## **BOAT TRIP TO CHAMPASAK**



Departure time: 8h00

Reture time: 17h00

08:05-10:05

Our Tuk Tuk will transfer you to the pier (Pakse pier) and you will take boat direct to Champasak.

## 10:15-12:15

After 2 hours on boat, you will arrive at Champasak pier (Champasak post office). Then continue by Tuk Tuk to *Watphou Temple*, located 8 km from the southwest of Champasak, at the junction of the Mekong and the Phou Kao Mountain, this historical site is acknowledged as UNESCO World Heritage Site since 2001. It is the only important Khmer remain of the country. Inscriptions in Sanskrit and Chinese sources confirm that this place has been venerated since the 5<sup>th</sup> century. The archaeological site contains 6 terraces on 3 levels in the centre along a stone-paved road.

At the end of your visit, take a few minutes to sit down and to enjoy the full view on the *baray*, the plains and the historical remains.

Do not miss the *museum* located at the entrance of the site. It will give you interesting complementary knowledge.



**15:00-17:00** Enjoy your ride back by boat to Pakse.





## 12:05-13:35

After visit, our Tuk Tuk will take your choice of restaurant in champasak. (There are plenty of restaurants situated along the Mekong serving great Lao food with the perfect Mekong river view!)

## 13:35-15:00

After lunch time at your own leisure to visit Champasak city and to discover French colonial buildings.