



Hong Kong to Singapore Christmas Cruise

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The Offer

Indulge in an unforgettable Christmas, then welcome 2027 with this 21-day Southeast Asia cruise package. Enjoy a city-stay in Hong Kong, China, before celebrating in style aboard Holland America Westerdam. Experience port calls in Vietnam, Cambodia and Thailand, then disembark in Singapore for another exciting city-stay.

Fly to Hong Kong for a three night city-stay at leisure, where you could sample authentic dim sum, see the panoramic views from Mount Victoria, ride the historic Star Ferry across Victoria Harbour, and more. Then, get ready to celebrate Christmas and New Year aboard a floating wonderland of festive decorations, gourmet dining and special Christmas events with Holland America's Westerdam.

Discover the serenity of Vietnam's UNESCO-listed Ha Long Bay, then Da Nang's gateway to historic Hue and Hoi An. Soak in the sun and the festive fun on Christmas Day while cruising the South China Sea towards the beautiful beaches of Nha Trang. Cruise to the port of Phu My, where Ho Chi Minh City awaits your discovery nearby.

Your journey continues to Cambodia's Sihanoukville for its white-sand beaches, nearby tropical islands and home to Wat Krom's sleeping Buddha statue. Enjoy an overnight port call in Thailand's Laem Chabang, offering easy access to the golden temples of the capital, Bangkok. Welcome the New Year onboard with a champagne toast under the stars, followed by a memorable New Year's Day in paradise on the beaches of Koh Samui. Finally, disembark in Singapore ready to be captivated by the futuristic Gardens by the Bay and must-try hawker street food before your flight home.

This 21-night cruise package includes return international full-service flights, a 14-night cruise with Holland America, three nights of 5-star accommodation in Hong Kong, two nights of 4-star accommodation in Singapore, 41 meals while cruising, and more.

Want more? Extend the adventure with Arrive Early in Hong Kong or Singapore Stay Behind options.

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The Itinerary

Day 1 Australia (or New Zealand) - Hong Kong, China

Today, depart Australia (or New Zealand) for Hong Kong. Upon arrival, make your own way to the hotel and enjoy the rest of your day at leisure.

Please note:

- Some travellers may depart on Day 0.
- Some travellers may arrive late evening on Day 1.
- Flights are not guaranteed to be direct from your departure city to Hong Kong.

Optional Upgrade: Private Vehicle Transfer - Airport to Hotel

Add a private vehicle transfer from the airport to your hotel. After clearing customs & collecting your luggage, meet your driver in the arrivals terminal and transfer to your hotel. Please see current pricing in Important Information.

Please note: This optional upgrade can't be booked when an Arrive Early has been organised.

Overnight: New World Millennium Hong Kong Hotel or similar, Hong Kong, China
Meals included: In-Flight

Day 2 Hong Kong - Free Day

Enjoy a day at leisure in Hong Kong.

Among the world's most glamorous and cosmopolitan cities, Hong Kong sits on the southern coast of China at the Pearl River estuary of the South China Sea. It comprises Hong Kong Island, where the Central Business District and some of the most affluent areas and attractions are, as well as the mainland, Kowloon and the New Territories.

Hong Kong is a regional and global hub for banking, shipping, fashion and food, boasting more than 60 Michelin-starred restaurants. Its five-star hotels are among the most elegant to be found in the world; many are set in the towering skyscrapers that carpet Hong Kong Island's steep slopes and light up its skyline so beautifully.

Officially known as Hong Kong Special Administrative Region of the People's Republic of China, Hong Kong maintains a high degree of autonomy relative to the rest of China, even after it was reunified with China in 1997 after 156 years of British rule ended. It's definitely a great city in which to spend a day or two sightseeing and finding cultural things to do before your voyage.

Overnight: New World Millennium Hong Kong Hotel or similar, Hong Kong, China
Meals included: None

Day 3 Hong Kong - Free Day

Enjoy a day at leisure in Hong Kong where this vibrant, buzzing metropolis is filled with history, culture and futuristic feats unlike any other city in the world. Tradition and innovation exist side by side here. You'll see it in the city's dazzling skyline, stately dragon boats, abundance of museums and acclaimed food scene. Before your cruise from Hong Kong, why not pay a visit to the massive Tian Tan Buddha, which towers at over 34 metres tall. Savour delicious noodles and other tempting bites at the Temple Street Night Market or set sail on a harbour cruise for unbeatable views of Hong Kong's iconic skyline.



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Overnight: New World Millennium Hong Kong Hotel or similar, Hong Kong, China

Meals included: None

Day 4 Hong Kong - Begin 14-Night Far East Discovery Christmas & New Year Cruise

Depart: 17:00

At the appropriate time, make your way to the cruise terminal to begin the check in procedure. Once onboard, get settled into your cabin, find your bearings and relax as you set sail from Hong Kong.

Overnight: Holland America's Westerdam

Meals included: Dinner

Day 5 Cruising

Enjoy a day at sea as you cruise to your next destination.

