



Yecheon, A Feast for All Five Senses

Activities Archery Experience Center

Located in Yecheon, the heart of archery, this center offers an easy and accessible way for anyone to try their hand at the sport. Engage in a variety of archery activities, from traditional Korean archery (Gukgung) to archery survival and moving target shooting challenges.

38, Yanggung-gil, Yecheon-eup, inside Yecheon Jinho International Archery Center
054 653 2434
<https://ycarchery.com/>

Trekking Ssangjeolam Ecological Forest Trail

Enjoy a peaceful walk along a scenic route offering sweeping views of the Nakdong River. With an accessible deck trail, the journey is made easy. At the end, the Ssangjeolam observation deck will reward you with breathtaking vistas of the river's beauty.

Samsujeong Pavilion - Ssangjeolam Hermitage - Gwanseam Hermitage - Observation Deck - Biryonggyo Bridge - Samgangjumak
4.2km 2h



Trekking Hoeryongpo Trail and Observation Deck

Stroll through the winding paths of Hoeryongpo village, with its distinctive meandering stream, and soak in the riverside beauty along with the iconic Ppyong Ppyong Bridge before heading up to the observation deck for a sweeping, bird's-eye view of the entire village.

Hoeryongpo Village - Ppyong Ppyong Bridge - Mir Maze Park - First Observation Deck (Hoeryongdae)
4km 2h



Transportation options for getting to Yecheon

Getting to Yecheon from Other Major Cities

Traveling to Yecheon from key cities like Seoul, Daegu, and Busan is easy by express or intercity bus. If you prefer the train, take the Gyeongbuk Line and switch at Gimcheon Station for a connecting train. For trips within Gyeongbuk, intercity buses are your best option.

Seoul ⇒ Yecheon

- **By Train:** Take the Gyeongbu Line from Seoul to Gimcheon, then transfer to the Gyeongbuk Line for Yecheon. Takes around 4 hours and 20 minutes.
- **By Intercity Bus:** From Dong Seoul Terminal the ride takes 2 hours and 30 minutes, with 6 buses operating each day.
- **By Express Bus:** From the Seoul Express Bus Terminal, the trip takes 2 hours and 30 minutes, with 6 departures daily.
※ There are 2 airport limousine buses a day connecting Incheon International Airport to Yecheon.

Daegu ⇒ Yecheon

- **By Intercity Bus:** From Dong Daegu Terminal, the ride takes 1 hour and 40 minutes, with 10 departures daily.
- From the North Bus Terminal, it's a 1 hour and 30-minute trip, with 6 buses running each day.

Busan ⇒ Yecheon

- **By Train + Bus:** Take the KTX from Busan to Dong Daegu, then transfer to an intercity bus to Yecheon. Takes around 2 hours and 50 minutes.

How to Get to Yecheon from Other Cities in Gyeongbuk

Andong ⇒ Yecheon

- **Intercity Bus:** Departing from Andong Terminal, takes 45 minutes, 9 times a day.

Mungyeong (Jeomchon) ⇒ Yecheon

- **Intercity Bus:** Departing from Jeomchon Terminal, takes 30 minutes, 7 times a day.
- **Train:** Departing from Jeomchon Station, takes 32 minutes, 5 times a day.

Gyeongju ⇒ Yecheon

- **Intercity Bus:** Departing from Gyeongju Terminal, takes 2 hours 20 minutes, 2 times a day.

Gyeongbuk Line (Train) :
Operating from Gimcheon to Mungyeong (Jeomchon), Yecheon, and Yeongju, 5 times a day.



Festivals in Yecheon

Yecheon Insect Festival

A celebration where visitors can connect with nature and learn about the importance of living with it through interactions with insects. The Insect Ecology Center hosts themed exhibitions and hands-on activities, while the streets of Yecheon come alive with fun events and attractions.

Every August
Downtown Yecheon & Insect Ecology Center
054 650 6031

Yecheon Agricultural Products Festival

Celebrate Yecheon's finest produce at this festival, featuring top-quality crops, livestock, and local specialties, all grown with the region's trademark pure water, fertile soil, and the dedication of local farmers.

