

Authentic Saigon 4 Days

Trip overview

Step into an unforgettable journey through Ho Chi Minh City with our Authentic Saigon 4-day tour! From cultural landmarks to hidden gems, this itinerary is designed to showcase the diverse tapestry of life in Ho Chi Minh City.

Whether you are a history lover, a foodie, or simply a curious traveler, there is something for everyone on this 4-day adventure. Secure your spot now for an incredible Saigon adventure!

- **Durations:** 4 days
- **Trip outline:** Ho Chi Minh City - China Town Saigon - War Remnants Museum - Notre Dame Cathedral - Saigon Central Post Office - Cu Chi Tunnels
- **Price from:** US \$459/person
- **Tour inquiry:** <https://besttratetours.com/vietnam-tours/authentic-saigon-4-days.html>

Trip outline

day	Activities	Accommodations	Meals
Day 1	Ho Chi Minh City Arrival	Hotel in Ho Chi Minh City	NA
Day 2	Cooking Class - City tour - Luxury Dinner Cruise On Saigon River	Hotel in Ho Chi Minh City	Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner
Day 3	Cu Chi Tunnels Tour by Luxury Speedboat	Hotel in Ho Chi Minh City	Breakfast, Lunch
Day 4	Ho Chi Minh City - Departure	NA	Breakfast

Itinerary

Day 1: Ho Chi Minh City Arrival

Arrive at Tan Son Nhat International Airport. Our guide and driver will pick you up and transfer you to the hotel to check in.

NOTE: Check-in time is **14:00** daily. Get in touch with us if you want an early check-in with a surcharge.

You are free the rest of the day. Take a city tour by car and travel to various well-known landmarks in Saigon, try local food, or visit some coffee shops are recommended activities.



Discover the allure of Ho Chi Minh City independently, with our suggestions for optional tours below.

Ho Chi Minh Vespa Half-day	From US \$78 /pax
Saigon River Sunset Cruise	From US \$35 /pax
Saigon Walking Foodie Tour	From US \$40 /pax

Come back to your hotel and take time to unwind.

Meals: NA

Accommodation: Hotel in Ho Chi Minh City

Day 2: Cooking Class - City tour - Luxury Dinner Cruise On Saigon River

Morning

Have breakfast at your hotel. At **07:30**, our driver will pick you up and go to **HCM Agricultural Villages** to have a farming trip in the countryside.

Upon arrival, you will explore the village by visiting various areas such as cow, buffalo, fish, prawn, chicken, and duck areas.

Take a look at the vast rice paddy fields and witness the big herbs, spices, vegetables, and mushroom gardens. Don a traditional Vietnamese hat called "non la" and try your hand at being a farmer as you participate in harvesting vegetables and herbs from the fields.

Afterward, join a cooking class to make traditional Vietnamese dishes and enjoy the meal. You will also be rewarded with souvenirs, recipes, and cooking tips.

Afternoon

Leave the Agricultural Villages and start a fantastic tour of the must-visit spots in Ho Chi Minh City.

First, you will get to **Cho Lon Market** and **Chinatown**, a fantastic area to explore classical Chinese architecture, notably the temples, and are home to many delicious Chinese eateries.

Then, pay a visit to the [War Remnants Museum](#) to learn about the proof of crimes and consequences that the invading troops caused in Vietnam through a wealth of images and documents.



Travel to **Notre Dame Cathedral** which was built between 1877 and 1883 by France and became a symbol of Catholicism in Vietnam.

NOTE: The Notre Dame Cathedral is temporarily closed for renovation.

After that, visitors will reach the historical [Saigon Post Office](#). This is the largest post office in Vietnam and a standout example of French architecture.

17:30: Trip ends. Return to your hotel and relax for a bit.

Evening

18:45: Travel from your hotel to **Nha Rong Port** (also known as Saigon Port).

Depart from the pier, take a leisurely cruise along the Saigon River, and take in the city's breathtaking sights at night with sparkling lights and towering towers.



Indulge in an excellent meal that was expertly prepared by the chefs of the cruise. The premium menu features a variety of delectable dishes for your dining pleasure.

Stunning photo opportunities await you along the Saigon River with the huge cityscape in the background.

Relax and immerse yourself in the airy atmosphere while the boat sails back.

20:45: The ship makes its way back to the pier. Return to your hotel.

NOTE: The restaurant will arrange the seats for you. If you want to choose your own seat, there will be some additional fees.

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

Accommodation: Hotel in Ho Chi Minh City

Day 3: Cu Chi Tunnels Tour by Luxury Speedboat

Morning/ Afternoon

The tour starts at **07:00** or **11:00** depending on the tour availability. Our tour guide will meet you outside of the hotel and then bring you by car to our speedboat at Bach Dang Pier.

Depart and have a light breakfast as your guide explains rural traditions and aspects of riverside life. Within 15 minutes, the banks change from city sprawl to lush jungle.

Arrive at the [Cu Chi Tunnels](#) site. Watch a brief introductory 'propaganda' to learn more about the Cu Chi region and its long history in the Vietnam War.

Explore the tunnel site, which includes many weapon and booby trap exhibitions.

Navigate the authentic Viet Cong tunnel, visit many underground bunkers (with kitchens, meeting rooms, and ammunition), a shooting range, and much more. Try the local cassava root that sustained the Viet Cong army for years.



Enjoy a delicious traditional Vietnamese lunch by the river, consisting of authentic fried spring rolls, chicken and beef dishes, and soup.

Afternoon

Say goodbye to Cu Chi Tunnel and return to Ho Chi Minh City.

Arrive back at Bach Dang's pier. Our driver will take you back to your hotel by car.

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch

Accommodation: Hotel in Ho Chi Minh City

Day 4: Ho Chi Minh City - Departure

Spend your time left in Ho Chi Minh City to go shopping and sightseeing. The time to check out is **12:00**. *(Contact us if you want to check out late with a surcharge).*

Your tour ends here, we are happy to travel with you on this journey!

Meals: Breakfast

Accommodation: NA

Booking Policy

Inclusion

- Overnight in shared Twin/ Double room with Air-condition (AC) at hotel.
- Overnight on local train in a private compartment with Air - condition (if any)

- All transport during tour on air - conditioned new model vehicle as per itinerary (including airport pick up & see off)
- Cu Chi Tunnels Tour and Vietnam Countryside Experience - Join tour
- All in-tour stationed professional local English speaking guide.
- Fine dining with traditional local food as indicated in the program
- Entrance fees as per itinerary
- Fast track service at airport upon arrival

Exclusion

- 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
- Vietnam Visa (above 6 months passport Valid & 3 clear-page require)
- Travel Insurance
- Tips, laundry and gratuities
- Meals not marked on itinerary, and water during meals
- Tips for guide /driver (recommended US \$3-5 /pax /day)
- Tipping is completely up to you and should be based on your perception of the service quality

Cancellation Policy

- Cancellation received before 60 days: FREE of charge
- Cancellation received from 30 days to 59 days prior arrival date: 10% of total rate
- Cancellation received from 15 days to 29 days prior arrival date: 30% of total rate
- Cancellation received from 7 days to 14 days prior arrival date: 50% of total rate
- Cancellation received less than 7 days prior arrival date or No show: 100% of total rate

Children Policy

- The rate for children applicable for one child sharing a twin or double cabin with two adults.
- For infants (<04 years old): FOC except for domestic flight tickets.
- 04 - under 11 years old without bed: 50% adult rate.
- 04 - under 11 years old with extra bed: 75% adult rate.
- 04 - under 11 years old in twin share: 90% adult rate.
- From 11 years old: count as an adult.

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