



**[Platinum] Japan Honshu Island | Tokyo Free Day + Kamakura + Mount Fuji + Kyoto  
+ Nara + Osaka 9 Days 7 Nights Tour**

Product information			
<b>Tour No.</b>	NRTKIX9-B		
<b>Departure city</b>	Tokyo		
<b>Destination</b>	Osaka	<b>Way location</b>	Mount Fuji、 Kyoto、 Nara
<b>Travel days</b>	9 Day 7 Night	<b>Transportation</b>	Vehicle
<b>Airport pick-up/drop-off</b>	Airport pick-up Airport drop-off	<b>Currency</b>	USD

Product price	
<p><b>Single occupancy:</b> \$2849 / Person</p> <p>Including balance: Total amount for all people 2889</p> <p>Number of rooms:1;The number of tourist:1;</p> <p>Basic price:1 x 2849 = 2849</p> <p>Transportation Surcharge:1 x 40 = 40</p>	<p><b>Double occupancy:</b> \$2149 / Person</p> <p>Including balance: Total amount for all people 4378</p> <p>Number of rooms:1;The number of tourist:2;</p> <p>Basic price:2 x 2149 = 4298</p> <p>Transportation Surcharge:2 x 40 = 80</p>
<p><b>Triple occupancy:</b> \$2149 / Person</p> <p>Including balance: Total amount for all people 6567</p> <p>Number of rooms:1;The number of tourist:3;</p> <p>Basic price:3 x 2149 = 6447</p> <p>Transportation Surcharge:3 x 40 = 120</p>	<p><b>Share occupancy:</b> \$2649 / Person</p> <p>Including balance: Total amount for all people 2689</p> <p>The number of tourist:1;</p> <p>Basic price:1 x 2649 = 2649</p> <p>Transportation Surcharge:1 x 40 = 40</p>
<p><b>Child price:</b> \$1849 / Person</p> <p>Including balance: Total amount for all people 1889</p> <p>The number of tourist:1;</p> <p>Basic price:1 x 1849 = 1849</p> <p>Transportation Surcharge:1 x 40 = 40</p>	

Departure date
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Saturday.

For schedules departing between 03/23/2024 and 04/06/2024, \$200 per person will be charged.

For schedules departing on 03/16/2024, 04/13/2024, 04/27/2024, 05/04/2024, 07/20/2024-08/17/2024, 10/19/2024, 10/26/2024, 11/16/2024, \$100 per person will be charged.

For schedules departing on 12/28/2024, \$350 per person will be charged.

Minimum of 2 people is required.

## Highlights

- Travel with us on a delightful nine-day tour with our Chinese speaking tour guides! Attraction tickets and tips are all included in the price.
- Stay in 4-star hotel in Tokyo for three consecutive nights! We have arranged lake view rooms to Hamanako Resort & Spa The Ocean, Hotel Listel Hamanako and the Hamanako in Hamanako!
- Enjoy delicious Japanese food: Hot Spring Cuisine, Xiabuxiabu Hot Pot, Kettle Rice Imperial Cuisine, Net Red Izakaya Seafood Don + Udon Noodle Set Meal, and special arrangements for Osaka Buffet Dinner with Beef Barbecue.
- Explore the ancient cities of Kamakura, Kyoto, Osaka and Nara and stroll through the modern city of Tokyo to feel the instant charm of Japan.
- Have a quick view of all famous attractions in Honshu: Great Buddha of Kamakura, Sensoji Temple, Mount Fuji, Kiyomizudera Temple, Fushimi Inari Shrine, Gion, Osaka Castle Park and Mountain Rokko.
- Free shopping in the most prosperous area in Tokyo - Ginza and Shinjuku, the largest commercial district in Osaka - Shinsaibashi-suji Shopping Street!
- Groups with a English tour guide: 04/06/2024, 05/04/2024, 06/08/2024, 07/06/2024, 08/03/2024, 09/07/2024, 10/05/2024 (The rest of the departure dates are groups with a Chinese tour guide.)

## Join / leave point

### Boarding location

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Narita International Airport (NRT);

Free airport pick-up time on the first day of your tour: 13:00, 16:00, 19:00 and 22:00. Please make sure to meet with our staff at the listed time slots with your claimed baggage. Please make sure to be at the meeting point on-time.

Tokyo International Airport (HND);

Free airport pick-up time on the first day of your tour: 14:00, 17:00 and 20:00. Please make sure to meet with our staff at the listed time slots with your claimed baggage. Please make sure to be at the meeting point on-time.

### Drop-off location

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Osaka Kansai International Airport (KIX);

For detailed information, please refer to the last day's itinerary.

## Tour introduction

### Day 1

#### Home - Airplane - Tokyo, Japan

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All day

Begin your amazing and unforgettable journey with us today by taking a plane ride to Tokyo, Japan!

### Day 2

#### Tokyo

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All day

Welcome to Tokyo, the capital of Japan! A tour guide will be waiting for you at the airport. After greeting you, you will be able to check in at the hotel to rest and recharge for the next wonderful journey.

Free pick-up airport service on the first day of your tour: Tokyo Narita Airport (NRT), Tokyo International Airport (HND)

Free pick-up time on the first day of your tour: Tokyo Narita Airport (NRT): 13:00, 16:00, 19:00 and 22:00. Tokyo International Airport (HND): 14:00, 17:00 and 20:00. This time is the time for the guests to meet with our staff after picking up their luggage at the baggage claim area.

