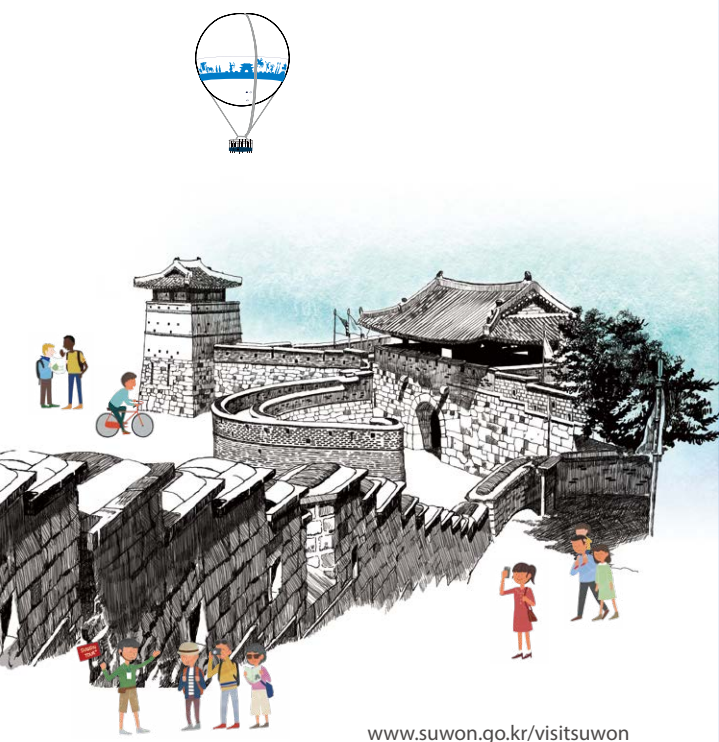


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Tour Guide Map

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With the Dream of King



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Suwon Hwaseong Day Tour Course

Depart at the parking lot of Hwaseong Haenggung Palace!

11:00

Enjoy the 24 Martial Arts Performance

Watch exciting martial arts performed with real swords and take pictures with Joseon Dynasty warriors.

11:30

Tour Hwaseong Haenggung Palace

The palace is where King Jeongjo, who built Suwon Hwaseong Fortress, stayed during his visits to Suwon. Learn about the deep filial piety he had for his mother Hyegyengung Hong.

12:30

Enjoy Chimac at Fried Chicken Street soondaejuk (soup with Korean blood sausage) at Jidong Soondae Town

Try the cold beer and crispy chicken of Fried Chicken Street, or the fried soondae or savory soondae stew of Jidong Soondae Town.

14:00

Visit Suwon I'Park Museum of Art

An art center boasting modern architecture! Don't miss out on a chance to view the various featured exhibitions!

Running at intervals of 30 minutes

Ride on the Hwaseong Royal Train

You can also take the sightseeing tour that goes around Suwon Hwaseong Fortress starting from Hwaseong Haenggung Palace. The train is operated at 30-minute intervals.

15:00

Experience traditional Korean archery at Yeomudae Command Post

Enjoy traditional Korean archery for just 2,000 KRW! People of all ages can try it. It's fun enough to make you try another shot!

16:00

Tour Suwon Hwaseong Fortress

This is where the real tour of Suwon Hwaseong Fortress starts! Recommended places nearby are Changryongmun Gate, Dongbuk Gongsimdon, Dongjangdae Command Post, Banghyeonsaeng (Dongbukjeongul Pavilion and Hwangryongmun (Buksumun) Gate). It is not too difficult to get as far as Jangnamun Gate.

17:30

Walk from Hwahongmun (Buksumun) Gate to the parking lot of Hwaseong Haenggung Palace

Distance : about 800m

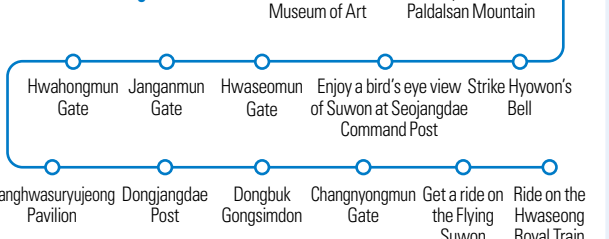
18:30

Enjoy Suwon beef ribs

Don't miss a chance to try beef ribs in Suwon as it is a local signature dish. The ribs are perfect for those who want to replenish themselves and get a nutritional boost.



