

ASIA



2018-19 SCHOOL EDUCATIONAL PROGRAMS

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Providing 'Living Lessons' around the world.



Why do schools choose to travel with G.E.T Educational Tours?

- Saving schools TIME and MONEY- Proudly Australian owned and operated, we offer international and
 domestic educational student tours in line with the Australian school curriculum. Our expertise in creating
 experiential learning opportunities for schools is unrivaled and over 13,000 students and teachers benefit
 from this each and every year
- **LOCAL SUPPORT** For more than 55 years we have been providing schools support from our local staff and local offices when and where you need it including hosting parent and student information nights, predeparture document review with lead teacher and support with airport departures should it be required
- G.E.T has developed **LONG TERM** and **TRUSTED** relationships with our ground partners to ensure that your school receives the most competitive rates available
- Our number one priority is the SAFETY and SECURITY of students and teachers. G.E.T selects all our partners
 carefully on the basis of their risk management process and ability to provide comprehensive support to
 groups when traveling
- Travel with **PEACE OF MIND** Both local and international 24-hour emergency contact information is provided to teachers on all tour documentation for contact at any time, for any reason

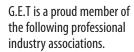
Tour Focus

Many of our itineraries are based on key Australian curriculum requirements. Our current range of educational programs have been designed based on teacher feedback and evolve each year, remaining relevant to curriculum and in line with expected outcomes of teachers and parents.

- Language
- STEM & STEAM
- Visual & Performing Arts
- History
- Adventure & Leadership
- Social Justice & Human Rights

- Culture
- Music
- Sporting Tours

















Imperial China



Experience the ancient kingdom that is leading the modern world in technology and change. From the ancient capital of Xian, to the marvels of Beijing and infamous Tiananmen Square, to the modern wonders of Shanghai, this 10-day tour immerses students in contemporary and historical China. Highlights include the stunning Terracotta Warriors of Xian, the glorious palaces and gardens of the Forbidden City, and walking on the Great Wall of China. Students will also attend shows and exhibitions featuring popular Chinese culture such as Kung Fu.

For more information visit: www.getours.com.au/destinations/asia

DAY 1 AUSTRALIA – SHANGHAI

- Fly from Australia to Shanghai. On arrival transfer to your hotel.
- · Includes a snack on arrival (evening)

DAY 2 SHANGHAI (B, L, D)

- Experience exotic and cosmopolitan Shanghai with a walk along The Bund
- Visit the classical Yu Gardens, and Shanghai World Financial Centre
- Browse through the Shanghai Museum of Art and History and enjoy a cruise on the Huangpu River

DAY 3 ZHUJIAJIAO (B, L, D)

- · This evening enjoy an acrobat show
- Full day excursion to the ancient town of Zhujiajiao, famous for its many stone bridges and rivers.

DAY 4 SHANGHAI – XIAN (B, L, D)

- Private coach transfer for your morning flight to Xian. Transfer to your hotel.
- Visit the Big Wild Goose Pagoda and walk through the Muslim Market, followed by a dumpling banquet dinner

Did you know: A local farmer discovered the Terracotta Warriors whilst drilling a bore looking for water. He found pieces of a Warriors clay hat which he thought was unusual and alerted the authorities.

DAY 5 XIAN – BEIJING (B, L, D)

- This morning visit Xian's incredible Terracotta Warriors display (with guide)
- · Enjoy a cycle on the Xian City Wall
- In the evening, take the overnight train to Beijing (in first class sleepers)

DAY 6 BEIJING (B, L, D)

- Arrive in Beijing at approx. 7:30am and transfer to your hotel for breakfast
- Explore Tiananmen Square and the Temple of Heaven

DAY 7 BEIJING (B, L)

- Visit the Forbidden City, home to 24 Ming and Qing dynasty Emperors
- Visit the beautifully preserved Summer Palace and take a cruise on the lake
- Own arrangements for dinner this evening

DYK: The Forbidden City is one of three ancient palaces still standing in modern China and is the largest ancient palace in the world. It is China's most popular singular site tourist attraction.