Night

Hotel: Tobu Hotel Levant Tokyo Or Hotel East 21 Tokyo Or Hotel Metropolitan Edmont Tokyo Or similar

## Day 3

**Tokyo** - Vehicle - **Yokohama** - Vehicle - **Kamakura** - Vehicle - **Tokyo**

All day

After breakfast, we will go to Yokohama, the third largest city in Japan, we will first go to Yokohama Minato Mirai 21, a landmark building in Yokohama. Yokohama, represented by Mirai 21, is a leisurely and modern seaside city. There is not only the blue sea here, but also the horizon of Tokyo in the distance. The huge Ferris wheel and Mount Fuji are the tourist labels of Yokohama. Then take a bus to Yokohama Chinatown, the largest Chinatown in Japan and even in Asia. From unique Chinese-style buildings to restaurants and old streets with decades of history, the strong Chinese style will blow your face the moment you step into the street. Come here, all kinds of food are mouth-watering, come with us to find the local flavor! In the afternoon, head to Kamakura Komachi Street, the most popular commercial street in Kamakura. There are many shops on both sides of the street, which are very suitable for purchasing various souvenirs. Then go to visit Tsuruoka Hachimangu Shrine, one of the three major Hachiman Shrines in Japan, and check in the Kamakura Great Buddha in Kamakura Kotoku-in Temple. After years of baptism, the Bronze Buddha is still kind-hearted and has a Zen-like appearance. It is one of Japan's national treasures.

### Itinerary:

**Tokyo** → **Yokohama** → **Yokohama Minatomirai 21** (30 mins) → **Yokohama Chinatown** (60 mins, including lunch time) → **Kamakura** → **Kamakura Komachi Dori Shopping Area** (45 mins) → **Tsurugaoka Hachimangu Shrine** (45 mins) → **Great Buddha of Kamakura** ( 45 mins, **Great Buddha of Kamakura ticket included**) → **Tokyo**

Morning

### Yokohama Minato Mirai 21

Minato Mirai 21 is a seaside urban area located in central Yokohama whose name means "harbor of the future." It has many large high-rises, including the Landmark Tower, which was Japan's tallest building from 1993 until 2014. This area was a large shipyard until the 1980s, when development began to turn it into a new city center. Minato Mirai is blessed with a great location along the water for guests to view. Visitors to the area will be able to find shopping centers, hotels, a convention center, an amusement park, a relaxation center with hot spring baths, museums, park space and so much more.

### Yokohama Chinatown

Yokohama Chinatown is known as the world's best Chinese food spot in Japan. With more than 600 shops in only a 250,000 square meter area there are plenty of restaurants to choose from. Workers from restaurants and food stalls and more call out to entice customers. The buildings and signs glitter and dazzle in brilliant colors. You will soon realize Chinatown is a completely different world!

Afternoon

### **Kamakura Komachi Dori Shopping Area**

Kamakura Komachi Street is a well-known commercial shopping street in Kamakura, where local specialties and restaurants are concentrated. There are not only authentic Japanese snacks and dishes, but also unique souvenirs to bring home. It is a must-see commercial street for young people to explore. In the Komachi-dori shopping street, you can fully experience the friendly and characteristic service of the locals.

### **Tsurugaoka Hachimangu Shrine**

Tsurugaoka Hachimangu Shrine is a shrine dedicated to Hachiman God in Kamakura City. In 1180 (the fourth year of Zhicheng), the Yuanyori Dynasty entered Kamakura and moved the shrine to its current location, called Tsurugaoka Wakamiya, and Hachiman God became the patron saint of Genji. In 1191 (the second year of Jianjiu) Hachimangu Shrine caught fire, the shogunate built the main palace on the mountain behind the Wakamiya and rebuilt the Wakamiya. After that, Hachiman God was revered as the guardian of Women. On the west side of Wakamiya-dori, which extends straight from Tsurugaoka Hachimangu Shrine, is Komachi Street, a north-south road. From local specialty food shops such as natto and ham to craft shops such as Kamakura carvings, there are everything from old-fashioned restaurants to western-style cafes. There are more than 200 restaurants and shops lined up from both sides of the road to the depths of the small streets, attracting many shopping crowds.

### **Great Buddha of Kamakura**

The city of Kamakura in Japan's Kanagawa Prefecture is home to one of the most poetic and paradoxical works of Buddhist sculpture. The statue of the Great Buddha, or Daibutsu, a giant bronze figure of Amida Buddha measures 11.3 meters in height at Kotoku-in, a temple of the Jodo-shu branch of Pure Land Buddhism. The elegant Buddha is seated in the lotus position with his hands in the gesture of meditation, his eyes cast downward in peaceful contemplation.

Night

Hotel: Tobu Hotel Levant Tokyo Or Hotel East 21 Tokyo Or Hotel Metropolitan Edmont Tokyo Or similar

## **Day 4**

### **Tokyo In-depth One Day Tour**

All day

After breakfast, we will head to the Sensoji Temple and then visit Nakamise-dori Street, which is one of the busiest shopping streets in Tokyo. You will have a glimpse of the highest tower in the world, Tokyo Skytree. Following, we will head to visit Nijubashi Bridge, the palace where the Emperor of Japan lives. Next, follow us to go to Ginza to shopping! Well, do not miss Tokyo's famous shopping and entertainment district Odaiba! Enjoy the beautiful ocean view and beach in Odaiba's seaside park; go to DiverCity Shopping Plaza and take an photo with a huge 1:1 Mobile Suit Gundam

model. Then we'll go to Shibuya. At the Shibuya Station, you can also see the statue built to commemorate the loyal dog Hachiko. Finally, we will visit Shinjuku Kabukicho and feel the charm of this sleepless city!

