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ANGKOR RESORT

Magical Moments in the
wonderland of Angkor



Welcome

AN ANCIENT WORLD INVITING EXPLORATION.

Located in the heart of Siem Reap, Anantara Angkor Resort is your ultimate access point to discover the ancient majesty of the Khmer Empire.

Admire the transcendent beauty as the sun's first rays caress Angkor Wat. Marvel at nature reclaiming millennia-old temples. Gaze at exotic wildlife and spectacular natural attractions at the largest lake in Southeast Asia. Enjoy a romantic, candlelit dinner and Apsara show. The only limit is your imagination.

We warmly invite you to peruse our carefully selected range of excursions to help stimulate your sense of curiosity and adventure. From these inspirational possibilities, we look forward to helping you curate adventures that nurture your passions and create unforgettable memories.

Hospitably yours,
Discovery Team



About Angkor

The most significant religious monument ever to have been constructed, the temples of Angkor Wat are the greatest legacy of the mighty Khmer Empire and the ultimate expression of Cambodian ingenuity. Built over centuries, the ruins of this holy city are the remnants of the Angkorian capitals and represent the pinnacle of this ancient civilization.

Angkor was the capital of the Khmer Empire, which flourished from approximately the 9th to 15th centuries and has been recognized as one of the most important archaeological sites in Southeast Asia. Spread across staggering 400 square kilometers, the Angkor Archaeological Park is home to the remains of the different capitals of the Khmer Empire.



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Culinary



Spice Spoons by Anantara

Join us for an immersive culinary experience, celebrating local dishes and learning traditional secrets of Khmer cooking techniques that have been passed on for generations.

Your journey commences with a visit to a bustling local market where you can hand select fresh ingredients and simple local flavours. Discover the sights and sounds of the thriving market as you gather the freshest produce for your meal. Your master chef instructor will assist you to choosing from a collection of traditional Khmer cuisine set menus, or you can create your own by selecting from a range of individual recipes.

Learn the history and special characteristics of each dish along with the unique methods of preparation. Soon you'll be creating them yourself under the watchful guidance of your instructor. Savour your creation at a chef hosted meal and leave with unforgettable memorize and new culinary skills.

Includes: Personalized early morning Market Tour with our chef, ingredients chosen for the menu, lunch.

Time: 8:00 am onwards

Designer Dining by Anantara

Create your own perfect experience with Anantara's signature private dining concept. Select from a range of idyllic locales and cuisines for a unique culinary experience, complete with attentive butler service.

Customize your entire experience by selecting from a choice of menus or create your own menu with the help of your personal chef. Designer Dining by Anantara offers a journey that is utterly bespoke, undeniably romantic and completely unforgettable.

THE COURTYARD AND APSARA SHOW

Dine in Royal Khmer style amidst the traditional courtyard evoking Angkor's monumental heritage. Celebrate romance as Apsara dancers emerge beneath frangipani trees alongside cascading waters. A private performance inspires your evening.



THE COURTYARD AND BOKATOR SHOW

Discover Bokator, a Khmer Martial Art with various styles that teaches student to emulate the fighting of a particular animal, whilst you dine in Royal Khmer style amidst the traditional courtyard evoking Angkor's monumental heritage. Bokator is a complete martial art: Every single part of the body is used as a weapon in this skillful acrobatic display.



ANGKORIAN DINING THEATRE Shadow Puppet and Bokator Show

A scrupulously crafted menu awaits, tantalizing your palate with whispers of Khmer spices and royal delicacies paired with a meticulously chosen wine, promising a symphony of flavor. Accompany by the cultural heritage performances of Cambodia, as shadows stretch, lighting cast an amber glow, and flavors burst, witness the graceful dance of Bokator and the whispered tales that unfold in the magic of shadow puppetry.





CHEF'S TABLE DINNER

Savour a richly interactive connoisseur experience at CHI Restaurant & Bar. Craft your perfect five-course menu from a choice of progressive Khmer dishes and global flavours. Watch the Chef freshly prepare and cook each course in front of your table - enjoying a highly skilled showcase of passion and creativity.



COCKTAIL AND MOCKTAIL CLASSES

Master mixology techniques with our expert bartender. Learn how to blend seasonal ingredients and premium bar staples into perfectly balanced concoctions. Make delicious mocktails in a fun filled class for any age, or craft creative cocktails full of personality.