DAY 8 BEIJING - GREAT WALL (B, L, D)

- · Visit the 2,000 year old, 6,350km long Great Wall
- Return to Beijing with a photo-stop at the Olympic Stadium
- Enjoy Peking duck dinner this evening, a Beijing speciality
- Enjoy the Kung Fu show we have arranged for you before dinner

DAYS 9 & 10 BEIJING - AUSTRALIA (B)

- · Morning at leisure after breakfast
- Afternoon transfer to the airport for your overnight flight to Australia

TOUR INCLUSIONS

- Return international economy airfares including pre-paid taxes and charges
- 7 nights twin share accommodation with private facilities
- · Overnight train accommodation in first class sleeper
- Breakfast daily
- · Meals as indicated in the itinerary
- · Transfers and tours with local guide
- Entrance fees as per itinerary
- · Domestic economy class airfares

Shanghai Intensive Language Study

The highlight of this program is the 4 day fully immersive language program at the Shanghai Industrial and Commercial Foreign Language School, designed specifically for Australian students.

Students will also experience the marvels of Beijing in this 10-day tour immersing students in contemporary and historical China.

For more information visit: www.getours.com.au/tour-focus/language

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DAY 2 SHANGHAI (B, L, D)

- Experience exotic and cosmopolitan Shanghai with a walk along The Bund
- · Visit the classical Yu Gardens and the Shanghai World Financial Centre
- Browse through the Shanghai Museum of Art and History

DAY 3 SHANGHAI LANGUAGE SCHOOL (B, L, D)

Commence your 4 day language program. Your accommodation is a short walk to/from your language school. Daily activities follow the format below:

- Opening ceremony
- · Mandarin language and culture learning
- Lecture smooth communication in Chinese
- Lunch school canteen followed by sports with Chinese students
- Culture learning field excursion: Shanghai architecture, local shops
- · Visit to a Chinese family home, learning to make a traditional Chinese dish

DAY 4 SHANGHAI LANGUAGE SCHOOL (B, L, D)

- · Mandarin language and culture learning
- Chinese calligraphy class (writing)
- Chinese calligraphy class (painting)
- Lunch school canteen followed by Chinese traditional instrument appreciation
- Culture learning field excursion visiting Zhu Jia Jiao
- Dinner Shanghai-style cuisine followed by night cruise on the Huangpu River

DAY 5 SHANGHAI LANGUAGE SCHOOL (B, L, D)

- · Mandarin language and culture learning
- Chinese paper cutting (art)
- Making Shanghai dumplings
- Lunch school canteen followed by games with Chinese students
- Culture learning field excursion visiting the Expo site in Shanghai
- Dinner Korean-style cuisine followed by time to prepare for tomorrow's closing ceremony

DAY 6 SHANGHAI LANGUAGE SCHOOL (B, L, D)

- · Mandarin language and culture learning
- Tai Chi and Kung Fu practice
- · Chinese tea ceremony
- Lunch— school canteen followed by poster making/art class
- Review on the weeks learning in a joint presentation format with Chinese partners, closing ceremony, certificates and photos
- Chinese Dragon dance with Chinese partners
- Tonight's dinner is hosted by the Shanghai Language School

DAY 7 SHANGHAI TO BEIJING (B, D)

- Transfer to the airport for your flight to Beijing and transfer to your hotel on arrival
- Explore Tiananmen Square and the Temple of Heaven
- After dinner, you will love the Kung Fu show we have arranged for you!

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DAY 10 BEIJING – AUSTRALIA (B)

- · Morning at leisure after breakfast
- Afternoon transfer to the airport for your overnight flight to Australia

TOUR INCLUSIONS

- Return international economy airfares, including pre-paid taxes and charges
- Internal flights to Beijing from Shanghai
- 4 day language and culture program in Shanghai
- 9 nights twin share 3 star accommodation with private facilities
- · Meals as indicated in the itinerary
- · Transfers and tours where noted in itinerary
- · Transfers as required during your Shanghai language school excursions
- Entrance fees as per itinerary



Beijing Intensive Language Study

Immerse students in Chinese language and culture with a visit to captivating Beijing, home to over 21 million people. Students on this 9 day tour will stay at our preferred Beijing Language College and immerse themselves in the Chinese language and culture, undertaking dedicated language lessons and experience a series of cultural activities that will offer a fascinating glimpse into the enigma that is modern communist China.

