



Current Itinerary as of 7/21/2024

Items in Black are travelers responsibility

Items in Blue are already included

Items in RED are new activities/Tours added

Feb 26th – (Day 1) – Arrival at Tokyo airport (Haneda) – Transfer to hotel in Tokyo

Meet & greet with the airport assistant at Tokyo airport who leads you to the private chartered full-size coach and luggage truck; then head to Shinagawa Prince Hotel.

Dinner (Own arrangement) : Recommended at Hotel

Feb 27th – (Day 2) – Tokyo Full Day Sightseeing Tour with English Speaking Guide

Visit Tokyo Highlights with English Speaking Guide with private chartered full-size coach. Sites included: Senso-ji Temple & Nakamise Street in Asakusa > Imperial Palace > Meiji Jingu Shrine in Shibuya
The coach will drop you off at designated restaurant Gonpachi. Take a taxi back to Hotel.

Breakfast (Hotel Buffet)

Lunch (Own arrangement): Enjoy street-food stalls along Nakamise street in Asakusa

Dinner (Group Dinner) : Restaurant Gonpachi (Taxis back to hotel after dinner)

Feb 28th – (Day 3) – Free Day in Tokyo (hop on hop off bus?)

Breakfast (Hotel Buffet)

Lunch: Own arrangement

Dinner: Own arrangement

Mar 1st – (Day 4) – Transfer to Hakuba via Matsumoto (no guide) Board private chartered coach to head to Hakuba Valley, making a stop at Matsumoto on the way. **Have lunch break at the Miso Brewery and learn about fermented foods, a specialty of this region, which boasts the highest production in Japan. Extend the visit to Matsumoto Castle and from the Castle Tower overview at the basin and the Japanese Alps to grasp the topography and the history of the area.** Continue to Hakuba Mominoki Hotel.

Breakfast (Hotel Buffet)

Lunch: Beef Tagine meal at Miso Brewery

Dinner: Buffet dinner at the hotel

Mar 2nd- Mar 4th – (Day 5 – 7) Skiing in Hakuba

Breakfast (Hotel Buffet)

Lunch: Own arrangement

Dinner: Buffet dinner at the hotel

Mar 5th – (Day 8) - Full Day Snow Monkey Tour with English Speaking Guide Visit to the world-famous Snow Monkey Park where the monkeys soak in the thermal spring onsen and learn about the history of peaceful coexistence between humans and wild animals, followed by visit to the charming traditional town of Obuse for lunch and Zenkoji-temple in Nagano city.

Breakfast (Hotel Buffet)

Lunch: Chestnuts Rice & Hot pot dish at Japanese Restaurant in Obuse

Dinner: Buffet dinner at the hotel

Mar 6th - Mar 7th – (Day 9-10) Skiing in Hakuba

Breakfast (Hotel Buffet)

Lunch: Own arrangement

Dinner: Buffet dinner at the hotel

Mar 8th – (Day 11) – Transfer to Kanazawa & Afternoon Tour with English Speaking Guide. Board coach with English Speaking Guide for Kanazawa. After lunch break half-day sight-seeing to visit:

Kanazawa Castle Park, Kenrokuen Japanese Garden & DT Suzuki Museum.

Breakfast (Hotel Buffet)

Lunch: Casual Course at French Restaurant in Kanazawa

Dinner: Own arrangement

Mar 9th – (Day 12) – Kanazawa Morning Tour with English Speaking Guide & Free afternoon Board a coach with English Speaking Guide and visit castle town's highlights: Higashi Chaya District, Samurai Houses & Omicho Fish Market. Dismiss at the market and enjoy fresh seafood for lunch; continue walking & shopping at your own pace.

Breakfast (Hotel Buffet)

Lunch: Own arrangement

Dinner: Own arrangement

Mar 10th – (Day 13) – Transfer to Kyoto via Shirakawa-go & Takayama with English Speaking Guide , making a stop at UNESCO World heritage site of Shirakawa-go village and old craft town of Takayama for lunch.

Breakfast (Hotel Buffet)

Lunch: Hida Beef Sukiyaki at Sake Brewery in Takayama

Dinner: Own arrangement

Mar 11th – (Day 14) – Full Day Kyoto Tour with English Speaking Guide Board a coach with English Speaking Guide for must-see sites in Kyoto: Kinkakuji, Golden & Silver Pavillion and ZEN temple Ryoanji.

Breakfast (Hotel Buffet)

Lunch: Hot Tofu (*yudofu*) course meal in Kiyomizu area

Dinner: Own arrangement

Mar 12th – (Day 15) – Full Day Outer Kyoto Tour with English Speaking Guide Board a coach with English Speaking Guide for excursion to outskirts Kyoto, including Arashiyama area, Uji Byodo-in and Fushimi Inari Shrine.

Breakfast (Hotel Buffet)

Lunch: Bean-curd Skin (*yuba*) course meal in Arashiyama

Dinner: Own arrangement

Mar 13th – (Day 16) – Free Day in Kyoto (Own arrangement)

Breakfast (Hotel Buffet)

Lunch: Own arrangement

Dinner: Own arrangement

Mar 14th – (Day 17) – Train Transfer from Kyoto to Tokyo & Free Afternoon in Tokyo Travel light with minimum luggage to take bullet train to Tokyo. English speaking assistant will lead you from the hotel to train station and another assistant will be waiting for you at Tokyo end to take you to hotel in Tokyo.

Breakfast (Hotel Buffet)

Lunch: Own arrangement

Dinner: Own arrangement

Mar 15th – (Day 18) – Transfer to Haneda airport & Fly home Board a coach with the English-speaking assistant to Tokyo airport who help you to receive the bulk luggage you sent out from Hakuba and Kyoto in advance.

Breakfast (Hotel Buffet)

Lunch: Own arrangement