Every November
Downtown Yecheon
054 650 6271



Yecheon World Archery Festival

Held in Yecheon, known for its archery heritage, this unique festival offers hands-on experiences with both traditional Korean archery (Gukgung) and modern archery. Guests can try field archery, archery survival challenges, and much more. A themed exhibition adds to the excitement.

Every May
Hancheon Sports Park, Yecheon
054 650 6031



Samgangjumak Quay Festival

Taking place at the last surviving jumak (traditional riverside tavern inns) along the Nakdong River, this festival weaves together the river, its people, and local culture. With exhibitions, interactive experiences, performances, and local food, there's something for everyone to enjoy.

Every year around Chuseok
Samgangjumak & Samgang Cultural Land
054 650 6031

Yecheon Across the Seasons

Spring



Summer



Autumn



Winter



A Culinary Journey Through

Yonggung Sundae

One of Korea's top delicacies, Yonggung Sundae is produced in Yecheon's Yonggung-myeon area. Made with thick, tender pig intestines, this sundae offers a satisfying chew and a deep, savory flavor.



Yonggung Squid Bulgogi

Succulent squid, marinated in a spicy sauce and grilled over glowing charcoal, delivers a delicate smoky flavor. It's the perfect complement to the rich taste of Yonggung Sundae.



Top Dining Spots in Yecheon



Yecheon Hanok Experience

Spend the Night in an Enchanting Hanok



Accommodations	Address	Inquiries
1 Chunwoojae	101, Matji-gil, Yongmun-myeon	054 655 1717
2 Choganjeong	874, Yongmugyeongcheon-ro, Yongmun-myeon	054 655 9233
3 Ucheonjae	56-14, Geumdangsil-gil, Yongmun-myeon	054 650 8300
4 Sagoedang	31, Banseoul-ro, Yongmun-myeon	010 3600 9325
5 Kim Dae-gil's House	80-8, Geumdangsil-gil, Yongmun-myeon	010 3828 5385
6 Yucheoncho-og	80-12, Geumdangsil-gil, Y ongmun-myeon	010 9776 3013
7 Song-ganjae	170-8, Geumdangsil-gil, Yongmun-myeon	010 9128 3304
8 Sosodang	52-20, Geumdangsil-gil, Yongmun-myeon	010 2896 4455
9 Gwangseodang	56-16, Geumdangsil-gil, Yongmun-myeon	054 650 8300
10 Deog-yongjae	78-1, Geumdangsil-gil, Yongmun-myeon	010 4441 8816
11 Namak Head House	43-8, Gugsye-gil, Yongmun-myeon	010 9191 4612
12 Hyewondang	56-3, Yongsan-gil, Yecheon-eup	010 7655 9008
13 Sam-yeonjae	68, Unnoteugi-gil, Bomun-myeon	010 5193 2599
14 Dojeonseowon	417, Gangbyeon-ro, Homyeong-eup	010 3451 9900
15 Seonmongdae	74, Seonmongdae-gil, Homyeong-eup	010 6246 7403
16 Achim-yeonkot	48, Seonmongdae-gil, Homyeong-eup	010 5755 9536
17 House of the Cheongju Jeong Clan	99, Saeral-gil, Homyeong-eup	010 4453 2102
18 Yeongrojae	263, Umang-gil, Pungyang-myeon	010 3495 1048
19 Hanok Pori	20-3, Pori 1-gil, Gamcheon-myeon	010 9375 5000
20 Song-in	1051-40, Chunghyo-ro, Gamcheon-myeon	010 3889 5155

Yecheon

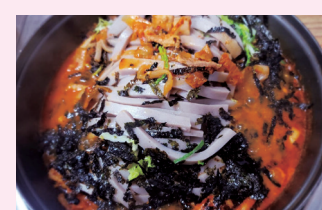
Yecheon Hanu Beef

Raised drinking the pure waters at the foot of Mt. Sobaek, Yecheon Hanu offers premium beef with exceptional quality. So well-known, it was officially trademarked as "Yecheon Hanwoo" by the Korean Intellectual Property Office.



