

# 7 Days Round Korea

## Highlights

**Magoksa Temple Tea Ceremony** Partake in a tea ceremony with a Buddhist monk at Magoksa Temple, a temple surrounded by mountains and rivers of Chungcheongnam-do.

**Jeonju Hanok Village** Visit the village with over 800 traditional Korean houses, and experience ondol [heated floor] floored rooms and its culture.

**Green Tea Fields in Boseong** Boseong in Jeollanam-do is the home of Korean green tea, producing over 40% of Korea's green tea products. Boseong also served as the background setting for various commercials, films and dramas. Enjoy the top-quality Ujeon Tea and take in the scenery of green tea fields.

**Naganeupseong Folk Village** This is a folk village that preserved houses and the way of living from

over 400 years ago. Currently, over 80 households maintain the traditional lifestyle. The fortress, magistrate's office, inns, markets, thatched houses and remnants of the centuries past are well preserved here.

**Bulguksa Temple** Containing national artifacts and treasures such as the Seokgatap Pagoda of Bulguksa Temple and Dabotap Pagoda of Bulguksa Temple is Korea's exemplary temple.

**Hanbok Experience** A special experience that offers visitors an opportunity to wear the colorful and stylish hanbok (traditional Korean clothing).

**Andong Hahoe Folk Village** This village is listed as an UNESCO World Heritage site. Come and enjoy Korea's beauty and tradition at this village of the Pungsan Ryu clan.



DATE	ITINERARY
Day 1 (Saturday)	<p><b>Seoul - Gongju - Daejeon [Lunch/Dinner]</b></p> <p>Pick up from your hotel in Seoul (All hotels in Seoul city area). Meet the guide at hotel lobby.</p> <p>Leave for Gongju, the ancient capital of Baekje Kingdom (18BC - 660AD). Experience meditation &amp; conversation over <b>tea with a monk at Magoksa Temple</b>, a representative temple surrounded by a mountain and rivers in Chungnam Province. Next, visit <b>Tomb of Muryeong King</b> with the wall painting drawn on the number six tomb. Then continue to move on to <b>Gongsanseong Fortress</b>, a mountain castle which was established during the Baekje Period. You will enjoy archery experience there.</p> <p>Transfer to Daejeon which is a hub city of Korea and famous for its hot springs. After hotel check-in, the rest of the day is at leisure in your hotel and the indoor spa offering high quality natural waters.</p> <p>Lunch: Korean Set Menu with steamed rice wrapped in a Lotus Leaf                      Dinner: Chopped noodle dish 'Kalguksu' and Dumplings</p> <p><b>*Hotel: 4 – 5 star hotel</b></p>
Day 2 (Sunday)	<p><b>Daejeon - Jeonju - Jinan - Gwangju [Breakfast/Lunch/Dinner]</b></p> <p>Our destination today is <b>Jeonju Hanok Village</b> with over 800 traditional Korea houses. The village is famous among tourists because of its atmosphere that strongly contrast with the modern city around it. You will explore various hanok buildings and the Jeonju Korean Traditional Wine Museum afterward you will have Jeonju Bibimbab lunch and taste Makkolli (Korean traditional Wine) at a local restaurant. Then, visit <b>Tapsa Temple</b> in Jinan, famous for the over 80 stone pagodas built by Lee Gapyong, a retired scholar. Next, leave for Gwangju located in the southwest corner of Korea for overnight.</p> <p>Lunch: Jeonju Bibimbap and Tteokgalbi                      Dinner: Vietnamese style Beef Shabu Shabu</p> <p><b>*Hotel: 4 – 5 star hotel</b></p>
Day 3 (Monday)	<p><b>Gwangju - Boseong - Suncheon - Yeosu [Breakfast/Lunch/Dinner]</b></p> <p>This morning, visit <b>Boseong Green Tea Plantation</b> that is very beautiful, full of green tea fields and cedar trees. You will also have a chance to taste Boseong Green Tea. Next, visit Suncheon <b>Naganeupseong Folk Village</b> where you can observe the daily dwellings indigenous to the south provincial area. Then explore <b>Suncheonman Bay</b>, thickly covered with reeds taller than a full-grown man and then stop by <b>Yongsan Observatory</b> to see the bay's beautiful view. Finally, move to Yeosu, one of the country's most picturesque port cities especially at night.</p> <p>Celebrate the night in Yeosu by watching the view of the seaside village.</p> <p>Lunch: Korean Set Menu with Dried Corvina Set meal and Vegetable pancake                      Dinner: Grilled Smoked Duck and Grilled Seafood (or Pizza and pasta)</p> <p><b>*Hotel: 4 – 5 star hotel</b></p>



