

⑤ World Heritage Iwami Ginzan: History, Culture and Food Walk around the Old Town Oda City/Shimane/Japan



Tour overview:

Experience Iwami Ginzan’s evolution throughout the last 220 years with this walking tour across its old town. Beyond just witnessing the town’s historical buildings and intriguing atmosphere from the old times, you will also have the chance to experience the local food culture, with an exclusive lunch at the Kumagai Residence, one of the main centers of the old town and a charmingly preserved Japanese-style villa dating to 220 years ago. An immersive experience into the late Edo Period (early 1800s), an era of interesting society changes across Japan and a time of thriving for this small enchanting town. ※Meals are subject to change.

Precautions against the spread of Covid19 infection:

Mask to be worn during tour, hand sanitizer provided at entrance of venues. During meals, reduced number of people per table and social distancing.

Contact information:

- Experience provider : Kumagai Residence Foundation
- Business Hours : 9:30 - 17:00
- Website : <http://kumagai.city.ohda.lg.jp/8.html>
- Phone number : 0854-89-9003
- Email :

Precautions against Covid19:

Venues and staff involved in the experience:
Temperature check Wearing masks Hand sanitizer Cashless payment Room ventilation

■ Requests to travellers:
Temperature check Wearing masks Hand sanitizer Providing contact info

Ideal for: Small groups of contingency planning trip

Target market: Couples and small groups
 Travellers in their 30s to 60s, interested in experiencing local culture

Experience price (incl. tax) : 5,600 JPY
 English guide for 5 guests: 1,600 JPY, Lunch at Kumagai residence: 4,000 JPY per person (8,000 JPY per 1 English Guide /within 3hours, 5,000 JPY per 1 Japanese Guide)

The above price includes: Walking tour with guide, lunch at Kumagai residence

Meeting point: Meeting Place: Magistrate’s Office Square
 Place of Dismissal: Iwami Ginzan Park Parking Space

Access: 27 mins by bus from JR San’in Line Oda-shi Station (Bus stop: Omori Daikansho-ato)

Reservations accepted from: Dec.-Feb., up to 7 days before tour

Available dates: Everyday, one departure per day

Duration and starting time: 3hours /Start time:11:00 (Walking1.5h,Kumagai residence1.5h)

Min/max guest number: 5-10

Shared/private: Shared

Available languages: English ※Other languages: Limited to accompanying guide