

WINTER CENTRAL MONGOLIA TOUR – 7DAYS / 6 NIGHTS

Tour Highlights

- Explore Ulaanbaatar: Sukhbaatar Square & Chinggis Khaan Museum
- Traditional Mongolian folk performance
- Terelj National Park: Turtle Rock & Aryabal Meditation Temple
- Chinggis Khaan Equestrian Statue at Tsonjinboldog
- Skiing, snowboarding, or sledding at Sky Resort
- Visit Kharkhorin & Erdene Zuu Monastery
- Orkhon Waterfall in winter
- Relax at Tsenkher Hot Springs
- Dog sledding experience



Availability

December – March

Overview

Experience the magic of winter in Central Mongolia on this 8-day tour. Explore the vibrant capital, Ulaanbaatar, visit ancient monasteries, and enjoy snowy landscapes in Terelj National Park. Try skiing, snowboarding, or sledding at Sky Resort, witness frozen waterfalls, and relax in natural hot springs. With cultural performances, dog sledding, and historical sites, this tour combines adventure, culture, and the unique beauty of Mongolia in winter.

Day 1 – Ulaanbaatar

Arrive in Ulaanbaatar, the vibrant capital of Mongolia where Soviet-era architecture meets modern skyscrapers. Visit **Sukhbaatar Square**, named after the revolutionary hero Damdin Sukhbaatar, who declared Mongolia's independence in 1921. Explore the **Chinggis Khaan Museum** to uncover the history of the largest contiguous empire in human history. In the evening, enjoy the **Tsagaan Lavai Folk Performance**, a dazzling showcase of throat singing, traditional dance, and horsehead fiddle music.

Accommodation: **Hotel**

Day 2 – Terelj National Park & Tsonjinboldog

Travel to **Terelj National Park**, a winter wonderland famous for its snow-covered granite formations and frosted pine forests. Visit the **Turtle Rock**, offering peaceful views over the valley. Stop at **Tsonjinboldog** to see the massive **Chinggis Khaan Equestrian Statue**, a 40-meter steel monument that gleams against the snowy steppe. Enjoy an exciting **dog sledding** adventure through the snowy landscapes of Terelj National Park.

Meals: **Breakfast** Accommodation: **Ger tourist camp (Terelj)**

Day 3 – Snow Skiing at Sky Resort

After breakfast, we will head to Sky Resort, the premier ski resort of Mongolia, located just outside Ulaanbaatar. The resort offers breathtaking views of snow-covered mountains and is the perfect spot to enjoy Mongolia's winter charm.

Guests can choose one activity: **skiing, snowboarding, or sledding**. Each participant will enjoy 3 hours of fun on the slopes, with full gear (equipment, boots, and helmet) included.

"Please note that gloves and goggles are not included, so you will need to buy them separate. Once an activity is chosen, it cannot be switched."

The resort has slopes suitable for both **beginners** and **experienced** riders, making it enjoyable for everyone. After skiing, relax with warm drinks or explore the beautiful snowy landscape before returning to Ulaanbaatar.

Meals: **Breakfast** Accommodation: **Hotel (Ulaanbaatar)**

Day 4 – Elsen Tasarkhai & Kharkhorin

Drive west to Travel to **Elsen Tasarkhai**, the 'Mini Gobi', where area of rolling sandy hills meet unique winter landscapes. Enjoy a camel ride before heading to **Kharkhorin (Karakorum)**, the ancient capital built by Chinggis Khaan in 1220. Explore the **Erdene Zuu Monastery**, the first Buddhist monastery in Mongolia, built in 1586. Its golden temples and white stupas look especially striking in winter's stillness. Learn about Mongolia's history of empire, trade, and religion while walking among sacred grounds.

Meals: **Breakfast** Accommodation: **Ger tourist camp (Kharkhorin)**

Day 5 – Tsenkher Hot Springs

Relax at the famous **Tsenkher Hot Springs**, where natural geothermal water flows at around 85°C. Soaking in the steaming outdoor pools surrounded by snowy mountains is especially beautiful in winter. The contrast of the warm mineral waters and the crisp cold air makes this an unforgettable experience.

Meals: **Breakfast** Accommodation: **Ger tourist camp**

Day 6 – Return to Ulaanbaatar

Drive back to Ulaanbaatar the capital with free time for shopping at the State Department Store and local cashmere boutiques.

Meals: **Breakfast** Accommodation: **Hotel**

Day 7 – Departure

Enjoy a relaxed morning before your transfer to the airport. Say farewell to Mongolia with memories of majestic landscapes, rich history, and warm nomadic hospitality.

Total Price: \$1560 per person

- **Age 1-3 Years, 30% of Base Price**
- **Age 4-6 Years, 50% of Base Price**
- **Age 7-11 Years, 70% of Base price**
- **Age 12-Above 100% price**

What's Included:

- ✓ Accommodation (2–3 people in ger and hotel, all nights specified in itinerary)
- ✓ All breakfast as per itinerary
- ✓ Airport pick-up and drop-off
- ✓ Domestic transport with 4×4 jeep and driver
- ✓ English-speaking guide
- ✓ Traditional folk performance tickets
- ✓ All entrance fees to attractions including (except Day 3)

What's Not Included:

- × International flights
- × Alcoholic beverages
- × Camera fees for museums and monasteries
- × Personal equipment (ski gear, winter clothing, etc.)
- × Single supplement (+\$150 USD if required)
- × Travel insurance
- × Ski day package at Sky Resort (Day 3)
- × Dog sledding fee
- × Visa fee (+\$100 USD extra)

Additional Information

- All hotel accommodations are for 2 people per room. Gers accommodate 3–4 people each. If you require a separate hotel room or ger, an extra charge will apply.
- **Road conditions in winter can be unpredictable.** All transfers are done by 4×4 jeeps to ensure safe travel across snow and ice.
- Winter weather in Mongolia is cold and dry, so bring warm layered clothing, **insulated boots, and good quality winter gear.**
- Optional horse riding and cultural experiences are available depending on conditions.
- **Sleeping bag** - During this winter journey, some nights in the countryside can get quite cold, so we recommend that all participants bring a good warm sleeping bag (4-season or -10°C / 15°F or below) for extra comfort at ger camps.

Why Choose This Tour

- Dog sledding adventure through the snowy valleys of Terelj National Park.
- Skiing, snowboarding, or sledding at Mongolia's premier Sky Resort.
- Crossing the "Mini Gobi" sand dunes of Elsentsarkhai in winter.
- Exploring the ancient capital Kharkhorin and the Erdene Zuu Monastery.
- Witnessing the frozen beauty of Orkhon Waterfall.
- Relaxing in the steaming outdoor pools of Tsenkher Hot Springs.