For more information visit: www.getours.com.au/tour-focus/language

DAY 1 AUSTRALIA – BEIJING (D)

- Fly from Australia to Beijing and transfer to the Beijing Language College
- Remainder of the day is allocated as leisure time, giving you an opportunity to settle into your new surrounds

DAY 2 BEIJING LANGUAGE COLLEGE (B, L, D)

- After breakfast attend your welcome ceremony in the college lecture theatre before you commence your language school program
- Each day will consist of morning language lessons, followed by afternoon activities such as Chinese cultural learning, cooking class, calligraphy classes, and sporting activities with other students at the college

DAY 3 BEIJING LANGUAGE COLLEGE (B, L, D)

- Following breakfast you will continue your language and culture program
- Teachers, please note that you can have some input into the language and cultural planning, please contact us for more information

DAY 4 BEIJING LANGUAGE COLLEGE (B, L)

- After breakfast you will enjoy your final language lesson before attending the closing ceremony provided for you by the college
- Following the ceremony, board your private coach and head to the Great Wall
- Your private coach will then take you to your hotel in downtown Beijing where dinner is at own arrangements

DAY 5 BEIJING (B, D)

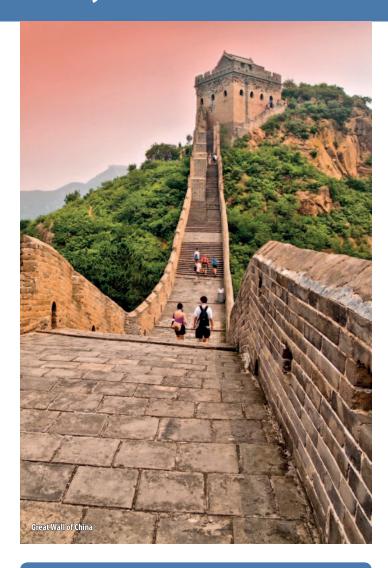
- Following breakfast walk to Tiananmen Square where Mao Tse-tung raised the flag for the People's Republic, followed by a visit to the nearby Forbidden City - there are a number of museums and other attractions to keep you engaged
- Return to your hotel later this afternoon where the remainder of the day is allocated as leisure time at your teachers' discretion
- This evening enjoy an acrobat show and a Peking duck dinner, a Beijing speciality

DAY 6 BEIJING (B, L)

- After breakfast head off to see the Temple of Heaven
- After your visit your coach will take you to your restaurant for lunch, then onto to the Summer Palace with its ornamental gardens, lake and characteristic pavilions
- Return to your hotel later this afternoon and enjoy some leisure time at your teachers' discretion
- Tonight is allocated as free evening you may choose to visit the famous Beijing Night markets where students will enjoy seeing the amazing array of foods, along with the colour and light show

DAY 7 BEIJING (B, L)

- Full buffet breakfast at the hotel is followed by one of the highlights of your trip — a visit to the Beijing Palaeontology Museum
- This is a unique and amazing experience recommended for all students and teachers — you will most likely never get to hold a fossil over 1m years old ever again!
- Head over the road to the Beijing Zoo and visit the Pandas before heading back to your hotel
- Enjoy some leisure time at your teachers' discretion



Did you know: We also offer the opportunity for students to sleep overnight in the Dinosaur Museum. Exclusive to G.E.T, we can arrange a camping night in the main auditorium and can also arrange a cultural exchange with a Chinese school of same age and gender.

