

Depart from Kyoto

Exclusive Traditional Lunch & Sake 1 Day Tour



Tour Itinerary (09:00 ~ 16:00)

On this tour we'll visit traditional food and sake shops that have been in business for at least five generations, culminating in a gorgeous pickled-vegetable lunch in the private living room of the sixth-generation owner. Japanese fermented foods such as soy sauce, miso, and sake are well known all over the world, and on this part of the tour we'll visit the heart of this area's distinctive fermented specialties. The most famous fermented food in this area is FUNAZUSHI, a kind of pungent sushi made from fermented crucian carp, a species that is found nowhere else on earth beside Lake Biwa. It is known as the oldest sushi in the history of Japan. We'll visit a famous FUNAZUSHI shop that's been in business for generations, and peek behind the scenes to see how this fish is prepared for sale over the course of up to four years. The recipe this shop uses has been handed down for generations and is known only to the owner and his son. Next we'll visit a **Sake Brewery** (Not open to the general public) that's been in business for 17 generations and you'll be treated to an exclusive tour of the current brewery that has been in active use for over 150 years. You'll see the ax marks on the huge oak beams, the evidence of "modern upgrades" like the addition of electric lighting, and "new" fermenting tanks from the 1950s. The tour also takes you to visit **Shinise Touzaburouhimo** after lunch in the afternoon. Enjoy a **Craft Workshop** in the old atelier. The graceful Kumihimo or silk braid, a Kimono accessory, will surely fascinate you. You can learn how to make the braid strap from Mr. Touzaburou IV himself.

Package Includes:

- * *Round Trip train tickets from Subway Kyoto Shiyakusho-mae Station*
- * *Lunch*
- * *Admission Fees*
- * *English Speaking Tour Guide*

Adult : ¥20,000

Child (6-12 years) : ¥9,000

Child (0-5 years) : FOC

(Minimum 2 Adults)
(Maximum 4 Pax)



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