## Course 1: Peace and Planning- DMZ (Korean Demilitarized Zone) Tour

# **Itinerary**

University of Seoul (9AM) → Imjingak Park in Paju City (1.5 hr driving) → Lunch → Dora Observatory → The 3<sup>rd</sup> Infiltration Tunnel → Dorasan Station → Drop off at University of Seoul around 4:30PM or Incheon Airport around 4PM

#### **Place Information**

Imjingak Park(임진각, 臨津閣): Imjingak is a park located on the banks of the Imjin River in the city of Paju, located 7km from the Military Demarcation line. The park has many statues and monuments regarding the Korean War. The park was built to console those from both sides who are unable to return to their hometowns, friends and families because of the division of Korea. Imjingak is where the "Freedom Bridge" lies. The



Freedom Bridge crosses the Imjin river. It is a former railroad bridge which was used by repatriated POWs/soldiers returning from the North.

Dora Observatory (도라전망대): Dora Observatory is on the South Korean side of the 38th parallel. Situated on top of Dorasan (Mount Dora), the observatory looks across the Demilitarized Zone. It is the part of South Korea closest to the North. Visitors can catch a rare glimpse of the reclusive North Korean state through binoculars from the 304 square feet, 500-person capacity observatory. They will be able to see the North Korean propaganda village situated in the DMZ, a remnant of the old prosperity of the North, and can see as far as the city of Kaesong.



- The 3rd Infiltration Tunnel of DMZ (제3땅굴): The 3rd Infiltration Tunnel is one of four known tunnels under the border between North Korea and South Korea, extending south of Panmunjom.
- Dorasan Station (도라산역): Dorasan Station is a railway 🙎 station situated on the Gyeongui Line, which used to connect North Korea and South Korea and has since been restored. Dorasan Station is located approximately 650 meters (710 yards) from the southern boundary of the Korean Demilitarized Zone and is currently the northern terminus of Korail's Gyeongui Line, which is served by Tonggeun commuter trains.



## **Course 2: Prosperity and Planning- Seoul Tour**

# **Itinerary**

University of Seoul (9AM) → Seoulro 7017 → Donuimun Museum Village → Korea Territorial
 Development Museum → Lunch → Move to Jamsil Area → Seoul Book Bogo (Used Book Store)
 → Lotte Tower Observatory (3PM) → Drop off at University of Seoul at 4PM

#### **Place Information**

- Donuimun Museum Village(돈의문 박물관):
The Donuimun Museum Village is an outdoor village that consists of hanok (traditional Korean homes) and buildings that showcase historical eras of Seoul architecture. Visitors can see the architectural styles of the 1900s up to the 1980s at this special outdoor museum.





- Korea Territorial Development Museum(국토발전전시관): Korea Territorial Development Museum shows how Korea rebuilt its economy and infrastructure from ravages of the war. The five-floor museum features exhibitions on Korea's development history in 11 areas including national territory, city, water resources, housing, railway and aviation. The experience will not only promote national pride among Koreans but share Korea's experiences with foreign visitors.
- Seoul Book Bogo (서울책보고): Seoul Book Bogo is a massive used bookstore (one floor above ground) with an area of 1,465m², which is the transformation of the old Amway warehouse renovated by Seoul Metropolitan Government. Seoul Book Bogo is not a simple used bookstore. Although the store has silently kept the value of the used books, it plays the role of a "used bookstore platform for publicity and purchasing," linking, in solidarity, existing used bookstores and readers with



small-sized used bookstores in the area, who are losing ground due to the opening of large bookstores and online used bookstores.

- Lotte World Tower Observatory (롯데월드타워): The Seoul Sky Observatory is located at the top of the Lotte World Tower, the world's fifth tallest building standing 123 stories and 555 meters high. As the tallest building in South Korea, it is the only place where you can take in a gorgeous 360-degree view of Seoul, the capital city of South Korea roaring with brilliant history and dynamic modern culture.

