

This morning, we will depart for our tour of Ho Chi Minh City. Our first stop is the **Saigon Central Post Office**, built by the French in the 19th century.

Then proceed to visit the **Reunification Hall (Hội trường Thống Nhất)**, formerly the Presidential Palace of the Republic of Vietnam, and the **War Remnants Museum** which primarily contains exhibits relating to the American phase of the Vietnam War.

After lunch, we'll head to the **Thien Hau ("Empress of Heaven") Temple** in the Cholon (Chinatown) District.

Then hit the **Bến Thành Market**, the symbol of the city, and **An Dong Market**, the city's largest wholesale fashion market. We'll have some more free time in the evening to explore on your own and shop before we head home tomorrow.

Accommodations at Liberty Central Saigon Hotel or similar

Day 12 Feb 22 (Sat) Headed Home! (B)

Breakfast at hotel. Free at leisure until it's time to depart for the airport.

Depart for **Tân Sơn Nhất International Airport**.

12:10 PM Depart for Incheon on **Asiana Airlines flight OZ 732**, meal served on the flight.
(5h 10m flight, Airbus A333, 2-4-2 seating)

7:20 PM Arrive at **Incheon International Airport**. Wait for your tour escort and then transfer for your flight to Honolulu.

8:20 PM Depart for Honolulu on **Asiana Airlines flight OZ 232**, meal and snack served on the flight.
(8h 10m flight, Boeing 777, 3-3-3 seating)

****Arrive at Daniel K. Inouye International Airport on the same day at 9:30 AM****

Welcome Home!

Note: Air and Land Itinerary are subject to change.