

## Mendoza Excursions

Between the Andes and the vineyards, tailor-made experiences. Upon your arrival at Mendoza, our team will be ready to understand your preferences and create an itinerary that reflects exactly what you're looking for. Each activity is adapted to your pace, allowing every experience to unfold at your own rhythm. In the meantime, take a look at some of the possibilities that await you here.





# Rafting

Difficulty: **MODERATE**

Travel Time:

Total Time: **45 minutes**

**HALF DAY, AQUATIC**

For those who enjoy a dose of adrenaline, rafting on the meltwaters of the Mendoza River is an unmissable experience. With moderate difficulty (Class II+ / III+), it's accessible, exciting, and set in a stunning natural environment.

In summer, the river runs stronger, carrying sediments that create intense rapids with drops and waves — ideal for thrill-seekers. In winter, the water level drops, revealing rock formations and offering a clearer, more scenic ride. The pace is calmer, but the experience remains equally rewarding.

This activity is shared with other Awasi guests (minimum of 4 people).



# Gastronomic Experience

Difficulty: **EASY**

Travel Time: **10 - 30 minutes**

Total Time: **2 hours per winery\***

**HALF DAY, LEISURE**

Lunch can be enjoyed at a selection of unique venues across Luján de Cuyo, each offering a distinct culinary experience rooted in the region's landscape and traditions.

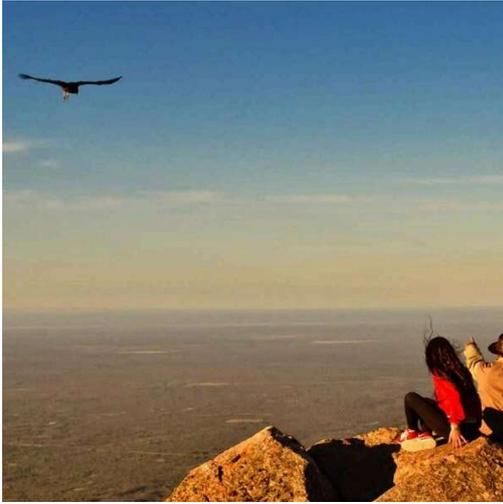
At **Assemblage**, French-Argentine fusion cuisine is served in an elegant yet relaxed setting, combining classic techniques with local flavours.

**Terrazas** offers an intimate experience, with open-fire cooking stations and optional hands-on classes that invite guests to participate in the preparation of their meal.

At **Zonda**, located within **Lagarde**, guests can enjoy refined cuisine in a tranquil atmosphere that reflects the spirit of the surrounding vineyards.

For a more rustic and immersive experience, Ramos Generales at Bodega Kaikén offers lunch in the heart of the vineyard—complete with fires, grilled meats, and empanadas.

\* The gastronomic experiences last around two hours. The total duration will depend on the number of wineries visited in combination with the gastronomic experiences.



## Cóndor Lookout Trail

Difficulty: **MODERATE**

Travel Time: **2 hour and 30 minutes**

Total Time: **7 hours**

**HALF DAY, FULL DAY, ACTIVE**

Explore Quebrada del Cóndor, a private reserve in the Andes offering access to multiple hiking routes and scenic trails. Choose from half-day or full-day hikes, all guided and tailored to your pace and interests.

Far from the public routes, this secluded landscape offers a chance to connect with nature far from crowds and with luck, spot majestic condors soaring overhead.

It is recommended to bring technical footwear, layered clothing, gloves, and thermal socks for winter.

## Horseback Riding at Awasi

Difficulty: **EASY**

Travel Time: **0 minutes**

Total Time: **1 hour and 30 minutes**

**HALF DAY, HORSEBACK RIDE**



An ideal way to explore the vineyards and rural landscapes surrounding the lodge.

The flat and gentle terrain is perfect for less experienced riders, though some trails offer the opportunity to canter.

Rides can include visits to nearby wineries such as Decero and Ojo de Agua.



## Andes Horseback Ride

Difficulty: **EASY**

Travel Time: **1 hour and 30 minutes**

Total Time: **6 hours\***

**HALF DAY, HORSEBACK RIDE**

This family-run ranch sits along the scenic Camino de la Carrera, offering sweeping views and a Patagonian-like sense of vastness.

Upon arrival, guests are warmly welcomed with coffee before setting off on a horseback ride along rugged trails that wind through hills and untouched native vegetation, providing a stark contrast to the vineyard landscapes.

The experience ends with empanadas and wine shared with the hosts. It's an excellent outing to combine with visits to wineries in the Uco Valley.

\*The total time might be extended to 8 hours if combined with a visit to Valle de Uco wineries.