CHILDREN'S COOKING CLASSES

Our cooking classes cater specially for your little chefs: fun-filled classes that impart basic kitchen techniques while also helping to develop a sensibility for quality ingredients and balanced eating. Children leave with a recipe and get to enjoy their creation after the lesson.





Bespoke Tour Experiences



ANGKOR WAT SUNRISE

Unravel the mysteries the ancient Khmer capital and bear witness to the stunning ruins of Angkor Wat with this private half day tour.

Enjoy the undivided attention of your Temple expert as he takes you on an informative adventure through the world-famous Angkor Wat, the best preserved of all the temples in the Angkor Archaeological Park. Embrace the sense as awe and inspiration as you watch the sun rise over the triple towers of the world's largest religious monument. As the crowds thin, take an unforgettable tour of the temple, where the gentle light and cooler temperature present Angkor at its best.

Time: 5:00 am - 8:30 am

Departure: Daily

Inclusion: Transport, temple passes and guide



CLASSIC ANGKOR WAT ARCHAEOLOGICAL TEMPLES

Ride in comfort to the Angkor Archaeological Park and wander the temple complex with our resident specialist offering scholarly insight into the awe-inspiring site dating back to the Khmer Empire.

Our morning commences with a peaceful walk through the east causeway as the park begins to come to life. An early start ensures we can secure a prime position to catch the sun's earliest rays illuminating the spectacular Angkor wat.

Pass through the 54 demons that guard Angkor Thom City's South Gate. Take in the splendour of Bayon, with its 200 stone faces keeping vigil over the center of this walled village. Journey slowly reclaiming the ancient stone structure before the day concludes with a visit to Ta Phrom, popularized by the movie Tomb Raider.

Duration: 8 hours
Departure: Daily
Inclusion: Transport, temple passes and guide

OUTLYING TEMPLE TOUR

Escape the ever-present crowds at the major temples of the Angkor Archaeological Park and enjoy wandering the captivating temples of Banteay Srei and Banteay Samre in solitude.

Travelling through the pristine countryside, you'll pass glimpses of rural Cambodian life such as immaculately uniformed children walking to school and their parent tending the fields as you make your way to these forgotten temples. Some of the most elegant carving in the region can be found at Banteay Srei, with sensuous celestial dancers carved into the hard-red sandstone that dates back to the 10th century. Banteay samre is similarly artistically exquisite and represents one of the most complete complexes at Angkor thanks to extensive restoration efforts.

Duration: 5 hours
Departure: Daily
Inclusion: Transport, temple passes and guide





KBAL SPEAN

50 kilometers north east of Siem Reap, the spectacular carved riverbed Kbal Spean wasn't discovered until 1969 and is a unique Angkorian treasure. Enjoy an hour's journey through picturesque countryside, traditional rural villages and flourishing rice paddies.

Marvel at "The River of a Thousand Lingas" - famous of its mythological Hindu motifs, carved intricately into the sandstone riverbed and its banks.

Duration: 6 hours
Departure: Daily
Inclusion: Transport, temple passes and guide



JOURNEY TO BENG MEALEA

Explore of Angkor's most mysterious lost jungle temples. Built in 12th century with identical architecture to the magnificent Angkor Wat, the impressive ruins of Beng Mealea rise amidst huge tree roots and topical foliage in a tangle of striking geology and wide nature.

Hop in for a scenic two-hours journey through breathtaking countryside to reach this gigantic monument, which translates as "Lotus Pond" in Khmer. Discover its Hindu origins and Buddhist motif carving. Tour the encircling moat and stand in awe of its sprawling sandstone chambers.

Duration: 7 hours
Departure: Daily
Inclusion: Transport, temple passes and guide

KOH KER

Also known as Lingapura or Chok Gargyar, Koh Ker is a remote archaeological site and one of the largest temple complexes in northern Cambodia. It was the capital of the Khmer Empire for a brief period between 928-941 CE under its founder King Jayavarman IV. Koh Ker is situated between the slopes of the Dangrek and Kulen mountains and has a landscape characterized by rolling hills of variable heights ranging from 70 m to 110 m, coinciding with the watershed of the Steung Sen River.

