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(3D/2N Program)



Bat Trang Pottery Village - Hanoi

Day 1: Arrival in Hanoi (-, -, -)
Saigontourist representative will greet and pick you up at Noi Bai airport in Hanoi. Located on the banks of the Red River, Vietnam's capital is a stylish and gracious city that retains a unique old world charm and has some of Asia's most striking colonial architecture. Transfer to your hotel for check-in. Enjoy an evening water puppet show, a theatrical genre reflecting the agricultural civilization of thousands of years ago. Stay overnight in Hanoi.



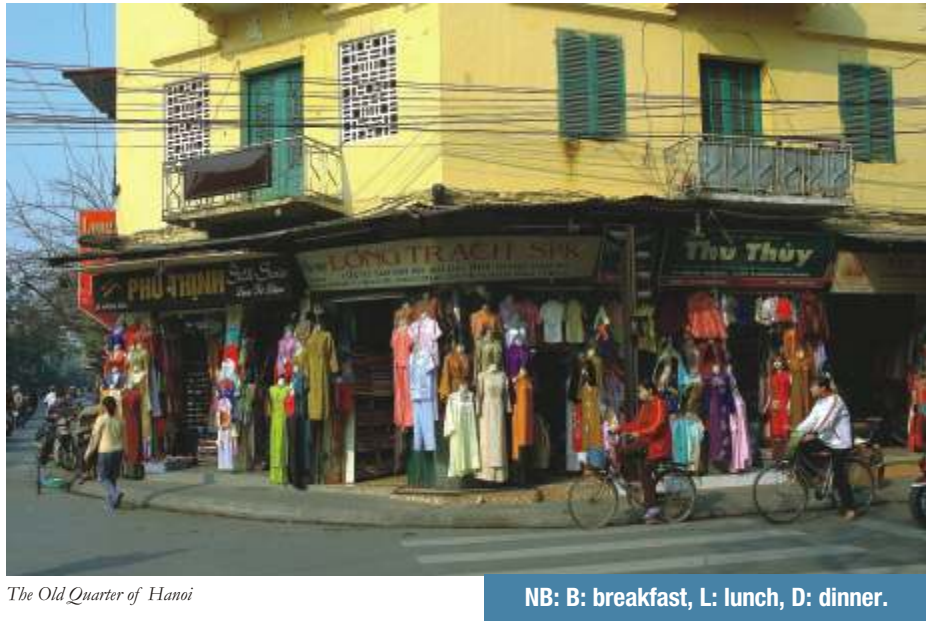
History Museum - Hanoi

Day 2: Hanoi (B, -, -)
Enjoy a full day tour of Hanoi with cultural and historical highlights, comprising Lake of Restored Sword, Ngoc Son Temple, the Temple of Literature, the Ethnology Museum (closed on Monday) and a downtown pedicab ride (1 hour) round the old quarters of Hanoi, a collection of narrow streets, each named after the product sold. Afternoon visit to Vietnam Fine Arts museum (closed on Monday) and then drive to the famous Bat Trang pottery village with a history of 500 years. Observe the artisans forming, painting and glazing their products, which are then baked for several days in huge kilns. Stay overnight in Hanoi.



Lake of Restored Sword - Hanoi

Welcome to Hanoi



The Old Quarter of Hanoi

NB: B: breakfast, L: lunch, D: dinner.



Temple of Literature



Vietnam Fine Arts Museum - Hanoi

Day 3: Departure from Hanoi (B, -, -)
Spend last minutes shopping before check-out. Transfer to the airport for departure.

Note: Please refer to "Day tours & Modular tours departing from Hanoi" (page 72) for trip extension.