Overnight: Holland America's Westerdam

Meals included: Breakfast; Lunch; Dinner

Day 6 Ha Long Bay, Vietnam

Arrive: 07:00 - **Depart:** 21:00

Vietnam's Ha Long Bay is fast climbing to the top of many travellers' must-see lists in Asia. It's like a combination of Thailand's famous limestone islanded Phang Nga Bay and old Hong Kong's harbour with its dragon-sailed junks. The bay and its almost two thousand islands were declared a UNESCO World Heritage Site in 1994, giving an official stamp of recognition to this natural wonder that has captivated painters and poets for centuries.

Ha Long City offers up several markets and restaurants, and is also a convenient base before setting out for places like Cat Ba Island and some of the smaller islets with their underground caves and biodiverse wildlife. As you sail the bay or look at it from the mainland, you may feel like you've stepped into a postcard or a painting from the classic era of Vietnamese art.

Overnight: Holland America's Westerdam

Meals included: Breakfast; Lunch; Dinner

Day 7 Cruising

Enjoy a day at sea as you cruise to your next destination.

Overnight: Holland America's Westerdam

Meals included: Breakfast; Lunch; Dinner

Day 8 Da Nang (for Hue), Vietnam

Located halfway between Hanoi and Ho Chi Minh City, the port city of Da Nang has a small-town charm despite its lack of big-ticket attractions. It is home to a stunning 30-kilometre coastline that is popular for water sports such as waterskiing, paddle boarding and surfing. It's also known for its great street food, and an extremely quirky bridge that you can't miss. The place was previously occupied by both the French and the Americans, where vestiges of both can be seen in the city's wide boulevards and old villas.

Da Nang is a great launchpad for day trips, whether to the picturesque city of Hoi An around 30 kilometres to the south, the old imperial capital of Hue 100 kilometres to the north, or the majestic Marble Mountains to the southwest. The UNESCO-protected Champa temple complex, My Son which is about 69 kilometres southwest of Da Nang, is definitely worth the trip, but





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for those who don't want to leave the urban environs, many of the ruins have ended up at Da Nang's excellent Museum of Cham Sculpture, where you can learn all about the history and architecture of this fascinating culture.

Overnight: Holland America's Westerdam

Meals included: Breakfast; Lunch; Dinner

Day 9 Cruising - Christmas Day

Enjoy the festival atmosphere and activities onboard as you cruise towards your next destination.

Overnight: Holland America's Westerdam

Meals included: Breakfast; Lunch; Dinner

Day 10 Nha Trang, Vietnam

Arrive: 07:00 - **Depart:** 15:00

In Nha Trang, on the mid-southern Vietnamese coast, you'll find a magical combination of historic sites along with a stunning beach. You can while away a day here soaking up the sun, sand and sea, alternating snorkelling or scuba diving sessions with naps in the shade, lulled to sleep by the sound of the surf. And while warm, clear waters and a white-sand beach dotted with restaurants and bars may be enough, the city offers historic sites that make it more than just a beach town.

Exploring Nha Trang beyond its beach brings you a better understanding of Vietnam as a whole, from long before the nation was formed through its colonial period. Work your way forward from Buddhist temples like the 7th- to 12th-century Po Nagar Cham Towers and the late-19th-century Long Son Pagoda, to the city's early-20th-century French Gothic-style cathedral.

By day's end, you'll likely find yourself drawn back to the water. Take a walk along the Hon Chong promontory, enjoying the view of the islands in Nha Trang Bay as you watch the sun melt into the sea.

Please note: This port is accessed by tender boats. Boarding and disembarking tender boats may involve steps and uneven surfaces. While cruise lines strive to provide ease of access, accessibility options can vary at different tender ports. Passengers with mobility concerns are encouraged to inquire about specific arrangements and consider their individual needs when participating in tendering activities.

Overnight: Holland America's Westerdam

Meals included: Breakfast; Lunch; Dinner

Day 11 Phu My, Vietnam

Arrive: 06:00 - **Depart:** 18:00

Phu My is your gateway to bustling Ho Chi Minh City approximately 80 kilometres from the port. Here, motorbikes hurtle down the wide streets and crossing the road is like a real-life game of Frogger. Its hectic pace is somewhat tempered by tranquil parks, peaceful pagodas and timeless alleyways.

Choose from one of Holland America's shore excursions, or make your own arrangements if you would like to go from Phu My to Ho Chi Minh City. Formerly known as Saigon, Ho Chi Minh City is a fascinating mix of high and low, old and new. On its streets, French-colonial architecture vies for attention with glistening modern skyscrapers; sleek designer malls sit alongside bustling local markets; and glamorous fine-dining restaurants are just around the corner from street-food stalls.

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The best way to explore the city is on foot. Most major tourist venues are in compact District 1, which is easy to get around. Or hop on the back of a xe om (motorbike taxi) to see the city like a local. Whatever you choose to do, you'll be swept along in the pulsating energy of it all.

Overnight: Holland America's Westerdam
Meals included: Breakfast; Lunch; Dinner

Day 12 Cruising

Enjoy a day at sea as you cruise to your next destination.

