

## 2-Day Express Kyoto & Nara Tour- Standard, Superior or Ryokan Plan

Day	Time		Duration (mins)	Itinerary	Itinerary Details/Special Items	Transportaion	Meal
	Start	End					
1	9:20			Meet at Tokyo Station Marunouchi South Exit Tokyo City i on the 1st basement floor of the KITTE building			
1	9:40	10:20		Arrive at Tokyo Station	An English-speaking tour conductor will guide you to the Shinkansen at Tokyo Station.		
1			140	From Tokyo Station to Kyoto Station	Take the Nozomi Shinkansen to Kyoto. Guides and other staff do not ride on the Shinkansen with tour participants.	Shinkansen	
1	11:55	12:40		Arrive at Kyoto Station	An English-speaking staff will guide customers from Kyoto Station to the lunch venue.	On foot	
1				Lunch (Western-style menu)	Enjoy lunch at a hotel.		Lunch
1				Depart from Miyako Hotel Kyoto Hachijo	After the meal, walk to the tour bus departure location (Sunrise Tours Desk in Avanti).	On foot	
1			70	Todai-ji Temple(Great Buddha) Nara Park	A World Heritage site. This is the symbol of the Nara Period and one of the world's largest wooden structures. Its huge main hall and bronze Great Buddha are impressive to behold.	Bus	
1			50	Kasuga Taisha Shrine	This Nara Period shrine is designated as a World Heritage Site. The deer of Nara Park are thought to be the shrine messengers.  <b>Note:</b> Participants will walk from the parking lot to Todai-ji Temple (about 15 min one-way). Thank you for your understanding. Please inform us at the time of booking if any person in your group is using crutches or a wheelchair, or has a chronic illness that makes it difficult to walk for long distances. At Kasuga Taisha Shrine, the tour does not include entrance to areas requiring admission. The order of activities and arrival times may differ depending on road conditions and congestion at destinations. Seats may not be designated.		
1	18:30	19:30		Hotels in Kyoto City	Participants will be dropped off at hotel or ryokan in Kyoto City.	Bus	Dinner
2	7:50	8:45		Depart from Hotel in Kyoto City	Head from the hotel to the tour bus departure location (Sunrise Tours Desk in Avanti).	Taxi	Breakfast
2			50	Nijo Castle	A World Heritage site. Tour the historical castle completed in 1626, which was built to provide lodging for the Tokugawa Shogun and as a palladium for Kyoto Imperial Palace. The impressive, elaborate carvings and decors in the Ninomaru Palace are a must-see.	Bus	

2			45	Kinkaku-ji Temple	A World Heritage site. The wooden architecture is covered in thin layers of pure gold and is surrounded by a beautiful pond.	Bus	
2			40	[Regular] Kyoto Imperial Palace	See the Kyoto Imperial Palace, which was used as the Emperor's residence until about 150 years ago.  <b>Note:</b> The Kyoto Imperial Palace is closed to visitors on the following days. As such, the tour will visit Kitano Tenmangu Shrine instead. If the closed day falls on the 25th, the tour will visit Nishi Hongan-ji Temple. (Mondays, Tuesday if Monday is a national holiday, and whenever there is an Imperial Household event) Nijo Castle is closed on Tuesdays in January, July, August, and December. (Closed on the following day if Tuesday is a holiday.) If closed, Ryoan-ji Temple will be visited instead. Participants will walk from the parking lot to Fushimi Inari Taisha Shrine (about 15 min one-way). Thank you for your understanding. The order of activities and arrival times may differ depending on road conditions and congestion at destinations. Seats may not be designated	Bus	
2			40	[Kyoto Imperial Palace Closed Days] Kitano Tenmangu Shrine	Kitano Tenmangu Shrine is the substitute for Kyoto Imperial Palace on days it is closed to visitors. It is famous for housing the God of scholarship. This shrine's main hall is a designated national treasure. The shrine is especially great to see during the plum blossom and autumn leaf seasons.	Bus	
2			60	Lunch	Participants will be provided a set menu meal.		Lunch
2			30	Fushimi Inari Taisha Shrine	Fushimi Inari Taisha is the head shrine of some 40,000 inari-jinja shrines located all over Japan. The bright red Senbon Torii gates are a must-see attraction.		
2			30	Sanjusangen-do Temple	Visit the world's longest wooden structure, housing 1,001 life-size statues of Buddhist Kannon deities dating back to the 13th century.		
2			70	Kiyomizu-dera Temple	The view of Kyoto from the World Heritage Site of Kiyomizu-dera is superb. The historic shopping lane that leads to the temple adds to a wonderful experience.		
2	18:00	19:00		Arrive at Kyoto Station	An English-speaking staff will help customers board the Shinkansen at Kyoto Station.	Bus	
2			140	From Kyoto Station to Tokyo Station	Head to Shin-Yokohama, Shinagawa, or Tokyo via Nozomi Shinkansen.	Shinkansen	
2	20:30	21:30		Tour ends at Shin Yokohama Station, Shinagawa Station, or Tokyo Station			

**[Exemptions/Itinerary Guarantee: Itinerary/Destinations]**

- Train times may change due to timetable alterations or other reasons.
- The order of activities and arrival times may differ depending on road conditions and congestion at destinations.
- Seats on the bus and train may not be designated.
- Depending on the number of participants, a sedan or taxi van may be used instead.

**[Important Notes/Supplements: Meeting/Pick-up/Pick-up Location]**

- Meeting Location: Tokyo Station Marunouchi South Exit Tokyo City i on the 1st basement floor of the KITTE building / 9:20

\*The meeting location is on the 1st basement floor. Please be careful not to confuse this with the 1st floor.

**[Regarding Luggage on Shinkansen]**

It will not be possible to bring large luggage whose total height, width, and length exceeds 160 cm onto Shinkansen. If bringing large luggage, please make use of a delivery service on your own.

**[Kyoto Accommodation]**

**Standard plan:** Miyako Hotel Kyoto Hachijo  
Nishikujoin-machi, Minami-ku, Kyoto-shi, Kyoto  
Tel.: (0) 75-661-7111  
Website: <https://www.miyakohotels.ne.jp/kyoto-hachijo/index.html>  
Guestroom Type: Premium Floor Twin Room (26 sqm) (1-3 guests)



**Superior plan:** Rihga Royal Hotel Kyoto  
Address: 1 Taimatsu-cho, Shiokoji-sagaru, Higashihorikawa-dori,  
Shimogyo-ku, Kyoto-shi, Kyoto  
Tel.: (0) 75-341-1121  
Website: <https://www.rihgaroyalkyoto.com/>



**Ryokan plan:** Gion Yoshi-Ima  
Address: 229-2 Nishinocho, Shinmonzen-dori Yamatooji-higashiiru,  
Higashiyama-ku, Kyoto-shi, Kyoto  
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