

2026

Traditional Industries Day

City of Kyoto designated the Spring Equinox Day as "Traditional Industries Day" in 2001 to provide opportunities for people to experience and become familiar with traditional industries of Kyoto, cultivated over its long history. We invite you to enjoy Kyoto's traditional industries this spring through various events centered around Traditional Industries Day.



Free Admission

Takumi Expo

**Saturday, March 14 to
Sunday, March 15, 2026**
10:00-17:00 (Closes at 16:00 on the final day)

Kyoto International Exhibition Hall "Miyako Messe"
1st Floor, Exhibition Hall 2 & Foyer
9-1 Okazaki Seishoji-cho, Sakyo-ku, Kyoto 606-8343
(Please refer to the map on the reverse side.)

A grand gathering of Kyoto's traditional craftsmanship, showcasing artisans from rising stars to master craftsmen! Beyond exhibitions, enjoy live demonstrations, workshops, mystery-solving games, and more! New this year: a Gourmet Expo featuring Kyoto's traditional products like sake, Kyoto sweets, and Kyoto pickles!

Exhibition of Works by Distinguished Workers
in Kyoto City's Traditional Industries

The Master Craftsmen of Kyoto: Shunjū-kai

Shunjū-kai is the association of Kyoto's traditional craftsmen—Kyō no Meishō (The Master Craftsmen of Kyoto)—who have dedicated decades to traditional industries. This exhibition showcases their masterpieces, created with the utmost skill and dedication.

"Future Masters" of Traditional Industries of Kyoto

Skills Showcase

Meet the mid-career artisans who will lead the future of traditional industries—"Future Masters." Please come see their works, filled with the skills they have honed over time and their passionate dedication to traditional industries.

Kyoto Traditional Industries Wakaba-kai

Works Exhibition / Materials Display

"The Kyoto Traditional Industries Wakaba-kai" consists of young artisans under 45 who carry on traditional techniques. Please enjoy their unique ideas and expressions, born of youth, and the fruits of their daily dedication.

The Council of Traditional Crafts, City of Kyoto

Living Handicrafts of Kyoto



The Kyoto City Traditional Crafts Liaison Council is composed of artisans who create rare and precious traditional crafts. Come see, purchase, and experience the "hand-made crafts" passed down by a very small number of artisans up close.

Nishijin Textile Center 50th Anniversary
Nishijin Textile Exhibition

Prize-Winning Works Exhibition

The Nishijin Textile Exhibition showcases Nishijin textiles created by members of the Nishijin Textile Industry Association, who poured their wisdom and skill into their work. View the award-winning pieces here.

Kyoto Foundation for Promotion Japanese dress (Kimono) Industry

Dyeing and Weaving Workshops/ Demonstrations, Hands-on Experience and Exhibition



Experience Kyoto's traditional techniques! Enjoy demonstrations of Kyoto Yuzen dyeing and Nishijin weaving, plus hands-on craft experiences utilizing these skills. Exhibitions and talks about kimono craftsmanship will also be held.

Kotomaru's Mystery Solving Discover Traditional Crafts of Kyoto

Solve the mysteries hidden at each booth as you explore the "Takumi Expo" venue, where the skills of Kyoto's traditional industries come together in grand style.

Picture Book & Craft Workshop



Popular picture books meet Kyoto's traditional crafts! Experience coloring tote bags and painting Japanese candles.

Kyoto Sensyoku Seinen Group Council

The Work of Kimono in the Reiwa Era



This exhibition showcases the work of kimono through booths by Kyoto's kimono-related companies and talk events, bringing you the real voices of those in the industry.

Gourmet Expo

In addition to sake tastings, we'll be selling Kyoto sweets, Kyoto pickles, sake lees curry, koji rice box lunches, Kyoto vegetables, and more. Coffee and ramen food trucks will be there too!

Mini Concert by Members of the City of Kyoto Symphony Orchestra



Celebrating its 70th anniversary this year, the Kyoto Symphony Orchestra presents a gem of an ensemble performance by its master musicians.
March 15, 11:00

Panel exhibition for the TV Series "Brothers in Arms (Toyotomi Kyōdai!)"

Featuring program introduction panels and full-body cast member panels.



We share diverse information about traditional industries!
Be sure to check it out!

Official Facebook
No Crafts, No Life.

Official Instagram
@densannohi

Official X (formerly Twitter)
@dentousangyou



For details on the "Takumi Expo," please visit the event information page on the "Traditional Industries of Kyoto" portal site.

Organized by: City of Kyoto, the "Traditional Industries Day" Executive Committee, and others



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A Little Good Thing Go out in Kimono Free admission



When visiting cultural facilities in Kyoto City wearing a kimono, you can enjoy free admission!
Please show this flyer or the web screen to take advantage of this offer.
Details for each facility can be viewed via the QR code. ▶▶▶



*This offer is limited to those wearing kimono.
*Please note that admission hours may differ from the facility's opening hours.