Overnight: Holland America's Westerdam
Meals included: Breakfast; Lunch; Dinner

Day 13 Sihanoukville, Cambodia

Arrive: 07:00 - **Depart:** 20:00

Cambodia's certainly most famous for the temples of Angkor, but travellers seeking to wander farther are flocking to the small-yet-bustling coastal town of Sihanoukville. Renamed in 1964 for King Norodom Sihanouk, this provincial port is home to some of the nation's most stunning coastline and a downtown that's a blend of local businesses and a lively expat scene centred on Serendipity Road. You'll find not one beach but several, each with its own personality: good for whether you want a relaxed day reading a novel or one full of activity, food and people-watching. Often described as what Thailand was like 20 years ago, this region is less touristy but still able to meet your expectations for a perfect beach getaway.

In Sihanoukville, you can take a guided snorkelling trip, kayak through mangrove forests, hike through a national park or horseback ride on the beach. If you are in the mood for less action, you could spend time exploring the local temples or shopping near the beach. Angkor's certainly amazing, but Sihanoukville might just be Cambodia's perfect still-secret stop.

Overnight: Holland America's Westerdam
Meals included: Breakfast; Lunch; Dinner

Day 14 Laem Chabang (for Bangkok), Thailand (Overnight)

Arrive: 12:00 - **Overnight**

Thailand, known as Siam until 1939, is the only country in Southeast Asia (and one of the few in the world) never to have been colonised by a European power. Its capital, Bangkok, reflects the country's unique status. It has embraced modernity on its own terms as the seat of a beloved monarchy that dates back to the 13th century. In this city, Buddhist temples and gilded palaces coexist with the bustle of one of Asia's major metropolises. The contrast between the golden glow of sunrise along the Chao Phraya River, which runs through the municipality, and the neon lights of downtown can feel intoxicating.

There are few places in the world where you can spend the morning visiting a centuries-old stupa, have lunch at one of the world's top Michelin-starred restaurants and then shop for exquisite silk garments. And wherever you explore, you'll be struck by the warm welcome you receive. "The Land of Smiles" may be a cliché and a tourism-marketing slogan, but it's also a fitting nickname for Thailand. Bangkok is located approximately 130 kilometres from the Laem Chabang port.

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You can book one of Holland America's shore excursions, or make your own arrangements from the port to the city. Whether you travel by boat, bus or tuk-tuk to explore Bangkok's temples, palaces and markets, be prepared to fall in love with this city that somehow manages to be both chaotic and captivating at the same time. Your ship docks here overnight so you can explore more of this destination.

Overnight: Holland America's Westerdam
Meals included: Breakfast; Lunch; Dinner

Day 15 Laem Chabang (for Bangkok), Thailand - New Years Eve
Depart: 18:00

Enjoy a second day docked in Laem Chabang to explore more.

Overnight: Holland America's Westerdam
Meals included: Breakfast; Lunch; Dinner

Day 16 Nathon (Koh Samui), Thailand - New Years Day
Arrive: 10:00 - Depart: 17:00

Koh Samui can feel like a screensaver landscape. As if designed by Mother Nature for posters, calendars and daydreams, it's one of Thailand's most famous islands for a number of reasons. The beach-fringed coast is edged with vivid blue water that's a playground for snorkeling, scuba diving, kayaking, building sandcastles and simply lounging. Along with busy food stalls and restaurants where you can find a whole world of cuisine made with local produce and fresh seafood as well as authentic Thai dishes, the lively streets are lined with bars, boutiques, markets and spas.

By contrast, the island's interior can provide moments of reflection and replenishing solitude. Enter the dense, hilly jungles for hikes to ancient temples and pristine waterfalls and quaint villages where you can experience true Thai hospitality. With dreamy landscapes and island adventures from boat excursions to nature treks, you'll soon be enchanted by Koh Samui.

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Overnight: Holland America's Westerdam
Meals included: Breakfast; Lunch; Dinner

Day 17 Cruising

Enjoy a day at sea as you cruise to your next destination.

Overnight: Holland America's Westerdam
Meals included: Breakfast; Lunch; Dinner

Day 18 Singapore - Disembark Cruise
Disembark: 07:00

Today, your cruise ends in Singapore. Once off the ship, make your own way to your hotel and enjoy the rest of your day at leisure.

Please note: Check in time for most hotels is approximately 15:00. Luggage storage is available at the hotel so you can drop your bags and explore the city until your room is prepared.

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Overnight: Village Hotel Bugis or similar, Singapore
Meals included: Breakfast

Day 19 Singapore

Enjoy a day at leisure in Singapore.

City-states are rare in the present day, and none are quite like Singapore. In the 20th century, the Southeast Asian nation hurtled itself into the modern world, and it continues to expand its state-of-the-art transportation system and build its edgy skyline. Yet Singapore's urban plan wisely maintained its intimate neighbourhoods, many with streets lined with colourful shophouses (a type of building unique to parts of Asia, with businesses located on their ground floors and residences above).

Add the city's mix of ethnic groups, mainly Malays, Chinese and Indians, and you get a vibrant cultural scene that attracts a cosmopolitan, international community. Singapore's food scene, arguably the world's most dynamic and runs the gamut from beloved street hawkers to Michelin-starred venues, would merit a trip alone, as would its never-ending shopping options. But the city is also packed with world-class museums, many designed by celebrated architects, and it hosts many major international events. Yet only about half of the 720-square-kilometre island is developed, which leaves plenty of room for parks and open spaces such as the Bukit Timah Nature Reserve, where an old-growth forest still thrives.

