

13 Day Thailand & Phuket Beach Break

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Local Knowledge. Vacations of a Lifetime.

Discover the world with AVG Travels, where our team of destination experts combines local knowledge with a passion for adventure to offer you the vacation of a lifetime. At AVG Travels, we not only provide an immersive travel experience, prioritize your comfort, safety, and enjoyment, but also showcase the beauty and cultural richness of stunning destinations.

Specialists in touring since 2015, AVG Travels, previously known as Asia Vacation Group, are proud to craft your itinerary and create memories that last a lifetime. Travel with confidence knowing your trip has been thoughtfully crafted by our experts with you personally in mind.

Australian Owned Company	7-Day Change of Mind	Return flights included
Fully escorted by English-speaking tour guide		

Day by Day Itinerary

Bangkok, Phitsanulok, Chiang Mai, Sukhothai, Phuket Island

HIGHLIGHTS

- **Wat Phra That Doi Suthep Visit:** Climb the 309 steps or take a cable car to one of Chiang Mai's most revered temples for panoramic views and spiritual insights.
- **Ayutthaya Boat Ride:** Experience the historical grandeur of Ayutthaya's ruins from a traditional long tail boat, offering a unique perspective on this ancient capital.
- **Sukhothai Historical Park:** Explore the well-preserved ruins of Thailand's first capital, a UNESCO World Heritage Site, to immerse in the country's rich history.
- **San Kamphaeng Road Shopping:** Engage in a vibrant shopping experience where you can find local crafts, from pottery to silk products, and watch artisans at work.
- **Wat Phra That Lampang Luang Visit:** Discover the ancient temple and its stunning bronze Buddha statue, a cultural and historical gem in Lampang.
- **Phuket beach break:** Enjoy 3 nights relaxing by the pool or exploring the stunning island of Phuket

ITINERARY

Day 1: Home - Bangkok, Thailand

Welcome to Bangkok, Thailand!

Upon arrival at Suvarnabhumi Airport (BKK), you will be greeted by your tour guide at Exit 6 and transferred to your hotel for check-in.

The rest of the day is at leisure.

Meals: In-flight meals

Accommodation: Royal Princess Larn Luang Hotel 4* or similar

Day 2: Bangkok

Today, you have the entire day at leisure to explore Bangkok at your own pace.

Maybe join an optional Half Day Royal Grand Palace Tour to witness the stunning architecture and historical

significance of the Royal Grand Palace and the Emerald Buddha Temple.

Meals: Breakfast.

Accommodation: Royal Princess Larn Luang Hotel 4* or similar

Day 3: Bangkok - Ayutthaya - Phitsanulok

Today, visit the former capital Ayutthaya, a historic city awarded UNESCO World Heritage status for the splendor of its archaeological ruins and temples.

Contemplate the ruins of this once vast island city including Wat Yai Chaimongkhon, Wat Phanan Choeng and Wat Mahathat. Hop on a traditional long tail boat and observe the city's ruins from a different perspective.

After lunch, check-in to your hotel in Phitsanulok where the rest of the day is at leisure

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch

Accommodation: Imperial Hotel and Convention Centre 4* or similar

Day 4: Phitsanulok - Lampang - Chiang Mai

After breakfast, visit Wat Mahathat in Phitsanulok to admire the magnificent Phra Buddha Chinnarat.

Travel onwards to Lampang to visit Wat Phra That Lampang Luang, where you can climb the staircase to see the bronze Buddha statue.

Enjoy lunch before heading to Chiang Mai for check-in. Explore more of this fascinating regional city at your own pace.

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch

Accommodation: Amora Hotel Chiang Mai 4* or similar

Day 5: Chiang Mai

Today, visit Wat Phra That Doi Suthep, one of northern Thailand's most sacred temples, located atop a mountain.

You can reach the temple by climbing a 309-step staircase or taking the included cable car.

Later, enjoy shopping at San Kamphaeng Road, known for its local handicrafts and artisans at work.

After lunch at a local restaurant, return to your hotel for a leisurely afternoon.

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch

Accommodation: Amora Hotel Chiang Mai 4* or similar

Day 6: Chiang Mai - Lamphun - Sukhothai

Depart Chiang Mai and head to Lamphun to visit the ancient Wat Phra That Hariphunchai Temple, featuring impressive stupas and Buddha statues.

Continue south to the Sukhothai Historical Park, a UNESCO World Heritage Site that showcases the ruins of the ancient Sukhothai Kingdom.

Meals: Breakfast

Accommodation: Legendha Sukhothai Resort 3* or similar

Day 7: Sukhothai - Lopburi - Bangkok

After breakfast, travel to Lopburi to visit Phra Pang Sam Yot, the ancient Khmer temple ruins, and the nearby Brahman shrine, San Phra Kan, known as the 'Monkey Temple.'

Enjoy lunch at a local restaurant before continuing to Bangkok for hotel check-in.