Target Period March 1st - 31st

1
Old Mitsu Family Shimogamo Villa
58-2, Shimogamo Miyagawa-cho, Sakyo-ku
075-366-4321
9:00-17:00 (Admission until 16:30)
Wednesdays *

2
Kyoto Municipal Museum of School History
437 Tachibana-cho, Gokomachi-dori
Bukkoji-sagaru, Shimogyo-ku
075-344-1305
9:00-17:00 (Admission until 16:30)
Wednesdays *

3
Kyoto Museum of Crafts and Design
9-1, Okazaki Seisho-cho, Sakyo-ku
(on the first basement floor of Miyako Messe)
075-762-2670
10:00-18:00 (Admission until 17:30)
March 23rd

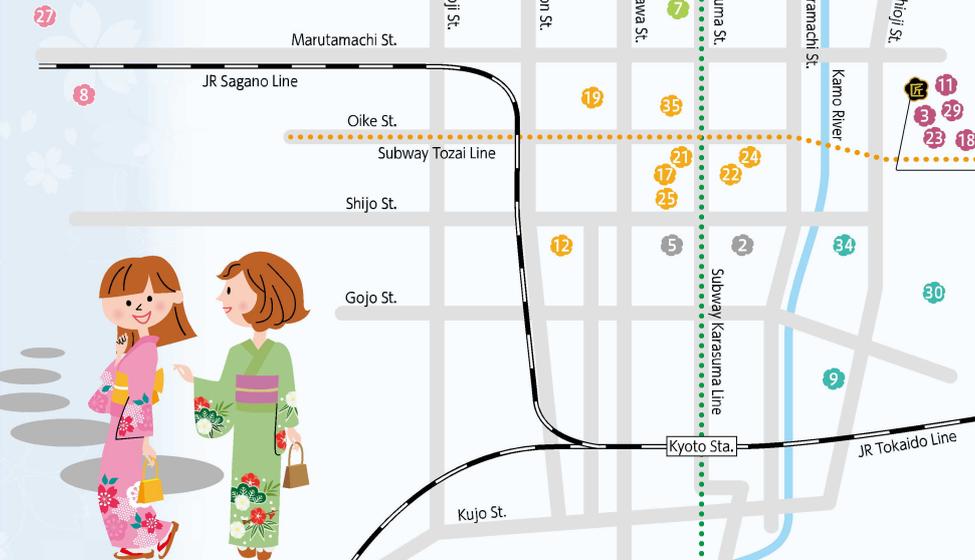
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Gekkeikan Okura Sake Museum
247 Minamihama-cho, Fushimi-ku
075-623-2056
9:30-16:30 (Admission until 16:00)
Temporary closure only
Permanent exhibition only

5
Nishijin Asagi Museum
661 Nishijin-cho, Karasuma-dori
Bukkoji-sagaru, Shimogyo-ku
075-353-5746
10:00-17:00 (Admission until 16:30)
Mondays *

6
The Former Retreat of Tomomi Iwakura
100 Agura-cho, Iwakura, Sakyo-ku
075-781-7984
9:00-17:00 (Admission until 16:30)
Wednesdays *

● Kita-ku ● Sakyo-ku ● Kamigyō-ku ● Nakagyō-ku
● Shimogyō-ku ● Higashiyama-ku ● Ukyō-ku ● Fushimi-ku

■ Phone Number
■ Opening Hours (Last admission time)
■ Closed Days During the Period
■ *If Monday is a national holiday, closed on the following weekday
■ *If Wednesday is a national holiday, closed on the following weekday
■ Other Information



23
The National Museum of Modern Art, Kyoto
26-1, Okazaki Ensho-cho, Sakyo-ku
075-761-4111
10:00-18:00 (Admission until 17:30, 19:30 on March 6th)
Mondays
Permanent exhibition only

24
Kaleidoscope Museum of Kyoto
706-3 Dogenmae-cho, Anekoji-dori
Higashimachi-Higashi-ku, Nakagyō-ku
075-254-7902
10:00-18:00 (Admission until 17:00)
Open every day
Permanent exhibition only

25
Musée de Somé Seiryu
550-1 Yamabushiya-cho, Muromachi-dori
Nishiki Koji Agaru, Nakagyō-ku
075-255-5301
10:00-17:00 (Admission until 16:50)
Mondays

26
Ninnaji Temple
33 Ouchi Omuro, Ukyō-ku
075-461-1155
9:00-17:00 (Admission until 16:30)
Open every day
Permanent exhibition, Palace & Gardens only

27
Japanese Folkdolls Museum
12 Sagatorimoto, Bultsushodencho, Ukyō-ku
075-882-1421
11:00-16:00 (Admission until 15:30)
Open every day

28
Sukiya-style House Waza Eitōtō
11 Kitano Higashi Kobai-cho, Kita-ku
075-462-0014
10:00-17:00 (Admission until 16:30)
Open every day

