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**GUARANTEED DEPARTURES** 

# **JAPAN & KOREA**

16 Days (14 Nights) 4 Star Package Tour (JKA-EXPO)

# JAPAN: Tokyo / Hakone / Mt. Fuji / Shizuoka / Nagoya / Kyoto / Nara / Kobe / Hiroshima (Bullet Train) / Osaka

KOREA: Busan / Gyeongju / Seoul

SENIOR DISCOUNT (60+) - C\$50





# **Tour Features:**

- Guaranteed Departures
- Tokyo Skytree Observation Deck
- Tokyo National Museum
- Sushi Making Class with Lunch
- Cruise on Lake Ashi
- Mt. Fuji 5th Station (if weather permits)
- Shiraito Falls
- Nagoya Castle with Free Group Photo
- Nagoya Toyota Commemorative Museum





Cuisine Meals

Japanese Souvenir

Nara Deer Park

**Osaka EXPO Visit** 



Kyoto Kiyomizu Temple

Sake Brewery Museum

• Hiroshima with Bullet Train

Special Farewell Dinner with

Arashiyama Bamboo Grove

Sake Tasting in Kobe Hakutsuru

Traditional Tea Ceremony



- Korean Hanjeongsik Welcome Dinner
- Busan Gamcheon Culture Village
- Haeundae Coastal Train
- Gyeongju UNESCO Sites
- Hanbok Experience at Gyeongbokgung Palace
- Seoul DMZ (with Third Tunnel Experience)
- The Painters Show (or Nanta) in Seoul
- Seoul Night Market Tour
- Osaka to Busan (By Air)
- 14 Breakfast, 11 Lunch, 10 Dinner







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# Day 1 - Hometown / Tokyo - Narita (Japan) (By Air)

Today, take your flight to Tokyo. Please inquire with your travel agent about the international air ticket.

# Dav 2 – Arrive Tokvo

Cross the International Date Line to Japan. If flying Air Canada from Vancouver, you will be met at the airport and transferred to the hotel. If using other airlines, arrange your own airport limousine shuttle to the hotel at your expense. Hotel: Hotel Metropolitan Ikebukuro or similar (4-Star)

## Day 3 - Tokyo

After breakfast, visit Tokyo's oldest temple, Asakusa Kannon Temple (Sensoji Temple). Then, enjoy stunning city views from the Tokyo Skytree Observation Deck. After lunch, explore the Tokyo National Museum, the Imperial Palace East Garden, and Nijubashi Bridge. In the evening, gather for a Yakiniku Welcome Dinner, where you'll enjoy premium grilled meats and vegetables cooked at your table. (B / SL / SD)

## Day 4 - Tokyo ~ Hakone ~ Mt. Fuji ~ Shizuoka

This morning, travel to Hakone for a scenic boat cruise on Lake Ashi, with views of Mt. Fuji on clear days. After a Tempura Soba lunch, drive to Mt. Fuji 5th Station for panoramic views and visit the serene Shiraito Falls. Return to the hotel after dinner. (B / L / D)

Hotel: Hotel Associa Shizuoka or similar (4-Star)

## Day 5 - Shizuoka ~ Nagoya

In the morning, take a 2.5-hour bus ride to Nagoya, visit Nagoya Castle for a group photo. Then, visit Osu Kannon Temple and wander Osu Shopping Street before lunch. In the afternoon, explore the Toyota Commemorative Museum and enjoy a Sukiyaki (Japanese Hotpot) Dinner. (B / L / SD)

Hotel: ANA Crowne Plaza Hotel Grand Court Nagoya or similar (4-Star)

# Day 6 - Nagoya ~ Kyoto

After breakfast, take a 2-hour bus ride to Kyoto and visit Fushimi Inari Shrine. Enjoy a Ramen noodle lunch and experience a Traditional Tea Ceremony, then explore the historic Gion district and Hanami-koji Street, where you might catch a glimpse of geikos (Kyoto's term for geisha) or maikos (geiko apprentices). Dinner is at your arrangement. (B / L)

Hotel: ANA Crowne Plaza Hotel Kyoto or similar (4-Star)

# Day 7 - Kyoto

This morning, explore the serene Arashiyama Bamboo Grove and walk across the picturesque Togetsu Bridge. Next, visit the stunning Kinkakuji Temple (Golden Pavilion). After lunch, take in the impressive views at Kiyomizu Temple. End the day with a Western Dinner. (B / L / WD)

## Day 8 - Kyoto ~ Nara ~ Kobe

After breakfast, head to Nara to explore Nara Deer Park and stroll through the charming Naramachi area. Join a fun sushi-making class and enjoy your creations for lunch. Afterward, travel to Kobe for a visit to the Hakutsuru Sake Brewery Museum, where you'll learn about sake brewing and enjoy a sake tasting. End the day with a delicious Tonkatsu dinner. (B / L / D) Hotel: ANA Crowne Plaza Hotel Kobe or similar (4-Star)

