



Thailand  
Village Academy

# SAI NOI HOMESTAY ECOTOURISM VILLAGE

Ayutthaya





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Experience an authentic taste of what life used to be like in the ancient Ayutthaya as you head into Sai Noi community, hidden away from the main tourist trail yet still only 2 hours from Bangkok. Ayutthaya is best known for its historical temples (which you'll have plenty of time to see), but this village offers some more unusual activities, including making the 9 supposedly lucky Thai desserts, brick-making and "Nai Kanomtom" style Thai boxing – taught by local masters. Other highlights include the community's homestay accommodation, surrounding orchards and old toy museum.



## ACTIVITIES

- Take a bike tour around Ban Sai Noi community.
- Learn how to make popular meaningful Thai Desserts
- Making ancient Mon bricks.
- Experience planting corn and 'gros michel' bananas.
- Make a bio-fertilizer.

# PROGRAM 3 DAYS 2 NIGHTS

## DAY 1

08.00 am.	Assemble at the meeting point.
08.30 am.	Travel to Sai Noi Ecotourism Village Community.
10.30 am.	Arrive at Coordination Center of Sai Noi Ecotourism Village. <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Welcome ceremony and then listen to the community’s history and your itinerary.</li><li>• Enjoy seasonal fruits and herbal drinks.</li></ul>
12.00 pm.	Lunch.
01.30 pm.	Learn how to cook 9 Auspicious Thai Desserts dating back to the Ayutthaya period.
02.30 pm.	Enjoy Thai desserts with herbal drinks or water.
03.00 pm.	Learn about a unique foot massaging tool made from coconut shells. Try using the tool on your own feet.
05.00 pm.	Leisure.
Evening	Enjoy a local, old-fashioned-style Thai dinner with dishes such as Kaeng Som with morning glory, Thai chili dip, fried noodles with fermented fish, tom yum soup with fish, herbal vegetables stir fry, curry with chicken and bamboo shoots. End the meal with 9 Auspicious (small) Thai Desserts. Stay at Homestay Sai Noi or accommodation of a similar quality.

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## DAY 2

06.00 am.	Make offerings to the monks in front of the homestay. <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Learn how to make ancient Mon bricks.</li></ul>
07.30 am.	Enjoy breakfast (coffee, soy milk, porridge rice with pork, chicken or fish).
08.30 am.	Enjoy activities, including: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Bike ride around to explore the lifestyle and culture of Sai Noi community.</li><li>• Learn how to breed auspicious plants and lime trees.</li><li>• Pay respect to sacred Buddha statue and explore the Maha-Ut Ubosot, a historic site built during the Ayutthaya period.</li><li>• Experience working as a corn farmer. Try picking and boiling waxy corn. Learn about gros michel bananas, known for their aromatic and sweet taste.</li><li>• Witness the beauty of the traditional Thai houses along the way.</li></ul>
12.30 pm.	Enjoy a variety of dishes for lunch such as noodles, Som Tam and Pad Thai.
Afternoon	Enjoy activities. <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Learn how to make herbal balm.</li><li>• Learn how to cook Mi Krop (crispy rice noodles).</li></ul>
Evening	Enjoy dinner and performance from local youths. Stay at Homestay Sai Noi or accommodation of a similar quality.

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### DAY 3

- 06.30 am. Make offerings to the monks in front of the house.
- 08.00 am. Breakfast.
- 09.00 am. Enjoy activities, including:
- Bike ride to pay respect to sacred Buddha statue.
  - Discover the local lifestyles.
  - Learn how to make bio-fertilizer.
- 12.00 pm. Lunch. (Noodles)
- 01.00 pm. Head to Ayutthaya Elephant Camp.
- 01.30 pm. Arrive at Ayutthaya Elephant Camp. Formerly known as Pang Chang Ayutthaya, the name of this elephant camp was changed for the prosperity of the owner and place. This place is dedicated to preserving and breeding Thai elephants and is also the first elephant camp in the world to start an elephant breeding program - having successful results. Nowadays, many baby elephants are born here.
- 02.15 pm. Head to Million Toy Museum by Krirk Yoonpun.
- 02.30 pm. Explore the Million Toy Museum by Krirk Yoonpun, a museum displaying high-quality toys from around the world, including old toys, modern toys, Thai toys and tin toys.
- 03.15 pm. Head to Ban Kong Por Sufficiency Economy Learning Center.
- 03.30 pm. Arrive at Ban Kong Por Sufficiency Economy Learning Center or Bang Kong Por. This learning center was established to provide knowledge about new theory concept of agriculture for everyone, based on the Sufficiency Economy Philosophy of King Rama IX.
- Visit Wat Phukhao Thong. This temple was constructed during the reign of King Ramesuan in the early Ayutthaya period.
- 05.00 pm. Head to Bangkok.
- 06.30 pm. Arrive back in Bangkok, end of trip.
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## WHAT WILL YOU LEARN?

Observe the authentic local wisdom from craftsmen of Thailand's ancient capital through activities in the community such as brick kilning, authentic Thai kick-boxing and making the so-call “auspicious” desserts. These skills have been maintained for generations.



## HOME STAY



- **Sia Noi Homestay**  
4 rooms, 13 guests per room
- **Uttachat Homestay**  
2 rooms, 10 guests per room





## Program 3 Days 2 Nights

Number of visitors	2 persons	4 persons	6 persons	8 persons	20 persons
Rate/Person (THB)	22,000	12,900	9,800	8,200	6,300



## Program 6 Days 5 Nights

Number of visitors	2 persons	4 persons	6 persons	8 persons	20 persons
Rate/Person (THB)	31,200	21,500	16,500	13,500	11,500



## Program 7 Days 6 Nights

Number of visitors	2 persons	4 persons	6 persons	8 persons	20 persons
Rate/Person (THB)	42,200	23,900	18,500	16,000	13,500



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