

Suggested Itinerary for Ski Tour in Korea

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■ Travel Area: Pyeongchang, Gangwon-do

* **Ski Resort: Phoenix Pyeongchang** (<https://phoenixnr.co.kr/en/page/main/pyeongchang>)

■ Travel Period: 4 days in Korean winter season (December to early March)

■ Introduction

Pyeongchang is a major winter sports region in Korea and was the host city of the 2018 Winter Olympic Games.

Phoenix Pyeongchang Resort, located 700m above sea level, is a mountain resort complex comprised of **Snow Park**, **Water Park** and accommodation facilities. The resort is a representative ski resort of Korea and was one of the official venues for the PyeongChang 2018 Winter Olympic Winter Games. The resort is located approximately 1 hour and 50 minutes from Seoul by car.



<Snow Park>

Phoenix Pyeongchang Snow Park features excellent snow and slopes that retain the natural landform, allowing skiers to experience dynamic speed. As it was the venue for freestyle skiing and snowboarding events of the 2018 PyeongChang Winter Olympic Games, it is equipped with world-class facilities and the surrounding environment offers fantastic views to enhance the excitement on the snow.

Its unique structure means that the vast ski base, measuring 500m wide, can be reached from any of the 21 slopes including 12 internationally certified slopes. The main slope is the "Panorama," which measures 46m wide and 2.2km long.

In addition to ski, snow sledding is also available at the **Snow Sled Park**. It is open to anyone and offers a 30-meter sledding slope.



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<Water Park: Blue Canyon>

Phoenix Pyeongchang Blue Canyon is a leisure pool-type water theme park featuring the clean air of Gangwon-do and pristine waters of the valleys. With a capacity for over 5,600 people, it introduced Korea's first uphill slide and Korea's longest and widest family slide. The water park's design is based on the deep blue of the Mediterranean Sea and it is consisted of both indoor and outdoor facilities.



■ 4 Days, 3 Nights Itinerary

Day 1: Seoul → Pyeongchang

- Move to Phoenix Pyeongchang Resort by shuttle bus operated by the resort. (Prior reservation and payment required.)
- Hotel Check-in
- Ski at Snow Park or enjoy snow sledding at Snow Sled Park
- Spa at Water Park

Day 2 / Day 3: Pyeongchang

- Breakfast
- Ski at Snow Park, Snow sledding at Snow Sled Park, or Spa at Water Park
- Visit nearby tourism attractions (Woljeongsa Temple & Museum; Daegwallyeong Sheep Farm; Jeonggangwon; Pyeongchang Trout Festival)

Day 4: Pyeongchang → Seoul

- Breakfast
- Ski at Snow Park
- Move to Seoul by shuttle bus operated by the resort. (Prior reservation and payment required.)

■ Nearby Tourism Attractions

Woljeongsa Temple & Museum

Woljeongsa Temple is a cultural site in Pyeongchang boasting a rich history of over one thousand years. Woljeongsa Temple is home to several national treasures, including an octagonal nine-story stone pagoda. The temple offers various activities fit for those who have 2-3 hours to spend - this includes learning temple etiquettes, making prayer beads, or having conversation with a monk over tea. For those who wish to stay longer, you can apply for their immersive temple stay program.



■ Nearby Tourism Attractions

Daegwallyeong Sheep Farm

Often described as the "Alps of Korea", Daegwallyeong Sheep Farm is a popular winter destination as the amount of snow blanketing the fields makes it picture-perfect! Here you can enjoy a quick stroll of approximately 1.2 meter-long walking trail across the sheep's grazing field. You can view the sheep and take pictures from all angles as they stroll along the path. Kids can also enjoy other activities like petting and feeding the sheeps.



Jeonggangwon

Jeonggangwon was established in order to preserve, research, distribute and promote the values and merits of traditional Korean food culture to the world. Here you can go inside a Hanok, a traditional Korean house, and view the food museum. If you have more spare time, try wearing a traditional Korean dress called Hanbok, or learn a local delicacy. To complete your experience at Jeonggangwon, make sure to order a traditional *hanjeongsik* (Korean table d'hôte). The beautiful hanok buildings, garden, and hundreds of *jangdok* (traditional Korean crock) gathered together are especially popular.



Pyeongchang Trout Festival

Pyeongchang Trout Festival is held every year in Pyeongchang during the depths of winter. The festival offers exciting activities such as trout fishing and sledding. The most popular activity is barehanded fishing. Participants dive into the freezing cold water in an attempt to catch a fish with just their hands. If you want to take part of this celebration, make sure to check the festival's schedule!



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