Duration: 7 hours
Departure: Daily
Inclusion: Transport, temple passes and guide

A large, orange and red striped hot air balloon is floating in the sky over a vast, green rural landscape. The landscape features a mix of grassy fields and clusters of palm trees in the distance. The sky is a pale, hazy blue, suggesting early morning or late evening light. The balloon is positioned in the upper left quadrant of the image, with its basket hanging below it. The overall scene is peaceful and scenic.

Drift over the countryside and back in time

Your journey begins just before sunrise or sunset, lifting off from a peaceful countryside launch site. Gently float over the majestic temple ruins of Cambodia before gliding across lush rice paddies dotted with water buffalo. Depending on the winds, you may drift over a vast ancient reservoir, shimmering beneath the sky, before touching down at a safe landing site. There, a glass of sparkling bubbles awaits to celebrate your adventure. Along the way, witness timeless country life as it has existed for centuries. The landscape glows in fiery hues, the mist softens the horizon, and the experience feels simply magical.

AM flight – Collection from hotel by minivan at 5:00 am
PM flight – Collection from hotel by minivan at 3:45 pm

Drive to launch site (approx. 35 minutes)
Snacks and drinks served while guests witness the inflation of the balloon

Safety briefing (in English) by the pilot
Scenic flight over the rural Khmer countryside for approximately 35 minutes to one hour
Landing and celebratory drink with the pilot
Guests collected by minivan and returned to the hotel

Availability: November to March only (**Sunset flight available in December and January only**)
Inclusion: Roundtrip Transfers and welcome briefing with snacks

*Note: Flights are subject to amendment or cancellation depending on weather conditions or operational requirements.
Conditions apply



Culture and History



STREETWISE SIEM REAP TOUR

Explore Siem Reap's iconic landmarks and step off the beaten path on a bespoke private tour. Our knowledgeable insider will tailor your experience to your interests, ensuring you make the most of your time in this enchanting city.

Enjoy a private consultation with our expert to design your perfect itinerary. From exploring the quaint town of Siem Reap to discovering local Cambodian life and the French colonial quarter, there's something for everyone.



Learn the art of haggling, browse boutiques that support local communities, or shop for unique treasures like antiques, silk, jewellery, and pottery. Whether you're a history buff, a foodie, or a fashion enthusiast, our personalized tour offers the freedom to explore Siem Reap at your own pace.

Departure: Daily

Inclusion: Tuk Tuk, entry fees and guide



GOLDEN SILK FARM

Learn the techniques and history of silk weaving at the Golden Silk Farm, where is dedicated to restoring and safeguarding the fabulous Khmer traditional methods and techniques of golden silk production.



LAND MINE MUSEUM

Then visit the Land Mine Museum to see thousands of decommissioned landmines and other explosive ordnance of war. Learn the history of the conflict, how landmines came to be in Cambodia, what is being done to remove them and how you can help in ridding the world of these hideous remnants of wars past and present.

Time: 8:00 am - 3:00 pm or 4:00 pm
Departure: Daily
Inclusion: Transfer and entry fees

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Departure: Daily
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BANTEAY SREY BUTTERFLY CENTRE (BBC)

Continue for the visit of The Banteay Srey Butterfly Centre (BBC), where featuring a live display of Cambodian butterflies, which revenue generated by tourist admissions provides support for local poverty alleviation and conservation projects.

Time: 8:00 am - 3:00 pm or 4:00 pm
Departure: Daily
Inclusion: Transfer and entry fees

ANGKOR CENTER FOR CONSERVATION OF BIODIVERSITY (ACCB)

Visit the first nature conservation and endangered wildlife rescue and breeding centre in Cambodia, aims to contribute to the conservation of wildlife and biodiversity in Cambodia. During the tour you can see a variety of our animals and learn first-hand about their efforts to save Cambodia's wildlife.

Opening Hours: Monday – Saturday,
9:00 am - 13:00 pm
Distance: Approximately 1 hour
by car
Inclusion: Transfer and entry fees



PHARE, THE CAMBODIAN CIRCUS - SEAT A

More than just a circus, Phare performers use theater, music, dance and modern circus arts to tell uniquely Cambodian stories; historical, folk and modern. The young circus artists will astonish you with their energy, emotion, enthusiasm and talent, making Phare Circus the top-rated modern cultural performance in Siem Reap.

