

Key facts about South Korea

Diverse Geography

Gyeonggi

Jeollabuk

Jeollanam

Seoul _____

Gwangju —/

Gangwon

Gyeongsangbuk

Gyeonsangnam

Chungbuk

The vibrant nation of South
Korea is home to the bustling
capital city of Seoul, as well as its
own autonomous metropolitan
Serejong. But remember some
fantastic cities like Busan, Incheon
and Daegu too! This presidential
republic consists of eight
provinces ("do" in Korean) plus an
extra self-governing particular
region known as Jeju for good
measure. All together, making up
this fascinating country full of
culture and adventure just waiting
to be explored.

Currency

Daegu

South Korea has its own currency—the South Korean Won. Exchange rates are very favourable in the Land of Morning Calm: one USD can get you between 1050 to 1200 KRW (making your wallet much fuller than usual), while inflation remains relatively low at 1%.



Language

In this region, Korean is spoken by the masses, and English has been adopted as a secondary language. Education systems ensure that knowledge of both tongues is instilled in students, while urban areas inject an extra dose of bilingualism into their workforce.



Internet Connectivity

In South Korea, the internet is king.
Connectivity reigns supreme, with 92% of its people plugged in and emails an ever-present form of communication alongside phone calls – turning it into a virtual world superpower.