

THE TRANQUIL ANCIENT KINGDOM



03 days - 02 nights

OVERVIEW

Tour code LAS-01
Duration 03 days / 02 nights
Features Luang Prabang, a tranquil kingdom is a must-to-see in Laos. An unforgettable feeling of cruising on the Mekong river and enjoy the gentle silence of the ancient palaces. Also a fascinating extension of classic tours in neighbouring Vietnam, Thailand and Cambodia.

ITINERARY IN BRIEF

Day 01. Arrival - Luang Prabang
 Day 02. Luang Prabang - Pakou - Luang Prabang (B/-/-)
 Day 03. Luang Prabang – Departure (B/-/-)

ITINERARY IN DETAIL

DAY 01. ARRIVAL - LUANG PRABANG

Welcome to Laos. Upon arrival, you will be transferred to Luang Prabang, the World Heritage described by the UNESCO as the best preserved city in South East Asia. We will start with the impressive stupa of Wat Visoun and the shrine of Wat Aham, Wat Mai then climb up to the top of mountain Phousi for an enjoyable exploration of the sacred, gilded stupa as well as a panoramic view of the city at sunset and the Mekong river. We will explore the night market, where you can find a lovely selection of handmade textile made by local and hill tribe people surrounding Luang Prabang. Overnight in Luang Prabang

DAY 02. LUANG PRABANG - PAKOU - LUANG PRABANG (B/-/-)

Today, we enjoy a short sightseeing the city's oldest temple of Wat Sene and the magnificent Wat Xiengthong with its roofs sweeping low to the ground, which represents classical Laotian architecture. We then embark in a cruise upstream on the Mekong river, which also gives us a breathtaking view of the tranquil countryside as well as explore the mysterious Pak Ou caves, two linked caves crammed with thousands of gold lacquered Buddha statues of various shapes and sizes left by pilgrims. Along the way, we stop at the village of Ban Xanghai, where

Luang Prbang - Pak Ou - Luang Prbang they make the local rice wine. On return, we take a short drive to Ban Phanom, a small village known for its hand weaving. Overnight in Luang Prabang



DAY 03. LUANG PRABANG – DEPARTURE (B/-/-)

After breakfast, we visit The National museum (close Tuesday) at the former Royal palace, which displays a lovely collection of the artifacts reflecting the richness of Lao culture dating from the days of the early kings to the last sovereign. You will have free time to explore the town and shopping before heading to airport for onward flight. Ends of services

- SERVICES INCLUDED**
- English-speaking tour guides
 - Land transfer by air-con vehicles
 - Twin-shared room
 - Meals as mentioned in the program (no drinks)
 - Boat trips and admission
- SERVICES not INCLUDED**
- Airfare (international and domestic) and airport tax and visa to Vietnam
 - Early check-in, late check-out surcharge
 - Other meals
 - Drinks and personal expenses (phone call, laundry, tipping etc.)
 - Any services not mentioned in the program