Show Time: Daily, 8:00 pm
(show lasts 1-hour)

Distance: Approximately 10 minutes
by Tuk Tuk

Inclusion: Transfer and Ticket (seat A)





Beyond The Temples



KOMPONG PHLUK & THE FLOODED FOREST

Watch the colours of the sky transform, and the sun sink into an inspired journey through the floodplain of Tonle Sap Lake and witness the incredible stilted houses of Kompong Phluk. Relax as you take in the sights and sounds of these delightfully different abodes, drifting past fisherman, boat makers, schools, markets and throngs of waving children.

A local guide is on hand to provide valuable insights into the culture, lifestyle and ecosystem of the authentic villages. The landscape alters dramatically between wet and dry seasons where the lake rises almost to the door of the houses or the stilted houses tower over you; up to six meters above the water line.

Following your time at Kompong Phluk, you'll float your way to the flooded forest, where you'll glide through a labyrinth of submerged tree where the only sounds you'll hear are the rhythmic paddle of the oars and an almost otherworldly experience.

Duration: 3 to 4 hours
Departure: Daily
Inclusion: Transfer, boat ticket, boat tax and guide



MECHREY FLOATING VILLAGE

Escape the crowd and visit one of the main attractions, Mechrey Floating Village. Our local guide will escort you with a boat cruises around the village to witness the unique way of life of the Cambodian people on land and water. The village offers a medium ride through beautiful rural villages, passing stilt houses, meeting a lot of encounters, and having plenty of stops to take photos of daily life animated by farming activities.

Visitors can also visit a mall floating souvenir shop, the crocodiles, and active Buddhism pagoda.

It is also recommended to bring a small donation or purchase handicrafts from the villagers to support their community.

The picturesque surroundings make it a must-visit destination for adventurous travelers seeking an authentic cultural experience in Cambodia.

Duration: 3 to 4 hours

Departure: Daily

Inclusion: Transfer, boat ticket, boat tax and guide

SUNSET AT CHONG KHNEAS

Relax and take in the stunning nature beauty of Tonle Sap Lake as we navigate our way through floating houses, markets, villages and schools. Meet some of the lake's more unusual residents with a tour to a fish and crocodile farm and learn about man's influence on the lake with a visit to the Gecko Environmental Education Centre. As the light begins to fade, watch the sun sprawl across the horizon while enjoying a mouth-watering Asian tapas selection, and chilled beers.

Time: 3:00 pm - 6:30 pm

Departure: Daily

Inclusion: Transfer, boat ticket, boat tax and guide



KOMPONG KHLEANG

Cherish quiet seclusion and take the road less travelled with a voyage to this remote village. Discover quite floating village and towering home on stilts. Meet the student and teacher at the floating school and hand out on valued school surpluses. Enjoy the cool breeze off the largest fresh water lake in southeast Asian and gaze in amazement at the stunning variety of bird life in this complex eco system.

Duration: 4 hours

Departure: Daily

Inclusion: Transfer, boat ticket, boat tax, and guide



Vespa Tour



ANGKOR TOUR

Avoid crowded vehicles and large groups of tourists as we unveil the secrets of Angkor from a different perspective. Traverse the most beautiful and amazing temples of Angkor and discover hidden gems with the wind rushing through your hair and an experienced driver guiding the way. After visiting the temples, dive deeper into Cambodian culture by visiting and interacting with local craft villages.

Time: 8:00 am - 4:30 pm
Departure: Daily
Inclusion: Driver, entry fees, guide, helmet, raincoat, lunch and drinks



COUNTRYSIDE TOUR

An activity packed day gives up close insights into many aspects of the extraordinary life in Cambodia. See behind the scenes how sugar palm juice is made. Savour a delicious snack from a roadside stall. Have a spiritual blessing or have your fortune told Khmer style. Settle in for a satisfying picnic at a secluded spot for a satisfying local lunch. Truly soak up the countryside surrounding and let your hair down.

Time: 8:00 am - 4:30 pm
Departure: Daily
Inclusion: Driver, guide, helmet, raincoat, lunch and drink

FOODIE TOUR

Take a trip downtown for an experiential foodie adventure that you won't forget. Start off with some "Lot Cha" then savour delicious Cambodian pancake, spring rolls, and tofu from our local restaurant, where serving dishes they have perfected overtime, made using recipes passed through generations. Also get to taste the Khmer Noodles, known as Num Banh Chok, which is featured in a popular Cambodian folk legend about an influential revolutionary and scholar Thonchey.

