



## Highlight of Korea & Japan – 13 Days 12 Nights Seoul, Daegu, Gyeongju, Busan, Tokyo, Hakone, Kyoto, Nara

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### Day 1 Seoul Arrival

Arrive at Seoul Incheon Airport, meet with our local representatives, and transfer to the hotel. The rest of the day is at leisure.

*Accommodation: Ibis Ambassador Insadong or similar*

### Day 2 Seoul (B)

After breakfast, visit Changdeok Palace, a UNESCO World Heritage site then explore Gwangjang Market, one of Korea's largest traditional markets, and enjoy sampling famous Korean street foods. Continue to the National Museum of Korea, a treasure trove of Korean art and relics. Proceed to COEX Mall, a hub of trends and culture, and spend some time at the open public space, Byeolmadang Library. The final stop is the N Seoul Tower observatory on Mt. Namsan, offering a panoramic view of Seoul. After the tour, return to the hotel and spend the evening at leisure.

### Day 3 Seoul – Daegu (B)

In the morning, visit the Korean Folk Village, where people practice the traditional lifestyle of the 18th-19th centuries. Continue to Mt. Songnisan National Park to visit Beopjusa Temple (UNESCO Site), home to Korea's tallest Buddha statue. After the tour, travel to Daegu via expressway, check in to the hotel, and enjoy the rest of the evening at leisure.

*Accommodation: Grand Hotel or similar*

### Day 4 Daegu - Gyeongju (B)

After breakfast, visit the Daegu Yangnyeongsi Museum of Oriental Medicine and Seomun Market, one of the three main markets from the Joseon dynasty. Then, transfer to Gyeongju, known as the "Museum without walls." Visit the Cheomseongdae Astronomical Observatory and the Royal Tumuli Park, where an excavated royal tomb is open for exploration. After the tour, transfer to the hotel in Gyeongju and enjoy the rest of the evening at leisure.

*Accommodation: Commodore or similar*

### Day 5 Gyeongju (B)

After breakfast, explore Gyeongju by visiting Bulguksa Temple (UNESCO Site) and Seokguram Grotto (UNESCO Site), which houses a monumental statue of Buddha. In the afternoon, visit the four-faced stone Buddha statues at Gulbulsaji site and the Tomb of King Wonseong. Afterwards, enjoy a scenic drive to Guryongpo Port for a beautiful coastal experience.

### Day 6 Gyeongju – Busan (B)

After breakfast, visit Unmoonsa Temple (Buddhist Nun's Temple), then travel to Busan, South Korea's second-largest city. Explore Jagalchi Fishery Market and Nampodong shopping street. Visit Busan Tower at Yongdusan Park for a stunning view of the city. After the tour, transfer to the hotel in Busan and enjoy the rest of the day at leisure.

*Accommodation: Busan Avani Central Hotel or similar*

### Day 7 Busan – Seoul (B/L)

In the morning, travel back to Seoul and enjoy some leisure time to explore the city.

*Accommodation: Ibis Ambassador Insadong or similar*

### Day 8 Seoul - Tokyo (B)

After breakfast, enjoy free time until the transfer to Incheon Airport for the flight to Tokyo, Japan. Arrive in Tokyo, meet with our local representatives, and transfer to the hotel by private taxi. Spend the rest of the day at leisure.

*Accommodation: Grand Prince Hotel Shin Takanaawa or similar*

### Day 9 Tokyo (B)

After breakfast, take the morning city tour of Tokyo. Visit the Imperial Palace and take in the view of the National Garden, which was once a private garden of the Royal Family and admire Nijubashi Bridge. Drive by



the National Diet Building, the center of Japan's government, on the way to the Tokyo Tower's main deck for a 360-degree panoramic view from the observatory. Next, visit Senso-ji Temple, Tokyo's oldest temple, and Nakamise Shopping Street. Continue with a drive by Kabukiza, the iconic Japanese-style theater, before arriving at Tokyo Station to conclude the tour. Return to the hotel and enjoy the rest of the day at leisure.

**Day 10 Tokyo – Hakone – Kyoto (B/L)**

Leave Tokyo and travel by coach to Mt. Fuji. Visit the 5th Station at an elevation of 2,300 meters and enjoy stunning views. Next, take the Komagatake Ropeway, offering magnificent vistas of Hakone National Park. Continue with a cruise on Lake Ashi before boarding a bullet train to Kyoto. Upon arrival in Kyoto, meet with our local representatives who will assist in boarding a taxi to the hotel. The rest of the evening is at leisure.

*Accommodation: Miyako Hotel Kyoto Hachijo or similar*

**Day 11 Kyoto – Nara – Kyoto (B/L)**

After breakfast, take the full-day city tour of Kyoto. Visit Nijo Castle, Kinkakuji Temple (Golden Pavilion), and the Kyoto Imperial Palace. Enjoy lunch at a local restaurant before traveling by local train to Nara. Upon arrival, take a walking tour to visit notable sights, including Todaiji Temple, home of the Great Buddha, Nara Deer Park, and Kofukuji Temple. Afterwards, return to Kyoto and enjoy the rest of the evening at leisure.

**Day 12 Kyoto (B)**

Enjoy the day at leisure exploring Kyoto.

**Day 13 Kyoto – Osaka - Departure (B)**

In the morning, transfer from the hotel to the airport for the return flight to Canada.

**B – Breakfast**

**L - Lunch**

**TOUR PRICE PER PERSON DOUBLE OCCUPANCY – minimum 2 persons.**

MONDAY arrival in SEOUL	Land Package From	Single Supp.
2025: May, October, November	6850	5280
2025: June – September, December	6480	5280
2026: January – March	6950	5760

**HOTEL BLACK OUT DATES and FAIR/SEASONAL SURCHARGES MAY APPLY.**

**~~ ALL PRICES ARE IN CANADIAN DOLLARS AND ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE WITHOUT NOTICE ~~**

**Tour Package Includes:**

- Roundtrip transfer between airport and hotel.
- Superior hotel accommodation with daily breakfast.
- Sightseeing tours with admission and meals as per itinerary.
- Professional English-speaking guide service during the tours.

**Tour Package Does NOT Include:**

- International airfare from Canada to South Korea and Japan.
- Intra-Asia airfare between Korea and Jaapn.
- Any applicable weekend and other surcharges imposed by airlines.
- Any taxes, airport fees and fuel surcharge.
- Travel/Medical/Cancellation insurance, travel visa and all personal expenses.
- Tipping and gratuities to local guides, drivers, and hotel staff.
- Any items not specified as included.