Experience the first weather-adaptive tourism village in Vietnam.

1 Day • Level Adventure: Introductory
• Age 6-70 years old

Explore Tan Hoa, Vietnam's first weather adaptive tourism village

Tân Hoá is a charming village nestled in a valley surrounded by towering limestone mountains in Northwest Quang Binh. Known as one of the province's flood-prone areas, Tân Hoá has transformed into Vietnam's first climate-adaptive tourism village through the efforts of the local community and support from organizations and businesses. In 2023, it was honored as one of the Best Tourism Villages by UN Tourism. The Tân Hoá Village Exploration 1-Day package offers a full-day experience to discover the beauty and culture of this unique village. Highlights include exploring Rat Cave, a filming location for Kong: Skull Island and The Immortal, engaging with locals to learn about their traditions, and immersing in the village's rich heritage. This tour is perfect for nature lovers, cultural explorers, and adventure seekers.

By joining this package, customers can participate in the following activities:

- ☑ ✅ Discover the transformation of Tân Hoá village from a "flood-prone area" in Quang Binh province to becoming the "Best Tourist Village" of UN Tourism.
- ☑ ✅ Explore Tan Hoa by cycling - the first weather-adaptive tourism village in Việt Nam.
- ☑ ✅ Discover Hang Chuot (Rat Cave), the filming location for the movies Kong: Skull Island and Nguoi Bat Tu (The Immortal).
- ☑ ✅ Experience a local lunch at a villager's home, where you can enjoy delicious dishes and discover the special stories of the Nguon people in this area.

Important Note: **Due to the remote and adventurous nature of our tours, we recommend booking directly with Oxalis to ensure you receive accurate and comprehensive information. Many websites claim to feature and sell Oxalis tours, but they may be scams or have marked-up prices. Oxalis will not be responsible for any bookings made through such sites.**

Itinerary

MORNING

9:00 AM: Tour guide picks up guests at the Oxalis office in Tan Hoa. Introduce Tu Lan Lodge, a weather-adaptive accommodation model aiming for Net-Zero sustainability.

Explore Tan Hoa Village by bike, and visit the households providing homestay services and home-cooked services.

Lunch at a local home: Savor authentic local dishes prepared by the homeowners themselves, including a taste of 'Poi' prepared by the Nguon people, while learning about their culture, customs and traditions.

AFTERNOON

Travelers have two options.

Visitors will trek along Hollywood Road, a filming site for blockbuster movies like Kong: Skull Island and The Immortal. The journey continues with an exploration of Rat Cave, a pristine cave featuring stunning stalactite formations. Equipped with specialized gear, guests will experience the thrill of becoming true cave explorers. With insights from expert guides, visitors will gain a deeper understanding of the formation of Tu Lan's limestone mountains and cave systems. After the adventure, guests can freshen up at the Oxalis office in Tân Hoá before returning to Phong Nha.

Suggested itinerary before and after the tour:
To ensure the best preparation before your journey or to relax after the expedition, Oxalis suggests staying at Chay Lap Farmstay if you wish to combine exploring Phong Nha with experiencing a peaceful countryside atmosphere, or Blue Diamond Retreat if you prefer to immerse yourself in nature and enjoy relaxing moments amidst the mountains and forests. Special discounted rates exclusively for Oxalis guests are 1,100,000 VND/room/night at Chay Lap Farmstay and 1,600,000 VND/room/night at Blue Diamond Retreat.

During your time in Phong Nha, the Phong Nha Caves Exploration Museum (open daily from 8:00 AM to 5:30 PM, free admission) is a must-visit destination. Here, you can experience the Son Doon 5D VR technology for 500,000 VND per ticket. All proceeds from this activity are contributed to the Oxalis Foundation to support local community projects, making your journey even more meaningful

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The tour program includes

- Lunch at a local's house.
- Drinks during the program.
- Equipment rental fees.
- VAT invoice.
- Travel insurance.
- Tour guide.

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