



## ATHENA CRUISES ITINERARY - 2 DAYS 1 NIGHT HALONG BAY

### DAY 1:

#### HALONG INTERNATIONAL PORT- SUPPRISE CAVE- TITOP ISLAND

12:00	Check-in	Warmly welcomed by Athena Team in <b>Halong International Harbour</b> . Complete the <b>luggage check-in</b> procedure at the waiting lounge before boarding for the cruise.
12:30	Onboard	Transferred to the Athena Cruise by a tender boat. The Cruise Manager and the whole crew member welcome you onboard, a safety briefing and clearing out the itinerary will be delivered while you are enjoying our signature welcome drink.
12:45	Happy lunch	Lunch is served at our cozy restaurant. As the cruise departs towards Halong Bay – a natural wonder of the world, absorb yourself in the gorgeous scenery and famous sights of limestone.
14:45	Activities	The cruise stops at “ <b>Bo Nau</b> ” cave (Pelican Cave), the core area of the world’s natural heritage. Transferring by tender to “ <b>Sung Sot</b> ” Cave (Surprising cave) – the biggest and the most beautiful cave in Halong Bay.
15:45	Activities	Leaving Surprising cave, keep moving by tender to the <b>Titov island</b> was named by Uncle Ho, after Gherman Stepanovich Titov - the Soviet astronaut who visited in 1962. Enjoy <b>swimming, relaxing</b> on the beach or <b>climbing</b> the steps of the Rock to the top of the island. A magical panoramic view of Halong Bay will surprise you there.
17:00	Relax	Back to the main cruise, it’s the best time for doing whatever you want. Relaxing at the outdoor jacuzzi, sunbathe on the sundeck, experience a spa treatment...
18:00   19:00	Happy hour	Take advantage of the <b>Happy hours</b> “Buy 1 get 1 free” drink while the sun is giving way to stunning twilight.
18:30	Cooking class	A <b>Cooking Demonstration</b> of traditional Vietnamese dishes will be organized by Athena Head Chef.
19:00	Dinner	A fusion set menu will be served to warm up your stomach after a long active day.
20:30	Cheerful evening	Freetime for evening activities: film entertainment, mini-games (in the dining room); squid fishing; massage... The Cruise Manager will be there to support you.

## DAY 2:

### LUON CAVE – KAYAK- HALONG INTERNATIONAL PORT

06:30	Tai-chi class	Good morning the Bay by joining <b>Tai-Chi Exercise</b> on the sundeck in 30 minutes whilst cruising to “Luon” Cave.
07:00	Breakfast	A light breakfast is ready to serve at the restaurant.
08:00	Visiting cave	Visit “ <b>Luon</b> ” cave - one of the caves open to the form beautiful endemic then vegetation of Halong Bay. 2 options to choose how to discover it: Kayaking for free and traditional woven (bamboo) boat rowed by a local boatman (public ticket 50.000đ/person).
09:00	Check out	Come back to Athena cruise, relax and pack the luggage. Leave the luggage outside the door. Athena team will collect and get them ready on the Pier.
09:30	Brunch	Enjoy a brunch buffet at the restaurant after check-out while cruising toward the port.
10:45	Goodbye	Transfer by tender back to Halong International Harbour and disembarkation. Farewell to guests.

**NOTICE:** WIFI CONNECTION IS AVAILABLE ON BOARD BUT HAS LIMITED INTERNET CONNECTIVITY THROUGHOUT THE ITINERARY DUE TO THE SEA AND THE KARST LIMESTONES AND MOUNTAINS BLOCKING THE SIGNAL FROM THE SATELLITES. PLEASE TAKE THIS INTO YOUR CONSIDERATION



## NOTES ABOUT THE CRUISE PROGRAM AND SERVICE

### ABOUT THE CRUISE PROGRAM & ACTIVITIES

- The itinerary can be changed without prior notice
- The timing of this itinerary is estimated, and the exact time will be informed before departure time
- All activities are included and optional. You can stay on the boat and relax instead of joining outside activities
- Due to weather, tide levels, and operating conditions. Swimming or kayaking excursions may be canceled due to poor weather. Unused services are not subject to a refund

### ABOUT FOOD & BEVERAGE ON BOARD

- All meals onboard are included as clearly stated in the program
- Standard menus onboard are served for all customers. If there are special food preferences, allergies or dietary requirements, please inform us at least 3 days before the departure date

### PERSONAL DOCUMENTS AND BELONGINGS

- Not to be missed: ID card/Passport (necessary for check-in)
- Personal outfit recommendation: sunglasses, sunscreen, hat, sneakers, swimming suit...

### INCLUSION

- 1-night accommodation at Athena's suite cabin
- All dining experiences on-board
- Welcome drink and refreshing cold towel upon boarding
- Complimentary activities: kayaking, cave exploration, swimming, mountain trekking, and night squid fishing
- Morning Tai Chi class on the sundeck
- Complimentary room setup for honeymooners, anniversaries, or birthdays
- Free in-room tea, coffee, and traditional Vietnamese snacks
- Free movie screening with popcorn at the restaurant (available from May 1st, 2025)
- Onboard bilingual tour guide (Vietnamese & English)
- Entrance fees for all sightseeing destinations in the program
- Service charges and insurance as per sightseeing ticket policies

### EXCLUSION

- Round trip transfer Hanoi - Halong
- Drinks, Spa, and Laundry service
- Traditional woven (bamboo) boat rowed by a local boatman (public ticket 50.000đ/person)
- Personal expenses and gratuities
- Value Added Tax (VAT)

### POLICY FOR 3<sup>rd</sup> PERSON AND EXTRA BEDS:

- The third person using an extra bed: price as one adult

### POLICY FOR CHILDREN:

- 01 child under 5-year-old (sharing a bed with parents): Free of charge
- 01 child from 5 and under 11-year-old (sharing a bed with parents): 75% of the price per an adult
- The second children 02 children under 5 years old using an extra bed per cabin: 75% of the price per an adult
- From 11-year-old: price as an adult