#### **Itinerary:**

**Sensoji Temple** (30 mins) → **Nakamise-dori Street** (30 mins, overlook the Tokyo Skytree) → **Nijubashi Bridge** (40 mins) → **Ginza** (60 mins) → **Odaiba** (45 mins) → **Shibuya** (30 mins) → **Hachiko Memorial Statue** (20 mins) → **Shinjuku Kabukicho** (30 mins) → **Hotel**

You can also choose to participate in the night tour of Tokyo at your own expense to enjoy the beautiful night of Tokyo!

#### **Itinerary of Tokyo Night Tour:**

The Yakatabune: Japanese Hot Pot & Performance (60 mins) → Kanda Shrine (60 mins) → Tokyo Tower (30 mins)

**Special note:** During the departure period from March 19 to April 24, the itinerary of the day will be added: **Cherry Blossom Viewing at Chidorigafuchi Park**. The scenery is affected by the climate. Please understand.

Morning

#### **Sensoji Temple**

Tokyo's oldest temple, Sensoji contains a sacred statue of Kannon, the goddess of mercy. Surrounded by imposing gates, a five-story pagoda, and the vibrant stalls of Nakamise Dori, Sensoji is a must-see destination on your trip to Japan.

#### **Nakamise-dori Street**

Get a feel for old-school Tokyo at one of Japan's oldest shopping streets, Nakamise-dori, which dates back to the 17th century. Most shops in this arcade have been run by the same families for several generations, serving souvenirs, top-class street food and irresistible snacks.

#### **Tokyo Skytree**

As the target of Tokyo, the Tokyo Clear Sky Tower is 634 meters high, which is the highest tower in the world. Tokyo Clear Sky Tower is located on the east side of Tokyo near Asakusa, Jinshicho and two countries. It used to be a handicraft area in Tokyo, leaving behind the traditional Edo culture and retaining the handmade technology of traditional Japanese crafts. It is an area that promotes the unique development of Tokyo.

#### **Nijubashi Bridge**

The bridge above is the main bridge to the Imperial Palace. It appears on guidebooks and postcards. It is arguably the most famous bridge in Japan and even a major symbol of Japan. There are actually two main bridges to the Imperial Palace. The seimon ishibashi main entrance stone bridge and the seimon tetsubashi the main entrance to the iron bridge. When you stand in front of the stone bridge you can see the iron bridge behind, and it looks like there are two bridges.

Afternoon

### **Ginza**

Ginza is Tokyo's most famous upmarket shopping, dining and entertainment district. It features numerous department stores, boutiques, art galleries, restaurants, night clubs and cafes. Most shops in the Ginza district are open every day of the week. A visit is most pleasant on weekend afternoons when the central Chuo Dori street is closed due to automobile traffic and becomes a large pedestrian zone.

### **Odaiba**

Odaiba is a popular shopping and entertainment district on a man-made island in Tokyo Bay. DiverCity Tokyo Plaza, this shopping, dining and entertainment complex opened in 2012 and features attractions related to the Gundam anime series, including a large, "life-size" Gundam statue in front of the building and Gundam Base Tokyo, a shop dedicated to plastic models.

### **Shibuya**

Shibuya is a popular shopping and entertainment area found around Shibuya Station. In this regard, Shibuya is one of Tokyo's most colorful and busy districts, packed with shopping, dining and nightclubs. Shibuya is also a center for youth fashion and culture. Its streets are the birthplace to many of Japan's fashion and entertainment trends. Numerous department stores and shopping malls can be found around the area catering to all types of shoppers.

### **Hachiko Memorial Statue**

Shibuya Intersection has become a synonym for Eight Heroes, a famous loyal dog. Every day, this famous loyal dog will accompany his master Professor Ueno to Shibuya Station, where he will wait for his master to leave work, until one day the professor died of cerebral hemorrhage while working. However, in the following nine years, the loyal Eight Heroes continued to wait for his master to come home from work every day. The story of Ba Gong attracted the attention of the public. In 1934, a statue of Ba Gong was erected outside Shibuya Station in recognition of its loyalty. Unfortunately, Bagong died the next year, but his story has been handed down in Japan and around the world.

### **Shinjuku Kabukicho**

Kabukicho is the location of many host and hostess clubs, love hotels, shops and restaurants. It is often called the "Sleepless Town." During the day tourists come to shop, find food, and explore the red-light district. In the evening, the streets glow under a dazzling array of neon signs. Although referred to a "red light district," there are no red lights in the literal sense. Kabukicho is a lively place and certainly worth a visit to capture a glimpse Tokyo's famous nightlife.

Night

### **The yakatabune**

On the Yakatabune, you can enjoy the ingredients that they have carefully prepared for you. The upper and lower floors also provide different singing and dancing talent performances. In the innovation cabin, you can watch the performance of traditional Japanese musical instruments, songs and special dance performances. On the top of the boat, you can enjoy the performance of modern musical instruments and more. At the same time, you can enjoy the beautiful scenery of the Tokyo Bay!