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch

Accommodation: Royal Princess Larn Luang Hotel 4* or similar

Day 8: Bangkok

Spend the day at your leisure, exploring Bangkok's vibrant cityscape or relaxing at your hotel.

Alternatively, join an optional Kanchanaburi & the River Kwai tour to delve into the historical significance of the Burma-Thailand Railway and Hellfire Pass, plus a scenic boat ride on the River Kwai.

Meals: Breakfast

Accommodation: Royal Princess Larn Luang Hotel 4* or similar

Day 9: Bangkok - Phuket

Today, you will be transferred to the airport in time for your included flight Phuket.

On arrival, you will be transferred to your hotel for check in.

Meals: Breakfast

Accommodation: Beyond Kata Phuket Resort 4* or similar

Day 10: Phuket

Enjoy a day at leisure in Phuket, where you can relax at your hotel, stroll on the beach, engage in water sports, or explore the vibrant beach scene.

For an adventurous option, join the James Bond & Naka Island tour by speed boat, which includes lunch.

Meals: Breakfast

Accommodation: Beyond Kata Phuket Resort 4* or similar

Day 11: Phuket

Spend another day at your leisure in Phuket. Relax, explore more local attractions, or participate in the optional Phi Phi Island & Bamboo Island tour by speed boat for a full day of island hopping and snorkeling.

Meals: Breakfast

Accommodation: Beyond Kata Phuket Resort 4* or similar

Day 12: Phuket - Home

Today is your last day in Thailand. Spend your time at leisure until your transfer to the airport for your flight home.

Meals: Breakfast & in-flight meals

Accommodation: In-flight

Day 13: Home

Arrive home, marking the end of your unforgettable journey through Thailand with AVG Travels.

Meals: In-flight meals

INCLUSIONS

- **Return international flights**
- Domestic flight from Bangkok to Phuket
- All return airport transfers
- 8 nights 4-star accommodation
- 3 night beach break in a deluxe 4-star Phuket resort
- Breakfast daily & 4 lunches
- Entrance into all sights listed in the itinerary
- Dedicated transportation in comfortable, air-conditioned vehicles
- Fully escorted by English-speaking local guides

EXCLUSIONS

- Travel insurance
- Visas
- Tipping
- Personal expenses
- Optional activities
- Anything not mentioned in the itinerary

DEPARTURE DATES: PRICE IS QUOTED IN \$ PER PERSON

DEPART AU	RETURN DATE	PRICE	NOTE	RESERVE YOUR SEAT
Friday 07 Mar 2025	Wednesday 19 Mar 2025	\$4,399		Book
Friday 21 Mar 2025	Wednesday 02 Apr 2025	\$4,299		Book
Friday 11 Apr 2025	Wednesday 23 Apr 2025	\$4,299		Book
Friday 25 Apr 2025	Wednesday 07 May 2025	\$4,399		Book
Friday 09 May 2025	Wednesday 21 May 2025	\$3,999		Book
Friday 23 May 2025	Wednesday 04 Jun 2025	\$3,999		Book
Friday 20 Jun 2025	Wednesday 02 Jul 2025	\$4,299		Book
Friday 18 Jul 2025	Wednesday 30 Jul 2025	\$4,399		Book
Friday 08 Aug 2025	Wednesday 20 Aug 2025	\$3,999		Book
Friday 22 Aug 2025	Wednesday 03 Sep 2025	\$3,999		Sold Out
Friday 12 Sep 2025	Wednesday 24 Sep 2025	\$4,299		Book
Friday 26 Sep 2025	Wednesday 08 Oct 2025	\$4,399		Book
Friday 10 Oct 2025	Wednesday 22 Oct 2025	\$4,199		Book
Friday 24 Oct 2025	Wednesday 05 Nov 2025	\$4,199		Sold Out
Friday 14 Nov 2025	Wednesday 26 Nov 2025	\$4,299		Book

OPTIONAL TOURS



Half Day Royal Grand Palace Tour

\$145



Kanchanaburi & the River Kwai

\$248



James Bond & Naka Island by Speed Boat

\$120



Phi Phi Island & Bamboo Island Tour by Speed Boat

\$175

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FLIGHT INFORMATION

This package includes return flights from Sydney/Melbourne.

Flights from Adelaide, Brisbane and Perth attract a **\$400 surcharge**.

Airline Selection: We book the best available airlines for your journey, which may include a mix of full-service and low-cost carriers. Specific airline requests can be made at the time of purchase. This includes upgrades to your preferred carrier, premium economy or business class cabins or specific seats. Whilst we will try our best, not all requests can be confirmed.

Flight Conditions: Flights may not be direct and could involve a maximum of two transits.

Ticketing Information: Once issued, tickets are non-refundable. Changes are subject to airline rules, airline change fees, and an AVG Travels change fee of \$250 per person.

Passenger Details: Please ensure all traveller names are as per passports. This includes all middle names. Errors may incur a name change fee of \$150 plus airline charges, or require the purchase of a new ticket.

