

# **Overview:**

Seoul is a massive city. It has one of the most populated metropolitan areas in the world. There's a lot to see and do in your trip to Seoul but thankfully, the city has an efficient and extensive metro system that makes sightseeing a breeze.

Seoul is a must-see city in Korea, known for its magnificent Gyeongbokgung Palace. The palace has many hidden treasures such as its beautiful paintings and sculptures, or the Temple of King Sejong. You can also enjoy the cool nightlife of Gangnam, located just outside of Seoul. NAMI ISLAND is another must-see for tourists who want to learn about Korean history and culture. This island was used during ancient times to guard against pirates on the Yellow Sea that borders North Korea, making it an important place in Korean history. Do you want to spend more time in this stunning region? You can extend your stay to 8 days on Jeju Island and discover its stunning natural beauty. There is no better way to see South Korea than with return international flights, with accommodation, a travel guide and daily breakfast.



# DYNASTY KOREA



#### Day 1 SEOUL CITY TOUR

Explore Seoul, Korea's vibrant capital and gateway to Asia. You'll see some of its most notable sites, including the **Gyeongbok Palace, Blue House, Insadong Arts, Changdeokgung Palace and Bukchon Hanok Village**. The capital also contains many museums and cultural attractions that reflect the city's rich history as well as modern culture.

**Gyeongbokgung Palace** to experience the most representative edifices of the Joseon Dynasty (more than 500 years old). Afterwards, visit the National Folk Museum to learn about Korea's unique culture and how Koreans used to live in the olden days. Continuing onwards, we will enjoy a quick stop to witness the Traditional Royal Guard Changing Ceremony and the Presidential Blue House before arriving at the famous Bukchon Hanok Village.

Bukchon Hanok Village is a Korean traditional village in Seoul with a long history, located on the top of a hill between Gyeongbok Palace, Changdeok Palace and Jongmyo Royal Shrine. The traditional village is composed of many alleys and hanoks, which are preserved to show a 600-year-old urban environment. Here you will enjoy a guided walk and marvel at the beautiful traditional homes.

**DINNER & O/N AT HOTEL** 







#### Day 2 NAMI ISLAND FULL DAY

Explore **NAMI ISLAND**, **Petite France and Seoul** on this family-friendly tour. Starting from Nami Island, you will go to the beach on Petite France island as well as explore Seoul City. You will also stay overnight at a hotel in Seoul

Namiseom or Nami Island is a half-moonshaped river island located in Chuncheon, Gangwon Province, South Korea, formed as the land around it was inundated by the rising water of the North Han River as the result of the construction of Cheongpyeong Dam in 1944.

#### Day 3 GANGWONDO/YANGYANG

We will meet at your hotel for a delicious breakfast, while we drive to Yangyang. On the way, we'll visit **Surfyy Beach and the famous Maengbang Beach.** After you have enjoyed our local food, we will head back to your hotel where you can enjoy dinner and stay overnight.

**Gangwon** is a mountainous, forested province in northeast South Korea. Ski resorts, Yongpyong and Alpensia, in the county of Pyeongchang are the host sites of the 2018 Winter Olympics. In the east, Seoraksan National Park has mountainside temples and hot springs. Odaesan National Park's gentle slopes lead to the Stone Seated Buddha, while the steep cliffs of Chiaksan National Park offer more challenging trails.

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#### Day 4 YANGYANG/BUSAN

This tour is a day of a city tour, which will begin with breakfast at your hotel. After that, we will drive to **Gamcheon Culture Village** in Gyeonggi Province. It is listed as No.1 in the best tourist attraction areas in South Korea.

There are many statues and artworks that date back to the Joseon Dynasty period. We will be having lunch at local restaurants on the way which include Jigae (local dishes) and Soondae (chilled buckwheat noodles). We will then drive to **Haengduae Beach & Dalmaji Roa**d. This beach offers an unrivalled view of Mt. Halla as well as great seafood restaurants specialising in horse meat.

#### Day 5 BUSAN / SEOUL

After a morning of exploring Seoul, we will enjoy a delicious breakfast at the hotel. This is the perfect opportunity for you to learn something new about Korea. After breakfast, we will transfer to the city centre of Busan, which is 70km away. On our way, you will see coastal villages and small fishing ports, as well as old traditional port towns like **Unsung Boryeong, Mungyeong and Yangsan**.

#### Day 6 - DEPARTURE

Check out from the hotel and get transferred to the INCHEON AIRPORT for your return journey as your Seoul trip comes to an end.





# **Inclusions:**

- STAR HOTEL
- SALL MEAL
- TRANSPORT
- AIRFARE
- ENTRANCE FEE
- ENG. SPEAKING GUIDE.

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