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If so, the bus and train stations are located in the city centre and you should have no problems when you arrive. Make sure to print out address your hotel or Air Bnb (in Vietnamese and English) or have a screenshot on your phone in case you need help. What can you do in Hanoi Below are my top 9 recommendations for things to do in Hanoi. As I mentioned earlier, popular areas are all next to each other and you can do everything on this list in 1 or 2 days. Walk around Lake Hoan Kiem - In the centre of the Old Quarter is Lake Joan Kiem, a beautiful and charming lake with amazing views. Head here to avoid the hustle and bustle of the city, especially on weekends when they run across the streets for cars and it's just pedestrians. Get lost in the Old Quarter - As I have said a lot already, the Old Quarter, where all the magic happens in the city. It's noisy from all the honking horns, and motorcycle traffic is always heavy, but I suggest walking around to discover tons of restaurants, bars, cafes, clubs and all around good vibes. The old quarter is a collection of about 36 streets that all specialize in selling something (e.g. jewelry, pillows, shirts, baskets, toys, shoes, sunglasses, etc.). Every time I wandered the streets, I found another hidden gem. Make sure to check in St. Joseph's Cathedral, a church that has been there since the late 1886s. It is a popular attraction and meeting place in the city. Go to the Weekend Night Market - Only on weekends is the night market on the city's main street - I forgot the street name, but you can't miss it. Starting around 7pm and going until about midnight, you'll find hundreds of mini-sellers side by side in tents selling everything from shirts to Bluetooth speakers to lamps. These are all fake products, but really CHEAP and you can haggle over everything. Normally, don't buy it until you know down the price of 50% of what they offer you. Take a motorcycle taxi - If you see an old man cooling on top of this motorcycle on the sidewalk, he will most likely driver and will lead you anywhere around the city if you ask him. You can also use the Grab or Uber apps to order a motorcycle taxi. It's cheap, and a great way to feel local! Note - You can get a mask to avoid sniffing all the pairs outside. Fine Food in Tay Ho - As I briefly touched on earlier, Tay Ho is an area where all expats live (which are 80% of English teachers). If you are looking for a nicer meal, or foreign food, then head there! It's about a 10 minute drive from the Old Block and it's halfway between the airport and the Old Block. Drink beer on Ta Hien Street - Also known as Beer Street, Ta Hien Street is a place to party on any night of the week. In this area, everyone sits outside on small chairs, drinking beer and eating a barbecue with their friends before heading off clubs until the early hours of the morning. Morning, local beer and wander around Ta Hien to see street artists and all around happiness! Visit museums - Hanoi has many museums scattered throughout the city. I'm not really a museum man myself, (and admittedly there was none in Hanoi), but if you're in museums, check out the Hoa Lo Prison, Ho Chi Minh City Museum and Museum of Fine Arts. I hear they're great. Go to the water puppet show - the stupidest recommendation in all of this blog is the water puppet show at the Thang Long Water Pupper Theatre. For one reason or another, it is a huge tourist attraction. Basically, you pay \$5 to enter a small theater and see a classic puppet show in the water that consists of strange instruments, and an even more unfamiliar play that is entirely conducted in Vietnamese. Bring a beer and get ready to laugh. Venture to Snake Village (Le Mat) - For all you enterprising people out there, there is a village about 7 miles northeast of Hanoi called Le Mat, which specializes in selling snakes. Many restaurants throughout the city will serve the snake at your table. When you go inside, they let you choose which snake you want out of the cage (while he is still alive) and then they kill him at the table before cooking it in the back. They serve the snake in about a dozen gourmet dishes such as roast, soup and fried. Watch this video to get a better idea of what I'm talking about. I ate a snake in Vietnam, but there's more... WARNING: If you are a vegetarian, or easily feel uncomfortable, please skip this video. A few days ago, I ventured out of Snake Village #Hanoi, for an interesting and