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for Best of Asia 'Nagoya– Kyoto – Osaka' 7 Days Package

SUBJECT TO AVAILABILITY AT THE TIME OF BOOKING REQUEST

### DAY1

#### Arrive **NAGOYA**, Japan **YOKOSO** means **WELCOME!**



Today you arrive in Nagoya, Japan.

After clearing customs and immigration, you are met by your local representative and privately transferred to your hotel accommodations.

Your accommodation will be at the best located hotel in the heart of Nagoya, adjacent to shopping districts and Nagoya Central Station is just minutes away on foot.

#### Hotel in Nagoya (- , - , - )

### DAY 2

#### Nagoya / Takayama

Enjoy the breakfast free at leisure in your hotel.

At around 9am, meet your guide at hotel lobby and commence full-day sightseeing in Nagoya by private sedan car.

First you will visit **NAGOYA CASTLE**, which was built by Iyeyasu, first of the Tokugawa shoguns, in 1612, and is famous for the golden dolphins atop the roof of its castle tower. Much of the castle burned down in air raids during World War II, though, the tower was rebuilt in 1959 as a reinforced concrete building with seven stories above ground and a basement. Floors one to five contain exhibition rooms that give the history of Nagoya.

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The next stop is at **TOKUGAWAEN**. This place, spread over 5.5 hectares, is a Japanese garden where visitors will be able to view life as it was in Japan three centuries ago when the city formally opens a historic and cultural facility dedicated to the culture of samurai families during the Edo period. It incorporates the features of a typical Edo period daimyo (feudal lord's) garden, in which a stream flows over a waterfall, down through valleys, and eventually arrives at a pond symbolizing the sea.. It also includes the Hosa Library and the Tokugawa Art Museum.

Your lunch will be prepared at Garden Restaurant in Tokugawaen. This garden restaurant is located next to the Tokugawa Museum, its adjoining garden. The greenery from the garden provide a grand setting for meals of Japanese-French cuisine created with local ingredients.



Afternoon is free shopping in **SAKAE STREET**.  
Return to the hotel and your night is free at leisure.

### Hotel in Nagoya (B , L, - )

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DAY3

### Nagoya/Kyoto

Enjoy breakfast at your hotel before you check-out the hotel.

You will be met by English-speaking assistant and escorted to Kyoto Station to board the famed high-speed **Shinkansen** (bullet train) to Kyoto. Unlike other high-speed trains in the world, the *Shinkansen* is a common form of inter-city transportation that is safe, and always on time. And your baggage will be transferred to hotel in Kyoto with separate baggage truck transfer.

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Boxed lunch and drink will be provided while on the train.

Upon arrival at Kyoto, English-speaking guide will welcome you at the platform and escort to the afternoon sightseeing tour in Kyoto by private sedan car.

First you will visit **Nijo Castle**, the Edo Shogun's residence, which contains a spectacular array of cultural treasures.

The next stop is **Kiyomizu Temple**, a massive grand structure at the top of a cliff overlooking the neatly lined streets of Kyoto. Enjoy this stunning panoramic view from its broad wooden veranda.

At around 5pm, you will arrive at hotel in Kyoto and check-in.

The rest of the day is free at leisure.

### Kyoto Hotel Okura (B, L, - )

DAY4

#### Kyoto

Today you meet with your guide for a full day sightseeing tour of Kyoto. Kyoto is a World Heritage Site for its wealth of Traditional Japanese temples, shrines and historical landmarks.



Kyoto  
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First you will visit **The Golden Pavilion**, the most famous among traditional Japanese architectural masterpieces. Its walls are covered in gold leaf, with the roof topped by a

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bronze phoenix. The reflection of the temple shimmers majestically in the waters of a rock-studded pond.

