

# Best of Japan

## 7 Days Tokyo-Hakone-Hamamatsu-Nagoya-Kyoto-Nara-Osaka

- Visit the Tokyo Sky tree. With a height of 634 metres, it is a broadcasting, restaurant, and observation tower in Sumida.
- A perfect spot to view the stunning Fuji Mountain. And visit Oshino Hakkai, a touristy set of eight ponds in Oshino on the site of a former sixth lake.
- We will either enjoy the famous Kaiseki, a traditional multi-course Japanese Dinner, or King crab buffet and the traditional Japanese beef cuisine Enjoy all facilities in the hotel and all kinds of hot spring spa
- We shall go to the UNESCO World Heritage Site - Kiyomizu-dera. The Imperial Palace of Tokyo - the residence of the royal family.



### Itinerary

#### Day01 USA- Tokyo(2019 New Itinerary)

Fly overnight to Tokyo, Japan.

#### Day02 Arrive Tokyo

Arrival into Tokyo Narita International Airport, where the representative of Amaztravel will bring you to the hotel (hours of shuttle operation 10:30-21:30). Your local guide will be present to assist with the hotel check in. If you miss the last shuttle (depart at 22:30), please proceed to hotel at your own expenses. For guests arriving at Haneda Airport, please make own arrangement to Hotel. **Accommodation: Narita Hilton Hotel or similar**



#### Day03 Tokyo Sightseeing

After breakfast, transport to the Imperial Palace - residence of the royal family of Tokyo. Visit to the Nijubashi Bridge (which means the double bridge). Then proceed to Senso-ji Buddhist Temple in historic Asakusa district. The Nakamise-Dori Street is the main approach to this ancient temple, and all along the road are traditional shop fronts for souvenir items and snacks. Then visit to Meiji Shrine, raised in the midst of a manmade primeval forest, to honor the memory of Emperor Meiji and Empress Shoken. Next, visit the Tokyo Tower (admission fee not included). We will conclude the day's tour with a visit to the Ginza where Tokyo's most famous department stores, entertainment district, boutiques, art galleries, restaurants, night clubs and cafes. **Meals: Breakfast, Lunch** **Accommodation: Tokyo Dome Hotel or similar**



#### Day04 Tokyo - Hakone - Hamamatsu

After breakfast, we will head toward the foothills of Fuji Mountain, you will take a boat ride on the Lake Ashi, Lake Ashi is also referred to as Hakone Lake or Ashinoko Lake. Next visit to Five Lakes District. Visit to Oshino Hakkai, a historic natural attraction comprising eight ponds that are all that remain of a former

sixth lake dried up several hundred years ago. Next proceed on to Peace Park, established in 1955 to commemorate the atomic bombing of the city on August 9, 1945, final moments of World War II. Tonight, we will dine on the local delicacies of the traditional multi-course Japanese dinner/buffet. Enjoy all the facilities of the hotel and the varieties of hot springs spa. **Meals: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner**

**Accommodation: Hamanako Royal Hotel or similar**

#### **Day05 Hamamatsu-Nagoya-Kyoto**

After breakfast we will transport to Nagoya Castle, Nagoya Castle is known as the place where Oda Nobunaga lived in his youth.

Onward to visit a jewelry workshop and see the work of the craftsmen. Next, we will proceed to Gion. Gion is Kyoto's most famous geisha district, it is filled with shops, restaurants and ochaya (teahouses). The most popular area of Gion is Hanami-koji Street from Shijo Avenue to Kenninji Temple. The street and its side alleys are lined with preserved machiya houses many of which now function as restaurants. **Meals: Breakfast, Lunch**



**Accommodation: Rihga Royal Hotel or similar**

#### **Day06 Kyoto - Nara- Osaka**

After breakfast, we will visit to the UNESCO World Heritage Site. Kiyomizu-dera a Buddhist temple founded in 778AD, and its present buildings were constructed in 1633 by order of Tokugawa Iemitsu. In the afternoon, we will proceed to Fushimi-Inari Taisha. Fushimi Inari Shrine is an important Shinto shrine in southern Kyoto. The highlight of the shrine is the rows of torii gates this is called Senbon torii. In the afternoon we will proceed to Todai-Ji in Nara. Todai-ji is currently still the largest all-wooden structure in the world. Following, we will arrive at Shinsaibashi in Osaka for some shopping. Dotonbori filled with theaters, restaurants bars, cafe and night is nearby please enjoying at your leisure. **Meals: Breakfast, Lunch**

**Accommodation: Sheraton Miyako Hotel or similar**

#### **Day07 Osaka - Home City (Service End)**

After breakfast, our guide will assist you on the airport shuttle to Kansai International Airport (shuttle fee at your own expense), where you will depart on your flight back home as you conclude your marvelous journey through Japan.

**Meals: Breakfast**

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#### **Price Includes:**

- Deluxe accommodations, Hotel taxes and service charges.
- Narita 1 night, Narita Hilton Hotel. ★★★★★
- Tokyo 1 night, Tokyo Prince Hotel. ★★★★★
- Shizuoka 1 night, Hamanako Royal Hotel. ★★★★★
- Kyoto 1 night, Rihga Royal Hotel. ★★★★★
- Osaka 1 night, Sheraton Miyako Hotel. ★★★★★
- Due to the limited room availability, for in case that we may use other similar standard hotels.
- All transfers, sightseeing per itinerary in air-conditioned motor coach.
- English-speaking tour guide for the entire portion of your scheduled trip.
- 10 meals: 5 breakfasts, 4 lunches, 1 dinner.

- Administration & Entrance fees as per itinerary.

**Price Excludes:**

- International flights USA - Tokyo, Osaka - USA. Airline taxes & fuel surcharges.
- Optional tours and Extension Tours.
- Tips of tour guide and driver will be collected upon reservation is made, USD80.
- Personal expenditure.
- If you would like to purchase travel insurance, you may do so by contacting us or your agent.
- Each listed group itinerary can also be used in a private tour or customized based on your requests. Please contact your agent or staff for more information.