Different but exciting tours of Suwon Hwaseong Fortress



Transportation in Suwon

Buksuwon IC (Yeongdong Expressway) Takes 25 minutes to Hwaseong Haenggung Palace

Dongsuwon IC (Yeongdong Expressway) Takes 15 minutes to Hwaseong Haenggung Palace

Suwon IC (Gyeongbu Expressway) Takes 30 minutes to Hwaseong Haenggung Palace

Suwon Hwaseong Fortress

Suwon Sports Complex

Suwon Station

Suwon City Hall

Suwon Bus Terminal

To tour Suwon Hwaseong Fortress and Hwaseong Haenggung Palace, the city's top two tourist spots, visitors are advised to use the parking lots of the palace or Yeomudae.

Car

Buksuwon IC (Yeongdong Expressway): Takes 25 minutes to parking lot of Hwaseong Haenggung Palace

Suwon IC (Gyeongbu Expressway): Takes 30 minutes to palace parking lot

Palace parking lot: 18, Haenggung-ro, Paldal-gu, Suwon-si, Gyeonggi-do ☎031-228-4488

Parking lot of Yeomudae: 3, Changryong-daero 103beon-gil, Paldal-gu, Suwon-si, Gyeonggi-do ☎031-251-4518

Type	One-time parking	One-day parking	Notes
Small cars	400 KRW	7,000 KRW	200 KRW per 10 minutes after first 30 minutes
Large buses	800 KRW	14,000 KRW	400 KRW per 10 minutes after first 30 minutes

※ Parking fee exempted for people of national merit, holders of welfare cards for disability levels 1 through 3, and their accompanying passengers

※ Free one-hour parking for holders of welfare card for disability levels 4 through 6 and their accompanying passengers

※ The Hwaseong Haenggung Palace parking lot is under reconstruction work so large buses are not allowed to park there for the time being.

Public transportation

- Seoul → Suwon Station
- Gangnam Station : 3000, Jamsil Station : 1007, Sadang Station : 7770
- Suwon Station → Hwaseong Haenggung Palace 46 / 35 / 68-4 / 66 / 660 / 7-2 / 60 / 13 / 33 / 11
- Suwon Bus Terminal → Hwaseong Haenggung Palace : 64 / 112 / 7-2

