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# JAPAN CULTURAL PASSPORT

(日本博周遊券)

## Home or Roam, Fill Your Heart with Art.

If you visit these sites individually, the total cost is about ¥8,300: With this pass, you pay only ¥3,500 — that's ¥4,800 in savings!

Osaka – Koji Kinutani Tenku Art Museum  
Kyoto – TOEI KYOTO STUDIO PARK  
Tokyo – Mitsui Memorial Museum and Tokyo National Museum  
Atami – MOA MUSEUM OF ART



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**TOEI KYOTO STUDIO PARK**

**World Exclusive! Board the EVA! /**  
More than just SAMURAI & Ninjas! Encounter the 15m Unit-01—step into the Entry Plug, check your Sync Rate, feel the L.C.L. immersion, and achieve perfect harmony like an Evangelion pilot. Face the one you “Must Not Run Away From!”



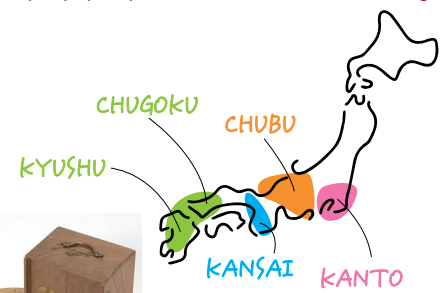
KYOTO



Tiger and Bamboo Source: ColBase(https://colbase.nich.go.jp)

Ogata Kōrin's Karuta Playing Cards

KYOTO NATIONAL MUSEUM



Sanjusangendo, a temple with 1001 gold-leafed statues, — just across KYOTO NATIONAL MUSEUM.



**NARA**

Nara, near Kyoto and Osaka, is Japan's ancient capital with 1,300 years of history. Enjoy Nara Park's famous deer, UNESCO World Heritage temples, and the Museum on foot.

**Nara National Museum**



Important Cultural Property Kongo Rikishi (Un-Gyo and A-Gyo) (Kinpusenji Temple, Nara)

**HIMEJI**  
**Himeji City Museum of Art**



Himeji Castle



**White Heron Castle Viewpoint / Red Brick Art & Samurai Heritage /**  
Gaze upon the World Heritage, *Himeji Castle* known as “White Heron Castle,” from this historic red-brick museum opened in 1983. It possesses Western art, local art, and a remarkable collection of Japanese swords tied to the *Harima* samurai legacy.

**NAGASAKI** Nagasaki Prefectural Art Museum



**20th Anniversary /**  
A museum designed by Kengo Kuma and Nihon Sekkei, Inc., boasting Asia's largest collection of Spanish art. Features include a rooftop garden overlooking Nagasaki Bay and a café offering views of the canal.

**MASUDA**  
**Iwami Art Museum**  
(Shimane Arts Center[Grand Toit])



**Worth the journey / for architecture enthusiasts /**  
Located in Masuda, Shimane, the museum impresses with 280,000 Sekishu roof tiles and Hiroshi Naito's bold design. About 2.5 hours from Hiroshima; from Hagi-Iwami Airport, 15 min by taxi or 30 min by local bus via JR Masuda Station.

**UENO** Just three stops from Asakusa, near the lively Ameyoko street market — Ueno is the cultural hub with major museums, music halls, art, and a zoo.

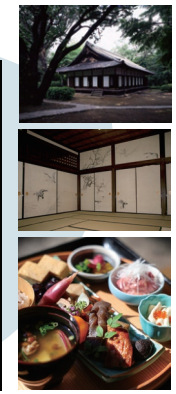
**Tokyo National Museum**

**National Treasures and Important Cultural Properties Galore! /**

Ueno Park facing entrance to Japan's oldest national museum displays about 3,000 works from its extensive collection. The Main building—itsself an Important Cultural Property—presents iconic samurai armor, swords, ceramics, metalwork, and lacquerware. Step outside to the garden and find **TOHAKU CHAKAN**, a relocated traditional shoin-style building, offering tea, meals, and special sweets.



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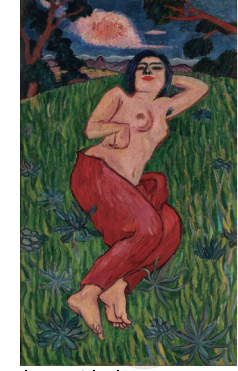


TOHAKU CHAKAN

**Around the Imperial Palace**

North side (Takebashi) offers a pleasant route after Kitanomaru Garden. East side (Nihonbashi) attracts visitors with merchant heritage, long-established shops, and department stores.

