

Classic Cambodia

6 days | Phnom Penh to Siem Reap



Experience the best of Cambodia in under a week with this spectacular and enlightening tour. Explore the many sights of Phnom Penh before flying down to Siem Reap to discover the incredible Angkor Temple Complex.

HIGHLIGHTS AND INCLUSIONS

Trip Highlights

- Angkor Wat – Discover this legendary Khmer masterpiece and opt to return to the temple at sunrise for a truly incredible bucket list experience
- Angkor Temple Complex - Admire the many stone faces of the Bayon Temple in Angkor Thom and visit the iconic Ta Prohm temple
- Phnom Penh – Embark on an eye-opening city tour featuring the National Museum of Fine Arts, diamond encrusted Buddha statues at The Royal Palace and Silver Pagoda, and learn the horrors of the Khmer Rouge regime at Toul Sleng and the killing fields
- NGO Phare Cambodian Circus – Join an evening of entertainment as we watch this celebrated circus show
- Tonle Sap Lake – Cruise on Southeast Asia's largest freshwater lake and visit

the colourful floating villages of Kampong Phluk

- Siem Reap – Examine Angkorian artefacts at the intriguing Angkor National Museum and enjoy free time to stroll down famous 'Pub Street'

What's Included

- Breakfast daily, 1 lunch and 1 dinner
- 5 nights 4 star and special class hotels
- Guided sightseeing - Phnom Penh, Siem Reap and the Temples of Angkor
- Boat trip on Tonle Sap Lake
- Escorted by an English-speaking Cambodian tour guide
- Economy class flight: Phnom Penh to Siem Reap
- Airport arrival and departure transfers days 1 and 6
- All relevant transfers and transportation in private air-conditioned vehicles

What's Not Included

- Tipping Kitty: USD\$15-25pp, paid in USD
- Entrance Fees: USD\$105-115pp, paid in USD
- International flights and visa
- Tip for your tour guide. We recommend you allow USD\$3-6 per day, per traveller. Tipping your guide is an entirely personal gesture

ITINERARY

Day 1 : Phnom Penh



Monday. Welcome to Cambodia! Upon arrival you'll be met and transferred to our hotel. Enjoy free time before a group dinner this evening. **Overnight - Phnom Penh (D)**

Day 2 : Phnom Penh City Tour



Today we'll enjoy a guided sightseeing tour of Phnom Penh, starting at the National Museum of Fine Arts which houses the world's finest collection of Khmer sculptures. We continue to the Royal Palace and Silver Pagoda, famed

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for its lavish decorations. The floors are paved with silver tiles and statues of Buddha encrusted with thousands of diamonds.

Later, come face to face with the horrors of the Pol Pot regime as we visit Toul Sleng (Security Prison - S21), a school that was gruesomely transformed into a torture chamber under the Khmer Rouge. Continue to the notorious Killing Fields, where over 10,000 people were executed. **Overnight - Phnom Penh (B)**

Day 3 : Angkor Wat



Phnom Penh - Siem Reap. This morning we fly to Siem Reap. Upon arrival we visit the Angkor National Museum for an introduction to Khmer civilization. This archaeological museum is dedicated to the preservation and presentation of Angkorian artefacts found locally dating from the 9th - 14th centuries. Next we visit the mother of all temples – legendary Angkor Wat, which is believed to be the largest religious building in the world, containing thousands of exquisitely crafted wall carvings and bas-reliefs. **Overnight - Siem Reap (B)**

Day 4 : Angkor Thom & NGO circus project



Early this morning take the option to see Angkor Wat bathed in the spectacular golden light at sunrise. Then we drive out to see the well-preserved temples of Banteay Srei,

stopping at an exotic butterfly sanctuary, and the village of Preak Dak where you have the opportunity to plant a tree sapling as part of a local initiative to help low income farmers.