### **Kanda Shrine**

From the moment we step into the bird house of Kanda shrine, we can begin to understand Shinto, the largest religion in Japan. Through the performance of the Shinto show, you will learn the meaning of life and how to face our life again. After, we will go to Kanda shrine, to visit the second place of the Tokyo Night View legend to enjoy the night view of Kanda shrine and watch the Kanda shrine show. Don't forget to take a look at Kanda Shrine's money cat which is a very famous fortune cat.

### **Tokyo Tower**

The observation deck is a 20-meter square room surrounded by a whole piece of large glass. Tourists feel as if they were born in the air and far away from the world. On a sunny day, looking down, you can see the whole Tokyo at a glance. The beautiful Mount Fuji in the west is amazing to discover. At night, the decorative lights on the tower body suddenly come on and form a colorful pattern in the night sky. Shortly after, we will go to the Tokyo Tower to visit Tokyo's landmark buildings, and overlook the night view of the entire Tokyo capital from the Tokyo Tower.

Night

Hotel: Tobu Hotel Levant Tokyo Or Hotel East 21 Tokyo Or Hotel Metropolitan Edmont Tokyo Or similar

## **Day 5**

### **Tokyo - Vehicle - Mount Fuji - Vehicle - Hamanako Hot Spring Resort**

All day

After having breakfast at the hotel, we will first drive to Arakurayama Sengen Park to capture the beautiful vista of Mount Fuji. You can overlook the street view of Fujiyoshida City. We will pass by the popular Hikawa Clock Shop & Kanadorii. In the afternoon we will visit Lake Kawaguchiko, the famous shooting spot of Mount Fuji. Then, we will drive to the Mount Fuji 5th Station. Mount Fuji is the highest peak in Japan and one of the largest active volcanoes in the world. Finally, we will head to the Hamanako Hot Spring Resort to check-in. We will arrange lake view rooms for you.

#### **Itinerary:**

**Tokyo → Arakurayama Sengen Park (30 mins) → Hikawa Clock Shop & Kanadorii (20 mins) → Lake Kawaguchiko (30 mins) → Mount Fuji 5th Station (40 mins) → Hamanako Hot Spring Resort**

**Special Note:**

1. If you cannot climb the Mount Fuji 5th Station due to weather, you will go to Oshino Hakkai (40 mins) instead.
2. During the maple leaf season from 10/22 to 11/20, you will see the beautiful fall view beside the Lake Kawaguchiko. The landscape is affected by the weather and climate. Please refer to what you see.

Morning

**Arakurayama Sengen Park**

Arakurayama Sengen Park is a vividly hued park with an unbeatable view of Mt. Fuji. Arakura Fuji Sengen-jinja Shrine and its pagoda sit proudly in beautiful Arakurayama Sengen Park. The pagoda is perfectly positioned for spectacular views of distant Mt. Fuji and if you visit during the cherry blossom season you can fit three Japanese icons all into one shot.

Afternoon Lunch

**Lunch included**

Afternoon

**Lake Kawaguchiko**

Lake Kawaguchiko is the most easily accessible of the Fuji Five Lakes. The best views of Mount Fuji can be enjoyed from the lake's northern shores and are particularly breathtaking during the cherry blossom season around mid April and the autumn colors around the first half of November. One of the nicest spots for cherry blossoms is the seaside promenade near the Kawaguchiko Music Forest, while photographers will enjoy the "Momiji Tunnel" for autumn colors, a maple tree covered road section along the lake's northern shore.

**Mount Fuji**

Mt. Fuji is the tallest mountain in Japan and, with its classically symmetrical snow-capped cone, has long been the symbol of that country. The volcano is regarded as a sacred kami or spirit in the Shinto religion, specifically that of Princess Konohanasakuya-hime (aka Fuji-hime or Sengen), and climbing its slopes is considered an act of pilgrimage for followers of that faith. The mountain also has several important sacred shrines, caves, springs and a waterfall. As of 2013 CE Mt. Fuji is a UNESCO World Heritage Site.

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**Oshino Hakkai**

Oshino Hakkai is a touristy set of eight ponds in Oshino, a small village in the Fuji Five Lake region, located between

Lake Kawaguchiko and Lake Yamanakako. The eight ponds are fed by snow melt from the slopes of nearby Mount Fuji that filters down the mountain through porous layers of lava for over 80 years, resulting in very clear spring water.

Night Dinner

**Dinner included**

Night

Hotel: Hamanako Resort & Spa The Ocean Or Hotel Listel Hamanako Or Hamanako Lakeside Plaza Or similar

## Day 6

### Hamanako Hot Spring Resort - Vehicle - Kyoto

All day

Rise and shine! Today we will first drive to Fushimi Inari Shrine, one of the most prosperous shrines in the Kyoto area. The shrine is dedicated to Inari, the god of agriculture and commerce. In the shrine, you can see various fox stone statues. Then, we will visit the ancient Kiyomizudera Temple. You will see the suspended Kiyomizudera Stage. The Sannenzaka & Ninenzaka leading to the temple is also very charming. Afterwards, we will proceed to beautiful Gion and Hanamikoji Dori to appreciate the unique historical site. Afterwards, we will go to visit Yasaka Shrine. Yasaka Shrine enshrines the gods such as Suo Yuzun, Kushida Himemei, and Yasushi Yuko God. A large number of Japanese people will come to pray at festival.