End with a walking through the local night market, where you can face your fear and try some bugs, learn about the local cuisine then arrive at the last stop at Asana Bar for a couple glasses of Khmer

cocktail that contains at least three or more Cambodian ingredients from the country's array of spices, herbs, roots, and fruit.

Time: 5:30 pm - 9:30pm
Departure: Daily
Inclusion: Driver, guide, helmet, raincoat, all food and drinks



Jungle and Local Immersion

BIKING

Hit the road with a guided bike tour and discover the nature beauty of Cambodia. The area's relatively flat terrain makes riding a breeze for anyone that can ride a bike.

ORIGINAL ANGKOR TEMPLE (6 HOURS)

Escape the crowds, the busy roads and the well-worn trail as we cycle the small tracks and minor roads to see a different side the Angkor temples with a guided tour of the most intriguing of the major sites. We visit Ta Prohm, The Elephant Terrace and Bayon, along with a couple of lesser known sites.



PADALS AND PADDLES (8 HOURS)

Enjoy a mix of cycling through the picturesque Siem Reap countryside and kayaking through the floating village of Tonle Sap. Discover the key to the Angkor Kingdom's agriculture prosperity, paddle through a small floating community and learn about daily village life and its challenges with our NGO partner HUSK.



SIEM REAP COUNTRYSIDE RIDE (5 HOURS)

Escape for a day of exploration beyond the temples and join us for an easy ride through the Siem Reap countryside. Pedal your way across quiet trails, through rice fields and small village. Learn about daily village life, enjoy some delicious local snacks and connect with the real Cambodia.

Quad Biking

SUNSET ADVENTURE (2 HOURS)

As the day's heat begins to subside we head through the pristine countryside immediately surrounding Siem Reap, passing through lotus ponds to catch the sun slipping over the horizon and painting the sky.

TOUGH RIDER (4 HOURS)

This 21-kilometer circuit takes us along quiet trails through rice paddies and traditional villages to the peaceful and often overlooked Athwea pagoda.

ULTIMATE DISCOVERY(8 HOURS)

Explore further with this 45-kilometer journey through the countryside to the south of Siem Reap. Experience an unforgettable journey riding the back trails through iconic ruins and lands.



HORSE RIDING

From sunrise to sunset, horses will take you on a journey to places that are otherwise unreachable. With placid ponies for beginners through the lively geldings for advanced riders, we are able to customize the perfect tour for your needs and ability level.

TEMPLE RIDE (3 HOURS)

Weave through hidden trails and small farming communities, schools, villages and a deserted Angkor-era temple. See monks, waving school children and other glimpses of typical village life in the Cambodian countryside.

COUNTRYSIDE AND VILLAGE RIDE (2 HOURS)

Peaceful Villages and scenic rice fields form the backdrop as you cycle through the countryside for an authentic taste of Khmer lifestyle. Observe local craftsmen, farmers tending their crops and see the real Cambodia on horseback.

Jeep Tours

PROGRESSIVE TEMPLE CIRCUIT

Immerse yourself into the ancient religion of Buddhism with a visit to a monastery, complete with a monk blessing, on this tour of three beautiful and secluded temple sites. Our first stop in West Baray is a beautiful rice paddy, overlooked by a Buddhist monastery. The two temples featured in the itinerary are excluded from most regular tour and guide and are located in the middle of the jungle with access only possible through an exotic road crossing the jungle. Combine your tour with a picnic Breakfast or lunch at Baray for a truly enchanting experience.

Duration: 3 hours - 4 hours
Departure: Daily
Inclusion: Jeep with driver, guide and temple entrance fees

SUNSET JEEP TOUR

Venture off the beaten track and explore the rugged natural beauty of Cambodia by vintage jeep. Power through terrain that is only accessible in a 4+4 vehicle. Travel through remote villages, past verdant rice paddies and along deserted routes. Admire sunset painting the sky above lush rural countryside, roaming free on a journey of wild romance.