**TAKEBASHI**  
**The National Museum of Modern Art, Tokyo**



Important Cultural Property Nude Beauty by Yorozu Tetsugoro

**Beside the Imperial Palace moat, the former Edo Castle site**

**MOMAT** offers a rich collection of modern art, a stylish French-Italian fusion restaurant, and 30-minute volunteer guide tours (free with admission, no pre-registration required). held on specific dates. Fri & Sat. Open till 8 PM.

**NIHONBASHI**  
**Mitsui Memorial Museum**

The collection focuses on tea utensils—revealing the beauty of form and utility—along with the tea room Jo-an.



Now on view: National Treasure A Diary Recording Emperor Gotoba's Pilgrimage to Kumano and Calligraphy by Fujiwara no Teika; Presented with Tea Utensils, Karuta Playing Cards and Kasen-e Immortal Poet Paintings -Until Feb 1, 2026

**SHIBUYA/ EBISSU**

Featuring Nihonga (Japanese-style paintings) on this front cover, the museum is just a 10-minute bus ride from Shibuya Station East Gate, opposite *Hachiko* and the Scramble Crossing. At Café Tsubaki inside the museum, you can enjoy beautiful, original Japanese sweets related to the exhibition.



**Yamatane Museum of Art**

**KANSAI**

Saiku Historical Museum  
Nara National Museum  
KYOTO NATIONAL MUSEUM  
SHOKADO Garden Art Museum  
TOEI KYOTO STUDIO PARK  
Koji Kinutani Tenku Art Museum  
Himeji City Museum of Art

**CHUGOKU**  
**KYUSHU**

Iwami Art Museum (Shimane Arts Center[Grand Toit])  
Oita Prefectural Art Museum  
Nagasaki Prefectural Art Museum  
Contemporary Art Museum, Kumamoto

**CHUBU**

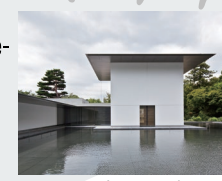
MOA MUSEUM OF ART  
Matsudai NOHBUTAI Field Museum  
Museum on Echigo-Tsumari, MonET  
21st Century Museum of Contemporary Art, Kanazawa  
D. T. Suzuki Museum  
Ishikawa Prefectural Museum of Art  
National Crafts Museum  
ISHIKAWA PREFECTURE KUTANIYAKI ART MUSEUM  
Kaga Iryokuen  
Kusakabe Folk Crafts Museum

**KANAZAWA**

Four Kanazawa Museums—Zen, Crafts, National Treasures & Modern Art Within Walking Distance. Stroll along the riverside and take scenic shortcuts like the Green Path or Art Path. On select days, a luxury bus goes to the Crafts Museum, and Daily Loop Bus departs from Kanazawa Station.

**D. T. Suzuki Museum**

An ideal place for visitors to deepen their insight into the thought and achievements of D. T. Suzuki (1870–1966), a prominent Buddhist philosopher. A modest work by Yoshio Taniguchi—architect of MoMA and rooted in Kanazawa—it radiates Zen-inspired harmony and invites quiet reflection.



Contemplative Space and Water Mirror Garden

**Ishikawa Prefectural Museum of Art**



Incense burner in the shape of a female pheasant, Important Cultural Property (Left) / pheasant, National Treasure (Right), decorated with overglaze enamels. by Ninsei Nonomura

**TAKAYAMA**  
**Kusakabe Folk Crafts Museum**

In central Takayama, a perfect stop en route to Shirakawa-go. A 19th-century merchant's townhouse showcasing traditional Hida crafts and tools.

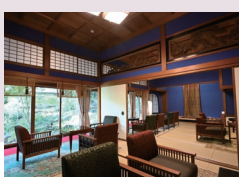


**KAGA ONSEN**

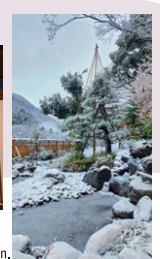
Just a half hour train ride from Kanazawa, discover serene gardens, exquisite traditional crafts, and relaxing hot springs in Kaga Onsen.

**Kaga Iryokuen**

An ultramarine-colored, highly prestigious palace “Go-ten” with dynamic *INAMI* transom wood carvings.



Garden: Pinetree with Yuki-tsuri snow protection.



**ISHIKAWA PREFECTURE KUTANIYAKI ART MUSEUM**



Flat Bowl in the Shape of a Helmet with Design of Chrysanthemum Bundles and Butterflies (Ko-Kutani ware).

"JAPAN CULTURAL PASSPORT" is one of the projects of "Japan Cultural Expo 2.0," which aims to showcase the appeal of Japanese culture and art to the world.