THAILAND CULTURAL & BEACH VACATION 12 DAYS

TRIP HIGHLIGHT: This 12-day Thailand Cultural & Beach Vacation Tour offers a perfect blend of enriching cultural experiences and rejuvenating beach getaways, providing an exceptional opportunity to explore the diverse and majestic country of Thailand from many aspects. From the vibrant metropolis of Bangkok to the ancient ruins of Ayutthaya, you will discover the wonders of Thailand's history and heritage. Take a trip to the Northern Region, and you'll find yourself in the tranquil forests, and mountains that are home to the ethnic hill tribes, and be dazzled by the pristine white-sand beaches and crystal-clear waters while in Phuket. On this excursion, you and your loved ones will surely be amazed by countless experiences that will create memories to last a lifetime! Pack up your luggage and join Viet Green Travel on this unforgettable vacation with lots of amazing memories that are waiting for you ahead. Let's go and book now!

Tour type: Private **Duration**: 4 days

Departure: Daily **Tour Styles:** Relaxation, Cultural, Nature **Destination:** Thailand - Bangkok - Ayutthaya - Phuket - Phang Nga Bay

ITINERARY TOUR:Day 1: Bangkok Arrival

Morning

Upon arrival at Bangkok Airport, you will be welcomed by our guide, then you will be transferred to your hotel in City Centre for checking

Free time at leisure for the rest of the day

NOTE:

- Please go to the 2nd-floor arrivals hall meeting spot at Exit B Gate No.5. Our guide will
 hold your name sign. If numerous pickups occur, the signs will be on the aluminum
 railing at the meeting place.
- In case you face any difficulty in locating your driver or tour guide, please do not hesitate to contact us directly at sales for assistance
- The hotel's official check-in time is **14:00.** If you wish to check in earlier than that, you will need to pay an extra fee

Meals: NA

Accommodation: Hotel in Bangkok

Day 2: Wat Traimit - Wat Pho - Grand Palace - Emerald Buddha - Marble Temple

Morning





Head to Wat Traimit - a sacred temple that houses the world's most giant solid golden Buddha

Marvel at an enormous Buddha statue at **Wat Pho** as you stroll through the charming old city streets

Take a trip to the magnificent **Grand Palace**, an impressive temple complex featuring some of Thailand's most beautiful Buddhist architecture

Uncover the sprawling grounds of **Wat Phra Kaew** and witness the revered Emerald Buddha statue dating back to the 14th century

Afternoon

Conclude the tour at the breathtaking **Wat Benchamabopit**, known as the Marble Temple, and admire its white marble facade and intricate design

NOTE: To show respect to the Thai culture, it is recommended that customers wear long pants, closed-toe shoes that fully cover the heel, and shirts that cover the upper arm, as well as avoid wearing vests



Admire The Intricate Marble Design In Wat Benchamabopit

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch

Accommodation: Hotel in Bangkok

Day 3: Ayutthaya Day Tour & Boat Trip (Go & Back By Minivan)





Morning

- Explore the stunning **Bang Pa-In Palace** with its mix of European, Gothic, and Thai-Buddhist architecture
- Walk through the vast grounds, temple complexes, and tranquil lake, as well as various other tourist destinations of the region
- Visit **Wat Phra Sri Sanphet**, a unique temple that forbids monks to enter due to its "royal" status
- See the highly-sacred temple of Wat Mahathat, famous for its Buddha relics and traditional style architecture that influences other temples in the Ancient Kingdom

Savor a delicious lunch at a riverside restaurant

Afternoon

Cruise along the river to enjoy the poetic view of Bangkok City Transfer back to Bangkok and spend the night in the city



The Bang Pa In Palace With Its Mixture Of European, Gothic, And Thai Buddhist Architecture

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch

Accommodation: Hotel in Bangkok





Day 4: Bangkok - Fly to Chiang Mai - Half day city tour with Doi Suthep

Morning

Relax and prepare for your flight to **Chiang Mai** after breakfast. Our driver will pick you up at the hotel and then transfer to the airport to catch a flight to Chiang Mai.