DAY 8 BEIJING – AUSTRALIA (B)

- Enjoy free time after breakfast
- Transfer to the airport for your flight home

DAY 9 AUSTRALIA

· Arrive home in Australia (subject to airline schedules)

TOUR INCLUSIONS

- Return international economy airfares, including pre-paid taxes and charges
- · 4 nights accommodation at our preferred Beijing hotel
- 3 nights accommodation at Beijing Language College
- · Breakfast daily
- 5 Lunches and 4 dinners
- Dinner on arrival night (subject to arrival time)
- All lessons while at the Beijing Language School (including a minimum 9 hours language lessons)
- Transfers by private coach as required and tours with local guide as requested
- Entrance fees to Great Wall, Acrobatic Show, Temple of Heaven, Forbidden City, Summer Palace, Beijing Palaeontology Museum, and Beijing Zoo
- · Fossil workshop at Beijing Palaeontology Museum

Pandas, Warriors & Wall

Students experience the great cities of Shanghai and Beijing, the spectacular province of Chengdu and the Giant Panda Breeding and Research Institute on this 10 day tour.

For more information visit: www.getours.com.au/tour-focus/language

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DAY 3 SHANGHAI - CHENGDU (B, D)

- Transfer to the airport for your flight to Chengdu (morning)
- On arrival you will be met by your English speaking guide who will escort you to your hotel, then commence your guided tour of Chengdu

DAY 4 CHENGDU (B, L, D)

 After breakfast your guide will meet you at your hotel for the trip to Bifengxia to see the Pandas

Did you know: The Chengdu Research Base offer 2 minute Panda hugging/photography sessions at a cost of approx. \$350 USD per person. Cash only! There are 20 hugging sessions per day!

DAY 5 CHENGDU – XIAN (B, L, D)

- After check out your guide will take you to see Leshan's Giant Budda statue
- Return to Chengdu airport for your flight to Xian and transfer to your hotel

DAY 6 XIAN – BEIJING (B, L, D)

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DAYS 10 & 11 BEIJING- AUSTRALIA (B)

- Morning at leisure after breakfast
- · Afternoon transfer to the airport for your overnight flight to Australia

TOUR INCLUSIONS

- Return international economy airfares, including pre-paid taxes and charges
- 8 nights accommodation at 3 and 4 star hotels with private facilities
- Domestic economy class airfares and first class rail sleeper fares
- · Private group transfers as specified in a deluxe coach
- English speaking guides in each city
- · Meals as indicated in the itinerary
- Gratuities to local guides and drivers on behalf of the group as listed in the itinerary

G.E.T in partnership with IALF





G.E.T Educational Tours is pleased to be educational partners with IALF (*Indonesia Australia Language Foundation*). Established in 1989, IALF is Indonesia's premier institution for Indonesian language training offering outstanding resources and facilities to support Australian students learning Indonesian.

Why do schools choose the IALF language program?

- · Can be added on to any Bali tour
- A maximum of 8 students in one class
- · Placement testing to indicate their level
- · Integrated skill-based learning
- · Communicative approach

What does the program contain?

- · Language lessons · Cultural activities
- · Homestay · Chitchat with Indonesian students
- · School visits · Audience with Indonesian institutions
- · Tour half /full day tour

IALF Language and homestay (9 days)

- 5 nights of home-stay in Denpasar
- · Students are immersed in Indonesian every-day life
- Students will improve language skills through immersion

For more details please visit our website.



Bali Cultural Workshop

This tour provides a remarkable insight into the Balinese people, their beliefs, traditions and lifestyle as well as providing language opportunities both in formal classes and informal interactions with local people.

For more information visit: www.qetours.com.au/destinations/asia

DAY 1 AUSTRALIA – DENPASAR – MAS (D)

- On arrival in Bali transfer to Taman Harum Cottages in Mas
- · Dinner will be provided this evening

DAY 2 MAS (B, L, D)

- · After breakfast travel in your private coach to Ubud
- Visit a local market to buy food for your Indonesian cooking lesson this
 afternoon

DAYS 3-4 MAS (B, L, D)

 Over these two days you will participate in various cultural activities including a village walk, music workshop, Balinese dance class and either a batik or woodcarving workshop

DAY 5 MAS – KINTAMANI – SANUR (B, L, D)

- Depart early morning to Kintamani
- Travel via the sacred springs of Tampak Siring before arriving at Kintamani with its spectacular views of the Batur Volcanic Basin
- Travel on to Sanur where you will have accommodation at the Bumi Ayu Bungalows (or similar)

DAY 6 SANUR (B)

