

**Discover Taiwan in freedom !**



**10 days tour**  
**With Chinese-speaking driver (not guide)**  
**Activities/visits according to your wishes**

Taipei – Lukang - Sun Moon Lake – Tainan – Kenting / southern tip of Taiwan – Mr Brown  
- Taitung – The East Coast Road - Hualien - Wulai –  
Shifen – Yehliu Geopark – Jiufen – Taipei

**Here we present a 10-day itinerary that will delight lovers of independent discovery, for a controlled budget in the comfort of private vehicle transport and a pre-defined itinerary. Your driver will be Chinese-speaking and will use a translation application to communicate with you at least a little and agree on meeting times. You will visit the sites of your choice, freely (access to be paid on site at the fairest price), according to the recommendations that we give you for information purposes in this program.**

**Your stay in the capital, Taipei, is organized by you. We will accompany you throughout the traveling portion of your trip.**

**Of course, all of this is flexible. We will adapt to your wishes to best meet your needs. It's your trip first and foremost!**

**Welcome to Taiwan...**



### **Day 1: Taipei – Lukang - Sun Moon Lake**

Meet your Chinese-speaking driver at 9 a.m. at your hotel (accommodation in Taipei booked by you). Head to Sun Moon Lake via the coastal road. Along the way, we'll stop in Lukang. Lukang boasts some of Taiwan's most beautiful temples, including those of Longshan and Matsu, the sea goddess feared and respected by sailors from China and Taiwan. Its temples offer unique architecture, unrivaled on the island, and are definitely worth a visit. Free time to stroll. Then, we'll head inland to the shores of Sun Moon Lake. Check into the 3-star LeaLea Hotel (or similar). Free time for the rest of the day.

### **Day 2: Sun Moon Lake (B)**

Breakfast and a completely free day to enjoy the lakeside and relax at your hotel to enjoy its swimming pool. You can, if you wish, rent bikes and take a ride on the lake (private cruise or group). Activities at your own expense. Overnight at the 3\* LeaLea Hotel (or similar).



### **Day 3: Sun Moon Lake – Tainan (B)**



Breakfast, meet your driver, and visit the Wenwu Taoist Temple. We'll then head to charming Tainan, the unmissable former capital of Taiwan, for a historical, cultural, and culinary discovery of the island. This afternoon, the driver will take you to the old town, where you can, if you wish, discover the Koxinga Temple, Confucius Temple, Fort Provintia, or Fort Anping. You'll finish with a little shopping at the Hayashi Department Store, with its art deco facade dating back to 1932 during the Japanese colonial era. It's the oldest shopping center in Taiwan. Dinner on your own (Tainan is full of night markets) and overnight at the 3-star Hotel A (or similar).



#### **Day 4 : Tainan (B)**

Breakfast followed by a day completely free at your own pace. The vehicle and driver remain at your disposal (for visits to Tainan or its surrounding areas, up to 1 hour away). Overnight at the 3-star Hotel A (or similar).

#### **Day 5 : Tainan - Kenting (B)**

Breakfast, meet your driver, and head to the outskirts of Kaohsiung, the large port city in the south of the island. Discover the largest Buddhist monastery in Taiwan: Fo Guan Shan Monastery (closed on Tuesdays). There you will find a giant golden statue of Buddha, 120 meters high. Drive to Kenting, the national park renowned for Cape Maobitou, which is one of the southernmost points of the island of Taiwan. We will follow the sea, and its immense beaches as far as the eye can see. Visit the impressive National Museum of Marine Biology and Aquarium at your own expense! In the evening, you can also browse the night market, located a few minutes from your hotel. Overnight at the Harmony Ocean Hotel 2\*, near the seaside (or similar).

#### **Day 6 : Kenting (B)**

Breakfast and a day completely free to enjoy the beach or explore Kenting's hiking trails. Your vehicle will

be at your disposal. Overnight stay at the 2-star Harmony Ocean Hotel (or similar).