#### Itinerary:

**Hamanako Hot Spring Resort** → **Fushimi Inari Shrine & Senbon Torii** (40 mins) → **Kiyomizudera Temple** (30 mins, **ticket included**) → **Sannenzaka & Ninenzaka** (20 mins) → **Gion + Hanamikoji Dori** (30 mins) → **Yasaka Shrine** (15 mins) → **Kyoto**

#### Special Note:

1. During the cherry blossom season from 3/19 to 4/24, the itinerary of the day will be added: Kyoto Gyoen National Garden (30 minutes). The scenery is affected by the current weather and climate. Please refer to the actual view. Please understand.
2. From 10/22 to 11/20 of the maple leaf season, we will go to Arashiyama Togetsukyo Bridge instead of Fushimi Inari Shrine & Senbon Torii. The landscape is affected by the weather and climate conditions, please understand.

Afternoon Lunch

**Lunch included**

Afternoon

### **Fushimi Inari Shrine**

Fushimi Inari Shrine is an important Shinto shrine in southern Kyoto. It is famous for its thousands of vermilion torii gates, which straddle a network of trails behind its main buildings. The trails lead into the wooded forest of the sacred Mount Inari, which stands at 233 meters and belongs to the shrine grounds. Fushimi Inari is the most important of several thousands of shrines dedicated to Inari, the Shinto god of rice. Foxes are thought the Inari's messengers, resulting in many fox statues across the shrine grounds.

### **Senbon Torii**

Senbon Torii is a Japanese Shinto shrine building, which is mainly used to distinguish the divine realm from the secular realm inhabited by human beings, and represents the entrance of the divine realm. Senbon Torii is located in Fujian Daohe Society. The back of each Senbon Torii is engraved with the year of construction and the name of the firm and company. Entering Senbon Torii, the old and faded dark red arches and bright red arches are closely intertwined, which is visually shocking. The film *Memoirs of a Geisha* was filmed here. The orange tunnel where the younger generation ran through was Qianben Bird House.

or

### **Arashiyama**

Arashiyama is a pleasant, touristy district in the western outskirts of Kyoto. The area has been a popular destination since the Heian Period (794-1185), when nobles would enjoy its natural setting. Arashiyama is particularly popular during the cherry blossom and fall color seasons. The Togetsukyo Bridge is Arashiyama's well known, central landmark. Many small shops, restaurants and other attractions are found nearby.

### **Kiyomizudera Temple**

Kiyomizudera is one of the most celebrated temples of Japan. It was founded in 780 on the site of the Otowa Waterfall in the wooded hills east of Kyoto, and derives its name from the fall's pure waters. The temple was originally associated with the Hosso sect, one of the oldest schools within Japanese Buddhism, but formed its own Kita Hosso sect in 1965. In 1994, the temple was added to the list of UNESCO world heritage sites. Kiyomizudera is best known for its wooden stage that juts out from its main hall, 13 meters above the hillside. The stage affords nice views of the numerous cherry and maple trees below that erupt in a sea of color in spring and fall, as well as of the city of Kyoto in the distance. The main hall, which together with the stage was built without the use of nails, houses the temple's primary object of worship, a small statue of the eleven faced, thousand armed Kannon.

### **Sannenzaka & Ninenzaka**

Ninen-zaka Slope and Sannen-zaka Slope are iconic streets of Kyoto City, which represent Japan's good old days. Once you get there, you can't help taking pictures of this nostalgic and dreamy scenery. These two slopes are approach to the famous Kiyomizudera Temple and also one of the main attraction of the city for the beautiful scenery. The historical

stone paved streets are lined with traditional Japanese buildings, shops, cafes and inns, and are also surrounded by several famous landmarks.

### **Gion**

Gion is Kyoto's most famous geisha district, located around Shijo Avenue between Yasaka Shrine in the east and the Kamo River in the west. It is filled with shops, restaurants and ochaya (teahouses), where geiko (Kyoto dialect for geisha) and maiko (geiko apprentices) entertain. Gion attracts tourists with its high concentration of traditional wooden machiya merchant houses. Due to the fact that property taxes were formerly based upon street frontage, the houses were built with narrow facades only five to six meters wide but extend up to twenty meters in from the street.

### **Hanamikoji Dori**

Hanamikoji-dori Street is a street running east-west through Kyoto City. Hanamikoji-dori Street spans a length of about 1 km from Sanjo-dori Street at its north end to Yasui Kitamon-dori Street at its south end, and is the main street passing through the central zone of Gion. The section of Hanamikoji-dori Street south of Shijo-dori Street started to develop during the Meiji period with tea rooms and restaurants lining the road.

### **Yasaka Shrine**

Yasaka Shrine is one of the most famous shrines in Kyoto. The shrine's main hall combines the honden (inner sanctuary) and haiden (offering hall) into a single building. In front of it stands a dance stage with hundreds of lanterns that get lit in the evenings. Each lantern bears the name of a local business in return for a donation.

### **Night**

Hotel: The Prince Kyoto Takaragaike, Autograph Collection Or Agora Kyoto Shijo Or Rihga Royal Hotel Kyoto Or similar

## **Day 7**

**Kyoto - Vehicle - Nara - Vehicle - Osaka**

### **All day**

After breakfast, we will first drive to Nara, an ancient city with a history of thousands of years. Here, we will have fun with so many cute deer in Nara Park! Then we will visit the world's largest wooden building, the Todaiji Temple. Following, we will head to visit Osaka. Osaka City Park is an attraction that you cannot miss. The Osaka Castle built with green tiles and white walls stands in the middle of the park. The stone walls are also architectural wonders! Finally, we will visit Shinsaibashi-suji Shopping Street and Dotonbori, the busiest business district in Osaka.