Overnight: Village Hotel Bugis or similar, Singapore
Meals included: None

Day 20 Singapore - Australia (or New Zealand)

Today, make your own way to the airport for your return flight to Australia.

Please note:

- *Standard check-out time is 12:00, luggage storage is available at the front desk for those with later flights.*
- *Some travellers may arrive back in Australia today, subject to flight departure times.*

Optional Activity: Private Vehicle Transfer - Hotel to Airport

Add a private vehicle transfer from your hotel to the airport. Meet your driver at your hotel and be transferred to the airport, ready to check in for your flight. Please see current pricing in Important Information.

Please note: This transfer cannot be booked when a stay behind is arranged.

Meals included: In-Flight

Day 21 Arrive in Australia (or New Zealand)



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Tour Inclusions

HIGHLIGHTS

- Explore Far East Asia by sea visiting Thailand, Vietnam, Cambodia and more
- Enjoy city stays in Hong Kong & Singapore before & after your cruise
- Celebrate the festive season in style aboard Holland America's Westerdam
- Discover the breathtaking limestone karsts of Vietnam's Halong Bay, a UNESCO World Heritage Site
- Dock overnight in Laem Chabang, your gateway to Bangkok
- Relax on the stunning beaches of Nha Trang and Koh Samui
- Explore the rich history and culture of Da Nang (Hue) in Vietnam and Sihanoukville in Cambodia.

FLIGHTS

- Return international full-service flights (economy class), surcharges may apply

CRUISE

- 14-night Far East Asia cruise aboard Holland America's Westerdam

HAVE IT ALL CRUISE UPGRADE

- Upgrade your cruise with Holland America's Have It All™ premium package for just \$85 per person, per night when you pre-book.
- Secure exceptional value and enjoy the below additional inclusions while cruising:
 - USD \$200 shore excursion credit per person
 - Signature beverage package with a selection of wine, beer, spirits, cocktails and more
 - 2-nights of specialty dining at an award-winning restaurant
 - Wi-Fi surf package

Please note: See the Important Information for full details.

ACCOMMODATION

- 3 nights of 5-star accommodation in Hong Kong
- 2 nights of 4-star accommodation in Singapore

DINING

- Enjoy 41 meals while cruising

ESSENTIALS

- Airline taxes and surcharges
- Cruise port taxes and surcharges

Important Information

**Please note: All information provided in this brochure is subject to both change and availability. Prior to purchase please check the current deal for up-to-date information. If you have already purchased this deal, the terms and conditions on your Purchase Confirmation apply and take precedence over the information in this brochure.*

Booking Information

After purchase, you will receive a receipt and a Purchase Confirmation, directing you to an online Passenger Information Form. You must complete the Passenger Information Form within 72 hours of purchase.

Any special requests, preferences and optional extras MUST be clearly stated in your Passenger Information Form. Any change requested after submitting your Passenger Information Form cannot be guaranteed, is strictly subject to availability and will incur surcharges as outlined in the Schedule of Fees below.

Please note: All countries and territories have different entry requirements in relation to vaccinations, quarantine/isolation periods and travel restrictions. Due to the evolving nature, we would ask all of our customers to monitor, meet and adhere to the specific requirements of their intended destination(s) in the lead-up to and immediately before travel, as well as any requirements post-travel upon their return.

Our Policies

Cancellation and Refund Policy

By placing a booking with us, you acknowledge the following important information:

- **we act as your booking agent;** TripADeal is a booking services provider, and curates the Travel Offers available on our website. We act as your booking agent, and we receive payment for the Booking Services as part of the booking price, however, we do not provide any of the Travel Services (flights, accommodation, tours or other products or services) included in your booking – the Travel Services are provided by a number of third party Travel Suppliers.

- **each booking is unique;** our Travel Offers are made up of a variety of different components and are, during the booking process, uniquely tailored to suit your requirements, for example, departure dates and ports, flight and room upgrades, tour inclusions, etc.

- **changes/modifications to your booking may not be possible;** once your booking has been made, changes or modifications may not be possible, and where possible, may incur a fee. It is important to ensure that the information you provide during the booking process is accurate and up to date, and that you read the Travel Offer carefully before placing your order.

- **Travel Offers are a package;** our Travel Offers have been curated into package offerings and must be used as a package – individual components cannot be used independently of the full package offering.

- **our Travel Offers are generally non-refundable;** in order to provide great value Travel Offers, we work with a variety of Travel Suppliers to find the best deals – this often means the Travel Suppliers' offerings are non-refundable to ensure the best price. We recommend that you obtain travel insurance as soon as you make a booking with us.

To read more about our Cancellation and Refund Policy, please [click here](#).

General Terms and Conditions

By placing your booking with us, you acknowledge and agree to our [Terms & Conditions](#), [Privacy Policy](#) and [Cancellation Policy](#).

Offer Essentials

This Travel Offer is valid for travel on the 17th December 2026

This Travel Offer is priced per person based on a twin share.

Departure Dates & Surcharges

See checkout for live dates and availability.