### **Day 7 : Kenting – Taitung (B)**

Breakfast, early departure. Passage through Longpan National Park, on the opposite side of the island. Splendid view of the Pacific Ocean, often in strong winds! Continue our route north. We will spend time at Dongshan Mr. Brown Avenue, a site crisscrossed by country roads winding through lush, green rice paddies popular with walkers and cyclists. Golf cart rentals are available. Arrive in Taitung at the end of the day. Check in at Zhiben (outside Taitung) at the 3\*+ Hoya Resort Hotel. Dinner at your leisure. Your hotel has natural hot springs with baths, for a relaxing evening (free access, until 11 p.m.) !



### **Day 8: Taitung, between sea and mountains (coastal road) – Hualien (B)**



Breakfast and drive north of the region along its spectacular coastal road bordering the Dulan National Forest. Stop at the Xiaoyehliu site, where picturesque sandstone rock formations plunge into the sea. It will be time to explore the famous Sanxiantai site, composed of islands and coral reefs. You will see three enormous rocks that have spawned legends about three Chinese saints: Lyu-Dongbin, Li-Tieguai and He-Xiangu, who landed on the island, hence the name (The Island of the Three Saints). The place is famous for its long walkway evoking the body of a dragon, which connects the coast to the largest island. Continue to Hualien. Dinner at your leisure and overnight at the 3\* Just Sleep Hotel.

### **Day 9 : Hualien – Wulai – Taipei (B)**

Breakfast, and we'll slowly head back to Taipei via the Yilan region and the cliff road, which offers breathtaking views. We'll stop at the Qingshui lookout overlooking the South China Sea. Then head to Wulai, a green haven with pretty waterfalls, where you can hike along the river. An ethnically designed village can also be visited, although it's quite touristy. It's still interesting for an Aboriginal perspective. Arrive in Taipei and check into your hotel (accommodation in Taipei booked by you). If you'd like, we can drop you off at the famous Shilin Night Market for your evening (return to the hotel on your own).



### **Day 10: Taipei – Northeast Coast / Shifen - Yehliu – Jiufen – Taipei**

This morning, we'll set off to explore Shifen; it's the widest and most spectacular waterfall on the entire island! Enjoy lunch at your leisure in the fishing village of Guihou, before continuing with a visit to Yehliu Geological Park, with its impressive rock formations created by erosion and other natural forces. Among the rocks, the Queen's Head is one of the most famous! But beyond this very touristy spot, take the time to wander further out onto the peninsula. Venture to the highest point and its magnificent view of the ocean and cliffs. Then we'll end the day in Jiufen, a former mining town clinging to the mountainside, whose atmosphere inspired the famous manga "Spirited Away." Today, it's a veritable open-air market. Return to Taipei for the night (accommodation in Taipei booked by you).





End of our services. We wish you a pleasant end to your stay in Taiwan!



### **PRICES EXCLUDING FLIGHTS**

10-day private tour with Chinese-speaking driver (not guide), in shared double/twin room.

**Tour based on 2 participants (1 room): USD 2,175 (€2,115) per person**

**Tour based on 4 participants (2 rooms): USD 1,420 (€1,380) per person**

Prices "from". Excluding holidays or special periods – Contact us

Exchange rate as of January 3, 2025: 1 USD = ~0.97 EUR

- 50% deposit upon booking, by bank transfer or credit card in France
- Balance due 1 month before arrival, again by bank transfer or credit card in France

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#### **This rate includes :**

- ▶ The hotels mentioned with breakfast
- ▶ Chinese-speaking driver (who will not act as a guide. He will only be a driver)
- ▶ Private sedan-type vehicle
- ▶ Meals mentioned in the program (BB = Breakfast; LB = Lunch; D = Dinner)
- ▶ Payment by credit card in France, to take advantage of your free travel insurance
- ▶ Guarantees from our French travel agency (professional insurance, guarantee of deposited funds)
- ▶ English and French speaking assistance during your stay

**This rate does not include :**

- ▶ Feeder flights to Taipei
- ▶ **Accommodation in Taipei and visiting the capital**
- ▶ Access fees to the sites and activities of your choice (recommendations in the program above). To be paid on site at the fairest price
- ▶ Meals not mentioned and drinks
- ▶ Insurance
- ▶ Personal expenses
- ▶ Tips for the driver

Program subject to slight modification due to schedule changes or cancellations by airlines, availability of guides and hotels or inclement weather.

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