

# KOREA ESSENTIALS

6 DAYS / 5 NIGHTS



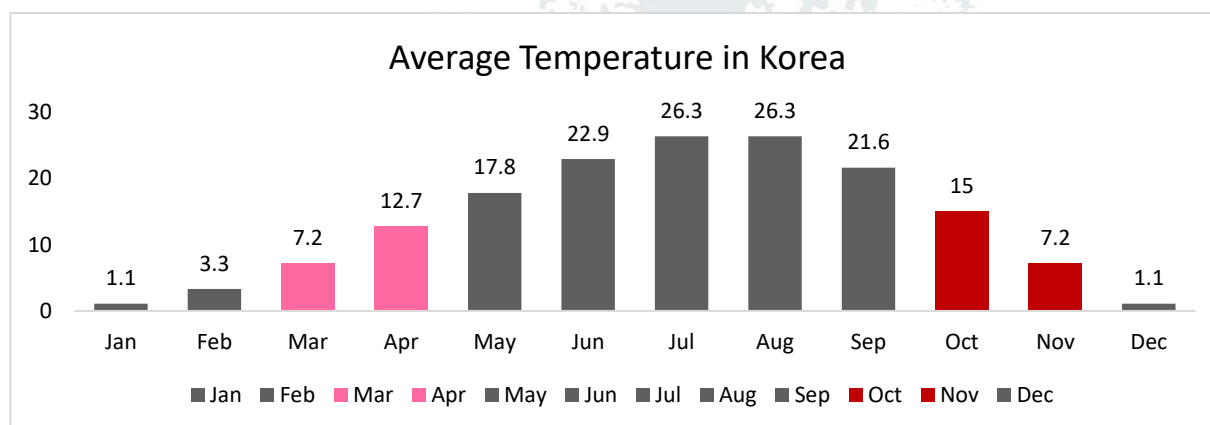
## Destination overview:

Often referred as “Land of Morning Calm”, but dive into its capital Seoul, serenity may be the last thing you’ll perceive. This bustling, multifaceted metropolis is where meticulously reconstructed palaces rub shoulders with teeming night markets and dramatically modern architecture. The compact size and superb transport infrastructure mean that tranquility is always within easy reach of urban sprawl. Get further off the beaten path than you thought possible by sailing to remote islands or less touristic white sand beaches.

## Korea has 4 distinct seasons:

South Korea's weather is as predictable as its four distinct seasons. Spring is a delightful time to visit, with mild temperatures and **cherry blossom** blooming. Summer is hot and muggy, with occasional rainstorms. Autumn is refreshing, with crisp air and **colorful foliage**. Winter is cold and snowy, but also dry and sunny.

The main regional temperature differences are found in the country's mountainous interior, which is cooler, and its warmer coastline, which is also windier. South Korea is protected from most typhoons by Japan and China, but one or two may still make their way through during the summer months.



## Itinerary Summary

Day 1: Seoul (Korea) Arrival  
Day 2: Seoul City Tour  
Day 3: Seoul Unique  
Day 4: Seoul – Gyeongju – Busan  
Day 5: Busan City Tour  
Day 6: Busan Departure



## ITINERARY

### DAY 1: SEOUL (KOREA) ARRIVAL

Meet your English speaking driver or guide at Incheon Airport and transfer to Seoul, bustling capital city of Korea. Relax at the hotel before walking out for dinner at a local Korean restaurant in the nearby area.

### DAY 2: SEOUL CITY TOUR

Wake up to a hearty breakfast and prepare for your full day city tour. Travel to Gyeongbokgung Palace. Visit the National Folk Museum, located within the grounds of the Gyeongbokgung Palace. Visiting the must-see changing of the royal guards' ceremony at Gyeongbokgung Palace. This tradition has been performed for centuries in Korea and is a symbol of the nation's rich culture and history.

Journey to Bukchon Hanok Village. En route passing by Blue House. Visit Insadong - a popular neighborhood where old but precious and traditional goods are on display. Travel to N Seoul Tower, iconic Seoul landmark that provides bird's-eye views of the city. Journey to the vibrant and diverse Myeongdong, as no visit in Seoul is ever complete without visiting this famous street.



### DAY 3: SEOUL UNIQUE

Fuel up with a good breakfast and meet our guide at hotel lobby for your DMZ tour. Travel to Imjingak Park. Visit the Freedom Bridge, The Third Tunnel of Aggression. Enjoy your time at DMZ Theater & Exhibition Hall, where you can watch a video which explains about history of the division of Korea. Enjoy a panoramic view of DMZ in Dora Observatory. Enjoy lunch at a local Korean restaurant near the DMZ. Return to Seoul and visit "Gwangjang Food market where you can taste a variety of traditional Korean street foods.



### DAY 4: SEOUL – GYEONGJU- BUSAN

Wake up to your hearty breakfast and meet our guide for your transfer to Sin-Gyeongju. Travel to Daereungwon, located large ancient tombs of kings and nobles of the Silla Kingdom. Next destination is Cheomseongdae Observatory Tower, the oldest observatory in the East. Visit Donggung Palace and Wolji Pond, the secondary palace site used by the crown prince of the Silla Kingdom. Sightseeing at Bulguksa Temple, the representative temple of Buddhism in Korea. At the end of the tour, we will move to Busan for overnight staying.



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## DAY 5: BUSAN CITY TOUR

Wake up to a tasty breakfast and prepare yourself for a full day city tour. Visit the Huinyeoul Culture Village, a traditional Korean village with traditional houses, shops, and restaurants. Travel to the Songdo Yonggung Bridge, a beautiful coastal bridge with stunning views of the ocean. Afterwards, visit and have lunch at the Jagalchi Fish Market, one of the largest fish markets in Korea. Later on, journey to Busan Tower, a 120-meter-tall tower with panoramic views of Busan. The tour closes up with visiting the APEC Nurimaru, a conference hall built for the 2005 APEC Summit. The building offers stunning views of the Han River and Seoul skyline. Return to the hotel to relax after a long tired day.



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## DAY 6: BUSAN DEPARTURE

After breakfast, meet our guide at hotel lobby for your transfer to either Ferry Terminal to visit Fukuoka, Japan or flight home.

### TOUR COST

This itinerary is provided for sample purposes only.

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