Single Traveller Supplement

For solo travellers, a mandatory single

supplement of applies.

Inside Cabin: \$3,250 per person

Oceanview Cabin (Obstructed View): \$3,300 per person

Oceanview Cabin (Unobstructed View): \$3,500 per person

Balcony Cabin (Unobstructed View): \$4,000 per person

Signature Suite: \$5,000 per person

Please note: Accommodation for single customers who are travelling on a tour or cruise package may be in a single room, depending on availability.

Child Policy

- No child discounts are offered. The full price applies to all children travelling with their parents.
- Valid for children 2 years old and over.

Please note: Children must be accompanied by a responsible adult 21 years old and over to travel. No unaccompanied minors are allowed.

Flights

Departure Cities

Sydney, Melbourne, Brisbane, *Adelaide, Perth, *Auckland

Departure City Surcharges

Adelaide: \$100 per person

Auckland: \$300 per person

International Flight(s)

Full-Service Airline(s)

- Cabin Class: Economy Class

Please note: We cannot accommodate one-way flights. Travellers must take all included flights within the package, and any flights intentionally forfeited will result in later flights being subject to cancellation.

Preferred Airline Surcharge

- Cabin Class: Economy Class
- Singapore Airlines: \$300 per person
- Cathay Pacific: \$200 per person

Please note:

- *Preferred airlines are subject to availability. If we are unable to fulfil your request, the above extra cost will be refunded.*

Important Information

- On any upgrade purchase, short-haul flights and domestic flight sectors are not guaranteed.
- In the event that a purchased stopover package and a purchased preferred airline upgrade are not compatible, you will have the option to receive a refund for the preferred airline upgrade or be offered an alternative stopover city option, e.g if you choose to fly with Singapore Airlines you cannot stopover in Dubai.
- Preferred airline refers to the marketing carrier and could include codeshare partners.
- 5th January 2026 - 31st January 2026
- 3rd April 2026 - 20th April 2026
- 26th June 2026 - 17th July 2026
- 18th September 2026 - 9th October 2026
- 12th December 2026 - 18th December 2026
- 19th December 2026 - 3rd January 2027
- 4th January 2027 - 26th January 2027
- 19th March 2027 - 28th April 2027
- 19th June 2027 - 18th July 2027
- 11th September 2027 - 10th October 2027
- 10th December 2027 - 19th December 2027
- 20th December 2027 - 3rd January 2028

Arrive Early and Stay Behind Options

Arrive Early

Hong Kong - From \$300 per person, subject to availability.

Stay Behind

Singapore - From \$300 per person, subject to availability.

Please note:

- This fee does not include extra nights' accommodation, meals or airport transfers.
- Flight booking changes or cancellations after air tickets have been issued are not guaranteed and may incur additional fees and fare difference, subject to the airline cancellation and change policies.
- Flight changes are subject to availability at the time of booking.
- A high-season Arrive Early or Stay Behind can be purchased for an additional charge, subject to availability. For pricing, please refer to the cart.
- You can arrive early, up to 60 days before your package's start date, and/or stay behind until 60 days after your package's end date. Should you wish to arrive earlier or stay behind for more than 60 days, please contact us to request availability. Additional costs may apply.
- High season surcharges apply to flights departing between the below date ranges:
 - 1st December 2025 - 19th December 2025
 - 20th December 2025 - 4th January 2026

Stopover Packages

Not available.

Flight Class Upgrades

Premium Economy or Business Class: For pricing, please refer to the payment cart at checkout.

Please note:

- Flight upgrades are subject to availability and pricing changes (if we cannot fulfil your request, the upgrade cost will be refunded).
- On any upgrade purchase, short-haul flights and domestic flight sectors are not guaranteed.

Outbound Flights

Please note: Due to flight scheduling and availability, some departures may occur on Day 0. Affected customers must be available to depart the day before. Flight times will be indicated on your final documents, issued 4-6 weeks before departure.

Missed Flights

If you fail to arrive for your outbound flight, you risk all flight and land arrangements in your destination being automatically cancelled by the airlines and land operator, respectively. Additional fees may apply to reinstate these services. If you miss your flight for whatever reason, please contact us as soon as possible to make arrangements.

Cruise

Holland America's Westerdam

Step aboard the contemporary MS Westerdam, refurbished in 2017, with a cozy capacity of only 1916 guests. Indulge in culinary delights at Lido Market, Dive In and The Dining Room. For an extra special treat, check out small cover-charge specialty restaurants like Pinnacle Grill and Canaletto.

Entertainment options abound, with Billboard Onboard offering lively piano performances of 60 Years of Chart Toppers. The World Stage hosts captivating performances day and night, including BBC Earth in Concert and Step One Dance Company. Stay active with Pickleball at Sea, Holland America's exclusive partnership with the Professional Pickleball Association, or hit the professionally staffed Fitness Center for a workout. Relax at the Greenhouse Spa and Salon (additional cost) or take a dip in one of the pools. Rock out at the Rolling Stone Rock Room, where classic hits come to life. With so much to do, a day on board Holland America's MS Westerdam is never boring.

