

**Taiwan Invitational 2025 - Schedule Overview and Sights to See!**

Schedule Overview:

* Wednesday, October 8th - Arrival in Taiwan (for International Teams)
  1. EVA Airlines, China Airlines, Starlux Airlines, Delta Airlines, and United Airlines all currently have direct flights to TPE.

○ Typically, arrivals in TPE from the United States are either very early morning (5-7am) or evening (6-8pm).

○ Reminder: travel to Taiwan will cross the dateline, so a midday flight on Tuesday, October 7th from SFO will land in the evening on October 8th. Please check with your travel agent to confirm departure and arrival times.

* Thursday, October 9th - Sightseeing Day
  1. 10/10 is Taiwan’s National Day, so it will be a national holiday weekend with lots of excitement - and the sites are still open!

○ TAS will provide buses for overseas students and coaches and TAS students to transit to locations in Taipei.

○ Potential places we will visit on 10/9 (Final list will be determined closer to the tournament, but in 2024 we visited National Palace Museum, Taipei 101, and CKS Memorial Hall):

■ Taipei 101: <https://www.taipei-101.com.tw/en/observatory>

■ Sun Yat Sen Memorial Hall (if re-opened): [https://www.yatsen.gov.tw/en/News\_Content.aspx?n=6700&s=204 944](https://www.yatsen.gov.tw/en/News_Content.aspx?n=6700&s=204944)

■ CKS Memorial Hall and Liberty Square:

<https://www.cksmh.gov.tw/en/>■ 228 Peace Park:

<https://eng.taiwan.net.tw/m1.aspx?sNo=0002090&id=R3>■ Presidential Office (if tours have resumed):

<https://english.president.gov.tw/Page/124>

■ National Palace Museum: <https://www.npm.gov.tw/?l=2>

■ Martyr Shrine:

<https://eng.taiwan.net.tw/m1.aspx?sNo=0002090&id=1795>

* Friday, October 10th - Tournament Day 1
  1. We will start the day with an opening ceremony

○ We will end the tournament day by 5:30-6:00pm to allow for an evening activity for participants.

○ Trip to the Shilin Night Market: <https://eng.taiwan.net.tw/m1.aspx?sNo=0002090&id=154>

* Saturday, October 11th - Tournament Day 2
  1. Tournament day will end around 7pm, with an evening activity following for participants.
* Sunday, October 12th - Tournament Day 3
  1. PF is scheduled to end by 2-3pm, and CX by 6-7pm.

○ Evening activity for students will be a trip to the Ximending shopping district. TAS will provide busses.

■ Ximending:

<https://english.cw.com.tw/article/article.action?id=3581>

○ There are flights that depart on the evening of Sunday, October 13th (usually around 11pm-midnight for flights to the U.S.) if teams are interested in that.

* Monday, October 13th - Departure Day
  1. Most airlines have morning/early afternoon flights to the U.S.

(9am-12pm)