West of the Old Quarter
Visit Ho Chi Minh’s expansive mausoleum complex, as well as the Temple of Literature and the Imperial Citadel of Thang Long.

French Quarter
This elegant part of town is blessed with a collection of fine, though crumbling, colonial villas.

Old Quarter
This labyrinth of streets is Asia at its raw, pulsating best.

Around Hoan Kiem Lake
Temples, gardens and a peaceful lake lie at the centre of this area close to the Old Quarter.