

Explore Kyrgyzstan in 5 days

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Organizing any complexity of tours to Issyk-Kul, Son-Kul, around Kyrgyzstan and Central Asia. We guarantee you high quality of service and individual approach!:

HIGHLIGHTS OF THE TOUR

- Bishkek
- Burana Historical Tower
- Ysyk-Kol Lake
- Chunkurchak Gorge
- Ala-Archa National Park

DAY: ARRIVE BISHKEK

- Arrival to Manas International Airport in Bishkek early in the morning
- Meet at the airport and transfer to hotel. Early check-in available with breakfast
- Morning free time
- 14.00pm-17.00pm Guided sightseeing tour of Bishkek

Accommodation: 4* Ramada by Wyndham Bishkek or similar

Meals: B

Bishkek is the capital city of Kyrgyzstan. It lies in the Chu River valley near the Kyrgyz Mountains at an elevation of 2,500–3,000 feet (750–900 meters). It was founded as the Russian garrison of Pishpek. The city is set before a backdrop of the northern edge of the Ala-Too mountain range, and was originally a heavily forested rest stop on the Silk Road. Appropriated by the Russians in 1877, the city was eventually re-named Bishkek when Kyrgyzstan achieved its independence at the break-up of the Soviet Union. Two rivers, the Alamedin and Ala-Archa, run from the mountains through the city into the Chuy River, which also forms the Kazakh border. Bishkek is graced with large boulevards, friendly people and more trees than any other Central Asian city. On clear days, the permanently snow capped mountains looming over the city provide spectacular views.

Bishkek sightseeing tour covers Ala-Too Main Square, the monument of Peace and Friendship dedicated to April 2010 revolution victims and Manas on horse monument. State Historical Museum (closed on Mondays), Oak Park, Old Square, Victory Square, open air Art Gallery where oil paintings of local artists could be seen, Erkindik Boulevard, Youth Alley where the Statue of Manas - the founder of the Kyrgyz nation is located in front of the Kyrgyz State Grand Philharmonic Hall. Finish the tour with an excursion to Osh Bazaar. If time permits you can visit TSUM Department Store for local souvenirs.

DAY: DAY-TRIP TO YSYK-KOL LAKE (250km one way)

Today is an early start & late arrival!

- 08.00am Pick-up from hotel early in the morning
- Transfer to Cholpon-Ata, main city on the northern coast of Ysyk-Kol Lake
- Stop at Burana Tower for excursion
- Visit open air Petroglyphs Museum in Cholpon-Ata town
- Arrival to Bishkek after 18.00pm. Drop-off at the hotel

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Available activity for extra charge: One hour boat tour at the lake

Burana Complex (UNESCO heritage site) - one of the few historical buildings in Kyrgyzstan and a remnant of an old Silk Road town. The tower is a part of the minaret of the town of Balasagun that was the capital of the Karahanid Dynasty during the 11th century. In 1974 the tower was restored and now it is possible to climb up through the inside stairs and enjoy the beautiful panoramic view of the surrounding mountains from its top. Around the tower there are Balbals (stone warriors) from between the 6th and 10th centuries. The small museum contains more artifacts collected in this area.

Ysyk-Kol Lake, a drainless lake in northeastern Kyrgyzstan. Situated in the northern Tien Shan it is one of the largest high-mountain lakes in the world and is famous for its magnificent scenery and unique scientific interest. It is situated within the bottom edges of the Lake Ysyk-Kol basin, which is bordered to the north by the Kungoy Ala Range and to the south by the Teskey Ala Range. The lake's Kyrgyz name, Issyk-Kol, means "Hot Lake," alluding to the fact that it does not freeze over during the winter.

DAY: BISHKEK - CHUNKURCHAK GORGE (40km) mountain road

- 10:00m Departure to Chunkurchak Gorge
- Enjoy wild tulip fields on the way (available May-June)
- Yurt hotel check-in upon arrival
- National cuisine (lunch & dinner) at Supara Chunkurchak yurt restaurant (not included)
- Easy hiking to surrounding mountains

Accommodation: Yurt Hotel Supara Chunkurchak

Meals: B

DAY: CHUNKURCHAK GORGE - ALA-ARCHA NATIONAL PARK - BISHKEK

- 10.00am Pick up from the yurt hotel
- Drive to Ala-Archa National Park
- Walking excursion at the park (1-2 hours). Possible to do a longer trek towards Ak-Sai waterfall (4-5 hours, easy to medium level)
- Return back to Bishkek. Drop off at the hotel
- Evening free time

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Located 41 km from Bishkek, and occupying an area of approximately 20 hectares, the Ala-Archa National Park includes all landscape and climatic zones. A river with the same name flows through the gorge. The beautiful landscape and richness of flora and fauna in the park allows it to be used for hiking, recreation, and leisure all year round.

DAY: DEPARTURE FROM BISHKEK

- Pick-up from hotel and transfer to the airport for your departure flight

Included in the price

- Excursions

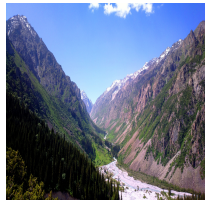
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