### **Itinerary:**

**Osaka → Nara → Nara Park (40 mins) → Todaiji Temple (30 mins, no access to the Great Buddha Hall) → Osaka → Osaka Castle Park (60 mins, outside visit Osaka Castle) → Shinsaibashi-suji Shopping Street & Dotonbori (120 mins)**

Morning

### **Nara Park**

Nara Park is a large park in central Nara. Established in 1880, it is the location of many of Nara's main attractions including Todaiji, Kasuga Taisha, Kofukuji and the Nara National Museum. It is also home to hundreds of freely roaming deer.

### **Todaiji Temple**

Todaiji is one of Japan's most famous and historically significant temples and a landmark of Nara. Until recently, Todaiji's main hall, the Daibutsuden (Big Buddha Hall), held the record as the world's largest wooden building, despite the fact that the present reconstruction of 1692 is only two thirds of the original temple hall's size. The massive building houses one of Japan's largest bronze statues of Buddha (Daibutsu). The 15 meters tall, seated Buddha represents Vairocana and is flanked by two Bodhisattvas.

Afternoon Lunch

### **Lunch included**

Afternoon

### **Osaka Castle Park**

The construction of Osaka Castle started in 1583 on the former site of the Ishiyama Honganji Temple, which had been destroyed by Oda Nobunaga thirteen years earlier. Toyotomi Hideyoshi intended the castle to become the center of a new, unified Japan under Toyotomi rule. It was the largest castle at the time. The castle tower is surrounded by secondary citadels, gates, turrets, impressive stone walls and moats. The entire Osaka Castle Park covers about two square kilometers with lots of green space, sport facilities, a multi-purpose arena (Osakajo Hall) and has a shrine dedicated to Toyotomi Hideyoshi. The park is one of Osaka's most popular hanami spots during the cherry blossom season, which usually takes place in early April.

### **Shinsaibashi-suji Shopping Street**

Visiting a shopping arcade in Japan is usually a great insight into what makes a local neighborhood tick. Shinsaibashi-suji Shopping Arcade, along with its longer, more traditional cousin Tenjinbashi-suji Arcade up in the Kita district, is one of Osaka's quintessential "shotengai" (covered shopping arcade) and one of the city's major tourist destinations.

### **Dotonbori**

Dotonbori is one of the most prosperous business districts in Osaka and a landmark food stronghold. Almost all the specialties of Osaka are included here, including ramen noodles, octopus roast, teppanyaki, revolving sushi, puffer fish

cuisine, etc. The most famous ones are "Osaka King General" and "Crab Road Music". In the night when neon lights are flashing, there is even more excitement here.

Night Dinner

**Dinner included**

Osaka Wagyu BBQ

Night

Hotel: Hotel Agora Regency Osaka Sakai Or Agora Place Osaka Namba Or Hotel Plaza Osaka Or similar

## Day 8

**Osaka** - Vehicle - **Kobe** - Vehicle - **Osaka**

All day

Today we will tour Kobe. After breakfast, we will head to Kitano Ijinkan Street in Kobe, where a lot of Western-style buildings left over from the past are preserved. The mansion is dotted with boutiques, coffee shops, bistros and flower shops, and the whole area is filled with elegance. In the afternoon, we will go to another exotic scenic spot - Kobe Port, to take photos and spend a leisurely afternoon. Then we will go to the Arima Hot Spring, which is one of the oldest hot springs in Japan, with ancient hotels, souvenir shops, and hot spring streets lined with temples. The smoke is scattered, and the shrines and temples are full of ancient flavors. Strolling through the streets full of flavors of Arima, you can stroll through the long and mellow Japan. Finally, we will head to Mt. Rokko, which is known as "Japan's Three Great Night Views" to overlook the panoramic view of Kobe from the top of the mountain.

**Itinerary:**

**Osaka → Kobe → Kitano Ijinkan Street** (90 mins) → **Kobe Port** (30 mins) → **Arima Hot Spring Street** (90 mins, you can experience the foot bath of Arima Hot Springs at your own expense) → **Rokko Mountain Night View** (60 mins, you can ride Rokkosan Cable Car at your own expense ) → **Osaka**

**Recommended Arima Hot Spring Day Return Hot Spring at your own expense:**

Jinntang Address: 833, Arimacho, Kita-ku, Kobe City, Jintang is rich in iron and sodium elements, and it turns rust-colored when exposed to air, hence the name Jintang.

Fee: 650 yen for adults, 340 yen for elementary school students, free foot bath, regular holidays: 2nd, 4th Tuesday and January 1st of each month

Silver soup Address: 1039-1, Arima-cho, Kita-ku, Kobe City, silver soup is a colorless and odorless carbonated spring, which is said to have a certain effect on various osteoarthritis and muscle pain. Fee: 550 yen for adults, 290 yen for elementary school students, regular holidays: the 1st, 3rd Tuesday and January 1st of each month

The price is for reference only, if you need to participate, please refer to the actual payment.