The next stop is **Ryoanji Temple** where you can appreciate the beautiful Rock Garden. This rock garden, perhaps the best dry Japanese garden and certainly a masterpiece by the Zen-inspired artist Soami (1455-1525). The flat rectangular garden is covered with white sand and surrounded by earthen walls. A total of 15 rocks stand in three groups. There is not a single or flowering plant. Yet one pictures the deep blue sea when looking at the white sand, islands when viewing the rocks, and meadows, bushes, shrubs or woods when viewing the patches of moss on them. Observing the garden from different angles, one experiences delicate changes in the imagined sea. From one angle, the islands seem to approach one another; from another angle, they recede.



### Lunch in Arashiyama District.

Kaiseki Lunch will be arranged here and you will have chance to hang around in Arashiyama District where is regarded as one of the most beautiful spot in Kyoto when under the influence of autumn colors, Kyoto's Arashiyama district and Bamboo Forest year around as well.

After Arashiyama, you will visit the last site of this day.

**The Heian Shrine**, with its gorgeous vermilion-hued brilliance and lovely inner garden, was built in 1895 to mark the 1,100<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the founding of Kyoto. It is also one of Kyoto's newest historical sites. The shrine is dedicated to two emperors: Kammu (737-806, who founded the city in 794, and Komei (1831-1866), the last emperor to live out his reign in Kyoto.

In the evening, you are free at leisure.

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Ganko  
Takasegawa  
Nijo-en

Why not try dinner at one of the several restaurants in Kyoto famous for its dazzling variety of Japanese cuisine. **Ganko Takasegawa Nijo-en** is an elegant restaurant famous for its native Kyoto-style multi-course dinners using the freshest ingredients available. Flavors are light and natural, and meals are extremely healthful.



Junsei

**Junsei** specializes in yudofu, a traditional dish of tofu served in a kelp broth. Prepared with the extremely clean water of Kyoto, this

delicious example of Japanese cuisine is popular with healthconscious diners. Traditional specialties like *shabu-shabu* and *sukiyaki* are also available.



Oumi

**Oumi** is famous for Oumi beef, one of the highest grades available in Japan. Incredibly soft, flavorful and juicy, it is grilled exactly to the customer's preference, right before their eyes. Try the authentic *teppan-yaki* style, which is now popular worldwide.

**Kyoto Hotel Okura (B, L, -)**

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### DAY5

#### Osaka

Enjoy breakfast at your hotel before you check-out the hotel.

Meet your guide at hotel lobby and transfer to Osaka by private sedan via full-day sightseeing in Osaka.

First you will visit **Shitennoji Temple**. Built in 593, Shitennoji Temple is believed to be the oldest Buddhist temple in Japan and though it has been rebuilt many times in its long history, excavations have shown the current layout to be very true to its original design. The temple's great southern gate (Nandaimon), central gate (Chumon), pagoda, main hall (Kondoh) and lecture hall (Kodo) are constructed in a straight line, a design layout called "Shitennoji Cathedral Style." The temple houses six national treasures and many other items of cultural importance.



Next, you will visit **The Floating Garden Observatory** to grab the panoramic view of Osaka City. This is a rooftop observation deck on the Umeda Sky Building and the "floating garden" connects by a bridge construction method the two 40-story skyscrapers that make up the Umeda Sky Building.

The Floating Garden, with spectacular views and filled with trees and flowers, is open to the public. In the basement of the building is the restaurant mall Takimi Koji, a recreation, through alleys and signboards, of the atmosphere of Osaka from the Taisho era to the early Showa era (about 1915 - 1935).

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Lunch will be free at leisure at **Dotonbori** Gourmet Street. One of the symbols of Osaka and beloved by residents, Dotonbori is a dense area of restaurants and amusement spots located along the south bank of the Dotonbori Canal.

Osaka is a food-lover's delight and neon-lit Dotonbori offers hundreds of eateries with the unofficial motto of "cheap but delicious."

After the free time, return to the hotel in Osaka and check-in. The rest of the day is free at leisure.

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### Day6

#### **Osaka – Free Day**

Breakfast at hotel and all day is free at leisure.

