Kyoto Thanksgiving Tour

November 27 - December 01

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Day 1 Flight Day

Depart from Foster Education Center to Naha Airport. You will check-in to Mercure Kyoto Station upon arrival. After check-in, you will have leisure time.

09:00 Depart from Foster Education Center to Naha Airport 12:00 Flight Skymark BC 592 Okinawa – Kobe 14:00 Depart to Mercure Kyoto Station upon arrival 16:00 Check-in at the hotel 17:00 Leisure / Resting Time

Day 2 Kyoto 1-Day Bus Tour

Kyoto 1-Day Bus Tour: You will visit the most visually-stanning and cultural attractions in Kyoto such as Nijo-jo Castle, Kinkaku-ji temple, Kiyomizu-Dera temple, and Rengeo-in temple. During the tour, you will learn about the city's rich history, religion, and culture from your tour guide.

09:00 Depart from hotel for Kyoto 1 Day Bus Tour
Nijo-jo Castle > Kinkaku-ji Temple > Kiyomizu-dera Temple > Sanjusan-gendo
16:00 Drop-Off at Mercure Kyoto Station

Day 3 Walking Tour

Walking Tour of Shrine Gates and Geisha District. Our Tour Leader will offer a walking tour of Fushiminari shrine gates and Geisha District. *Area Etiquette*: You might see Geisha dancers in Gion area. Do not bother them or stop them to take pictures. Please do not enter the area for only residents and authorized. You can be charged or/and arrested for trespassing.

A list of Go-to-Attractions in Kyoto area will be handed out at the briefing.

09:30 Depart from the hotel to Fushimi-Inari Shrine

12:00 Leave Fushimi-Inari Shrine for Geisha District

13:00 Geisha District

14:00 Late Lunch / Leisure Time after Walking Tour

Attraction Suggestions around the area

Yasaka Shrine / Ho-jo Garden / Kamo-Gawa River / Nishiki Food Market Alley/

Day 4 Walking Tour

Walking Tour of Arashi-Yama Mountain area. You will visit one of the most famous bamboo forests in Japan. You will also see historical attraction, Tenryu-ji Temple (World Heritage, Cultural Property). Please enjoy visually-stanning natural and cultural sites. After the tour, you can explore the area on your own pace.

10:00 Depart to Arashi-Yama Mountain 11:00 Arashi-Yama Bamboo Forest 12:00 Tenryu-ji Temple 13:00 Lunch / Leisure Time

Attraction Suggestions around the area

*Hozu-Gawa River / Arashi-Yama Monkey Park / Kimono Forest (light attractions) *

Day 5 Kobe Walking Tour / Flight Day

Check-out off hotel and depart to China Town in Kobe City. After lunch, a chartered bus will take you to Kobe Airport to return to Okinawa. You will be dropped off at Foster Education Center upon arrival.

10:00 Check-out and depart to China Town in Kobe

11:00 China Town Walking Tour/ Lunch

14:30 Depart to Kobe Airport

15:30 Check-in at the airport

17:30 Skymark BC 597 Kobe - Okinawa

20:00 Depart to Foster Education Center upon arrival

21:00 Drop-Off at Foster Education Center