Duration: 3 hours - 4 hours
Departure: Daily
Inclusion: Jeep with driver and guide



Angkor Golf Resort

The Sir Nick Faldo designed Angkor Golf Resort opened in January 2008. It is without doubt the finest golf course in Cambodia, and any keen golfer visiting Siem Reap should play at least one round here.

A challenging but fair layout, always presented in immaculate condition. A variety of tee-boxes ensure players of different abilities enjoy their game, strategically placed bunkers and water hazards will keep you thinking throughout your round.

Facilities: Driving range (grass), club hire, shoe hire, golf shop, putting green, changing rooms (Additional charges may apply).

Location: 5 kilometers west of Siem Reap

Inclusion: Caddy, Golf Club, Golf Shoe and green fees.



Angkor Zip-Line Tour

A shriek echoes across the towering trees of old growth forest as a family of primates mark their territory with a song. Join their chorus as you fly across the jungle canopy with this award-winning zipline adventure. Crisscrossing the jungle, you'll be rewarded with exhilarating views of the surrounding area as you traverse the treetops by zipline and suspended bridges.

Enjoy the amazing attraction with confident, knowing that every group is paired with professional sky ranger guides. These trained professionals are on hand, both to ensure your safe and to provide insights into the wildlife, flowers and fauna along the course.

Duration: 6 Hours

Inclusion: Angkor Entry,
Transport, Meal and Water



Signature Experience

TEMPLE RUNNING EXPERIENCE

Nestled amongst the stunning scenery of Angkor’s “City of Temples”, immerse yourself in history while discovering the world’s most unique running track. Challenge yourself whilst soaking up the serenity and majesty of this spectacular UNESCO World Heritage Site. Across the journey, you’ll find inspiration as you discover some of the park’s most significant historical sites, starting and ending your journey at Angkor Wat.

Weather you aim to beat your records in the 42km Classic Angkor or Challenging

21km Half Marathon and 10km Road Race, you’re sure to find a route perfectly suited to you.

Assisting your journey, your personal tuk tuk will guide your way, providing ample hydration and healthy snacks so you can soak in all the surrounding beauty. Hit the road and find out why Cambodia is such a fantastic destination of travellers who won’t settle for the ordinary.

Inclusion: private tuk tuk, temple passes, energy drink, towels, water bottles and a healthy breakfast box with fruits

AUTHENTIC MONK BLESSING CEREMONY

Experience the beauty and tradition of an authentic Buddhist monk water blessing ceremony. Wander around the monastery and converse with monks before receiving your personal blessing from one of the monks. Option to choose from whether to receive your water blessing by sprinkling water or via a ceremonial bath. This experience is undertaken at Phnom Krom located 12 kilometers southwest of Siem Reap town. It is believed that this traditional monk blessing ceremony wards-off bad luck and brings you success and prosperity. A real soul enriching experience.

Your expert tour guide will provide you with all the details of the monastery and Khmer cultures thus giving you a deeper insight into understanding of

local cultures and traditions. Continue your journey to the Angkorian temple that stands atop Phnom Krom, an Hindu temple originally built in the 9th century, during the reign of King Yasovarman. The temple has three towers, each dedicated to a Hindu god. The southern tower is dedicated to Brahma, the central tower to Shiva, and the northern to Vishnu.

Duration: 3 hours – 4 hours

Inclusion: Private Transportation, English Guide, Temple Pass, Monk Donation and Monk Gift.

*In case you decide on the ceremonial bath let us know in advance and we can lend you a sarong alternatively you can carry a change of clothes.



Trekking

KULEN MOUNTAIN

Enjoy the thrill of a trek to the sacred mountain of Kulen, birthplace of the Khmer Empire. Considered a holy mountain in Cambodia, it is a place of religious significance and pilgrimage for both Buddhists and Hindus alike.

Leave the crowds of the main Angkor complex behind and feel the wild rush across your face as you pass through quaint countryside and rice fields before you reach the Kulen range. Wander through the jungle. Admire the thousands of linga carvings under the water stream. Cool off under the spectacular cascades of the waterfall. Gaze in wonder at the 16th century statue of a grand reclining Buddha.

Duration: 7:00 am - 4:00 pm

Departure: Daily

Inclusion: Transport, motorbike, guide and Kulen Mountain entrance fee



Siem Reap Province, Cambodia