- After breakfast participate in your first Indonesian language lesson
- · The remainder of the day is free at your teachers' discretion

DAY 7 SANUR (B)

- Visit a local school in Sanur and meet the students (where available). Participate in both Indonesian and English lessons.
- Take your second Indonesian language lesson this afternoon
- In the evening watch a performance of the Kecak Dance

DAYS 8 & 9 SANUR – AUSTRALIA (B)

 After check out there will be time for any last minute shopping or sightseeing before your transfer to the airport for your flight home

TOUR INCLUSIONS

- Return international economy airfares including pre-paid taxes and charges
- 7 nights twin share hotel accommodation, with breakfast daily and 5 dinners
- · Airport transfers
- Language lessons are 2 x 2 hour classes
- Tours and entrances as per itinerary



Yogyakarta - The Real Indonesia

Yogyakarta is a fascinating city with deep artistic and spiritual traditions and a bold modern edge.

There's also plenty of time for students to explore this wonderful city and experience Javanese food, culture and shopping up close. The final two nights of the tour are spent in relaxing Bali.

For more information visit: www.getours.com.au/destinations/asia

DAY 1 AUSTRALIA - DENPASAR - YOGYAKARTA - MAGELANG (D)

- Depart Australia on your flight to Denpasar and on arrival, transfer to a domestic flight to Yogyakarta
- Meet your guide upon arrival in Yogyakarta and take a 1 hour drive by private coach to Magelang
- Dinner tonight is at your hotel before participating in a Gamelan lesson in the village of Candirijo

DAY 2 MAGELANG - YOGYAKARTA (B, D)

- Depart early morning by private coach to see the sunrise over Borobudur Temple, listed as a World Heritage Site
- Explore the nearby village with insights into traditions, handicrafts and agriculture
- · Meet your coach and travel to Yogyakarta

DAY 3 YOGYAKARTA (B)

- Depart this morning on a fascinating half day tour of the city by private coach
- This afternoon enjoy a batik lesson which will include designing, drawing and finishing by removing the wax in boiling water. Your batik piece can be taken home.
- · Return to your accommodation for some relaxation time

DAY 4 YOGYAKARTA - PRAMBANAN (B, D)

- Visit the Cultural School this morning for a Javanese traditional dance class
- Visit Prambanan Hindu Temple this afternoon.
- This evening enjoy a Ramayana ballet performance at Prambanan Temple before returning to Yogyakarta

DAY 5 YOGYAKARTA - ORANGUTAN REHABILITATION CENTRE (B)

- Travel to the Orangutan Rehabilitation Centre in Kulon Progo to learn about their animal rescue and rehabilitation programs
- Return to Yogyakarta and enjoy a becak ride with time to shop and bargain at the markets in Jalan Malioboro

DAY 6 YOGYAKARTA - SANUR (B)

- Transfer to the airport for your flight to Denpasar, then transfer to your accommodation
- Enjoy some free time to explore the beach and shopping in Sanur

DAYS 7 & 8 SANUR (B)

- Today is set aside for activities as directed by your teachers. You will have day-use of a room until 6:00 pm.
- In the evening transfer to the airport for your flight home to Australia

TOUR INCLUSIONS

- Return international economy airfares, including pre-paid taxes and charges
- Airport transfers
- 6 nights hotel accommodation
- · Daily breakfast
- 3 dinners
- Tours and transfers by private coach (air-conditioned vehicle) as per itinerary
- English speaking guide

Please visit our website for the current tour costing.

G.E.T Promotes Responsible Travel Policy in Southeast Asia

G.E.T works closely with our ground partner in Southeast Asia to ensure that all our tours operate within a responsible travel policy.

We strive to give schools a clear and realistic understanding of other cultures through complete cultural immersion, rather than just seeing it from the window of a coach. We will not arrange visits to orphanages, schools or children centres in line with our responsible travel policy as we believe it is harmful to a child's development and emotional balance.

G.E.T is pleased to offer and recommend a range of projects across Southeast Asia that contribute to the improvement of livelihoods and conservation of biodiversity and cultural heritage. We would love to discuss these options with you as you plan your student travel program to Southeast Asia.