cultural experience. I'm a fan of trying everything the locals eat (anywhere) - but it was one of the wildest dishes of my life. Will you ever try to eat a snake? Thanks to my Vietnamese friends for helping me film this video Bui Ngoc Thieu Minh Tuan Thế Anh Music: Ben Sound posted by Drew Binsky on Sunday, March 26, 2017 ——— Things to Eat in Hanoi Pho - The most classic Vietnamese dish, and the one that is growing in popularity worldwide, is Ph. It consists of rice noodles with beef or chicken, onion, garlic and cilantro in sour and delicious broth. The best fo in Hanoi is in a place called GIA TRUYAN at 49 Bath An, Cửa Ang, Hoan Kiem - but it's only open from 6-10pm every night. You can't miss it because the line will be wrapped around the street. Banh Mi - This is a Vietnamese-style sandwich made on a French baguette and loaded with tons of vegetables, meat and Vietnamese spices. Best Banh Mi Place is located at 38 Dinh Lyth Street and has a giant blue sign in front called Banh Mi Pho Co. It is located next to the main square about 20 meters from the Aldo sign. Boone Cha is a specialty of Hanoi, the cha bun is served only in the North and it's my favorite dish in town. It's This. grilled meatballs and served in soup along with rice noodles and tons of green vegetables and cilantro. The best cha bun is in a place called Ben Chả Hang Muench on Hang Man Street. Look for a large red sign and a 3rd building. Spring rolls - Vietnamese spring rolls are made from vegetables mixed with shrimp or chicken, and either fried in plenty of butter, or served more health, wrapped in rice paper. I prefer one wrapped in rice paper - make sure to dip it in peanut sauce! Egg Coffee - Hanoi is very famous for egg coffee and it is known to be an original recipe in Vietnam. I know it sounds rude, but it's really delicious! It's just a coffee with a raw egg mixed on top, and tastes more like yogurt or custard than anything else. You can get it hot or cold (hot better) and make sure to mix it with a spoon before drinking. There are places for egg coffee all over Hanoi, but the best and original place is called GIANG CAF - you have to go here because it's incredible. The building and recipe hasn't changed since 1939 and it's quite touristy inside because everyone knows how great it is. Sugar cane juice - You can find sugar juice from a street vendor as cheap as \$0.30. While you can find it all over Southeast Asia, the one in Hanoi is sweet and delicious and you should try it! Fruit Juice - As Vietnam is a tropical country, fruit is as fresh as it gets. The best fruit stand is on Bat Dan Street - it's open very late! Pho - Yes, this is the second time I tell you there is a pho because it's just that DAMN GOOD! The best day trips from Hanoi You can book all tours to any travel agency in Hanoi (there are literally hundreds of travel agencies on the streets of Hanoi). There is no need to book any of these tours in advance before visiting Hanoi as there is always availability even during peak season. Most tours are all-inclusive, meaning you will pay one fee that will cover all transportation costs, accommodation and meals. Additional activities will be at their own expense. Below are the best day trips around Hanoi. Ninh Binh - Ninh Binh - a small quaint town just 50 miles south of Hanoi. It is best known for its topography and stunning landscape, which is comparable to Ha Long Bay on high mountains, caves and greenery. The best way to capture its beauty is to take a boat ride along the river. Ninh Binh is only about an hour's drive each way, making it the most convenient day trip from Hanoi. Day tours at Ninh Binh range from \$10 to \$40. HA Long Bay - Ha Long Bay is the main reason why people visit Vietnam. It's the Grand Canyon or The Niagara Falls of Vietnam, and it just can't be missed on any trip Viet Nam. It's one of the best manifestations of nature I've ever seen in my life. You can take either a day trip or a 2-3-day trip Hanoi (I recommend taking a 2 day trip). It's about four hours drive each way from Hanoi. If you take a 2 day trip, you will sleep all night on the boat and wake up to the best sunrise you have ever seen. A day trip to Ha Long Bay is about \$40, and two day trips is about \$80. Sapa Valley - Sapa Valley is my favorite place to visit in Vietnam outside Hanoi. It's a bit far away to make a day trip (7 hours one way by sleeping bus) so you'll probably have to spend the night in the village or family. Sapa is famous for its green countryside and