## Awasi Biking Tour

Difficulty: **EASY**

Travel Time: **0 minutes**

Total Time: **1 hour**

**HALF DAY, ACTIVE, BIKE**



Discover the rural roads and vineyards surrounding Awasi by bike.

The flat and gentle terrain is perfect for casual cyclists or anyone seeking a relaxed and scenic ride. For those after more adventure, some trails allow for a faster pace.

Routes can include visits to nearby wineries like Decero and Ojo de Agua, offering a unique blend of outdoor activity and wine tasting.



## Camino de las Carreras Biking Tour

**Difficulty: MODERATE**

**Travel Time: 1 hour**

**Total Time: 8 hours\***

**HALF DAY, ACTIVE, BIKE**

To reach the starting point, we transport the bikes by vehicle to a scenic unpaved road located about an hour from Awasi.

Once there, guests can choose how much of the 30 km route they wish to explore. This flexible experience can be easily combined with visits to Uco Valley wineries, horseback riding, or hiking in the same area.

\*This experience is offered in combination with Quebrada del Cóndor Hike or Horseback Riding at Vivacs del Plata, lasting a maximum of 8 hours. The bike riding itself lasts 2:30 hours maximum.

## Cooking Class

**Difficulty: EASY**

**Travel Time: 0 minutes**

**Total Time: 2 hours**

**HALF DAY, LEISURE**



Enjoy a hands-on culinary experience set among the vineyards of our lodge. Learn to prepare classic local dishes such as empanadas, grilled bread, ojo de bife (ribeye), tomatacán, and seasonal grilled fruits, all guided by our kitchen team.

The experience ends with a relaxed meal, open-air meal, where you'll enjoy the recipes you've just prepared, surrounded by the landscape that inspired them.

Advance reservation is required.

## Live Music

Difficulty: **NONE**

Travel Time: **0 minutes**

Total Time: **1 hour**

**HALF DAY, LEISURE**



Evenings at Awasi Mendoza are elevated by the sound of live music.

Whether it's the intensity of tango or the smooth rhythm of jazz, dinner becomes a sensorial experience, connecting cuisine, place, and melody

## Wine Tasting

Difficulty: **NONE**

Travel Time: **0 minutes**

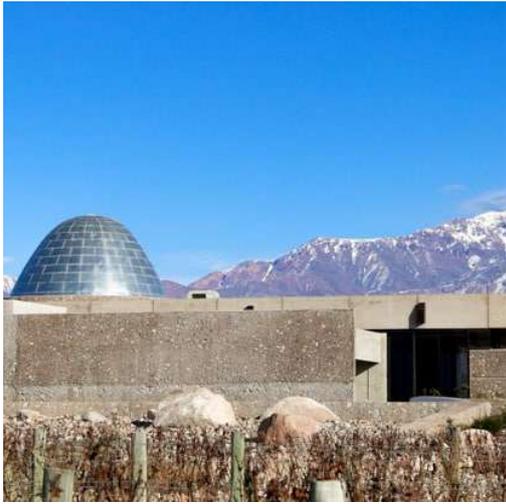
Total Time: **1 hour**

**HALF DAY, LEISURE**



Guests can join our sommelier for an introductory winetasting in the cellar — a guided journey through the flavors, terroir, and techniques of the region.

Ideal for beginners or enthusiasts who want to explore Mendoza's wine culture in a relaxed setting.



## Winery Visits

Difficulty: **EASY**

Travel Time: **10 - 30 minutes \***

Total Time: **Variable \*\***

**FULL DAY**

Step into the heart of Mendoza with private visits to the region's most exceptional wineries. From family-run vineyards with century-old vines to cutting-edge estates redefining modern enology, every visit offers a different story and a different taste. You'll explore a curated selection of wineries, each offering an immersive experience where wine, gastronomy and storytelling take center stage.

\*Wineries in Luján de Cuyo area are within 10 to 30 minutes from the hotel.

\*\*Each winery visit lasts approximately one hour, making it possible to explore between two and four wineries in a single day.

## Aconcagua

Difficulty: **MODERATE**

Travel Time: **1 hour and 30 minutes**

Total Time: **9 hours**

**FULL DAY, ACTIVE**



Rising to nearly 7000 meters, Aconcagua is the highest peak in the Americas, a giant of the Andes and a symbol of natural grandeur.

This full-day trek begins at Horcones Lagoon, inside Aconcagua Provincial Park, at an altitude of 2950 meters. Accompanied by a professional guide, you'll follow the Horcones River Valley, taking in breathtaking views of Aconcagua's south face and the Andean landscape.

The route crosses the Durazno Ravine before reaching Confluencia (3,390 meters), a rewarding viewpoint with vistas of the southern wall of

Aconcagua.

After enjoying a picnic lunch at the viewpoint, you'll descend following the same scenic trail back to the starting point.