

Phnom Kulen

Swim In the Beautiful Waterfall



Located 50 km from Siem Reap this is the place where the 500 year long Age of Angkor began. The mountain contains several minor ruins, an active pagoda, the river of thousand lingas and a beautiful waterfall. Phnom Kulen is not only a historical site and one of the most holy places for Khmers, but also a very beautiful place for a refreshing day tour. Both the waterfall and the river is accessible for a cooling dip on a warm day.

Practical Information

Don't forget that this is a holy place so it's a good idea to dress according to the local customs. Cover your shoulders and knees etc. Avoid climbing and do damage to the temples so that people in the future also can enjoy them like you do now

If you decide to go for a swim in the river or the waterfall we suggest that you wear shorts and t shirt, rather than a bikini as this is not common in Cambodia

Entrance:

Phnom Kulen is not included in the general admission ticket and has a separate \$20 entrance fee.



How to get there

Phnom Kulen is reachable by moto, tuk-tuk, car or van and takes at least half a day. You have to depart from Siem Reap in the morning. This trip is can be combined with a visit to Banteay Srey, Kbal Spien and the landmine museum.