rice terraces, which are located next to steep hills. Most tourists come here for trekking (half a day, full day or 2 days), where you will visit several villages and see how people live their lives in happiness without materialistic goods. It'll take you back in time. The locals who live there are part of the Hmong tribe - they speak their dialect and look physically different than the people in Hanoi. It's a really great experience and I couldn't recommend it anymore! The nightlife in Hanoi Hanoi isn't as crazy about a party city as Bangkok, Bali or even Ho Chi Minh City - but there are some fun things to do at night. Most parties take place on Ta Hien Street (Beer Street), or in the scattered bars in Tai Ho. Here are some of my favorite places. Polite Pub - If you're looking for a cold night and live music, head over the Polite Pub. They have one of the best assortments of wine and cigars in Hanoi, and the atmosphere inside will keep you up all night long. Head there around 9pm so you can grab a table, otherwise it will be too crowded to get in. Club 1900 - One of the widest nightclubs in the city, and located right on Ta Hien Street. This place is crowded around 11pm and goes until 3-4am. Expect to hear loud EDM music and dance all night in this massive club. Also - don't be shocked if you see people doing whip it out of a helium balloon - they sell them in the back and they make you high like 5 seconds (I don't recommend it). Rooftop Bar- Located on the top floor of a business building, the rooftop bar may have the best view of the Old Block. It's a great meeting place with a DJ playing live music and it offers a good selection of cocktails and food (you can go to dinner and then stay all night to the party). You can't miss this place in Hanoi! Final thoughts, as you can probably say from reading this post, I am obsessed with Hanoi, and I have a deep love for the city. I hope that reading this post has given you a better understanding of what to expect when you visit. If you have any further questions about Hanoi, please contact me and I will come back to you! Don't forget to find and book hotels in Hanoi here ☺ Travell! January 3, 2019, 20182 May 201812 May 201812 May 20181813 April 2018 2018

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If so, the bus and train stations are located in the city centre and you should have no problems when you arrive. Make sure to print out address your hotel or Air Bnb (in Vietnamese and English) or have a screenshot on your phone in case you need help. What can you do in Hanoi Below are my top 9 recommendations for things to do in Hanoi. As I mentioned earlier, popular areas are all next to each other and you can do everything on this list in 1 or 2 days. Walk around Lake Hoan Kiem - In the centre of the Old Quarter is Lake Joan Kiem, a beautiful and charming lake with amazing views. Head here to avoid the hustle and bustle of the city, especially on weekends when they run across the streets for cars and it's just pedestrians. Get lost in the Old Quarter - As I have said a lot already, the Old Quarter, where all the magic happens in the city. It's noisy from all the honking horns, and motorcycle traffic is always heavy, but I suggest walking around to discover tons of restaurants, bars, cafes, clubs and all around good vibes. The old quarter is a collection of about 36 streets that all specialize in selling something (e.g. jewelry, pillows, shirts, baskets, toys, shoes, sunglasses, etc.). Every time I wandered the streets, I found another hidden gem. Make sure to check in St. Joseph's Cathedral, a church that has been there since the late 1886s. It is a popular attraction and meeting place in the city. Go to the Weekend Night Market - Only on weekends is the night market on the city's main street - I forgot the street name, but you can't miss it. Starting around 7pm and going until about midnight, you'll find hundreds of mini-sellers side by side in tents selling everything from shirts to Bluetooth speakers to lamps. These are all fake products, but really CHEAP and you can haggle over everything. Normally, don't buy it until you know down the price of 50% of what they offer you. Take a motorcycle taxi - If you see an old man cooling on top of this motorcycle on the sidewalk, he will most likely driver and will lead you anywhere around the city if you ask him. You can also use the Grab or Uber apps to order a motorcycle taxi. It's cheap, and a great way to feel local! Note - You can get a mask to