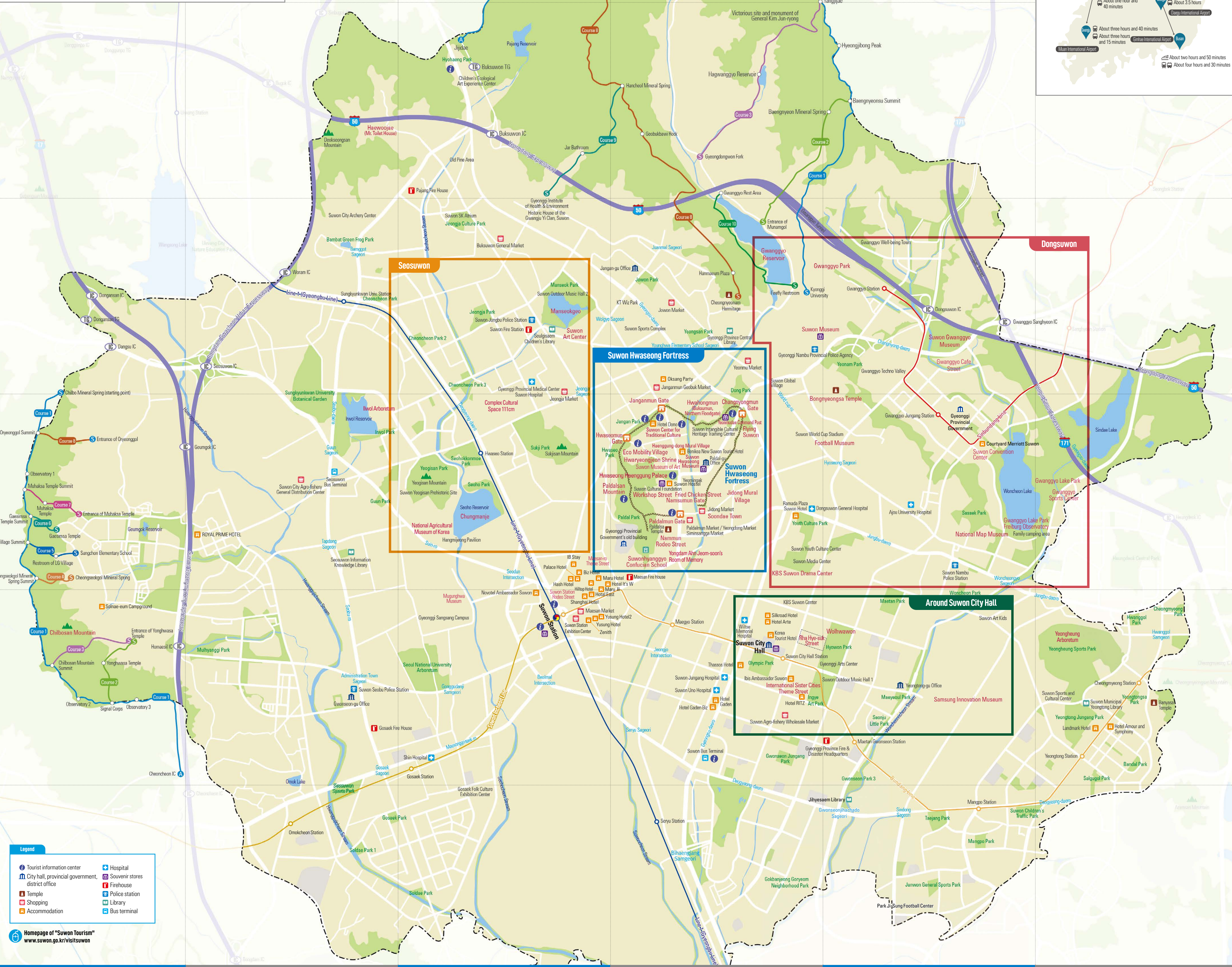
Don't forget to ride these in Suwon!

Hwaseong Royal Train / Flying Suwon / Suwon Hwaseong Bicycle Taxi

Hwaseong Royal Train
(Get on at Hwaseong Haenggung Fortress or Yeomudae)
Hwaseong Royal Train is the most comfortable way to tour Suwon Hwaseong Fortress. Explore every corner of Suwon Hwaseong Fortress as if you're a king.

Flying Suwon(Ride at: Changryongmun Gate)
Get a spectacular aerial view of Suwon Hwaseong Fortress from the sky. Flying Suwon is a pile-supported helium balloon that goes up to 150 meters in the air.

Suwon Hwaseong Bicycle Taxi
(Boarding Area: Hwaseong Haenggung Plaza)
The Suwon Hwaseong Bike Cab, Hangcar, is a motorized bicycle that allows visitors to travel around Suwon Hwaseong and Haenggung-dong with a history guide.



Suwon easily accessible from anywhere



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UNESCO World Cultural Heritage

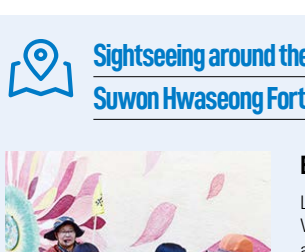
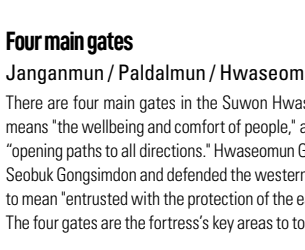
Suwon Hwaseong Fortress

MAP B4

National Historical Site No. 3

Suwon Hwaseong Fortress

Suwon was called the "second capital" during the Joseon Dynasty, and the fortress stands at the center of the city. The fortress was built by King Jeongjo, the 22nd monarch of the Joseon Dynasty. Elegant and majestic, it is an architecture that stands out as exceptionally unique in the history of Korean fortress construction. It was named a UNESCO World Heritage site in December 1997.



