TRAVEL WORLD

Seoul · 9-day itinerary

Palace grounds · Dongdaemun · neighbourhood cafés

Where to stay

Dongdaemun · palace connections

Compare your hotel’s transport connections, room terms and total cost against your planned visits.

Check palace closures before choosing your first two days. Respect Bukchon’s residential access rules and allow a separate day for Suwon.

Day 1

Morning · Gyeongbokgung Palace

Afternoon · Bukchon streets during permitted visiting hours

Evening · Dinner in Insadong

Day 2

Morning · Changdeokgung with a garden reservation if desired

Afternoon · Ikseondong lanes and cafés

Evening · Cheonggyecheon evening walk

Day 3

Morning · National Museum of Korea

Afternoon · Itaewon or Hannam neighbourhood streets

Evening · Dinner in Itaewon

Day 4

Morning · Mangwon Market

Afternoon · Hongdae independent shops and street performances

Evening · Hongdae dinner

Day 5

Morning · Dongdaemun Design Plaza

Afternoon · Gwangjang Market and Jongno streets

Evening · Dinner around Euljiro

Day 6

Morning · Suwon Hwaseong Fortress

Afternoon · Suwon’s Haenggung-dong neighbourhood

Evening · Train back to Seoul

Day 7

Morning · Seoul Forest

Afternoon · Seongsu cafés and converted industrial buildings

Evening · Dinner in Seongsu

Day 8

Morning · Bongeunsa Temple

Afternoon · COEX and nearby indoor attractions

Evening · Gangnam dinner

Day 9

Morning · Namsan walk or cable car

Afternoon · Myeongdong shops and snacks

Evening · Dinner close to your hotel

Before you go

Check opening days, tickets, local transport and last return services. Move an outing to another day if weather or closures affect the route.

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