

Season All seasons Duration of stay 3 nights, 4 days

A Tour of Yakushima Island and Its Cuisine

Notes There's more to Yakushima Island than Jomon cedars: enjoy the sea, the forest and the rivers. Explore the island and its seafood.



Day 1	<p>Depart from local airport ✈️ _____ 12:20p.m. Yakushima Airport 12:30p.m. Yakushima Airport 🚗 20min _____ Miyanoura Lunch 2:00p.m. Miyanoura 🚗</p> <p>Activity 12 Around-the-island Yakushima sightseeing bus tour (Tour Yakushima's top attractions on this sightseeing tour that will take you almost all around the island.) _____ Nagatahama Beach _____ Seibu Forestry Road (from the bus windows) _____ Oko-no-Taki Falls _____ Chinese Banyan of Nakama Area _____ Anbo 🚗 _____ Anbo Accommodation Facilities [Accommodation]</p>
Day 2	<p>9:00a.m. Anbo 🚗 60min _____ Yakusugi Land Walking (Choose a trail that matches your endurance level and head out to see the yakusugi.) 11:00a.m. Yakusugi Land 🚗 60min _____ Anbo Lunch (60min) (This port town is famous for flying fish. Savor delicious meals made with locally sourced ingredients while in Anbo.) 1:00p.m. Anbo 🚗 10min _____ Anbo Port (180min [board a boat]) (Hop aboard a sportfishing boat and catch your supper with a fisherman.)</p> <p>Activity 10 UO haku Yakushima: Fish, Prepare, Enjoy! (2 nights, 3 days; stand-up paddleboarding on the Miyanoura River on Day 4 is also included)</p> <p>4:00p.m. Anbo Port 🚗 10min _____ Fuku no Ki Inn Dinner Preparation (Using a rocket stove, the goemon (cauldron) bath is prepared while it's still light out. One of the attractions of the inn is that it offers the opportunity to experience a life completely removed from that of the city. The first step in preparing dinner is to remove the scales from the fish you caught earlier in the day. After the fish have been scaled, the owner of Fuku no Ki will provide a lesson in preparing fish. None of the fish is wasted, with even the bony bits being saved to make soup.) Dinner (With the table set with the sashimi made from the fish you prepared yourself, rice and ushio-jiru soup, it's time to say "itadakimasu" to express gratitude for the bounty of the sea. Dinner is sure to be an unforgettable experience.) Stargazing (After dinner, relax with stargazing. As you admire the night sky, enjoy the sound of sanshin, a 3-stringed instrument.) Fuku no Ki Inn [Accommodation]</p>
Day 3	<p>8:00a.m. Fuku no Ki Inn 🚗 60min _____ Shiratani Unsui-kyo Ravine (180min) (Enjoy Yakushima's most popular forest trek, which includes a delightfully mossy forest and the giant granite boulder known as Taiko-iwa.) 12:00p.m. Shiratani Unsui-kyo Ravine 🚗 30min _____ Miyanoura Lunch (90min) 2:00p.m. Miyanoura 🚗 30min _____ Keisuisan (Enjoy a tour of the smokehouse.) 5:00p.m. Keisuisan 🚗 40min _____ PANORAMA (Restaurant) Dinner (Enjoy delicious dishes prepared by a chef using fresh fish from Yakushima and locally grown, pesticide-free vegetables.) 8:00p.m. PANORAMA 🚗 5min _____ Yakushima Youth Hostel [Accommodation] (Relax in spacious private rooms of approx. 16 square meters and admire the view of the sea from the wooden deck.)</p>
Day 4	<p>8:50a.m. Yakushima Youth Hostel 🚗 10min _____ Miyanoura River SUP Experience (Enjoy stand-up paddleboarding around the mouth of the placid Miyanoura River, which flows into the sea from Mt. Miyanouradake.) 11:00a.m. Miyanoura River 🚗 5min _____ Miyanoura Lunch 12:30p.m. Miyanoura 🚗 20min _____ Yakushima Airport 1:35p.m. Yakushima Airport ✈️ To your next destination</p>

Legend for itinerary symbols: ✈️ Airplane, 🚗 Train/JR, 🚗 Car (rental car), 🚗 Taxi, 🚗 Fixed-route bus/shuttle bus, 🚗 Boat, 🚗 Ropeway, 🚗 Bicycle, 🚗 Walking, 📷 Photo spot
 Itinerary times defined: Dawn 4:00a.m.-6:00a.m., Early morning 6:00a.m.-8:00a.m., Morning 8:00a.m.-12:00p.m., Noon 12:00p.m.-1:00p.m., Afternoon 1:00p.m.-5:00p.m., Evening 5:00p.m.-7:00p.m., Late evening 7:00p.m.-11:00p.m., Night 11:00p.m.-4:00a.m.