



Japan Holidays
GUIDED TOUR

LAND OF ART

12 days from \$7685

Daily Departures



TOUR DESCRIPTION

Introduction:

This tour has been designed specifically for art lovers. The itinerary is full of arts, from the ancient days to the modern times, ranging from the conventional to the avant-garde.

Price:

From \$7685 per person, twin share

Inclusions:

- 11 nights accommodation, including 1 night in a Japanese Ryokan
- English Speaking Guide, except day 1 & 12
- Bullet train on days 4, 7, 10 & 11
- Public transport as listed on itinerary
- 11 Breakfasts, 1 Dinner
- Luggage delivery from Tokyo to Takamatsu, Takamatsu to Kyoto, Kyoto to Tokyo (1 piece per person each sector)

Highlights:

- Tour itinerary designed specifically for art lovers
- Enjoy a personal holiday experience travelling with a small group of like-minded travellers
- Travel through Japan on the latest Shinkansen bullet train allowing time to relax and having your main luggage sent ahead
- Experienced tour guides in each location allowing you to see more, experience more and learn more
- Stay in a traditional Japanese Ryokan one night especially chosen based on style, character and location
- Enjoy daily buffet breakfasts – all with a local flavour.

* Please note the tour *does not* include: Flights, Insurance, Porter Service at airport and hotels, or Personal expenses. Japan Holidays are happy to arrange any extra services for you, at an additional cost if required. Just ask!

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ITINERARY

Day 1 - Arrival in Tokyo

After arrival at Narita International Airport, own transfer to hotel in Tokyo.

*The rooms will be available from 3pm.



Day 2 - Tokyo

Private guided sightseeing tour of Tokyo (9am-5pm) by public transport.

The tour will visit 21_21 Design Sight, Asakusa Kannon Temple with Nakamise enjoying the best view of the Tokyo Skytree over the Azuma Bridge in Asakusa, and The National Museum of Western Art, designed by Le Corbusier.

Day 3 - Tokyo

Full day of personal free time.

Ask us for ideas on the best places to visit!



ITINERARY

Day 4 - Tokyo / Okayama / Naoshima

*Heavy luggage is delivered by courier service to Takamatsu, skipping 2 nights in Naoshima. Please prepare a hand-carried bag for 2 nights to take with you.

Transfer to Tokyo or Shinagawa Station with your guide by public transport.

Travel to Okayama by bullet train with no escort on board.

Upon arrival at Okayama Station, proceed to Naoshima Island by public transport and ferry.

You will be accompanied by another English speaking local guide.



Day 5 - Naoshima

A day that's dedicated to the arts. Naoshima is an island town in Japan's Seto Inland Sea. It's known for its art museums. Enjoy Art House Project, Chichu Art Museum, Ando Museum and others, with your private English-speaking guide. You can also admire the distinctive works there such as the "Yellow Pumpkin", the symbol of the island that stands by Miyanoura Port.

Day 6 - Naoshima / Takamatsu

Leave for Takamatsu by public transport, including non-reserved local ferry. Upon arrival in Takamatsu, private guided sightseeing tour of Takamatsu (10am - 4pm) by public transport. The tour will visit Shikoku-mura Art Village and Ritsurin Koen Park, one of the most famous historical gardens in Japan.



ITINERARY

Day 7- Takamatsu / Osaka

*Heavy luggage is delivered by courier service to Kyoto, skipping 1 night in Osaka. Please prepare a hand-carried bag for 1 night to take with you. Leave Takamatsu for Osaka via Okayama by public transport. Private guided sightseeing tour of Osaka (11am-5pm) also by public transport. The tour will visit The Mint Museum and the Kamigata Ukiyoe Museum.



Day 8 - Osaka / Miho / Kyoto

Private guided full-day sightseeing tour of Miho (11am-3pm) by public transport. The tour will visit the Miho Museum which houses Mihoko Koyama's private collection of Asian and Western antiques. After visiting the Miho Museum, the tour will proceed to Kyoto, also by public transport.

Day 9 - Kyoto

Private guided sightseeing tour of Kyoto (9am-5pm) by public transport. You can choose to visit a few places, among them the Garden of Fine Art Kyoto, Raku Museum, Kyoto International Manga Museum and Ryugoku Buddhism Museum where you can view exhibits of a wide variety of cultural artefacts centred around Buddhism.



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Day 10 - Kyoto / Odawara / Hakone

*Heavy luggage is delivered by courier service to Tokyo, skipping 1 night in Hakone. Please prepare a hand-carried bag for 1 night to take with you. Transfer to Kyoto station with your guide by public transport. Travel to Odawara by bullet train with no escort on board. Upon arrival at Odawara Station, you will be met by another English-speaking local guide and start a private guided sightseeing tour of Hakone (12pm-6pm) by public transport. Touring Hakone Open-Air Museum and Okada Museum of Art. After check-in at ryokan in Hakone, enjoying a traditional Japanese dinner there.



Day 11 - Hakone / Tokyo

Transfer to Odawara Station with your guide by public transport. Travel to Shinagawa by bullet train with no escort on board. Upon arrival at Shinagawa Station, start a private guided sightseeing tour of Tokyo (11am-4pm) by public transport. The tour will visit the Nezu Museum and Meiji Memorial Picture Gallery.

Day 12 - Tokyo departure

Own transfer to Narita International Airport.

*The room will be available until 11am.



OPTIONAL EXTENSION TOURS AVAILABLE PLEASE ENQUIRE

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About Japan Holidays

Our team of travel specialists are experts on Japan. Their language proficiency and in-depth knowledge of customs, locations, and how to get around effortlessly is unsurpassed by many travel companies. This expertise has been honed by living in Japan or repeated visits. You'll enjoy peace of mind with our specialists managing every detail of your tour, from transportation to dining and accommodation. Japan Holidays is supported by an office in Japan, staffed with local experts who are available to assist you if needed while there.

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