



South Korea and Japan

June 17 – June 26, 2025

Join Matthew Haley and Jason Albrecht, in conjunction with Explorica by WorldStrides Student Travel, on a 11-day trip-of-a-lifetime to South Korea and Japan! For more information and complete details please visit us at www.globalxpeditions.weebly.com

TOUR ITINERARY

Day 1: Start Tour

Day 2: Anyong Seoul

- Meet our Korean tour director
- Hotel check-in
- Welcome Korean Dinner

Day 3: Seoul

- Travel to the DMZ to see the Dora Observatory, Imjingak Park, & the 3rd infiltration tunnel
- Seoul sightseeing tour: Insadong Cultural street, Cheonggyecheon Canal walk, Namsan Hanok Village visit, N. Seoul Tower and Observatory
- Korean Dinner

Day 4: Seoul to Busan

- Travel to Busan via the KTX express
- Heodong Yonggungsa Temple visit
- Dongba island & APEC Nurimaru House visit
- Free time on Haeundae Beach
- Korean Dinner

Day 5: Busan

- Busan guided sightseeing tour of Yongdusan Park, Busan Tower, Jagalchi fish market and the Kukje market
- Oryukdo sunrise park
- Gamecheon Village
- Drone Show at Gwangalli Beach
- Korean Dinner

Day 6: Busan to Tokyo

- Fly to Tokyo
- Meet our Japanese tour director and check into the hotel
- Ramen Dinner

Day 7: Tokyo

- Tokyo guided sightseeing tour: Visit the Senso-ji temple, the Imperial Palace Garden, the Meiji Shrine and the Harajuku District.
- Kendo Experience
- Yakiniiku Japanese BBQ Dinner

Day 8: Tokyo

- TeamLab Planet visit
- Attend a Japanese tea ceremony
- Tokyo Tower visit
- Tempura Dinner

Day 9: Tokyo-Mt. Fuji

- Travel to Mt. Fuji
- Mt Fuji Wind and Ice Caves visit
- Travel to Kyoto
- Sushi Dinner

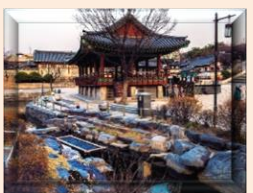
Day 10: Mt. Fuji to Kyoto

- Nara excursion: Visit the Nara Deer Park, Todai-ji Temple, and the Kasuga Grand Shrine
- Kyoto guided sightseeing tour: Visit the Kinkaku-Ji Temple, the Fushimi Inari Taisha gates, and the Sanjusangen-do Temple
- Soba Noodle Farewell Dinner

Day 11: Heading Home



DMZ



Namsan Hanok Village



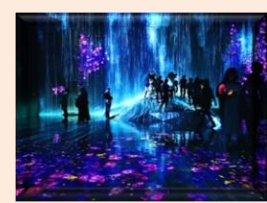
Dongba Island and APEC house



Drone show at Gwangalli Beach



Senso-ji Temple



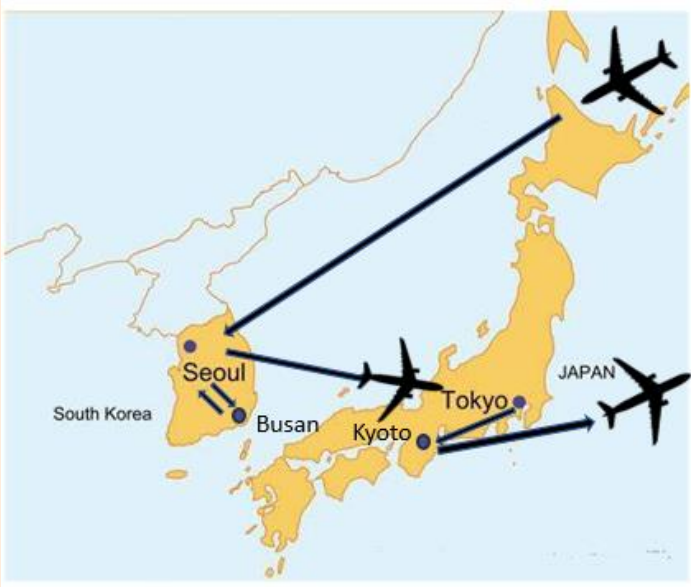
Team Lab Experience



Mt. Fuji Wind and Ice Caves



Fushimi Inari Taisha Gates



INCLUDED

Round-trip airfare, all transportation, sightseeing tours and site visits, all hotels with private bathroom, breakfast and dinner daily, full-time multi-lingual tour director, required insurance, tips/gratuities, and bus transfer to/from Moscow, Idaho.

NOT INCLUDED

\$50 for team building activity fees, \$100 for required tips;(both collected March 2024) lunches, beverages and snacks throughout the tour, passport and visa fees, souvenirs and keepsakes, negative covid tests if needed.

TOTAL TOUR COST

Student Traveler: **\$5,483** **\$328.56/mo.**

Adult Traveler: **\$5,999*** **\$374.94/mo.**

*Price will be adjusted by Feb. 2024

FLEXIBLE PAYMENT PLANS

Option 1: Monthly Automated Plan:

1. \$50 Deposit plus \$176 Travel Insurance (required) due at sign-up (\$226 due at sign-up)
2. Billed automatically to your credit card or checking account
3. Balance divided into equal monthly payments

Option 2: Full Payment Plan:

Pay in full at time of enrollment

Option 3: 4-Step Manual Plan (not automatic):

1. \$99 Deposit plus \$176 Travel Insurance (required) due at sign-up (\$275 due at sign-up)
2. 30 days after registration, 2nd payment of \$500 is due
3. 75% of your balance due 110 days prior to departure
4. Remainder of balance due 65 days prior to departure

WANT TO LEARN MORE?

- On **November 6, 2023**, at 7pm at **Moscow Middle School in the Multipurpose Room**
- We will present information about the trip, dates/itinerary, trip requirements, finalized costs, payment options, and fundraising opportunities.
- We will also distribute tour applications and answer any questions that may arise at this meeting.
- This opportunity is available for **Class of 2028 to 2031** students in Moscow and the surrounding communities, as well as their parents or adult relatives.
- All eligible travelers must be fully vaccinated and boosted (4 shots total) from Covid-19 prior to travel.
- We are very excited about this travel opportunity and hope you will consider applying for this wonderful travel adventure.
- **NOTE:** This trip is **not** affiliated with Moscow Middle School or the Moscow School District. It is an independent student/parent educational opportunity.



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