Day 9 - Kobe ~ Hiroshima ~ Kobe Board the Shinkansen (bullet train) to Hiroshima in the morning to visit the Peace Memorial Park and Museum. Then take a ferry to Miyajima Island to explore Itsukushima Shrine and the floating torii gate. Return to Kobe by bullet Train in the late afternoon (B)

# Tour No: JKA-EXPO (2025)

	Land Only (Twin Sharing):	C\$ 6,990 per person
	Air Canada (From Vancouver):	C\$ 1,650 per person (incl tax)
	Osaka to Busan AIF & Fuel Surcharge:	C\$ 65 per person
	Single Supplement:	C\$ 1,690 per person

\*The international airfare is on a first come, first serve basis

# **Remarks:**

- A nonrefundable deposit of C\$500.00 per person must be made once the client confirms the tour booking. The balance payment must be made 90 days prior to departure.
- Child (11 yrs & under): 90% of the adult fare, sharing room with parent, no extra bed.
- Flight from Osaka to Busan provides one check-in luggage (15kg) for free.
- Personal Insurance: purchase of personal travel and trip cancellation insurance is highly recommended. Please contact your travel agent.
- If your international flight is not with Air Canada, you will have to arrange your own airport transfers.

# Day 10 - Kobe ~ Osaka (Expo 2025) ~ Kobe

Today, transfer to Osaka to visit Expo 2025, featuring global technologies and cultural exhibits. Alternatively, you can explore Osaka's neighborhoods, shopping districts, and local cuisine on your own. In the evening, enjoy a Farewell Dinner featuring Kobe Beef, a renowned Japanese delicacy. (B / SD)

# Day 11 - Kobe ~ Osaka / Busan (Korea) (By Air)

After breakfast, transfer to Osaka Kansai International Airport for your flight to Busan. Meet your local guide and visit **Oryukdo Skywalk** for panoramic sea views, then explore Taejongdae Cliff. Continue to Busan International Film Festival Square and the biggest Fish Market, Jagalchi Fish Market. End the day with a delightful Hanjeongsik Welcome Dinner featuring Beef Bulgogi and grilled fish. (B / L / SD)

Hotel: Busan ASTI Hotel or similar (4-star)

# Day 12 - Busan

Today, explore Gamcheon Culture Village, Haedong Yonggungsa Temple and the Cheongsapo Red and White Lighthouse, followed by a Seafood Steamboat lunch. Then walk along Busan's famous Haeundae Beach and get a ride on Haeundae Coastal Train. End the day with a local Korean dinner. (B / L / D)

# Day 13 - Busan ~ Gyeongju

After breakfast, drive to Gyeongju. Today, visit 2 UNESCO Heritage sites -Seokguram Grotto and Bulguksa Temple, then enjoy a Ginseng Chicken Soup lunch. In the afternoon, visit Cheomsongdae Observatory, Daerungwon Tomb Complex, and Gyeongju National Museum. End with a Buffet Dinner at Ashley Restaurant. (B / L / SD)

Hotel: Gyeongju Commodore Hotel or similar (4-Star)

# Day 14 - Gyeongju ~ Seoul

After breakfast, drive to Seoul. Upon arrival, have Chicken Dakgalbi for lunch, a stir-fried chicken dish topped with cheese and served with fried rice. Visit Gyeongbokgung Palace where you can dress in traditional Hanbok. Then, explore the National Folk Museum and Bukchon Hanok Village. Enjoy The Painters show (or Nanta). Dinner is at your arrangement. (B / L) Hotel: Four Points by Sheraton Seoul, Guro or similar (4-Star)

# Day 15 - Seoul

This morning, visit the DMZ Area in the morning to experience the Third Tunnel and learn about the world's most famous divided border. Enjoy a western lunch, then visit the War Memorial of Korea and Insadong. Enjoy a Special Farewell Korean Hotpot Dinner and explore Myeongdong Night Market before going back to the hotel. (B / WL / SD)

# Day 16 - Seoul / Hometown (By Air)

After breakfast, visit N Seoul Tower (observatory not included) and shop for souvenirs at a Local Products Store. After lunch, transfer to Incheon International Airport for your Air Canada flight back to Vancouver or connection to your hometown. For customers on other airlines, arrange your own limousine shuttle to the airport at your own expense. (B)

> \*B-Breakfast L-Lunch D-Dinner SL-Special Lunch WL -Western Lunch WD-Western Dinner SD-Special Dinner

Bon Voyage!

# **Departure Dates (From Canada)**

Apr 9, May 21, Sep 10

# Gratuities (paid locally):

US\$ 230 per person

Your Travel Professionals: