



Thailand
Village Academy

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Located close to the Sugnai Upe Canal, once was the most important trade route around Southern Thailand, the town of Thung Wa used to be so prosperous it was once considered second only to the port of Penang. While its past glory days have long gone, its charms still remain; tour the Shino-Portuguese buildings dating back to the Rama V era, look around the archaeological sites at Tham Le Stegodon or spend a few hours browsing the Ancient Elephant Museum at Thung Wa – where 1.8 million-year-old fossils of giant elephant-like Stegodon are on display.



ACTIVITIES

- Take a kayak to explore the stalagmites in Le Stegodon Cave.
- Explore the stegodon fossil at Ancient Elephant Museum Thung Wa.
- Craft orchid flowers from Thai clay.
- How to make tie-dye.
- Craft necklaces from candle ropes and sew cloth hats.
- Explore the carnivorous plant “Nepenthes”.

PROGRAM 2 DAYS 1 NIGHTS

DAY 1

- 08.00 am. Take air-conditioned van at the meeting point, Hat Yai Airport and leave for Tung Wah District
- 10.00 am. Arrive at the tourist information centre of Satun's Geopark
Along with your guide, learn about Satun's land formation and how it became "Satun UNESCO Global Geopark". Then head to Chalermrach Cultural Centre, Tung Wah's Ancient Elephant Museum which showcases the way of living and culture of the province, as well as some Lestagodon elephant fossils that date back over 1.8 million years. There's also the opportunity to watch a 3D movie about the park.
- 12.00 am. Local dishes for lunch by Tung Wah's Homestaygodon
Head to Lestagodon Cave, listen to the instructions and prepare before entering Lay Cave
- 01.00 pm. Kayaking while admiring the beauty of stalactites and stalagmites in the cave, which is considered the longest underwater cave system on the Thai-Malay Peninsula
Follow the 4 km award-winning route (of the 2015 and 2017 Natural Site category)
- 04.00 pm. Depart for Tha Oyy Viewpoint to take a long-tail boat to the "Dragon's Back", emerging when the tide is low in the middle of the sea, which resembles a dragon enjoying the sea currents
Check-in at Tung Wah Homestaygodon, certified by Thailand's standard of 2017-2019
- 07.00 pm. Dinner at Tung Wah Homestaygodon and free time
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DAY 2

- 07.30 am. Visit the old market, formerly known as "Su Ngai U Pay" (or "Little Penang") in the past and explore the historical atmosphere by strolling past the old buildings and Chino-Portuguese architecture. Enjoy Breakfast at the market
- 08.30 am. Visit and learn about the history of Chom Phu Nimit Temple and pay respect to Luang Por Kan Chan, the invaluable figure of Tung Wah
- 09.00 am. be amazing by the various types of tropical pitcher plants and try a dessert made of the certain plants at Suan Kuan Kong
- 11.00 am. Orchid making and Satun's Paphiopedium orchid from clay
- 12.30 pm. Lunch at Preeda Homestay
- 01.00 pm. Visit "Chim Hydroponics", the soilless and high-quality melon farm and try the unusual melon coffee
- 03.00 pm. Depart for Hat Yai Airport and bid farewell before having a safe journey back
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Program 2 Days 1 Nights

Number of visitors	1 person	2-3 persons	4-5 persons	6-7 persons	8-10 persons	40-50 persons
Rate/Person (THB)	14,800	8,400	5,300	4,300	3,800	3,500



Program 3 Days 2 Nights

Number of visitors	1 person	2-3 persons	4-5 persons	6-7 persons	8-10 persons	40-50 persons
Rate/Person (THB)	18,900	11,900	7,900	6,000	5,500	5,000



Program 6 Days 5 Nights

Number of visitors	1 person	2-3 persons	4-5 persons	6-7 persons	8-10 persons	40-50 persons
Rate/Person (THB)	28,000	16,300	11,000	9,200	8,300	7,800



Program 7 Days 6 Nights

Number of visitors	1 person	2-3 persons	4-5 persons	6-7 persons	8-10 persons	40-50 persons
Rate/Person (THB)	35,500	20,400	13,500	11,200	9,900	9,300



TOUR OPERATOR CONTACT INFORMATION

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WHAT WILL YOU LEARN?

Get a fascinating local history lesson at the impressive Le Stegodon cave and Tung Wha Elephant Museum which houses Le Stegodon fossils that date back over 1.8 million years. Experience the true coastal lifestyle and learn some local traditions which have been passed on for generations.



HOME STAY

3 homestays with a capacity to accommodate 10-20 visitors in total





FOR MORE INFORMATION

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