



# Korean dreams

EDUCATION PROGRAMS

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**KOREAN DREAMS: PAINTINGS & SCREENS FROM THE JOSEON DYNASTY**  
The Lee Ufan Collection  
in the Musée Guimet, Paris

5 March – 8 June 2009  
Asian Galleries, ground level  
Free admission

This exhibition marks the first showing of traditional Korean painting at the Gallery, and features Korean screens, hanging scrolls and album leaves dating from the 17th to the 19th centuries. It brings together an unfamiliar yet unique tradition that was shaped by a love of landscape, an empathy with shamanist beliefs, lively folk traditions, and a Confucian-inspired love for books, learning and the literature of Korea and China.

Assembled over many years by the leading contemporary artist Lee Ufan, the collection, regarded by specialists as one of the most important ever assembled by a single connoisseur, illustrates the principal themes that concerned Korean painters in the later part of the Joseon period (1392–1910). The exhibition includes themes such as calligraphy, landscape, bird-and-flower, mythical animals, and portraits.

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The ten symbols of longevity (*Shipjangsaeng-do*) 1800s (detail), six-panel folding screen. Collection Musée Guimet, Paris © Musée Guimet/Thierry Ollivier

FOR STUDENTS: YEARS 3-6 & 7-12

**Korean Papercraft Workshop**

Thursdays 7, 14, 21, 28 May

Work with Korean traditional paper artist  
Soon Hee Ko and view the exhibition.

Maximum 30 students per hour  
\$187.50 per group of 15 students or less

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT  
7-12 VISUAL ARTS

**Artexpress Teachers Day**

Friday 6 March, 9.30am – 3.30pm

Contemporary artist and connoisseur Lee Ufan will present a lecture in this program on his art practice and the importance of his collection from which the *Korean dreams: paintings & screens from the Joseon dynasty* is drawn.

\$85 / \$77 AGS members

\$42.50 tertiary students

Includes morning tea, lunch & resources

Full program available at  
[www.artgallery.nsw.gov.au/ed/712/prof\\_dev/artexpress\\_td](http://www.artgallery.nsw.gov.au/ed/712/prof_dev/artexpress_td)

K-6 TEACHERS HOLIDAY WORKSHOP

**Beautiful Korea**

Friday 24 April, 2–4.30pm

Tour through the exhibition with our Gallery educators and participate in a workshop with Korean traditional papercraft artist Soon Hee Ko. Discuss traditions, landscape and symbolic animals, and experiment with masks, puppetry and decorative art techniques to develop ideas for the K–6 classroom.

\$40 / \$35 AGS members & tertiary students

Includes afternoon tea & cross-curricular educational material

RESOURCES

- Exhibition catalogue available from the Gallery Shop [www.artgallery.nsw.gov.au/shop](http://www.artgallery.nsw.gov.au/shop)
- Education kit and exhibition information available online [www.artgallery.nsw.gov.au/ed](http://www.artgallery.nsw.gov.au/ed)

OTHER EXHIBITIONS IN TERM 1 2009

Consider combining your visit to *Korean dreams* with one of the wealth of other exhibitions on view at the Gallery.

**Archibald, Wynne and Sulman Prizes**

7 March – 24 May

\$5 per student for booked school groups

**Country culture community** until 19 April

**Artexpress 09** 16 February – 19 April

**Tim Johnson** 13 March – 17 May

Free admission

BOOKINGS

For full details on bookings and excursion information  
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