Onboard Currency

\$ USD

Cabins/Staterooms

Amenities

- Daily housekeeping
- Complimentary 24-hour room service
- Elemis Aromapure soap, lotion and shampoo
- Luxurious bathrobes
- Generous storage
- Fresh fruit upon request
- Safe
- Ice service
- Shoeshine
- TV with On Demand movies and programming

Inside Cabins: From 14m²

Features two lower beds that can convert to one queen-size bed and features Holland America's signature Mariners

Important Information

Dream bed with plush Euro-Top mattresses, premium massage shower heads and a host of amenities are featured in these very comfortable staterooms.

Oceanview Cabins: From 16m² (Obstructed)

Features two lower beds that can convert to one queen-size bed and features Holland America's signature Mariners Dream bed with plush Euro-Top mattresses, premium massage showerheads and a host of amenities and a window.

Oceanview Cabins: From 16m² (Unobstructed)

Features two lower beds that can convert to one queen-size bed and features Holland America's signature Mariners Dream bed with plush Euro-Top mattresses, premium massage showerheads and a host of amenities and an ocean view.

Verandah Cabins: From 19m² including verandah (Unobstructed)

Filled with light from floor-to-ceiling windows overlooking a private verandah, these staterooms include a sitting area and two lower beds that are convertible to one queen-size bed that has Holland America's signature Mariner's Dream bed with plush Euro-Top mattresses. There's also a bathtub with premium massage shower heads.

Signature Suites: From 34m² including verandah (Unobstructed)

With a verandah, floor-to-ceiling windows and comfortable sitting area, these comfortable suites are filled with light. They include two lower beds convertible to one queen-size bed—our signature Mariner's Dream™ bed with plush Euro-Top mattresses, plus a whirlpool bath and shower, mini-bar and refrigerator.

Please note: All cabins are subject to availability; some cabins may have restricted views.

Cruise Arrival & Departure Times

Please keep in mind that the provided cruise arrival and departure times are an approximate and will be finalised upon receipt of your cruise tickets.

Holland America 'Have It All' Upgrade

Package Inclusions

The longer your cruise, the more you can explore.

- Receive shore excursion credit to apply towards a variety of adventures and experiences. 10-20 Day cruises US\$200 per person shore excursion credit
- Signature Beverage Package: Choose from a large selection of wine, beer, spirits and cocktails, plus non-alcoholic options like sodas, specialty coffees and more - with service charges included. (Daily limit of 15 beverages per person, which includes all beverages priced at USD \$11.00 or less and includes beverage charges).
- Speciality Dining: Enhance your cruise with award-winning speciality dining at Pinnacle, Canaletto or Tamarin. 10-20 Day cruises 2-nights speciality dining per person (Restaurant availability is based on cruise ship)
- Wi-Fi surf package: Stay connected throughout your journey. Surf the web, use social media, check email and send messages to family and friends.

Please note:

- All cabins are subject to availability; some cabins may have restricted views.
- Cruise cabins are booked on a guaranteed basis and are assigned by the cruise line prior to departure.

Cruise Arrival and Departure Times:

Please keep in mind that the provided cruise arrival and departure times are an approximate and will be finalised upon receipt of your cruise tickets.

Accommodation

Accommodation Used:

5-star Properties (Self-Rated)

Hong Kong: New World Millennium Hong

Kong Hotel

4-star Properties (Self-Rated)

Singapore: Village Hotel Bugis

Please note: Accommodation/rooms offered are based on a lead-in room type and are subject to availability based on seasonality. In the instance a property is not available, a similar standard of accommodation will be provided. Properties will be confirmed and included in your travel pack, which you will receive 4-6 weeks before travel.

Extra Nights

Not available.

Please note: If you are interested in booking additional nights of accommodation pre or post-tour, please wait until you receive your travel documentation approximately 4-6 weeks before departure for the confirmed list of hotels. If booking your own additional accommodation directly with the hotel, please be aware that you may be required to change rooms at the start/end of your tour.

Maximum Room Capacity

2 people.

Triple Share

Not available.

Bedding Configuration

Twin or double (subject to availability).

Optional Upgrades

Holland America: Have it All Package:

\$1,190 per person

Day 1: Private Transfer Hong Kong Airport to Hotel: \$75 per person, twin share (\$150 for a solo traveler)

Day 20: Private Transfer Singapore Hotel to Airport: \$75 per person, twin share (\$150 for a solo traveler)

Please note:

- Prices are based per person, are subject to availability, time permitting and weather conditions, and are payable directly to the tour operator in the currency specified. OR

Important Information

- *The optional upgrades listed above must be purchased on checkout or over the phone before submitting your passenger information form (subject to availability).*
- *Some tours or shore excursions require minimum numbers to operate.*
- *Shore excursions can be booked/reserved directly with the cruise line before travel (subject to availability)*
- *Shore excursions can also be booked whilst onboard (subject to availability).*
- *Shore excursion programmes and itineraries may vary depending on local conditions and/or any unforeseen events concerning the timing on the day of the tour. Some excursions are very popular, and therefore availability cannot always be guaranteed, it is advisable to book in advance to avoid disappointment.*

Exclusions

- Visa fees and requirements
- Domestic transfers and flights not stated in the deal offer
- Meals/beverages not stated in the deal offer
- Optional gratuities/tipping
- Optional activities/tours
- Personal expenses
- Travel insurance
- Any costs associated with an interruption to your tour as a result of an airline schedule change or cancellation
- Mandatory city tax

Gratuities / Tipping

Please note: Tipping for services provided is always a matter of personal discretion; however, please be aware that many locals consider tipping part of their normal remuneration, and they may approach you for payment; there's no need to be intimidated by the request.