<p>Day 4 (Tuesday)</p>	<p><b>Yeosu - Jinju - Busan [Breakfast/Lunch/Dinner]</b></p> <p>Today, take <b>Yeosu Marine Cable Car</b> offering the safe yet thrilling experience with the gondola to operate over seawater. Enjoy the scenery of downtown Yeosu and the archipelago around the old seaport. Next, visit <b>Jinjuseong Fortress</b> which is historically linked to the Japanese invasion in 1592. Afterward, transfer to Busan and visit <b>Igidae Park</b>, the coastal walking path, famous for its panoramic view of Marine city and Gwangan Bridge. Rest of the day is free for you to explore <b>Haeundae Beach</b> known for its modern feel. You may spend fantastic night time at cafes and pubs. Also, you can enjoy watching busking along the shoreline as well as Haeundae Market.</p> <p>Lunch: Bulgogi stew &amp; Jinju Bibimbap                  Dinner: Korean style BBQ                  *Hotel: 4 – 5 star hotel</p>	
<p>Day 5 (Wednesday)</p>	<p><b>Busan - Ulsan - Gyeongju [Breakfast/Lunch/Dinner]</b></p> <p>Today head to Ulsan and pass through the world's largest single automobile plant. Visit <b>Daewangam Park</b>, littered with rocks carved into interesting shapes by the wind and ocean. Next, explore <b>Bulguksa Temple</b>, the representative relic designated as a World Cultural Asset by UNESCO in Gyeongju. And then visit <b>Gyeongju National Museum</b> and <b>Daereungwon Tomb Complex</b>. Before you head to <b>Cheomseongdae Observatory</b>, choose your preferred Hanbok, Korean National Costume and make a special memory <b>wearing Hanbok</b> with your companions.</p> <p>Lunch: Vegetarian set menu                  Dinner: Casual Buffet                  *Hotel: 4 – 5 star hotel</p>	
<p>Day 6 (Thursday)</p>	<p><b>Gyeongju - Andong - Wonju - Pyeongchang [Breakfast/Lunch/Dinner]</b></p> <p>A morning tour will introduce you to <b>Andong Hahoe Village</b>, home to descendants of the Ryu clan of Pungsan and well-known for its traditional houses. Next, visit <b>Hanji Theme Park</b> where you can get a chance to <b>experience the Hanji making</b> process.                  A short transfer will bring you to your hotel in Pyeongchang.</p> <p>Lunch: Braised chicken with vegetables &amp; Roasted fish                  Dinner: Korean style Pork belly, Samgyeopsal                  *Hotel: 4 – 5 star hotel</p>	
<p>Day 7 (Friday)</p>	<p><b>Pyeongchang - Gangneung - Mt.Seorak - Seoul [Breakfast/Lunch]</b></p> <p>This morning, stop by <b>Ski Jump Tower</b> for Olympic Winter Games Pyeongchang 2018 and then explore <b>Jumunjin Seafood Market</b>, including a variety of fresh seafood caught on the East Coast. Finally, travel to Yangyang for a short hiking at <b>Jujeongol of Mt. Seorak</b> to enjoy the nature.</p> <p>Return to Seoul around 18:00.  <i>Drop off service is available at selected Seoul city hotels only.</i></p> <p>Lunch: Set Menu with Seasoned Wild Vegetables</p>	