#### Optional Tour Suggestion 1) Nara Tour

Nara, the oldest capital of Japan (710-784), was the cradle of Japanese arts, crafts and literature. Buddhism first flourished here under the strong patronage of successive Emperors. Walking through the city's quiet streets is like strolling through the pages of history. Here, you can find the peace of mind and spiritual contentment.

You can have sightseeing at **The Great Buddha** in Todaiji Temple, **Kasuga Shrine**, and **Deer Park**.

Lunch included.

#### Optional Tour Suggestion 2 ) Universal Studio Japan

Universal Studios Japan is the first Universal Studios outside the US. There are 18 attractions, 20 theme restaurants, and lots of stores in the large park. It's located in Osaka, the second largest city in Japan. Even if you have visited the Universal Studios in the US, this one won't bore you. Some attractions, such as Snoopy Studio and Universal Studios Motion Picture Magic, are Universal Studios Japan's original. Also, there is a Japanese restaurant called Saido in New York Area of the park. Enjoy exciting rides, delicious food, and shopping in Universal Studios Japan.

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Day7

**Osaka**

After breakfast, free at leisure

Private transfer to Kansai Airport for your international flight back home.

**\*\*End of Services\*\***

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**Quotation:**

1. TOUR FARE: In Net AUD per person on 1/2 twin room basis valid for **2008**.

**<Basic Tour>**

Full Paying Pax:	2	Single Supplement
plus Free:	0	---
Hotel Plan 1	4,720	637
Hotel Plan 2	4,515	541

**Hotel(A): Nagoya Marriot Assosia Hotel / Imperial Hotel Osaka**

**Hotel(B): Hotel Associa Nagoya Terminal / Hotel New Otani Osaka**

**<Optional Tour-Chartered basis>**

Full Paying Pax	2
plus Free:	0
Full-day SS of Nara	657
Full-day in Universal Studio Japan	411

2. CONDITIONS:

**HOTELS:** As mentioned in the itinerary. Rooms by standard category.  
Hotel space is subject to confirmation.

**MEALS:** 6 breakfasts and 4 lunches included in Basic Tour.

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	1 lunches included in Optional Nara Tour.
TRANSFER & S/S:	By chartered bus. Otherwise, as mentioned in the itinerary.
GUIDE:	English-speaking local guide for Day.2 through 6.
ASSISTANT:	English-speaking local assistant for Day.1, 3 and 7.
JR TRAINS:	Tourist class reserved seat on super express and limited express. Non-reserved seat on local train.
ADMISSIONS:	As mentioned in the itinerary.
BAGGAGE HANDLING:	No portorage service included.

### 3. IMPORTANT NOTICES:

#### **\*\*All Airport transfers:**

All Airport transfers will be arranged with English Speaking Assistant, and all sightseeing tours will be arranged with English Speaking Guide.

#### **\*\*Deadline for Tour Operation:**

All requests must be finalized **1 MONTH** before the Operation Date with the following information:

- Full Name of the clients
- Number of requested Rooms / Types of Rooms
- Arrival and Departure Flight Details

#### **\*\*Cancellation Policy by tour operator**

If notice of cancellation is received by tour operator 7 days or more (working days) prior to the Arrival date of the tour = No Charge.

If notice of cancellation is received by tour operator 6 days to 3 days (working days) prior to the Arrival date of the tour = 10% of the Tour Fare.

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If notice of cancellation is received by tour operator 2 days (working days) prior to the Arrival date of the tour

= 20% of the Tour Fare.

If notice of cancellation is received by tour operator 1 days (working days) prior to the Arrival date of the tour

= 50% of the Tour Fare

If notice of cancellation is received by tour operator on the Arrival date of the tour or no notification is given

= 100% of the Tour Fare

**\*\*Rates are subject to changes due to currency fluctuations\*\***

**\*\*We provide tailor made tours for each booking, kindly contact us for further information\*\***

**\*\*Rooms are subject to availability at the time of booking\*\***

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