



Thailand Family Adventure 21 days

BKK - Kanchanaburi - Ayutthaya - Chiang Mai - Mae Hong Son - Rayong - Island beach break

Start up with Bangkok boomerang tour; visit the old Bangkok, the Grand Palace and canal tour. Experience the history of WW2 in Kanchanaburi. Take the cycling tour around the ancient town of Ayutthaya and end up with a sunset cruise dinner on the rice barge cruise. Exploring the miracle Lanna and adventuring in the hidden valley of Mae Hong Son with nature trek, local homestay and white water rafting in the pure natural environment. Lastly enjoy and experience the local fishery village in Rayong. At the end, stay and relax at getaway on the beach island.

Itinerary:

Day 1: **Arrival Thailand (D)**

Transfer from Suvarnabhumi Airport to Hotel
Check in at Hotel De Moc (1)

Evening: Take a local Took Took to boat landing for welcome dinner on Chao Phraya cruise.

Day 2: **Bangkok Boomerang – Kanchanaburi (B,L)**

Morning: Breakfast at your hotel. Depart for Bangkok Boomerang tour.
Visit famous Royal Palace & Canal tour

Lunch: Local Thai restaurant

Noon: Private van transfer to Kanchanaburi. Enroute visit hell fire path
Check in at Phung Wan Resort. (2) (Stay overnight on the raft house)

Day 3: **Kanchanaburi – Kayaking – River Kwai Bridge (B,L)**

Morning: Breakfast / check out and leave for morning kayaking on the River Kwai.

Lunch: Local Thai restaurant

Noon: Visit a famous River Kwai Bridge
Check in at Ploy Guesthouse (3)

Day 4: **Kanchanaburi – Ayutthaya – Chiang Mai (B,L)**

Morning: Breakfast / check out visit War Museum & Cemetery
Transfer to Ayutthaya

Lunch: Local Thai Restaurant

Noon: Enjoy cycling in a famous "Ayutthaya Ancient city". Afterwards, clean up and
Get on board for sunset dinner cruise.

Evening: Overnight train to Chiang Mai.

Day 5: **Community based Tourism – Ja Bor Black Lahu Community (B,L,D) Day trek 1**

Morning: After breakfast, depart to Mae Hong Son province. Travel over the beautiful mountain road.

Lunch: Lunch at Local Thai restaurant in Pai

Noon: we drive to Baan Jabo; a Black Lahu village where we are welcomed to the community by local guides who are members of the Ban Jabo Community based Tourism Group. After an orientation, we hike up the mountain to visit local Coffin and Coral caves, considered to be sacred sites by the Lahu people. Our local community guides will explain about local beliefs and how to behave in the caves; and show us their fields, rotational rice farming system, and how local people live in harmony with the forest.

Evening: In the evening, we will spend time getting to know our homestay families. A team of 'facilitators' will assist translation (1 per 6 guests). Homestay accommodation in this village is very basic, but the people are wonderful and you will treasure the memory of your stay. Please remember some pictures of home to show your local hosts where you come from.