Upon arrival, the driver and guide will greet you and take you to your hotel in the city

Afternoon

Head to the highly-revered **Wat Phra That Doi Suthep** to immerse in the sacred atmosphere of Buddhism

- Enjoy the exhilarating drive up the winding road and feel the refreshing air as you ascend to the top of the mountain
- Choose to conquer the 300 steps or take the cable car to explore the Central Chedi adorned in the glittering golden flakes

Return to the hotel and spend the night in Chiang Mai



Reach Wat Phra That Doi Suthep And See Its Glittering Golden Flakes

Meals: Breakfast

Accommodation: Hotel in Chiang Mai

Day 5: Cooking Class at Thai Farm Cooking School (Join-in)

Learn how to cook northern Thailand's culinary classics at Thai Farm Cooking Class.





Morning Class intinerary:

08.00 am to 08.30 am: Pick up at the hotel and transfer to Thai Farm Cooking School.

- Visit the main **local Thai market** out of the city center
- Explaining and learning about herbs and ingredients at **our organic farm**
- Pound and make a **curry paste** from scratch.

You will make your own curry paste, each person will have their own individual mortar.

You can decide how spicy or non-spicy you would like to make your own curry paste

- Choose and make one curry paste, one curry, one soup, noodle dish and sweet dessert
You will learn to make every dish completely by your self from start to finish and will be
able to season to your own taste!

02.00 pm to 02.30 pm return to the hotel.

Included

Full color **recipe book with photo instructions**, lemongrass tea and drinking water, all ingredients. Individual cooking station (learn by doing!), instruction in English by a Thai cooking instructor. Transportation by **air-conditioned minivan** if you are staying in the city area.

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch

Accommodation: Hotel in Chiang Mai

Day 6: Half day Elephant Jungle Sanctuary (Join Tour)

Breakfast at the hotel.

Morning, you will take a half-day Morning visit at Elephant Jungle Sanctuary Join-in tour offers visitors an enjoyable opportunity to spend quality time with elephants in their natural home, as well as gain an insight into their history and behavior, and create cherished lifelong memories of their time spent with these amazing animals.

Itinerary as below:

06:30 – 07:00 Pick up from your hotel or accommodation

07:00 Drive approximately 1.5 hours South of Chiang Mai through rolling hills, forest, and local farming areas.

08:30 Arrive at the Elephant Jungle Sanctuary. Learn about the elephants and change into traditional Karen clothing.





- 09:00 Meet the elephants. Feed, interact, and play with the elephants in a natural environment as you learn about their behavior and history. Take photos with the elephants.
- 09:45 Mud Spa with the elephants
- 10:30 Walk with the elephants to a river and bathe them.
- 11:30 Eat a traditional meal and then say goodbye to the elephants.
- 12:00 Leave the Elephant Jungle Sanctuary and drive approximately 1.5 hours to Chiang Mai.
- 13:30 Drop off at your hotel or accommodation.

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch

Accommodation: Hotel in Chiang Mai

Day 7: Free day to explore Chiang Mai old city

Morning

- Today, you can unwind and discover the Old City of Chiang Mai on your own.
- Overnight in Chiang Mai.

Meals: Breakfast

Accommodation: Hotel in Chiang Mai Day 8: Chiang Mai - take flight to Phuket

Morning

Breakfast will be served at the hotel, you are free for leisure until flight time

Our driver will transfer you to Chiang Mai Airport to catch a flight to Phuket.

Upon arrival at Phuket Airport, our driver meets you at the airport and transfer you to resort in Phuket for checking in. Free for leisure at the rest of the day.