We create programs with these objectives:

- · Challenging stereotyped views of developing countries
- Countering ignorance and intolerance
- · Our responsibilities towards each other
- Understanding that each student has the power to change, and collaboration is powerful

As part of the travel experience to Southeast Asia, students will learn that the world is unfair and unequal, but that there are initiatives happening to challenge and change the status quo.



Cambodia - Human Rights & Social Justice



With strong curriculum links, this program provides a balance of potentially confronting experiences and robust discussions, complimented by providing time for reflection by students on the misinformation and stereotyped views of developing countries. Students will further develop their views on Human Rights, Social Justice and international cooperation in relation to conflict resolution.

For more information visit: www.qetours.com.au/destinations/asia

DAY 1 AUSTRALIA – SIEM REAP (D)

- Arrive in Siem Reap where you will be welcomed by your English speaking quide and transferred to your hotel
- Depending on your arrival time, the remainder of the day is allocated as leisure time at your teachers' discretion

DAY 2 SIEM REAP (B, L, D)

- After breakfast start your tour of Cambodia's spectacular temples at the ancient city of Angkor Thom before continuing onto Bayon Temple
- Enjoy lunch at a local restaurant before moving on to the very unique Ta Prohm temple
- Lastly, visit the magnificent Angkor Wat temple before returning to your hotel for dinner

DAY 3 SIEM REAP - PHNOM PENH (B, D)

- · After breakfast depart Siem Reap via coach to Phnom Penh
- The remainder of the day is allocated as leisure time at your teacher's discretion

DAY 4 PHNOM PENH (B, D)

- After breakfast visit the Extraordinary Chambers in the Courts of Cambodia
- Following lunch visit the UN Human Rights office of the High Commissioner
- · Transfer back to your hotel and dinner this evening

DAY 5 PHNOM PENH (B, D)

- Today after breakfast you will visit the Legal Aid of Cambodia
- Following lunch, make your way to the Phnom Penh Municipal Court and observe the daily court process, then return to your hotel later this afternoon

DAY 6 PHNOM PENH (B, D)

- After breakfast visit the Australian Embassy and learn about the role Embassy staff play in the region in relation to aid assistance, health, agriculture, rural development, scholarship applications and more
- Return to your hotel this afternoon, the remainder of the day is allocated as leisure time at your teachers' discretion

DAY 7 PHNOM PENH (B, D)

- Following breakfast this morning you will take a tour of Tuol Sleng Prison (S-21) and the Killing Fields at Choeung Ek in a sobering reminder of the evils of the Khmer Rouge regime
- Own arrangements for lunch before continuing on to visit the Cambodian Women's Crisis Centre

DAY 8 PHNOM PENH (B, D)

Today has been allocated as leisure time at your teachers' discretion. This is
also a great opportunity to review together some of the key experiences and
explore this increasingly dynamic and modern city.

DAY 9 PHNOM PENH (B)

- After breakfast your coach will take you to LICADHO, a national Cambodian Human Rights organisation to meet with a representative and watch a video on human rights in Cambodia
- After lunch (own arrangements) make your way to the nearby vocational centre for a hands-on cooking class, then witness a fascinating evening puppet performance before watching the riverbanks come to life on a relaxing evening cruise before returning to your hotel.

DAY 10 PHNOM PENH (B)

- After breakfast the remainder of the day has been allocated as leisure time
- In the afternoon you will be transferred to the airport for your flight home

TOUR INCLUSIONS

- · Return International economy airfares
- Prepaid airport/airline taxes & levies
- Return airport transfers in Cambodia
- 2 nights accommodation in Siem Reap at Angkor Paradise Hotel or similar
- 7 nights accommodation in Phnom Penh at Phnom Penh Hotel or similar
- · Tours and transfers by private A/C vehicles
- Cooking class, puppet show and river cruise in Phnom Penh
- Breakfast daily, 1 lunch & 9 x dinners
- · Local English speaking guide
- · Daily drinking water and cold towels

A Taste of Vietnam



Giving students a sample of life in modern-day Vietnam, this tour also provides important historical insights and interactive experiences with the people, culture and the food of Vietnam.

