



LAND OF THE RISING SUN

Tokyo Go Beyond Exclusive Pre-Cruise Program

March 17+–20, 2024

\$2,299 PER PERSON, DOUBLE OCCUPANCY
\$2,899, SINGLE, SUBJECT TO AVAILABILITY

Explore Tokyo on this tour designed to give well-deserved attention to an incredible destination that would otherwise be missed. This pre-cruise tour is the ultimate accessory to a remarkable trip.

Tokyo is an ultra-modern city built on deeply traditional roots. This bustling capital invites you to explore its diversity—from the quiet history of the temples, shrines, and the Imperial Palace to the pulse of downtown life that ebbs and flows in the shadows of the towering skyscrapers. Considered one of the best food cities on the planet, Tokyo has 230 Michelin-starred restaurants. Like the city itself, these restaurants call on the traditions and culture of Japan while serving up dishes with a contemporary flair.

INCLUSIONS

- 3 nights at the 4-star Keio Plaza Hotel or similar accommodations, with breakfast
- Sightseeing excursions as specified in itinerary, including entrance fees
- Professional tour guide(s)
- On-site services of a Go Next Program Manager
- Transfers between airport,* hotel, and cruise ship with related luggage handling.

*FOR GUESTS BOOKING THEIR OWN AIRFARE: Airport transfers are only applicable on program dates. You must provide your complete flight details to Go Next 30 days prior to departure in order to ensure airport transfers **(from Haneda Airport only)**.

- MAR 15** Depart for Japan
- MAR 16** Cross the International Date Line and lose one calendar day.
- MAR 17** Arrive at Haneda Airport and transfer* to the four-star Keio Plaza Hotel or similar accommodations. Spend the remainder of the day at leisure.
- MAR 18** After breakfast, get ready for a full day of sightseeing. Embark on a motorcoach journey for Mount Fuji and ancient Hakone. See the beauty of Japan as you leave Tokyo aboard a motorcoach to the Mount Fuji observation point at Fuji Subaru Line 5th station. Then, drive to Hakone, where you will board a gondola on the Mount Komagatake Ropeway. During this short ride to the observation plaza, take in views of the stunning Mount Fuji, Lake Ashi, Mount Futago, and the mountains of the distant Izu Peninsula. Continue to the centuries-old Hakone Shrine on Mount Komagatake, where you will experience the iconic torii gates, set in a small wooded area. Enjoy lunch on your own in the Hakone area before your next stop. Finally, set sail on a tranquil boat cruise around beautiful Lake Ashi before returning to ultimate comfort at your hotel. Spend the evening at your leisure.
- MAR 19** This morning, set out on a full-day sightseeing tour of Tokyo. Start your adventure with a visit to the main observatory of Tokyo Tower, the second tallest structure in Japan featuring majestic views of Ginza, Tokyo Bay, and Mount Fuji. From there take a cruise down the Sumida River, a waterway famously written about by the Japanese poet Matsuo Bashō. Take in views of the modern skyline of the city while glimpsing the scenes of Tokyo's past. Travel to Asakusa Sensō-ji, the oldest temple in Tokyo, dedicated to the Buddhist bodhisattva Kannon, the goddess of mercy. Spend time exploring quaint local shops before taking a panoramic drive past the Imperial Palace, the primary residence of the Emperor of Japan. End this memorable day savoring restful moments back at your hotel or exploring at leisure as you please.
- MAR 20** After breakfast, embark on a half-day tour. Travel by motor coach to the Tsukiji Outer Market, where you can purchase fresh ingredients, unique Japanese spices, or kitchenware. Next, take a panoramic tour of Ginza – known as the “Champs-Élysées of Tokyo” – for luxury shopping at boutique shops and art galleries. Transfer to *Riviera* in the early afternoon.

Note: These tours involve a moderate amount of walking, some over uneven terrain and may not be suitable for those with walking difficulties. Comfortable walking shoes are recommended. Guests must be able to ascend and descend a flight of stairs required to embark and disembark the motorcoach, gondola, and small boat. * Hotel check-in date is March 17



KEIO PLAZA HOTEL

Immerse yourself in the vibrancy of the Keio Plaza Hotel – a four-star haven that’s just minutes from some of the city’s must-see shopping and entertainment spots. This hotel is host to eleven restaurants, five bars and lounges, and four private karaoke rooms. Cool off with a dip in the seventh-floor Sky Pool or experience Japanese culture first hand with a tea ceremony in the Sho-fu-an room.