Meals: Breakfast

Accommodation: Resort in Phuket

Day 9: Jame bones island (Phang Nga Bay) by speedboat (Join-in)

08.00 hrs. : Pick up customers from hotel and transfer to Marina

09.30 hrs. : Departure from The Marina Phuket direct to **James Bond island (Phang Nga Bay)**

10.15 hrs. : Visit **James Bond island** where 'James Bond 007,The man with the Golden Gun" was filmed.

11.00 hrs. : Start to paddle a sea canoe in the beautiful cave for 45 minutes.

12.30 hrs. : Great lunch at **Panyee Musalim fishing village** and free time as leisure for shopping.

14.00 hrs. : Leave from Panyee village direct to **Naka island** for swimming and relaxing.





16.00 hrs. : Departure from Naka island back to Phuket.

16.20 hrs. : Arrive to Marina and transfer back to hotel by pleasant trip.



Sail Through The Stunning Scenery Of Phang Nga Bay

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch

Accommodation: Resort in Phuket Day 10, 11: Free day to relax at beach

Morning

Enjoy exquisite seafood and other cuisines as you unwind at your retreat or on the picturesque beach.

Have an overnight stay in Phuket.





Spend Your Free Time At Phuket Beach

Meals: Breakfast

Accommodation: Resort in Phuket

Day 12: Departure

Morning

Have breakfast at the hotel. Free for leisure until our driver comes to your hotel and transfers you to the airport for your next flight.

Meals: Breakfast **Accommodation:** NA

PACKAGE PRICES:

	SMALL GROUP
Economy (2*)	US \$299
Superior (3*)	US \$310
First Class (4*)	US \$365

Notes:





- *All prices are based on per adult, in Double/Twin sharing
- Small group tour available (max 10 guests): HIGHLY RECOMMENDED
- Surcharge will be applied for single traveler or single room request

OUR PRICE INCLUDE:

- 3 Breakfasts, 2 Lunches, 1 Picnic Lunch
- Car, Motorcycle, Bicycle
- Hotel (3 nights), N/A (1 night)
- Accommodation in TWN/ DBL sharing
- All transport and transfer by air conditioned vehicle (including airport pick up & see off), as per itinerary
- All in-tour stationed local English speaking guide.
- Entrance fees as per itinerary
- Meals as indicated in the program

OUR PRICE EXCLUDE:

- Hotel EARLY check in & LATE check out
- Peak season surcharge & compulsory dinner at the hotel (if any)
- International flights to or from Vietnam with taxes
- Visa or Passport Fees
- Travel Insurance
- Tips, laundry and gratuities
- Meals not marked on itinerary, and water during meals.

CANCELLATION POLICY:

Cancellation by Customer

- o 60 days prior to the arrival date: Non Refundable deposit charge and the cancellation fees applied by the concerned services suppliers such as flight company, boat company, train, hotels... in accordance with their cancellations policies if any.
- $_{\circ}$ 59 31 days prior to arrival date: Cancellations fee of 30% per group/booking and plus the cancellation fees applied by the concerned services suppliers such as flight company, boat company, train, hotels... in accordance with their cancellations policies if any.
- $_{\circ}$ 30 days $_{-}$ 15 days prior to arrival date: Cancellations fee of 50% per group/booking plus the cancellation fees applied by the concerned services suppliers such as flight company, boat company, train, hotels... in accordance with their cancellations policies if any.
- $_{\circ}$ 14 7 days before arrival: Cancellations fee 70% charge plus the cancellation fees applied by the concerned services suppliers such as flight company, boat company, train, hotels... in accordance with their cancellations policies if any.
- o Less than 7 days before arrival Or No show: 100 % charge per group/booking.
- *** Nonrefundable deposit and banking service fee will be forfeited in all cancellation cases.





CHILDREN PRICES:

- The rate for children applicable for one child sharing a twin or double cabin with two adults
- For infant (<04 years old): FOC except domestic ticket cost
- 04 11 years old without bed: 50% adult rate
- 04 11 years old with extra bed: 75% adult rate
- 04 11 years old in twin share: 90% adult rate