29
Kyoto City KYOCERA Museum of Art
124 Okazaki Ensho-cho, Sakyo-ku
075-771-4834
10:00-18:00 (Admission until 17:30)
Mondays
Collection Room exhibition only

30
Ryozen Museum of History
1 Ryozen-cho, Seikanji, Higashiyama-ku
075-531-3773
10:00-17:30 (Admission until 17:00)
Open every day

31
Kyoto Institute of Technology Museum and Archives
1 Matsugasaki, Hashigami-cho, Sakyo-ku
075-724-7924
10:00-17:00 (Admission until 16:30)
Sundays and national holidays

32
LACE MUSEUM [LOOP]
Morosogari-dori Omiya-nishi-ru, Kami-gyo-ku
075-441-0366
9:30-17:00 (Admission until 16:30)
Wednesdays
Permanent exhibition only

33
Omotesenke Kitayama Kaikan
61 Kamigamo sakurai-cho, Kta-ku
075-724-8000
9:30-16:30 (Admission until 16:00)
Mondays

34
Japan Kanji Museum & Library
551 Gionmachi Minamigawa, Higashiyama-ku
075-757-8686
9:30-17:00 (Admission until 16:30)
Mondays

35
Kyoto International Manga Museum
Karasuma-dori Oike-agaru, Nakagyō-ku
075-254-7414
10:00-17:00 (Admission until 16:30)
Open every day

Target Period Others

Target Period March 3rd, 16th - 22nd

7
Adachi Kumihimo-kan
392 Nakademizu-cho, Demizu-dori
Karasuma-nishiru, Kami-gyo-ku
075-432-4113
9:00-16:00 (Admission until 15:30)
Irregular holidays

8
Arashiyama Onsen Station Foot Bath
20-2 Terryuji Tsukurimichi-cho, Saga, Ukyō-ku
075-841-9386
9:30-18:00 (Admission until 17:30)
Open every day

9
Kyoto National Museum
527 Chaya-cho, Higashiyama-ku
075-531-7504
9:30-17:00 (Admission until 16:30, 19:30 on March 20th)
Mondays
Permanent exhibition only

10
Kyoto Municipal Science Center For Youth
13 Fukakusa Kenouchi-cho, Fushimi-ku
075-642-1601
9:00-17:00 (Admission until 16:30)
Thursdays
Permanent exhibition only

11
Kyoto City Zoo
Okazaki Koen, Okazakihojicho, Sakyo-ku
075-771-0210
9:00-17:00 (Admission until 16:30)
Mondays *

12
Kyoto Seishu Netsuke Art Museum
46-1 Mikakuyogasho-cho Nakagyō-ku
075-802-7000
8:45-17:00 (Admission until 16:30)
Mondays *

13
Kyoto Botanical Gardens
Shimogamo Hangi-cho, Sakyo-ku
075-701-6141
9:00-17:00 (Admission until 16:00)
Open every day

14
Garden of Fine Arts Kyoto
1-216 Shimogamo Hangi-cho, Sakyo-ku
075-724-2188
9:00-17:00 (Admission until 16:30)
Open every day

15
Kyoto Prefectural Insho-Domoto Museum of Fine Arts
26-3 Hirano Kamiyanagi-cho Kita-ku
075-463-0007
9:30-17:00 (Admission until 16:30)
Mondays *

16
Chado Research Center
682 Teranouchitate-cho, Horikawa-dori
Teranouchi-agaru, Kamigyō-ku
075-431-6474
9:30-16:30 (Admission until 16:00)
March 16th

17
Hosotsubi Ihee Museum
368 Ennogyō-cho, Murōmachi-dori
Sanjo-agaru, Nakagyō-ku
075-256-0077
10:00-19:00 (Admission until 18:30)
Open every day

18
Murin-an Garden
31 Nanzenji Kusagawa-cho, Sakyo-ku
075-771-3909
9:00-17:00 (Admission until 16:30)
Open every day

19
Nijo-jo Castle
541 Nijo-jo-cho, Nijo-jo-dori Horikawa-nishiru,
Nakagyō-ku
075-841-0096
8:45-17:00 (Admission until 16:00)
Open every day
Castle admission fee only

20
Kyogashi Museum
Karasuma-dori Kamitachuri-agaru, Kamigyō-ku
075-432-3101
10:00-17:00 (Admission until 16:00)
Wednesdays and Thursdays
Tea service fee is not included

21
Gallery of Kyoto Traditional Arts and Crafts
Karasuma Sanjo-agaru, Nakagyō-ku
075-229-1010
10:00-17:30 (Admission until 17:00)
Tuesdays and Wednesdays

22
The Museum of Kyoto
Sanjo-Takaura, Nakagyō-ku
075-222-0888
10:00-19:30 (Admission until 19:00)
Mondays
Permanent exhibition only

