

# Girls On Tour – Japan Discovery 2011



Shimogamo Shrine - Kyoto

**Saturday, 11 June 2011**

**AUSTRALIA to OSAKA**

Depart Brisbane 2.45pm with Singapore Airlines en-route to Osaka, Japan.

**Sunday, 12 June - OSAKA**

Arrive Kansai airport and transfer to Osaka hotel. Afternoon at leisure.

**Monday, 13 June – OSAKA**

Full day sightseeing of Osaka by coach visiting Osaka Castle, the Floating Garden Observatory of Umeda Sky Building and the shopping district of Dotonbori. (B, L)

**Tuesday, 14 June – MT KOYA**

Today we drive through beautiful countryside to our destination for tonight Mt Koya, the centre of Shingon Buddhism. Over 100 temples stand in the small town on top of the wooded mountain. Here you will experience a night at a temple staying in a Japanese Style Room. An overnight bag will be required as your big luggage will go ahead to Kyoto. (B, D)

**Wednesday, 15 June - KYOTO**

After breakfast we will travel by coach to

## INCLUSIONS

- Flights from Australia with Singapore Airlines
- Full time tour escort
- 13 nights hotel accommodation
- All breakfasts, 4 lunches, 2 dinners.
- All entry fees for excursions and visits as shown on itinerary.
- JR Super Express Train as shown on itinerary
- All touring and transfers in Air-conditioned coach

## EXCLUSIONS

- Tips & gratuities
- Air taxes
- Other meals not on itinerary
- Personal items
- Travel insurance

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Cost - \$6,827 plus air taxes approx \$540 (subject to change).  
Single Supplement \$845

Kyoto where we will spend a wonderful 4 days exploring the region. After checking in to the hotel the afternoon is free to explore or relax. (B, D)

**Thursday, 16 June - KYOTO**

After breakfast we depart the hotel at 9am for a full day sightseeing of Kyoto by coach visiting Kyoto Handicraft Centre, Shimogamo Shrine, Kiyomizu Temple and strolling the Gion area. We return to the hotel around 3pm and in the evening we enjoy a night tour of Kyoto visiting Gion Corner. (B,L)

**Friday, 17 June - KYOTO**

Today you have a free day to relax or explore Kyoto and all it has to offer. (B)

**Saturday, 18 June - KYOTO**

Today at leisure in Kyoto you may choose to visit Sanjusangen-do Temple, the Zoo, Nijo Castle, Golden Pavilion, the Imperial Palace or one or more of the many temples and shrine in this ancient city. (B)



Happon Garden, Tokyo

**Sunday, 19 June – HIROSHIMA, MIYAJIMA**

Today your main baggage will be transferred to Tokyo and you will take an overnight bag for 1 night in Miyajima. We go on foot to Kyoto Station where we travel to Hiroshima by JR super express train. We arrive at Hiroshima Station and transfer to the Hiroden tram for Miyajimaguchi and then by ferry to Miyajima. Tonight we stay in Japanese Style rooms. (B, D)

**Monday, 20 June - TOKYO**

After breakfast we return to Hiroshima Station by ferry and tram and board the JR super express train for Tokyo and will walk from the train station to our hotel on arrival. (B)

**Tuesday, 21 June - TOKYO**

A full day sightseeing of Tokyo by coach, visiting Tokyo Tower, Imperial Palace Plaza and enjoy a Sumida River Cruise. We will experience a Tea Ceremony at Happon Garden and visit Asakusa Kannon Temple with it's Nakamise Shopping Arcade before driving through the famous Ginza area. (B,L)

**Wednesday, 22 June - TOKYO**

Today is free to rest or to explore one of the most fascinating cities in the world.



Dotonbori

Tokyo is made up of several mini cities each with it's own character including the famous Ginza with it's elegant high class shopping district. (B)

**Thursday, 23 June - TOKYO**

After breakfast today we board a train at Hamamatsuchō Station for Hase Station for our Kamakura Walking Tour. On arrival, walk to Hase Kannon Temple and the Great Buddha. We enjoy a Japanese style lunch at a local restaurant and visit Tsurugaoko Hachimangu Shrine and Komachi Shopping Street before taking the train back to Tokyo. (B)



Koyisan

**Friday, 24 June – TOKYO**

A free day to spread your wings and explore a little further or relax. You may choose to visit the Imperial Palace which is still surrounded by its original innermost moat. (B)

**Saturday, 25 June – TO AUSTRALIA**

After breakfast check out and transfer to airport for an 11.30am departure to Aust.

**Sunday, 26 June – ARRIVE 6.50am**