Cruise

Gratuities (tips) are not included for the cruise staff's services throughout this tour's cruise component. Holland America Line is an internationally registered company & operates to US & European standards, both of which have an economy

driven by a tipping culture. Gratuities are expected on your cruise and will be charged to your onboard account at approx USD \$17 per guest per day for non-suite stateroom guests and \$19.00 per guest per day for suite guests. If you have any questions regarding the gratuities on your cruise, please speak to the guest services staff onboard the ship.

Other Important Information

CLIMATE & AVERAGE TEMPERATURES

Hong Kong

In December and January, Hong Kong experiences its winter, which is generally mild, dry, and very pleasant. This is the coolest and least humid time of the year, with average daily temperatures around 18°C, highs reaching about 20°C, and lows dropping to 15°C. Rainfall is minimal, resulting in many clear, sunny days perfect for hiking and exploring the city without the intense heat of other seasons. However, it's wise to pack layers, including a jacket or sweater, as evenings and occasional cold fronts can be quite cool.

Vietnam

In December and January, the weather across Vietnam remains highly varied by region, marking the peak of the tourist season in both the north and south. In the north, including Hanoi and Halong Bay, it is the middle of a pleasant and dry winter. Expect clear skies, but average temperatures can drop to around 17°C, with cooler evenings and mornings, so packing warm layers is essential. In contrast, Central Vietnam, including Da Nang and Hoi An, is transitioning out of its rainy season. While December can still see significant rainfall, conditions improve through January with less rain and more sunshine. Meanwhile, the south, including Ho Chi Minh City, is in its prime dry season, offering hot, sunny days, low humidity, and low rainfall. Average temperatures range from 23°C to 32°C, creating perfect conditions for travel.

Thailand

In December and January, much of Thailand enjoys its peak dry season, offering some of the best weather of the year, though conditions differ on the Gulf Coast. In Bangkok, the north, and on the Andaman coast (including Phuket and Krabi), the weather is fantastic. Expect comfortable temperatures with low humidity and plenty of sunshine, with average highs around 31°C. In contrast, the Gulf of Thailand coast (including Ko Samui) is coming to the end of its monsoon season. December can still see notable rainfall, but conditions improve significantly as January progresses, with less rain and more sunshine.

Singapore

In December and January, Singapore is deep into its wettest period, the peak of the Northeast Monsoon season. December is often the rainiest month of the year, with January following closely behind. Visitors should expect frequent and heavy afternoon thunderstorms, though there are still periods of sunshine. Despite the rain, temperatures remain consistently hot and humidity is at its highest, with average highs around 30°C and lows of about 24°C. While outdoor plans can be disrupted, this is an excellent time to explore Singapore's world-class indoor attractions.

Weather

We always suggest referring to an online source for the most up-to-date weather information for your destination/s.

FLIGHTS

Seat Selection & Frequent Flyer Points:

We do not arrange seat selection. It is essential to highlight that some airlines do not allow pre-selected seats. We strongly suggest you contact the airline directly with seating allocation requirements and/or arrive at the airport earlier to arrange your seating. While we do not add frequent flyer member details to bookings, you can do this directly with the airline once you have your flight information.

Important Information

Passport Validity:

Customers must provide valid passport details either at the time of purchase or no later than 90 days before the departure date. Failure to do so may result in the cancellation of the booking. Customers will be responsible for any costs and fees incurred in this instance.

CRUISE

Embarkation / Disembarkation:

- Begins approximately 2 hours after docking.
- Due to security reasons, all guests must be on board 2 hours before sailing.
- Itineraries are subject to change at any time without notice.
- Check your specific sailing for exact departure and arrival times. All times are local to the port.

Please note: Strict Covid-19 terms may also apply regarding proof of insurance covering Covid-19 and/or vaccination. Please refer to the cruise lines' terms and conditions for further information before boarding.

Cruise Loyalty Discounts:

Please note: Travellers must contact the cruise line directly upon receiving their travel documents in order to request any membership benefits they may be entitled to.

Luggage:

You will be responsible for all your personal belongings whilst on tour.

OTHER

Mobility:

If you require wheelchair access please contact our friendly sales and service team to inquire on your behalf.

Fitness Level Required:

Adventure (and spontaneity) create some of the best travel memories. Bear in mind, your home schedules and timings might not be adhered to on tour - it's all part of the fun!

A Relaxed level of fitness will be required. Expect a comfortable pace of touring with

a focus on leisure time and gentle activity. This may include city tours, the ability to walk up and down small flights of stairs and gentle slopes. You will be responsible for your own luggage and have the ability to board all modes of transport without assistance. Please note: Some areas may be inaccessible to wheelchairs or mobility scooters, with personal walking sticks and other aids required should they be needed. Although some assistance may be available, every traveller should be self-reliant during all aspects of their travel.

