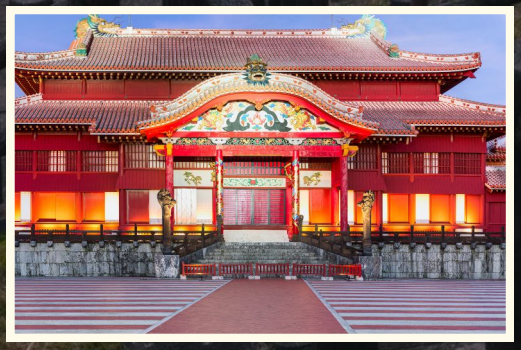
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Discover the traditions of the central Honshu heartland, plus the relaxed, warm southern spirit of Okinawa, for a unique, dual perspective on Japan! Enjoy therapeutic first-class *onsen* around Nagoya, plus a luxury sightseeing train ride, before heading to Okinawa to immerse yourself in the historical glories of the former Ryukyu kingdom. As an added bonus, you'll get to soak up the deep-pink hues of the year's first cherry blossoms!

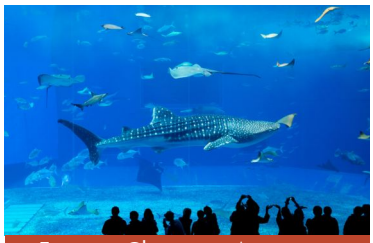
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- Hot Springs
- 28 Meals
- Escorted from Honolulu

## EXPERIENCES



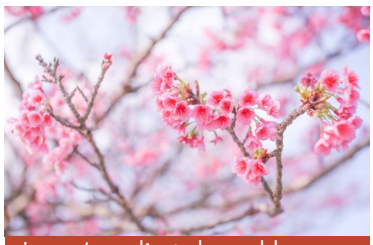
Strawberry Picking Experience



Famous Churaumi Aquarium

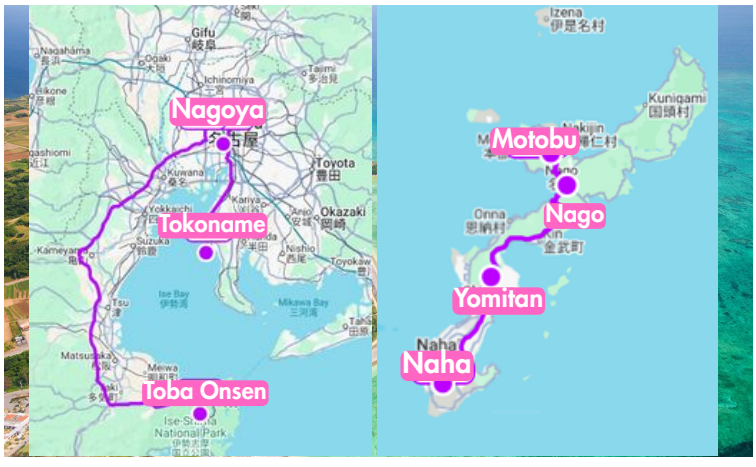


Ryukyu Lantern Festival



Japan's earliest cherry blossoms

## TOUR MAP




## ITINERARY OVERVIEW

**Hotels subject to change in case of unexpected circumstances*

**Day 0 Honolulu Departure**

Begin your journey by meeting your tour leader and fellow travelers at Honolulu Airport. Relax before your flight to Nagoya with Japan Airlines (JAL), known for their outstanding in-flight service and excellent meals.

**Day 1 Arrival in Japan** — *Hotel Nagashima*

Welcome to Japan! After landing, pass through immigration and customs before meeting your local Japanese guide. Head to your comfortable hotel, rest, relax, and slip into your first *onsen*. 17 types of baths await!

**Day 2 Nagoya and Surroundings** — *Hotel Nagashima*

Have a leisurely morning at your hotel, then head out to Nagoya City. Take in the splendor of Nagoya Castle, one of the country's most impressive keeps, plus shopping at *Kinshachi Yokocho*. Head back to your hot springs hotel and spend the evening enjoying the many baths!

**Day 3 Snow and Strawberries** — *Toba Ocean Resort*

Take a ropeway ride up Mt. Gozaisho and pass into a snowy world far removed from ordinary life. If you're fortunate, you'll get to see *juhyou* "ice monsters" on the trees, formed by moisture freezing onto the branches. After returning from your alpine excursion, savor sweet strawberries at a local fruit farm, then move to your hotel in Toba Onsen.

**Day 4 Pretty Pearls** — *Toba Ocean Resort*

Travel to Mikimoto "Pearl Island", where pearl cultivation began in the late 19th century. Have a special seafood lunch from traditional *ama* female divers, then try a pearl harvesting experience to find your own shiny jewel. Return to your hotel and slide into soothing hot springs.

**Day 5 Ise and Shimakaze Train** — *Nagoya Tokyu Hotel*

Get in some shopping at Okage Yokocho, then explore Ise Grand Shrine, the country's most sacred and important Shinto location. Ride the luxury sightseeing "Shimakaze" train back to Nagoya. Have a premium teppanyaki steak dinner and get ready for Okinawa!

**Day 6 On to Okinawa** — *Hotel Collective*

Spend the morning in Tokoname, a town known for its pottery traditions and sake breweries, then depart for Okinawa, arriving in Naha in the early evening. Enjoy your first meal on the island complete with a *ryukyu* dance performance. Check into your comfortable hotel and relax.

**Day 7 Ryukyu Village and Sakura** — *Oriental Hotel Okinawa*

Discover Ryukyu Village, an open-air cultural park dedicated to preserving the distinct history, architecture, and lifestyle of the Ryukyu Kingdom. Take in the pink wonder of some of Japan's earliest cherry blossoms at Nangusuku Park, then move to your resort hotel.

**Day 8 Whale Sharks and Sakura** — *Oriental Hotel Okinawa*

Marvel at the beheamoth whale sharks at famous Churaumi Aquarium, home to one of the largest tanks in the world. Explore UNESCO World Heritage site Nakijin Castle Ruins for the gorgeous rows of dark pink cherry blossom trees blooming along the castle's pathways.

**Day 9 Ryukyu Lantern Festival** — *Hotel Nikko Alivila*

Absorb the stunning scenery of Cape Manzamo, famous for a unique rock formation that resembles an elephant's trunk. Explore Yachimun Pottery Village renowned for authentic Okinawan earthenware. Spend the evening at the colorful Ryukyu Lantern Festival, filled with glowing paper lanterns.

**Day 10 Naha and Surroundings** — *Hotel Collective*

Wander UNESCO World Heritage site Shuri Castle, then find your perfect gifts at Parco City shopping mall, including favorite brands like Daiso, Muji, and Uniqlo. Check in to your Naha hotel and enjoy some free time before savoring a deluxe farewell dinner to celebrate your journey.

**Day 11 Farewell & Return to Honolulu**

Immerse yourself in Ryukyu culture at Okinawa World Theme Park, then fly back to Hawaii via Tokyo-Haneda with Japan Airlines. Welcome home!


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