Stir-Fried Pork with Acorn Jelly (Taepeongchuk)

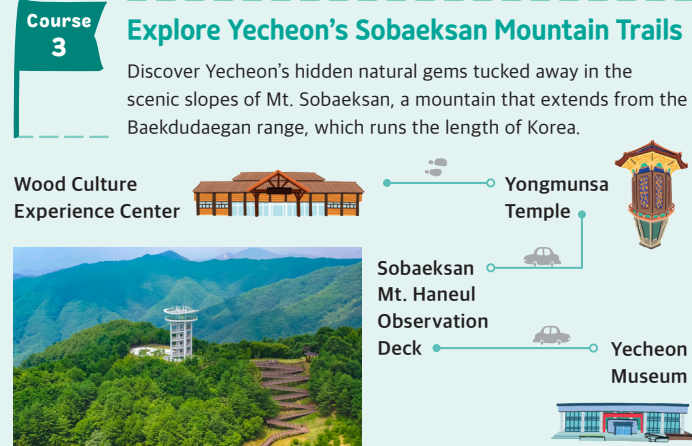
A traditional local dish made by stir-frying pork with fermented kimchi, then adding buckwheat or acorn jelly for a hearty, flavorful meal.



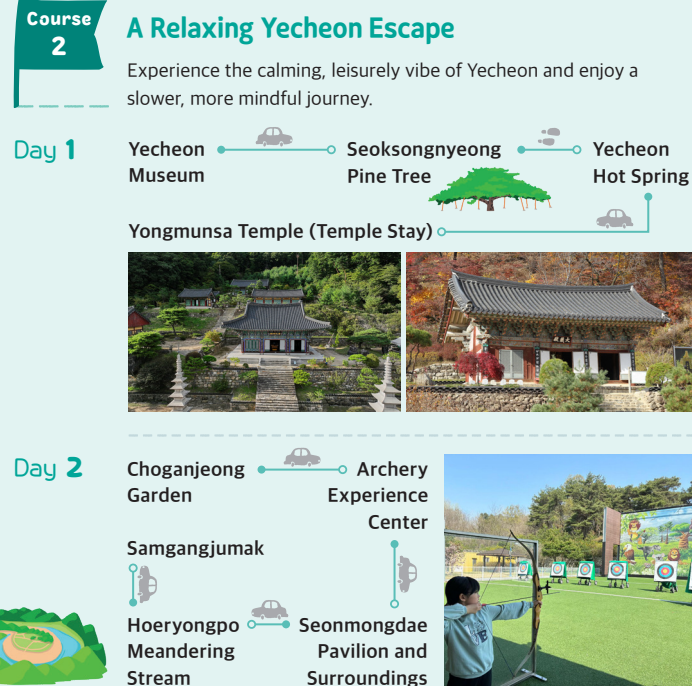
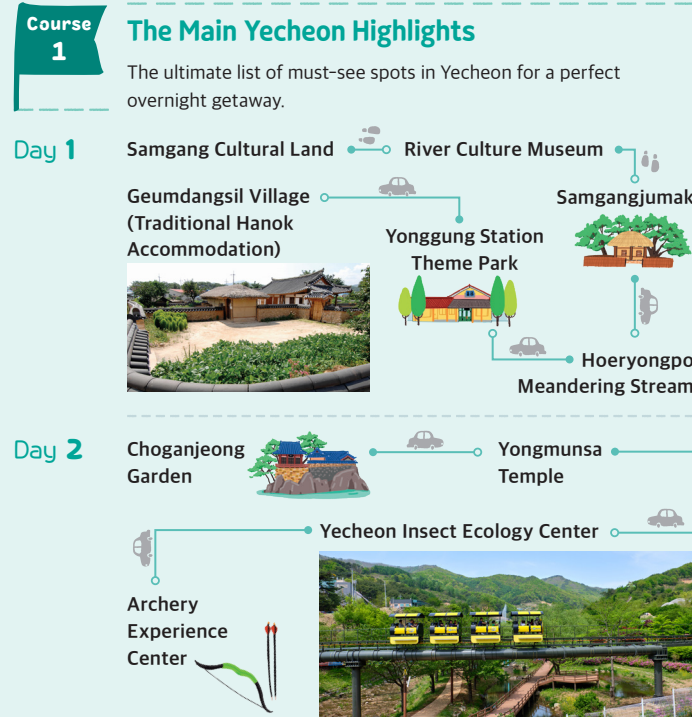
Main Accommodations in Yecheon