avoid sniffing all the pairs outside. Fine Food in Tay Ho - As I briefly touched on earlier, Tay Ho is an area where all expats live (which are 80% of English teachers). If you are looking for a nicer meal, or foreign food, then head there! It's about a 10 minute drive from the Old Block and it's halfway between the airport and the Old Block. Drink beer on Ta Hien Street - Also known as Beer Street, Ta Hien Street is a place to party on any night of the week. In this area, everyone sits outside on small chairs, drinking beer and eating a barbecue with their friends before heading off clubs until the early hours of the morning. Morning, local beer and wander around Ta Hien to see street artists and all around happiness! Visit museums - Hanoi has many museums scattered throughout the city. I'm not really a museum man myself, (and admittedly there was none in Hanoi), but if you're in museums, check out the Hoa Lo Prison, Ho Chi Minh City Museum and Museum of Fine Arts. I hear they're great. Go to the water puppet show - the stupidest recommendation in all of this blog is the water puppet show at the Thang Long Water Pupper Theatre. For one reason or another, it is a huge tourist attraction. Basically, you pay \$5 to enter a small theater and see a classic puppet show in the water that consists of strange instruments, and an even more unfamiliar play that is entirely conducted in Vietnamese. Bring a beer and get ready to laugh. Venture to Snake Village (Le Mat) - For all you enterprising people out there, there is a village about 7 miles northeast of Hanoi called Le Mat, which specializes in selling snakes. Many restaurants throughout the city will serve the snake at your table. When you go inside, they let you choose which snake you want out of the cage (while he is still alive) and then they kill him at the table before cooking it in the back. They serve the snake in about a dozen gourmet dishes such as roast, soup and fried. Watch this video to get a better idea of what I'm talking about. I ate a snake in Vietnam, but there's more... WARNING: If you are a vegetarian, or easily feel uncomfortable, please skip this video. A few days ago, I ventured out of Snake Village #Hanoi, for an interesting and cultural experience. I'm a fan of trying everything the locals eat (anywhere) - but it was one of the wildest dishes of my life. Will you ever try to eat a snake? Thanks to my Vietnamese friends for helping me film this video Bui Ngoc Thieu Minh Tuan Thế Anh Music: Ben Sound posted by Drew Binsky on Sunday, March 26, 2017 ——— Things to Eat in Hanoi Pho - The most classic Vietnamese dish, and the one that is growing in popularity worldwide, is Ph. It consists of rice noodles with beef or chicken, onion, garlic and cilantro in sour and delicious broth. The best fo in Hanoi is in a place called GIA TRUYAN at 49 Bath An, Cửa Ang, Hoan Kiem - but it's only open from 6-10pm every night. You can't miss it because the line will be wrapped around the street. Banh Mi - This is a Vietnamese-style sandwich made on a French baguette and loaded with tons of vegetables, meat and Vietnamese spices. Best Banh Mi Place is located at 38 Dinh Lyth Street and has a giant blue sign in front called Banh Mi Pho Co. It is located next to the main square about 20 meters from the Aldo sign. Boone Cha is a specialty of Hanoi, the cha bun is served only in the North and it's my favorite dish in town. It's This. grilled meatballs and served in soup along with rice noodles and tons of green vegetables and cilantro. The best cha bun is in a place called Ben Chả Hang Muench on Hang Man Street. Look for a large red sign and a 3rd building. Spring rolls - Vietnamese spring rolls are made from vegetables mixed with shrimp or chicken, and either fried in plenty of butter, or served more health, wrapped in rice paper. I prefer one wrapped in rice paper - make sure to dip it in peanut sauce! Egg Coffee - Hanoi is very famous for egg coffee and it is known to be an original recipe in Vietnam. I know it sounds rude, but it's really delicious! It's just a coffee with a raw egg mixed on top, and tastes more like yogurt or custard than anything else. You can get it hot or cold (hot better) and make sure to mix it with a spoon before drinking. There are places for egg coffee all over Hanoi, but the best and original place is called GIANG CAF - you have to go here because it's incredible. The building and recipe hasn't changed since 1939 and it's quite touristy inside because everyone knows how