- Day 6: CBT Tour at Mae Lana Shan Community (B,L,D) Day trek 2**
Morning: After breakfast, we will continue hiking through the mountains and beautiful paddy fields. In the late morning, we will arrive at Ban Mae Lana where we will meet our host families and check in to our new home-stays. The Shan or Tai Yai people of Mae Lana are originally from Burma. They have interesting legends, a unique culture and spectacular performance.
Lunch: We will have lunch together with our homestay families.
Afternoon: After lunch, we will explore Mae Lana village with local community guides. There are many interesting people to meet, including the herbal medicine man, and local groups who make a variety of products.
Dinner: We will have dinner with our host families. Afterwards, we will enjoy a Shan dance performed by local students who have revived their traditions.
- Day 7: White water rafting (B,L,D)**
Morning: Breakfast and then leave Baan Mae Lana and go for white water rafting.
Lunch: Lunch on the river bank
Evening: Dinner and stay overnight in comfortable shelter
- Day 8: Continue Rafting – Mae Hong Son – Fern Resort (B,L)**
Morning: Breakfast serve at camping site then continue rafting
Lunch: Lunch provided on the river bank (lunch box)
Noon: Afternoon arrive National Park headquarter and transfer to Fern Resort (4)
Dinner in town (on own)
- Day 9: Free day in Mae Hong Son (B)**
Morning: Breakfast at resort / free at leisure
Overnight Fern Resort (5)
- Day 10: Mae Hong Son - Chiang Mai (B, L)**
Morning: Breakfast @ Fern / Check out.
Lunch: at local Thai restaurant
Noon: Check in at Tha Pae Garden (6)
- Day 11: Free day Chiang Mai – Bangkok (B)**
Morning: Breakfast at guesthouse / free at leisure
Noon: Transfer to Chiang Mai train station, Overnight train to Bangkok
- Day 12: Bangkok - Ban Pak Nam Pra-sae (Rayong province) (B,L,D)**
Morning: Upon arrival depart to Rayong Province (about 4 hrs drive). Enroute visit Fruit farm enjoy pick fresh fruit by yourself.
Lunch: at local Thai restaurant
Noon: arrive Ban Pra Sae which is a large fishery village and located at the end of Pra-sae River. Pra-sae used to be one of the significant fishery industries. Now a day after the oil crisis Ban Pra-sae faced the problem to continue their fishery industry then the local chooses to conduct the small tourism project to support their living.
Upon arrival check in at homestay
The highlight of the trip is to visit the fertile mangrove area called "Toong Pong Thong".
Afterwards, free time to enjoy your own exploring village with bicycle.
Evening: Dinner also served at Homestay (local seafood)
Night time enjoy talking with family or take an optional tour to see fire fly in mangrove area.
- Day 13: Snorkeling-Mon Nai and Mon Klang Island (B,L,D)**
Morning: Breakfast and then say good bye to host family
Take speed boat to Mon Nai & Mon Klang Island snorkeling and swimming at beautiful white sand beach. Also visit the sea turtle conservation project which is part of the Royal project.
Lunch: Lunch box at Mon Nai Island.
Noon: Late afternoon return to your homestay / free at leisure.
Overnight homestay

Day 14: Travel to Koh Chang (Trad Province) (B)

Morning: Breakfast served at your homestay
Afterwards van transfer to Koh Chang
Arrive Koh Chang check in at Hotel (7)

Day 15-18 Beach break Free at leisure Koh Chang (B)

Accommodation in Koh Chang (8-11)

Day 19: Beach break – BKK (B)

Accommodation in BKK (12)
Hotel De Moc

Day 20: Free day in Bangkok (B)

Accommodation in BKK (13)
Hotel De Moc

Day 21: Departure (B)

Transfer from Hotel to Suvarnabhumi airport

Physical grading: 3

Culture shock grading: 3

Preferred Hotel: Bangkok-Hotel De Moc, Chiang Mai-Tha Pae Garden, Mae Hong Son - Fern Resort

Transport: Private car, boat and bike.

Activities: Homestay, trekking, cycling, kayaking, white water rafting, boating and elephant riding.

Pricing: for private tour in USD, net to agent rate

Meals: 19-breakfasts / 10-lunches / 6-dinners

Note:

When you visit tribal village, there some village is not allow to access or take picture. Before you want to do something, please ask your tour guide for some advice.

Responsible mind:

The income from tourist is to support the community or it is a best ways to offer them a good career and anti-illegal mineral exploration, deforestation and hunting wildlife.

Service includes:

- Private transfer and transport with A/C, overnight train ticket
- Accommodation in 2* or 3* hotel with Twin sharing room (2 pax in one room) or home stay as mentioned in the program
- English Speaking Guide
- Meal as mentioned above
- Bangkok canal tour
- Kayaking in Kanchanaburi
- Cycling tour Ayutthaya and rice barge cruise
- CBT local homestay, trekking and white water rafting in Mae Hong Son
- All entrance fee of visit site as mentioned in the program

Service excludes:

- Additional soft drinks / Alcohol / snacks outside mealtimes
- Souvenirs
- Tip for Guide and Driver
- Domestic and international flight
- Travel insurance