Accommodations	Address	Inquiries
5 Motel	91, Hyoja-ro, Yecheon-eup	054 654 0778
Royal Motel	184, Chunghyo-ro, Yecheon-eup	054 654 2985
Hanseon Motel	47, Matgoeul-gil, Yecheon-eup	054 654 2262
Gwibinjang Inn	40-4, Naksang 2-gil, Pungyang-myeon	054 653 7435
Paradise Hotel	114, Hyoja-ro, Yecheon-eup	054 652 1109
Aria Motel	133, Sijang-ro, Yecheon-eup	054 652 0304
Baengyeon Motel	97, Hyoja-ro, Yecheon-eup	054 652 9101
Ihwajang Inn	10-2, Guncheon-gil, Yecheon-eup	054 654 8728
Daeyeon Hotel	9, Hancheon-gil, Yecheon-eup	054 652 6500
E-pyeonhan Motel	747-8, Chunghyo-ro, Yecheon-eup	010 3289 3636
Geumgwangjang Inn	181-1, Jibo-ro, Jibo-myeon	054 652 5874
Loca Motel	238, Chunghyo-ro, Yecheon-eup	054 988 8000
Hwanggeum Motel	99, Hyoja-ro, Yecheon-eup	054 655 3456
Daeseon Motel	168-7, Jibo-ro, Jibo-myeon	054 652 9262
N Motel	2, Bongdeok-ro, Yecheon-eup	054 655 3030
Yecheon Motel	1488, Yeji-ro, Yecheon-eup	054 655 0505
Crystal Motel	21, Guncheon-gil, Yecheon-eup	054 655 2000
Daedeok Motel	879, Yanggung-ro, Homyeong-eup	054 654 5252
Drama Motel	1392, Gyeongseo-ro, Gaepo-myeon	010 3823 0515
Motel OK	1221, Gyeongseo-ro, Yonggung-myeon	054 652 2345
Daebajang Motel	3599, Bongho-ro, Jibo-myeon	054 853 3077
Mate Motel	19, Tanggalmot-gil, Yecheon-eup	054 654 5151
Riverside Motel	1027, Jipung-ro, Jibo-myeon	010 8448 1700
Seongnam Motel	78-4, Sijang-ro, Yecheon-eup	054 655 2417
Baegmanbul Motel	15-9, Hancheon-gil, Yecheon-eup	054 652 0726
Grand Motel	9, Bongdeok-ro, Yecheon-eup	054 652 9000
Namdo Motel	55, Yanggung-gil, Yecheon-eup	054 654 9333
Gangnam Motel	251, Jibo-ro, Jibo-myeon	054 655 3006
Hot Motel	1996, Gyeongseo-ro, Gaepo-myeon	054 655 2900
Motel Sole	78-5, Sijang-ro, Yecheon-eup	054 655 6776
First Village	20-1, Gam-gil, Bomun-myeon	054 655 0002
Hot Motel No.2	1994-1, Gyeongseo-ro, Gaepo-myeon	054 655 2900
K Motel	1060, Chunghyo-ro, Gamcheon-myeon	054 655 8586
B&B Motel	119, Hyoja-ro, Yecheon-eup	054 652 4888
M Motel	5, Bokgol-gil, Gamcheon-myeon	054 655 7496
NOX	4191-3, Bongho-ro, Homyeong-eup	054 654 6969
Santaek Stay	1089, Gyeongseo-ro, Yonggung-myeon	010 2080 3819
Mihoan	586, Gangbyeon-ro, Homyeong-eup	054 654 0140
Mirinae	102-38, Jongsan-gil, Homyeong-eup	010 8597 1571

