

# CUC PHUONG NATIONAL PARK WILDLIFE EXPERIENCE 2 DAYS



Code: CWE02

Routes: Hanoi - Cuc Phuong - Hanoi

Duration: 2 Days / 1 Night

Features: Being the oldest national park of Vietnam, Cuc Phuong has a rich fauna and flora characterized diverse tropical rain forest, offers many chances of adventures as well as nature study.



# Day 1: Hanoi - Cuc Phuong National Park



Pick up at your hotel at 7:00 AM. Drive about 3.5 hours to Ninh Binh and into Cuc Phuong National Park. A visit to the Primate Rescue Center followed by lunch. Early check into your room if it is available.

We will be doing some enjoyable trekking within the park this afternoon; insect and reptile spotting along the way. Back for dinner before our night-

explorations where we will venture in search of the jungle's nocturnal critters and creatures, including civets, owls, large insects, flying squirrels, and bats. Stay overnight at the very simple park guesthouse.

Trekking Distance: 9 km Trail Difficulty: 3/5

Inclusion: Transfer, guide, entrance fees, lunch, dinner, park guesthouse

# Day 2: Cuc Phuong - Trang An - Hanoi



You have breakfast at 8:00 AM near your guesthouse then some free time to enjoy a morning stroll or some more relaxation before our visit to the Botanical Gardens and the oldest forest in Vietnam. Later, transfer onto Trang An – world heritage site to take an enjoyable rowboat trip meandering through the towering limestone peaks and right into the limestone caves. Rest and lunch at a local restaurant then return to

Hanoi for about 5:30 PM.

Inclusion: Transfer, guide, entrance fees, breakfast, lunch, local row-boat trip.



Inclusion: See inclusive items listed after each day

**Exclusion**: Visa, insurance, drinks, personal expenses, others not mentioned in details, tips are welcome!

## LEGAL ASPECTS

**Booking Terms & Conditions:** Tour itinerary and tour prices are subject to change without prior notice. Please <u>click here</u> for more information.

#### **ORGANISATION**

Tour guide: English speaking guide (on site).

#### ACCOMMODATION

**Park guest house:** condition is very simple and just at standard level, twin shared room. Note that the electricity at the Bong Center will be turned off at around 9:00 pm daily.

#### FOOD

**Meals**: Vietnamese foods. If you have any allergies, special requests or if you are on a special diet please let us know. We will arrange it for you in advance.

#### **SUSTAINABILITY**

Please Travel Responsibly! The small things you do will make a big difference!

#### **PREPARATION OF THE CUSTOMER**

**Seasonal Preparation:** you can visit Cuc Phuong all year-round. Best time to travel is from November to April.

What to bring: Passport, change of clothes (including long trousers - moisture wicking clothes are highly recommended), sunglasses and hat, toiletries, sunblock, insect repellent, torch/flashlight/head lamp, binoculars, proper hiking boots/trekking shoes, personal first aid kit



and medicines, small VND notes for buying drinks. If you feel the need, a light sleeping bag is fine, and a cable lock for your bags is recommended.

Before your departure, please make sure you read our *what to bring & tips and other important notes* for trekking, cycling trips and summer travel in Vietnam.

## **TREKKING INFORMATION**

**Age:** This tour is not suitable for seniors, children under 12 years old and people with heart conditions.

**Trekking time:** The trekking time is just approximate and depends on our speed and the weather.

**Experience**: This program is recommended for people in good physical condition.Trekking in tropical rainforests is very different then trekking in temperate or other forests. First, it is hot and wet. Second, leeches and mosquitoes are common. Finally, Cuc Phuong is located in an area with steep limestone mountains, so trekking can become difficult because of the sharp rocky slopes.

Routes on Google map: <u>Cuc Phuong National Park Wildlife Experence</u> (viewable on Pc and smart devices)

#### **ADDITIONAL INFORMATION**

This itinerary and supplementary information has been complied in good faith and was accurate at the time of writing.