Flight Schedule Changes: Any changes or cancellations to airline schedules are outside our control. We recommend staying updated with airline schedules before departure. Additional expenses for extended transits or alternative arrangements are the traveller's responsibility.

Internal Airfares: Local flights included in your itinerary may utilise low-cost carriers without meals or entertainment. Checked baggage is included; any additional baggage fees are payable at check-in.

Booking Considerations: If travelling with others on separate bookings, we may not be able to guarantee all flights are the same due to availability.

Luggage and Fees: You are responsible for your luggage at all times. Excess baggage fees, if incurred, are payable directly to the airline. All tickets will include 20 kg checked baggage per person, plus 7 kg of hand luggage. We recommend travelling with a max 20kg per person due to restrictions on internal flights (where applicable), as well as coach and train transportation. Please note, you will be responsible for handling your luggage at all times as the services of porters are not included.

No-Show Policy: Missing your flight may result in fees including a no-show fee, airline reissue fee, and possible new ticket purchase. AVG Travels charges a \$250 admin fee for re-booking assistance.

Price Adjustments: Prices are final at the time of ticketing. Any subsequent changes may result in additional costs due to factors beyond our control, such as currency fluctuations or airline surcharges.

We would be more than happy to provide you with a quote for the following requests:

- Airline Preferences – You may wish to fly with a particular airline
- Cabin Preferences – These include upgrading to premium economy or business class
- Extensions (start and end cities must remain the same) – You may request to extend your stay pre or post tour.
- Meal Requests – You may request a specific meal for dietary requirements.
- Seat Requests – If you would like to request particular seating. However please note, not all airlines allow the selection of pre-purchased seat arrangements.

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

Tour by AVG Travels

Our AVG Travels Experts have crafted this itinerary, blending local insights and travellers preferences to create this unforgettable experience. We have considered attractions, logistics, and unique opportunities, ensuring each detail aligns perfectly. Our expertise transforms trips into seamless adventures, offering bespoke inclusions that will ultimately enhance your time touring with AVG Travels.

Accommodation

The accommodation listed is subject to change. Any changes will be of an equal or higher standard. Bedding configurations (double or twin) are requests only. All efforts will be made to meet your preferences however any changes are beyond our control.

Single Supplement

Single supplement is **\$840 per person** in addition to the twin share price.

Land Only Packages

Transfers ARE NOT included for land only packages.

Please note that customers purchasing the land only option need to make their own way to the joining hotel and the airport at the end of the tour. AVG Travels can assist with purchasing private transfers if choosing the land only option.

Physical Requirements

A reasonable level of fitness is required. Participants should be comfortable navigating stairs, boarding and disembarking from the coach, and walking reasonable distances, typically around 2 km per day or more. Please disclose any physical conditions at the time of booking to assess suitability for the tour.

Tipping

A friendly reminder that tipping, (whilst not compulsory) is not included in your package. If you would like to show appreciation for tour guides, drivers, and bellmen, a suggested tip of \$10 per person per day is welcome and can make a big difference to locals employed in the tourism industry. Tipping will be collected on day 1 of your tour. This helps support local staff who work hard to make your experience memorable.

Paired Solo Traveler

Not available.

Group size:

Min 2

Max 24 travellers

Triple Share

Upon request

Travel Insurance

Travel insurance is recommended to protect yourself against the unexpected. In addition to the support that a policy may provide, you may be asked to present a copy of your travel insurance documentation while travelling.

We have partnered with Nib Travel Insurance to offer our customers competitive rates for their travel insurance. You can book Comprehensive or Essentials cover for your domestic, international or multi-trip journeys simply with us.

Visa & Passport information

It is the traveller's responsibility to ensure they have a valid passport. The passport must be valid for a minimum of six months from the intended date of return and must have more than 2 blank pages. Visa conditions are subject to change at short notice, so it is the responsibility of the traveller to consult with the relevant consulates to ensure they have the appropriate visa for entry to the countries being visited.

Thailand

Please note that these details are subject to change without notice. We recommend visiting <https://www.smartraveller.gov.au/> for up-to-date information in terms of entry requirements.

Children

Children must be 10 years old or above and share a room with parents at all times. Children are charged the same price as adults.

Tour Documentation

Final documentation, including e-tickets and hotel details, will be provided approximately 30 days prior to travel.

Tour Length

The total length of the tour in days includes time spent in flight and is subject to change depending on the flight schedule, please refer to the day by day itinerary for the time spent on land.

HOW TO EXTEND YOUR STAY

You can enhance your holiday by arriving or departing before or after the tour. On this tour you can choose from the following options:

Pre Tour Accommodation

\$135 per room, per night

Post Tour Accommodation

\$135 per room, per night

Please select the number of extra nights required in the 'Additional Nights Accommodation' field when making your purchase. The additional cost for these arrangements will be added to your final payment invoice and are subject to availability.

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