**Rokko Mountain Cable Car (you can experience the unique Rokko Mountain cable car, please pay your own expenses)**

Business hours: Monday to Friday 9:30-17:10, Saturday 9:30-20:50, Sunday: 09:30-18:10 (If there is any change, please refer to the official opening)

Fee reference: One-way adults 590 yen, children 300 yen; round-trip adults 1,000 yen, children 500 yen. This price is for reference only, if you need to participate, please refer to the actual payment.

Special reminder: If the cable car is out of service due to weather or force majeure, you will not be able to experience it at your own expense. The transportation method for going up and down the mountain is a round-trip bus, please understand.

Mount Rokko Sky Observatory: Mount Rokko is far from the urban area of Kobe. The mountain area is designated as the Seto Inland Sea National Park. The observation deck on the mountain is as high as 737.5 meters above sea level. From here, you can have a panoramic view of Kobe Port at night. One of the "Three Night Views". In good weather, even the Osaka Plain and the coastline of Wakayama in the distance can be seen. (Tickets: Free)

Recommended: TENRAN CAFE A casual cafe with a superb view of Mt. Rokko, serving Western-style light meals and desserts

Although the location is excellent, the price is not expensive. You can drink and eat snacks or buy a milk ice cream while waiting for the sun to go down, while the night lights of the city gradually light up. The process is quiet and beautiful. In addition, you can also drink at night. Enjoy the \$10 million night view, and music and art events are also held from time to time. Business hours: Monday to Sunday: 11:00 to 20:30, per capita consumption: dinner: 1,000 to 1,999 yen;

Morning

**Kitano-cho**

Kitano-cho is a city district at the foot of the Rokko mountain range where many foreign merchants and diplomats settled after the Port of Kobe was opened to foreign trade in the second half of the 19th century. More than a dozen of the former mansions, known as Ijinkan, remain in the area and are open to the public as museums. The entire district is pleasant to walk through and offers a variety of cafes, restaurants and boutiques, making it a favorite among young Japanese couples.

Afternoon

**Port of Kobe**

Port of Kobe opened on January 1, 1868. It has been an area where foreigners have lived since the Meiji era, and it is full of exotic flavors. Today, it is a very popular tourist destination in Kobe, and many local residents and tourists from all over the world often come here for entertainment, food and shopping. The popular sightseeing areas here mainly include parks, mosaic gardens and Kobe Seaside Paradise.

### **Arima Onsen**

With a history of over one thousand years, Arima Onsen is considered to be one of Japan's oldest hot spring resorts and has often stood at or near the top of onsen rankings for Western Japan. The town has two types of hot spring waters which spring up at various sources around town: the Kinsen ("gold water") is colored brown with iron deposits and is said to be good for skin ailments and muscle pain. The clear Ginsen ("silver water") contains radium and carbonate and is said to cure various muscle and joint ailments.

### **Mountain Rokko**

The green and continuous Rokko Mountain is located in the north of Kobe City and is 30 kilometers long from east to west. It is the largest outdoor leisure resort in the Kansai region. It is designated as part of the Seto Inland Sea National Park where you can enjoy the changes of nature's beauty throughout the year. There is a wide plateau area around the top of Rokko, with golf courses, observation decks, alpine botanical gardens, tourist ranches, forest parks and other leisure places. At night, from the top of the mountain, you can observe the charming night view of Kobe city and port, which is known as the "one-million-dollar nighttime view."

Night

Hotel: Hotel Agora Regency Osaka Sakai Or Agora Place Osaka Namba Or Hotel Plaza Osaka Or similar

## **Day 9**

### **Osaka - Airplane - Home**

All day

Today we will be the end of our unforgettable and pleasant journey of Japan! You can book a suitable flight to leave Osaka Kansai International Airport (KIX) according to your needs. Our staff only provides one drop-off service from the hotel at 8:00 in the morning. If the guest has an early flight and needs to leave the hotel for the airport before 8 o'clock, the tour guide can help the guest take a taxi.

### **Cost Description**

#### **Cost includes**

1. Six nights in a 4- or 5-star hotel, one night in characteristic hot spring hotel.

2. Chinese-speaking tour guide or driver-guide and service fee.

3. Professional driver and vehicle.

4. Hotel breakfast and 5 special meals.

5. Admission ticket: Kiyomizudera Temple, Great Buddha of Kamakura.

#### Cost excludes

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1. Partial lunch and dinner.

2. Flight tickets, taxes, visa fees and passport processing fees.

3. Person fees such as laundry, haircut, telephone, fax, pay TV, drinks, tips and any additional expenses inside the hotel.

4. Any personal expenses that are not listed in the Fees Included.

#### Extra expense

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Item name	Days	Price description	Description
Tokyo Night Tour	Tour guide arranges according itinerary	Adult: \$145.00;	Includes Yakata ferry ticket and dinner, Tokyo Tower ticket, guide service and round-trip transportation.