Please note: It is expected that every traveller must be self-reliant and able to undertake all aspects of their own travel. Please speak to your booking agent about your personal circumstances and any assistance requirements to ensure this tour is right for you.

Please note: If you have any concerns, please consult your healthcare provider prior to purchase/travel.

Yellow Fever:

A valid international certificate of vaccination against Yellow Fever is required in many countries. You may need to present this on arrival at the airport or border crossing. Some countries will refuse entry if you are unable to present your certificate. It's also common for your home country to request a Yellow Fever certificate upon arrival.

You must check with your doctor well before leaving home about the Yellow Fever requirements for the countries you'll be visiting.

Sightseeing:

Please note: If entry to a site is affected by changes in operating hours or public holiday closures, your itinerary, where possible, may be adjusted, or a similar activity will be offered in its place (subject to availability).

Shopping:

Shopping overseas can be a daunting and confusing experience, especially when there is a language barrier. Please be very cautious when foreign currencies and prices are involved. If paying by credit card,

please pay close attention to the amount you are being charged and keep all your receipts.

Do not make any purchases you are not comfortable with or feel pressured into. If you are uncertain or need assistance with the language barrier, please seek assistance from your Tour Guide/Leader. Please refer to our [Terms and Conditions](#) regarding shopping for further information.

Visas

Hong Kong

Australian passport holders are visa exempt for a stay of up to 90 days. The traveller must hold a passport valid at least six months on entry with two blank visa pages

Vietnam

Australian passport holders are eligible to apply online for a single or multi entry electronic visa (e-visa), valid for up to a maximum of 90 days.

Lodge your application online (for a non-refundable fee) with the Vietnamese National Web Portal of Immigration <https://www.xuatnhapcanh.gov.vn/>. You will be given a unique code to track your visa application status. Once your visa is granted, you must print it out and present it at check in. Keep this e-visa print out with you at all times during your travel in Vietnam.

Some private online visa services and travel agents have scammed travellers or been involved in the public disclosure of the personal information of applicants for visas and 'visa issued on arrival' approval letters. To avoid such scams, only use official Government of Vietnam services to arrange your visa. Visa and other entry and exit conditions (such as currency, customs and quarantine regulations) change regularly. Contact the nearest Embassy or Consulate of Vietnam for up-to-date information.

Cambodia

Australian passport holders can get a visa on arrival valid for 30 days.

Important Information

Thailand

Australian passport holders can get a visa exemption for up to 60 days on arrival in Thailand for tourism. Your passport must be valid for more than 6 months before entering Thailand. From the 1 May 2025, all Australians will be required to complete the Thailand Digital Arrival Card (TDAC) online prior to arrival. Travellers must register online within 3 days prior to arriving in Thailand. They can do so via this link.

Singapore

Australian passport holders are Visa exempt for a stay of up to 90 days. The traveller must hold a passport valid at least six months beyond the period of intended stay with one blank visa page

Important:

- *Please start arranging your visa three weeks before departure to account for any delays due to consulate operating hours.*
- *Visa rules are subject to change. Please check with the nearest embassy, consulate or immigration department of the destination/s you are visiting once you receive your travel documentation to ensure you have the most up to date information.*
- *It is your responsibility to be travel-ready and ensure that you are aware and comply with any destination or travel requirements, including the validity of all required travel documents.*
- *Passengers who are not Australian citizens must also check with the respective consulate or visa agency to determine what their visa requirements are and what personal identification is required.*
- *It is also important to note that some areas of employment, such as journalism, government authorities and charity organisations, may have additional restrictions in applying for visas. This may, in turn, affect the type of application required.*

Travel Insurance

Embarking on your next trip is exciting, and while you hope the unexpected does

not happen, it is best to be prepared. We strongly recommend you take out travel insurance when making your booking. Whether it's a potential medical emergency, a flight cancellation, a delayed suitcase, or an unforeseen event, it's important to ensure you're adequately protected. For more information or advice visit <https://www.tripadeal.com.au/travel-insurance>

Schedule Of Fees

Voluntary Changes

This includes booking changes requested by you, including but not limited to those changes requiring an airline ticket or a Purchase Confirmation reissue.

- Changes - \$100 per booking and any additional charges applied by the airline/cruise company/accommodation/other travel providers.

Name Changes Due To Passenger Error

- If the incorrect name has been provided, charges of \$100 per booking and any additional charges applied by the airline/cruise company/accommodation/other travel providers.

Supplier Fees

In the event the tour package you have purchased is unable to proceed, and/or a Travel Supplier is unable to fulfil the tour due to external circumstances (Limitation of Liability e.g. a Force Majeure event), there may be a fee or amount of money that is withheld by our Suppliers and is unrecoverable. This may be due to non-refundable airline tickets, cancellation penalties with cruise cabins or unrecoverable payments with our land/accommodation partners. If refunds are not available from Suppliers, we will endeavour to obtain a travel credit on the best terms available and communicate these outcomes to you. In the event we are unable to obtain a refund or travel service credit, or part thereof, this cost is passed on to the customer as a Supplier Fee.