Recommended A One-Day Trip



A Two-Day Trip



Travel Information

Information on Major Attractions

Tourist Attractions / Inquiries	Admission (Adults)	Admission (Teens/Children)	Hours of Operation
River Culture Museum 054 650 6799	3,000 won	2,000 won	10:00-17:30 (Apr. - Oct.) 10:00-17:00 (Nov. - Mar.) Closed on Mondays (Or the day after a public holiday)
Yecheon Insect Ecology Center 054 652 5876	5,000 won	4,000 won	09:00-18:00 (Apr. - Oct.) 09:00-17:00 (Nov. - Mar.) Closed on Mondays (Or the day after a public holiday) ※ Additional fee for monorail rides
Yecheon Museum 054 650 8317	Free		09:00-18:00 (Mar. - Oct.) 09:00-17:00 (Nov. - Feb.) Closed on Mondays
Yecheon Astro-Space Center 054 654 1710	8,000won / Space Tower Experience Ticket 12,000won / Night Viewing		Daytime Experience 10:00-17:00 Night Viewing (Advance Reservation Required) Closed on Mondays and Tuesdays ※ Unavailable for children under 5

Inquiries

Korea Travel Helpline 1330
Yecheon-gun 054 654 3801
Yecheon Station 054 652 7788
Yecheon Intercity Bus Terminal 054 654 3798

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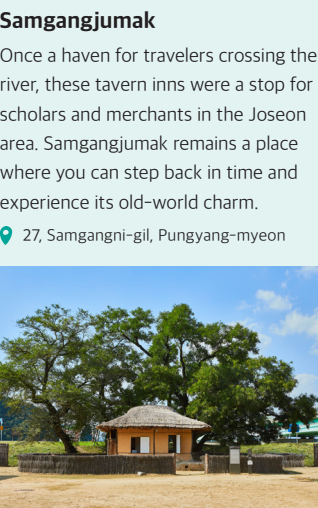


8 Stunning Sights in Yecheon

1st **Hoeryongpo Meandering Stream**
Encircled by a winding stream, Hoeryongpo Village feels like an island on land. Its signature attraction, the "Ppyong Ppyong Bridge," gets its name from the way water bubbles up through its gaps. Visitors can enjoy fields of flowers, a maze park, and other charming sights.



2nd **Samgangjumbak**
Once a haven for travelers crossing the river, these tavern inns were a stop for scholars and merchants in the Joseon area. Samgangjumbak remains a place where you can step back in time and experience its old-world charm.



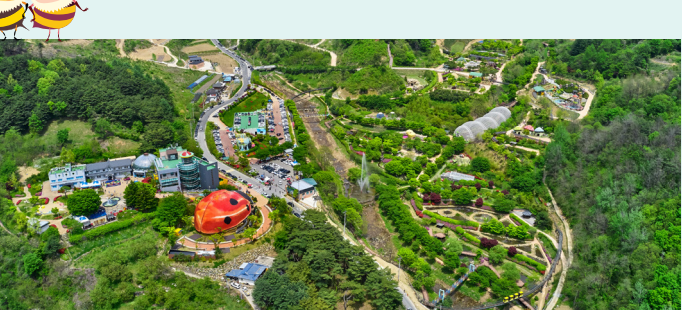
3rd **Geumgangsill Village**
Considered by King Taejo, founder of the Joseon Dynasty, as a potential capital, this site preserves the charm of Korean hanok houses. A pine forest, recognized as a natural monument, adds to the timeless beauty of the village.



4th **Choganjeong Garden**
In 1582, the scholar behind Korea's first encyclopedia built this retreat as a place for contemplation and study. While the structure stands slightly west of its original site, the cliffside pavilion still blends seamlessly with the landscape.



6th **Yecheon Insect Ecology Center**
A fascinating place where you can observe nature up close, this museum lets visitors encounter thousands of insect species. With an immersive greenhouse, an outdoor insect garden, a monorail ride, and fun insect-themed attractions, it offers an unforgettable experience for all ages.



7th **Seoksongnyeong Pine Tree**
Standing tall for over 700 years, this pine tree carries its own unique legacy. In 1927, a villager named Lee Sumok honored it with the name Seoksongnyeong or "Sacred Spirit of the Stone Pine," and even left his land to the tree, earning it the nickname "tree with an inheritance."