Returning to the Angkor Temple Complex we explore the ancient city of Angkor Thom. The last capital of the Great Khmer Empire, it is home to the fascinating Bayon Temple, the Baphuon royal enclosure and the Terraces of the Elephants and Leper King. We continue on to Tra Prohm Temple, which unlike the other temples here has been left in the same ruined state that it was first discovered, with a tangle of trees growing out of its ruins. Tonight we attend the remarkable Phare NGO circus project which teaches children living on the streets how to become circus artists. Enjoy circus tricks and their interpretations of modern life and issues in Cambodian society in this popular show. **Overnight - Siem Reap (B)**

Day 5 : Free time in Siem Reap



This morning we drive to Kampong Phluk, a cluster of three villages of stilt houses built within the floodplain of Tonle Sap Lake about 16 km southeast of Siem Reap. After a boat trip on the lake we return to Siem Reap for some free time. Pick up some last minute souvenirs at the central market or head down to lively Pub Street. **Overnight - Siem Reap (B, L)**

Day 6 : Siem Reap

Saturday. After breakfast and hotel check-out, an included departure transfer takes you to the airport. **(B)**

HOTELS

Highlighted below are some of the hotels which we frequently use on this tour, though

we reserve the right to substitute these hotels to ones of a similar standard.

Please refer to your Tour Voucher for your confirmed arrival hotel and further arrival information.

Harmony Phnom Penh Hotel

Just 5 minutes from the Royal Palace, the Harmony Hotel in Phnom Penh is an elegant hotel with a great location. The spacious rooms feature plush furnishings with a smart decor of dark wood flooring and white walls with accents of colour. The hotel features a rooftop infinity pool and Jacuzzi with views across the river and the city, a perfect spot to relax after a busy day sightseeing. Guests can dine on a choice of Asian and Western dishes at the hotel's restaurant and enjoy a wide selection of beverages.



Kravan Hotel

The Kravan Hotel offers comfortable and spacious guest rooms in a quiet location close to the heart of Phnom Penh. This stylish hotel has an outdoor rooftop pool, in addition to a rooftop bar and a restaurant which offer fantastic panoramic views across the capital. Free wifi is offered throughout the property and there is fitness centre located on the top floor where guests can indulge in various spa treatments and massages.



Angkor Paradise Hotel

Not far from Angkor Wat, the Angkor Paradise Hotel offers elegant accommodation in a world famous setting. Guest rooms are beautifully furnished with traditional wooden floors and all mod cons.

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All rooms have either fabulous views of the city or the hotel's outdoor pool. The hotel also boasts a great onsite restaurant, fitness centre and pool terrace. The Angkor Paradise Hotel is situated a short distance from Siem Reap international airport and the majestic Angkor Archaeological Park.



PRICES / DATES INFO

Departure dates are guaranteed with a minimum of 4 persons. 'Twin Share' prices are per person when there are 2 people sharing a room. 'Single Room' prices are applicable to those who don't have anyone to share a room with or anyone wanting the privacy of a single room. If you're a solo traveller and happy to share a room this can be arranged, subject to there being another solo traveller of the same gender for you to share with. Please book a single room and contact us if your preference is to room share. Please note: For tours departing from 01 July 2022 single rooms will no longer be compulsory for solo travellers. If you're a solo traveller who is happy to share a room, you can pay the Twin Share price even if we are unable to match you up.

PRICES / DATES 2021

Date	Twin Share	Single
26 Jul	USD 675	USD 875
23 Aug	USD 675	USD 875
13 Sep	USD 675	USD 875
24 Sep	USD 675	USD 875
04 Oct	USD 745	USD 945
01 Nov	USD 745	USD 945
15 Nov	USD 745	USD 945
29 Nov	USD 745	USD 945

PRICES / DATES 2021

Date	Twin Share	Single
13 Dec	USD 745	USD 945
27 Dec	USD 745	USD 945

PRICES / DATES 2022

Date	Twin Share	Single
03 Jan	USD 725	USD 925
17 Jan	USD 725	USD 925
31 Jan	USD 725	USD 925
14 Feb	USD 725	USD 925
28 Feb	USD 725	USD 925
14 Mar	USD 725	USD 925
21 Mar	USD 725	USD 925
28 Mar	USD 725	USD 925
11 Apr	USD 725	USD 925
18 Apr	USD 725	USD 925
25 Apr	USD 725	USD 925
09 May	USD 675	USD 875
23 May	USD 675	USD 875
06 Jun	USD 675	USD 875
20 Jun	USD 675	USD 875
04 Jul	USD 675	USD 875
25 Jul	USD 675	USD 875
01 Aug	USD 675	USD 875
08 Aug	USD 675	USD 875
15 Aug	USD 675	USD 875
22 Aug	USD 675	USD 875
29 Aug	USD 675	USD 875
05 Sep	USD 675	USD 875
12 Sep	USD 675	USD 875
26 Sep	USD 675	USD 875
03 Oct	USD 745	USD 945
10 Oct	USD 745	USD 945
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