Four main gates

Jangnamun / Paldalmun / Hwaseomun / Changnyongmun

There are four main gates in the Suwon Hwaseong Fortress Zone. Jangnamun Gate's name means "the wellbeing and comfort of people," and Paldalmun Gate (National Treasure No. 402) "opening paths to all directions." Hwaseomun Gate (National Treasure No. 403) is connected to Seobuk Gongsim and defended the western side of the fortress. Changnyongmun is named "to mean" fortified with the protection of the eastern section of Hwaseong Fortress." The four gates are the fortress's key areas to tour and boast high architectural value.



Gongsindon

Gongsindon is a watchtower for observing remote locations. King Jeongjo showed great satisfaction in this structure by telling his subjects, "this is the first watchtower to be built in the country. Look around for as much as you like." Gongsindon is a must-see site for its high architectural beauty. The fortress has Dongbuk Gongsim and Seobuk Gongsim (National Treasure No. 1710).

Hwahongmun Gate (Buksumun, Northern Floodgate)

In the Joseon Dynasty, Suwoncheon Stream was called Boodeunae, which passed through the fortress. Water entered the fortress through Hwahongmun Gate. The stirring spray of water spilling from the seven arches is in great harmony with the surrounding landscape, making Hwahongmun Gate one of the Eight Scenic Wonders of Suwon.

Banghwasuryujeong (Dongbukgung, Northeast Pavilion)

Located at a strategic location amidst gorgeous surrounding landscape, the outward-protruding Dongbukgung Pavilion (National Treasure No. 1709) is one of the most beautiful structures in the Hwaseong Fortress Zone. In fact, the name Banghwasuryujeong (National Treasure No. 1709) means "beautiful pavilion."

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Nature and museums of Gwanggyo in one place

Dongsuwon

MAP E4

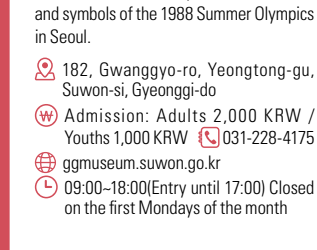
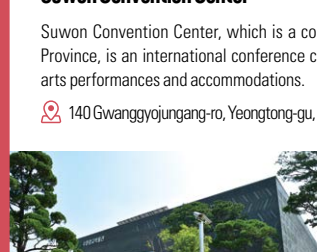
Suwon Convention Center

Suwon Convention Center, which is a core MICE facility in the southern region of Gyeonggi Province, is an international conference complex that offers exhibitions, conferences, cultural arts performances and accommodations.

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Suwon Gwanggyo Museum

This museum is home to modern relics of Korea including those discovered during the construction of Gwanggyo New Town. Visitors will also find exhibits related to Korea's modern history, Korean customs, and symbols of the 1988 Summer Olympics in Seoul.

Suwon Museum of History, Calligraphy Museum of Korea

The history, culture and leading figures of Suwon from prehistoric times to the opening of Yeongdong Market in the 1960s are displayed at Suwon Museum of History. The Calligraphy Museum of Korea offers a look at the history of Korean calligraphy at a glance.

Suwon Gwanggyo Lake Park

This is the country's largest in-city lake park with nine fountain facilities, a 6.5 km-long ring promenade, family campground and a sports climbing center. There are also several spaces harmoniously nested with nature, including the "Quiet Forest," "Happy Flower Island" and "Forest of Distant Land."

Bongnyeongs Temple

Located at the foot of Gwanggyosang Mountain, Bongnyeongs is one of the oldest traditional Buddhist temples in Suwon. It was founded by Monk Wonjaguk in 1208, the fourth year of King Huijong's reign in the Goryeo Dynasty. See a stone statue of the Buddha Triad from the Goryeo era and the Sijung portrait of the Buddha from the late Joseon period.

Suwon Gwanggyo Mountain & Gwanggyo Reservoir

Gwanggyosang Mountain is one of the Eight Scenic Wonders of Suwon. The mountain is a habitat for fireflies, an indication of the clean environment in the area. With gentle ridges and thick tree forests, the mountain is an excellent place for a green shower and hiking. There are ten hiking trails, and Gwanggyo Reservoir is nearby.

03

Young Street

Around Suwon City Hall

MAP D5

Rha Hye-suk Street

The street was established in memory of Rha Hye-suk, Korea's first female activist and an artist of Western painting. Her statue, paintings, exhibits, sculptures and other unique works are on display.

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