great it is. Sugar cane juice - You can find sugar juice from a street vendor as cheap as \$0.30. While you can find it all over Southeast Asia, the one in Hanoi is sweet and delicious and you should try it! Fruit Juice - As Vietnam is a tropical country, fruit is as fresh as it gets. The best fruit stand is on Bat Dan Street - it's open very late! Pho - Yes, this is the second time I tell you there is a pho because it's just that DAMN GOOD! The best day trips from Hanoi You can book all tours to any travel agency in Hanoi (there are literally hundreds of travel agencies on the streets of Hanoi). There is no need to book any of these tours in advance before visiting Hanoi as there is always availability even during peak season. Most tours are all-inclusive, meaning you will pay one fee that will cover all transportation costs, accommodation and meals. Additional activities will be at their own expense. Below are the best day trips around Hanoi. Ninh Binh - Ninh Binh - a small quaint town just 50 miles south of Hanoi. It is best known for its topography and stunning landscape, which is comparable to Ha Long Bay on high mountains, caves and greenery. The best way to capture its beauty is to take a boat ride along the river. Ninh Binh is only about an hour's drive each way, making it the most convenient day trip from Hanoi. Day tours at Ninh Binh range from \$10 to \$40. HA Long Bay - Ha Long Bay is the main reason why people visit Vietnam. It's the Grand Canyon or The Niagara Falls of Vietnam, and it just can't be missed on any trip Viet Nam. It's one of the best manifestations of nature I've ever seen in my life. You can take either a day trip or a 2-3-day trip Hanoi (I recommend taking a 2 day trip). It's about four hours drive each way from Hanoi. If you take a 2 day trip, you will sleep all night on the boat and wake up to the best sunrise you have ever seen. A day trip to Ha Long Bay is about \$40, and two day trips is about \$80. Sapa Valley - Sapa Valley is my favorite place to visit in Vietnam outside Hanoi. It's a bit far away to make a day trip (7 hours one way by sleeping bus) so you'll probably have to spend the night in the village or family. Sapa is famous for its green countryside and rice terraces, which are located next to steep hills. Most tourists come here for trekking (half a day, full day or 2 days), where you will visit several villages and see how people live their lives in happiness without materialistic goods. It'll take you back in time. The locals who live there are part of the Hmong tribe - they speak their dialect and look physically different than the people in Hanoi. It's a really great experience and I couldn't recommend it anymore! The nightlife in Hanoi Hanoi isn't as crazy about a party city as Bangkok, Bali or even Ho Chi Minh City - but there are some fun things to do at night. Most parties take place on Ta Hien Street (Beer Street), or in the scattered bars in Tai Ho. Here are some of my favorite places. Polite Pub - If you're looking for a cold night and live music, head over the Polite Pub. They have one of the best assortments of wine and cigars in Hanoi, and the atmosphere inside will keep you up all night long. Head there around 9pm so you can grab a table, otherwise it will be too crowded to get in. Club 1900 - One of the widest nightclubs in the city, and located right on Ta Hien Street. This place is crowded around 11pm and goes until 3-4am. Expect to hear loud EDM music and dance all night in this massive club. Also - don't be shocked if you see people doing whip it out of a helium balloon - they sell them in the back and they make you high like 5 seconds (I don't recommend it). Rooftop Bar- Located on the top floor of a business building, the rooftop bar may have the best view of the Old Block. It's a great meeting place with a DJ playing live music and it offers a good selection of cocktails and food (you can go to dinner and then stay all night to the party). You can't miss this place in Hanoi! Final thoughts, as you can probably say from reading this post, I am obsessed with Hanoi, and I have a deep love for the city. I hope that reading this post has given you a better understanding of what to expect when you visit. If you have any further questions about Hanoi, please contact me and I will come back to you! Don't forget to find and book hotels in Hanoi here ☺ Travell! January 3, 2019, 20182 May 201812 May 201812 May 20181813 April 2018 2018

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