For more information visit: www.getours.com.au/destinations/asia

DAY 1 AUSTRALIA - HO CHI MINH CITY

 On arrival into Ho Chi Minh City you will be met by your guide who will transfer you to your city hotel

DAY 2 HO CHI MINH CITY (B, D)

- After breakfast start the day with a walking tour of Ho Chi Minh City's wide boulevards and visit the former Presidential Palace (now Reunification Hall).
 Also visit the Old Post Office, Notre-Dame Basilica and the historic Saigon Opera House.
- This afternoon walk to Ben Thanh Market and take part in the Discovery Challenge Tour. Wandering around this market is an incredible experience for students.

DAY 3 HO CHI MINH CITY – CU CHI TUNNELS (B, D)

- Following breakfast take a morning tour to Cu Chi to visit the amazing tunnel system built by Viet Cong soldiers during the Vietnam War
- In the afternoon visit the War Museum and be prepared for a confronting experience as you view the many photos and stories of life during wartime

Did you know: The AO Show performs each night at the Opera House. This 60 minute show will captivate students - highly recommended!

DAY 4 HO CHI MINH CITY – MEKONG DELTA (B, L)

• Early breakfast before an 8:00am departure for the two hour drive to Cai Be, deep in the Mekong Delta. The tour takes you into the lives of the people who live and work on the Mekong Delta, and transport will be by boat or by foot as required. Lunch is served at the Mandarin house and is a highlight of the trip. Return to Ho Chi Minh City late in the afternoon.

DAY 5 HO CHI MINH CITY - HOI AN (B)

- A free morning for some shopping and sightseeing, before a midday flight to Da Nang. Transfer to the charming town of Hoi An, recognised as a UNESCO World Heritage site.
- Some leisure time this afternoon to wander around and enjoy the town for sightseeing and shopping

DAY 6 HOI AN - MY SON - HOI AN (B, D)

- Begin the day with a tour deep into the jungle 40km southwest of Hoi An, to visit the ruins of My Son, dating from the 7th 13th centuries
- This afternoon visit a family-run lantern-making business. An afternoon walking tour through the narrow streets of Hoi An completes a busy day.

DAY 7 HOI AN (B, L)

- A highlight of the tour is this morning's market visit and cooking lesson by the river. Enjoy the dishes you cooked for lunch.
- After lunch make your way to Lifestart Foundation and meet the women whom Lifestart support through their foundation. Take part in a painting class and take your souvenir home with you.

DAY 8 HOI AN - HO CHI MINH CITY - AUSTRALIA (B)

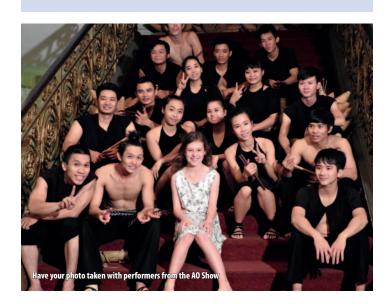
 Check out after breakfast. You will be transferred to the airport in Da Nang for your flight back to Ho Chi Minh City, to connect with your overnight flight home to Australia.

DAY 9 AUSTRALIA

• Arrive back home in Australia

TOUR INCLUSIONS

- Return international economy airfares, including pre-paid taxes and charges
- 7 nights, 3 star hotel, twin share
- Meals as indicated in the itinerary
- English speaking local guide
- · Entrance fees and boat tours as indicated in the itinerary
- · Lifestart workshop
- · Domestic air fares, as indicated in the itinerary



Highlights of Vietnam

Welcome to our most comprehensive tour through the stunning landscape of Vietnam, from rural villages to bustling cities. This program highlights both historical and contemporary Vietnam and is suitable for secondary school students, who will gain a better understanding and respect for other cultures.

For more information visit: www.getours.com.au/destinations/asia

DAY 1 AUSTRALIA – HANOI (D)

 Fly from Australia to Hanoi, via Ho Chi Minh City. Transfer to your hotel on arrival.