8th **Seonmongdae Pavilion and Surroundings**
Built in 1563 by Lee Yeoldo, a descendant of the famous Joseon scholar Lee Hwang, this pavilion features an inscription on the pavilion, said to be written by Lee Hwang himself. The surrounding forest also played a crucial role in guarding the village against both winds and floods.



Map1

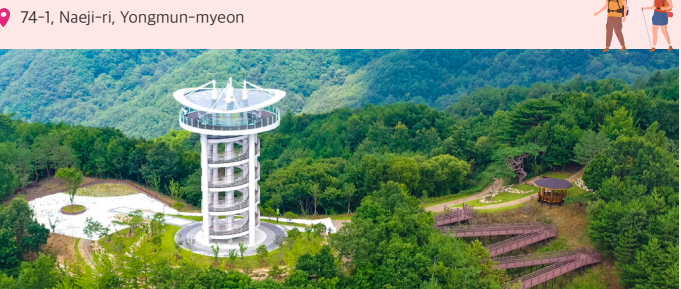
Yecheon at a Glance

Yecheon is a region in southeastern Korea, located in Gyeongsangbuk-do. The ridges of the Sobaeksan Mountains extend across the landscape, while the Nakdonggang River and Naeseongcheon Stream wind through, shaping its breathtaking scenery. Here, nature and history intertwine, revealing a story deeply rooted in tradition.



Yecheon's Must-See Attractions

Sobaeksan Mt. Haneul Observation Deck
Perched at 730 meters above sea level, this observation deck on Mt. Sobaeksan offers sweeping views of the mountain's stunning landscapes and the Eolimi Reservoir, formed by the upper dam of the Yecheon Pumped-Storage Power Plant. A scenic walking trail adds to the experience.



Yonggung Station Theme Park
This unmanned station has been reimagined as a theme park inspired by the classic Korean tale Byeollubeon, or "The Tale of the Turtle and the Rabbit." Experience a modern twist through interactive automata, media art, and sculptures that bring the legend to life.



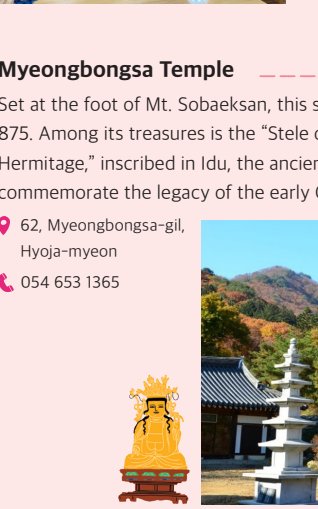
Yecheon Astro-Space Center
Gaze at the cosmos through a giant telescope and experience space environments like zero gravity at this fun space center. With an observatory, a space-themed experience center, a playground for kids, and a cozy café, there's something for everyone to enjoy.



Yecheon Museum
A museum that showcases the rich cultural heritage of Yecheon, a region famed for its Shipseunggi, or "Ten Breathtaking Landscapes" and deep-rooted values of loyalty and filial piety. The museum's front yard serves as a peaceful retreat for the local community.



Wood Culture Experience Center
An experience center where you can learn all about wood and try your hand at woodworking. Inside, you'll find exhibition spaces, woodworking workshops, and areas for play, while outside, you can enjoy the serene gardens and a designated picnic zone.



Yecheon Hot Spring
Known for its crystal-clear streams and legends surrounding water, Yecheon has long been celebrated for its pure springs. The Yecheon Hot Springs, with its soothing alkaline mineral waters, offers the perfect remedy to unwind after a day of travel. Plus, the prices are pleasantly affordable.



River Culture Museum
Located in the Samgang Cultural Complex, this themed exhibition showcases the vibrant rivers, ecosystems, and folk traditions of Yecheon, where the Nakdong, Naeseongcheon, and Geumcheon streams converge. With its main exhibits, video gallery, café, and outdoor observation deck, there's plenty to enjoy.



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