## Know Before You Book

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1. Customer under 18 years old MUST be accompanied by at least one adult. A guardian traveling with children must provide proof of custody or notarized parental authorization for travel. In consideration of the guest safety, pregnant women are only allowed to join the tour if pregnant for 24 weeks or less by the end of the trip.
2. Please be sure to provide accurate and complete information upon booking. This includes name, gender, valid documents (passport, visa etc.), valid contact information (preferably a mobile phone), accurate flight information, tour location, etc., This helps to avoid any errors upon the reservation because errors affect travel. Any losses due to inaccurate or invalid information will be at your own cost and the company will not be held responsible.
3. Hotel accommodation in Japan is arranged in a two-person room, and the room type cannot be specified. Most hotels offer rooms with two single beds, and each room can legally accommodate two guests, including adults and children. Some hotels can accommodate three people in one room. The room type is: three single beds, two single beds or one double bed + a folding bed (the specific room type is different based on the hotel). If the actual booked hotel does not have the above room types, then you may arrange one of the guests to share a room with a same gender guest in the group. If there is no same gender guest in the group, a single room will be arranged. During the consecutive holiday period in Japan, the hotel is very nervous. If the room is full, some hotels have the right to upgrade the guest to a single room for one person for free, or adjust the order of hotel check-in, hotel area, hotel level, etc. In addition, each hotel has a different method of collecting deposits, and guests participating in the group need to cooperate according to different regulations. Please be noticed that most of the deposit collection and refund is handled by credit card. JUPITER LEGEND Corporation and Ctour Holiday guarantee the number of rooms for guests but it does not guarantee the specific room type and location.
4. This tour does not accept any City Pass or your own tickets for any of the attractions. Tour attraction admission charges and meal expenses are subject to change at any time without notification. Any purchased ticket cannot be refunded for lower prices.
5. JUPITER LEGEND Corporation and Ctour Holiday have the right to make appropriate adjustments to the itinerary under the conditions of facilitating the operation for the tour group. This, however, will not reduce the items that should be included in the itinerary.
6. During the actual trip, the tour guide or driver has the right to appropriately adjust the tour sequence, stay time or assembly time of scenic spots according to the weather, traffic, and other conditions to ensure the smooth progress of the trip.
7. If the scenic spots are temporarily closed or closed on a particular holiday, etc., the tour guide will adjust the appearance according to the actual situation or replace the location with another scenic spot to ensure the richness of the itinerary.
8. Normal health conditions are required to participate and enjoy our full itineraries. Contact us for specific policies or information regarding passengers with disabilities and the handicapped who do need to provide advance notification to make a reservation. JUPITER LEGEND Corporation and Ctour Holiday do not guarantee a wheelchair lift-equipped bus and/or seating availability to disabled passengers without prior notification and approval.

9. Guests are required to bring their own relevant documents and materials required for entry or cross-border travel. Whether they can enter or leave the country is subject to the decision of the customs of each country. The inability to enter the country is a force majeure factor, and the paid tour fee will not be refunded.

10. Due to the oil price soar and the cost of vehicle greatly increased, starting April 1, 2022, please be advised that all bus tours will be subject to an additional transportation surcharge of \$5 per person per day, which will be paid together with the tour fees when you place the order.

### **Know Before You Go**

1. The maximal waiting time for any late passengers is 10 minutes beyond the meeting time announced by the Tour Guide. While JUPITER LEGEND Corporation makes every effort to provide on-time service, it does not guarantee to arrive at or depart from any point as a specific time, which may be affected by any number of factors including weather, traffic, strikes, government shutdowns, war or terrorist attacks, or mechanical problems. JUPITER LEGEND Corporation is not liable for any inconvenience or expense caused as a result of such a delay, not liable for the expense of connecting air or train or bus service missed as a result of a delay and not liable for any other travel expense caused as a result of a delay.

2. JUPITER LEGEND Corporation and Ctour Holiday reserve the right, when operating conditions require, transferring passengers from one vehicle to another en route.

3. The following documents are recommended to make your check-in process smooth: A valid photo ID is required to board the bus; We recommend you bring a copy of the email confirmation to board the bus.

4. According to the regulations of the Japan Tourism Bureau, during the group itinerary, tourists are not allowed to leave the group itinerary and move on their own, otherwise all the consequences will be at their own risk.

5. Gift items in the itinerary that cannot be given away due to force majeure factors such as traffic and weather conditions or personal reasons may be subject to change. Please understand that the fees will not be refunded.

6. Smoking is prohibited aboard the bus in accordance with law and prohibited in most hotel rooms. Customers are responsible for any penalty charged by the hotel in a non-smoking room.

7. Pets and animals are not allowed on the vehicle.

8. Luggage is subject to inspection when crossing international borders. You will be asked to declare any items subject to duty upon crossing the border. JUPITER LEGEND Corporation and Ctour Holiday are not responsible for any luggage crossing international borders. Passengers must claim all luggage at the border crossing point before proceeding. No luggage is allowed across the border unless claimed by a passenger. JUPITER LEGEND Corporation and Ctour Holiday will not provide free transportation to

9. If there are free activities in the group itinerary, if guests have their own itinerary, please pay attention to financial and personal safety. Do not contact the local informal travel agency without permission for activities. If personal injury, legal liability or property damage, etc. arises from this, the guests shall bear the corresponding responsibility.

10. According to Japan's national conditions, Japanese people are very aware of energy saving and environmental protection. In view of this, the driver also has requirements for the time to start the air conditioner of the tour bus. Tourists may enter the tour bus after the tour and the temperature is not suitable. , please calm down and wait for the air conditioner to adjust the temperature, and understand the situation where it does not change.

11. The items purchased by the guests themselves during the overseas itinerary belong to the personal consumption behavior of tourists. According to the Japanese Commodity Management Regulations, once the goods are sold, they

will not be returned or exchanged. Please consider carefully before purchasing. If there is any product dispute or loss arising therefrom, the VIP shall be responsible for it, and the travel agency shall not bear any responsibility.