DAY 2 HANOI (B, D)

- After breakfast this morning, your first stop will be Ho Chi Minh's Mausoleum and private residence
- · Continue to the National Fine Arts Museum
- Dinner tonight is at KOTO (Know One Teach One) a highlight of your trip to Hanoi. Included is a local water puppet show this evening.

Did you know: Ha Long Bay is a 4 hour drive from Hanoi and we offer a 2 day/1 night experience on board a local Junk. Contact us for further information

DAY 3 HANOI - HUE (B, D)

- · Transfer to the airport for your morning flight to Hue
- On arrival transfer to your hotel before an afternoon boat trip on the Perfume River
- Visit Thien Mu Pagoda and the Mausoleum of former Emperor Minh Mang

DAY 4 HUE (B, D)

- Take a morning tour to the Imperial Citadel, the seat of the Nguyen Dynasty from 1802 to 1945
- In the afternoon visit the elaborate Mausoleums of Emperors Tu Duc and Khai Dinh

DAY 5 HUE – DA NANG – HOI AN (B, L, D)

Travel south by coach this morning to Hoi An, via the inspiring Hai Van Pass.
 This is Vietnam's geographical and psychological boundary between north and south.

DAY 6 HOI AN - MY SON - HOI AN (B, D)

- After breakfast take your private coach to visit the My Son ruins, dating from the 7th-13th centuries
- This afternoon visit a family-run lantern-making business, where you will get a chance to design your own lantern with the assistance of your Vietnamese hosts

DAY 7 HOI AN (B, L)

- A highlight of this tour is this morning's guided market tour and cooking lesson in the old town of Hoi An. Enjoy the dishes you cooked for lunch.
- The afternoon and evening are at leisure. A visit to the Lifestart Foundation is highly recommended.

DAY 8 HOI AN (B)

 Today is allocated as a free day in this beautiful town for shopping, exploration and relaxation. We recommend a bike ride through the market gardens and into Hoi An.

DAY 9 HOI AN - HO CHI MINH CITY (B, D)

- Check out after breakfast and transfer to Da Nang airport for your short flight to Ho Chi Minh City
- Visit the Cu Chi Tunnels on a guided tour throughout this amazing underground network
- This afternoon, enjoy a walking tour of the city, strolling down the historic boulevards and visiting landmarks such as the old Post Office and Reunification Hall

DAY 10 HO CHI MINH CITY (B, D)

- Walk to Ben Thanh Market and take part in the Discovery Challenge Tour.
 Wandering around this market is an incredible experience for students.
- Visit the War Museum this afternoon, and be prepared for a confronting experience as you view the many photos and stories of life during wartime

DAY 11 HO CHI MINH CITY (MEKONG DELTA) (B, L, D)

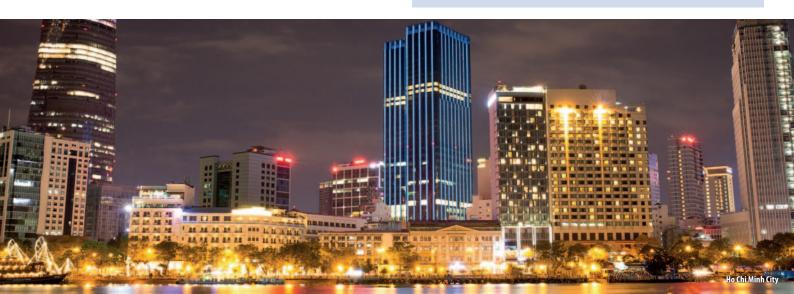
 Early breakfast before an 8:00am departure for the two hour drive to Cai Be, deep in the Mekong Delta. The tour takes you into the lives of the people who live and work on the Mekong Delta, and transport will be by boat or by foot as required. Lunch is served at the Mandarin house and is a highlight of the trip. Return to Ho Chi Minh City late in the afternoon.

DAY 12 HO CHI MINH CITY- AUSTRALIA (B)

 Check out after breakfast and enjoy some leisure time until you transfer to the airport for your overnight flight to Australia

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- · Return international economy airfares
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- · All meals as listed in the itinerary
- English speaking local guide in Hoi An for market tour and cooking school
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