



8D AMAZING JAPAN ALPINE + FLORA SEASON

TOUR CODE
JPNB08
MAR – SEP 2023

NIIGATA/NIKKO APLINE/TAKAYAMA/NAGANO/ MT FUJI/TOKYO



DAY 1: SINGAPORE – TOKYO

Assemble at Changi International Airport to check in for your flight to Japan Tokyo . For morning departures, check in to the airport hotel upon arrival.

DAY 2: TOKYO – MT FUJI - MATSUMOTO

Visit Japan's highest mountain, UNESCO World Heritage Site, **Mt Fuji**. Proceed up to Mt Fuji's 5th station (subject to weather condition) to enjoy a breathtaking view of the volcano and its surroundings. Shop at **Gotemba Premium Outlets**, Japan's most popular outlet mall, with the perfect mix of luxury brands and other items. (Lunch)

Spring bonus : Fuji Shibazakura Festival(Mid April – Mid May) – Pink Moss Shibazakura Festival (Pink Moss). It is a festival that features the moss phlox flower with Mount Fuji in the background. There are over 800,000 moss phlox (shibazakura) planted throughout the area

DAY 3: MATSUMOTO - TAKAYAMA - TOYOMA

Visit to **Matsumoto Castle Park** , View One of the most complete and beautiful among Japan's original castles **Shirakawa-go** is a UNESCO World Heritage Site famous for its traditional Gassho-zukuri farmhouses with distinctive steep roofs that resemble clasped hands in prayer. Explore the charming **Takayama town**, beautifully preserved with many buildings and whole streets of houses dating from the Edo Period. Stroll past (Breakfast/ Lunch/ Dinner)

ALPINE ROUTE DEP: *12APR – 26MAY

DAY 4:TOYAMA- ALPINE -*NAGANO

After breakfast , visit the Tateyama **Kurobe Alpine Route** - Snow Corridor . We will traverse the route using a variety of vehicles (6 types) with an elevation change of 2400 meters. Vehicles includes **Tateyama Cable Car, Tateyama Highland Bus, Tateyama Tunnel Trolleybus, Tateyama Ropeway, Kurobe Cable Car and Kanden Tunnel Electric Bus**. You will be sure to have a awesome day today!

Note: Snow Corridor visit is subject to weather conditions.
(Breakfast/ Lunch/ Dinner)

TOUR HIGHLIGHTS

Specialty Meals

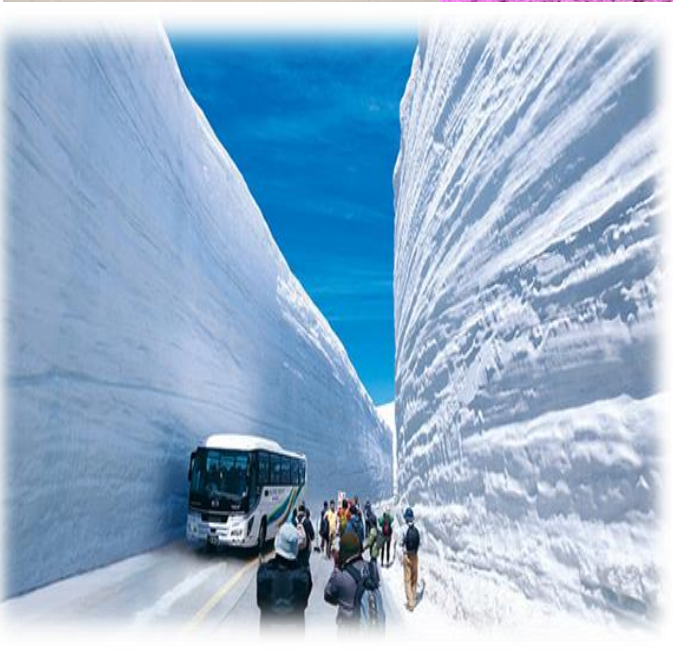
- ★ Shabu Shabu
- ★ Hida Pork
- ★ BBQ Buffet
- ★ Japan Ichiran Ramen

Attractions

- ☆ UNESCO World Heritage Sites Shirakawa-go &Mt Fuji
- ☆ Ashikaga Flower Park (Mid Apr - Early May) *
- ☆ Snow Corridor - Tateyama Cable Car, Tateyama Highland Bus , Tateyama Tunnel Trolley Bus , Tateyama Ropeway , Kurobe Cable Car , Kanden Tunnel Electric Bus , Kurobe Dam
- ☆ Japan Cherry Blossom season* (Mid Mar – Early April)
- ☆ Fuji Shibazakura Festival – Pink MOSS *(Mid Apr – Mid may)
- ☆ Hitachi Seaside Park – Nemophila/Tulip/Rose etc *
(Dep: April to 26 May)
- ☆ Japan 3 Great Gorges – Kiyotsu Gorge Tunnel
- ☆ Niigata Fruits Farm - Seasonal fruit-picking* (Mar – Oct)
*Fruit picking and flower viewing are subject to seasonality and availability

DAY 4:TOYAMA -*NAGANO

Visit ***Kamikochi (Kappa Bridge)** Enjoy the wonderful views of Kamikochi on Kappa Bridge, a suspension bridge over the Azusa River in the center of Kamikochi. , take. Take **Shinhotaka Ropeway** and catch the majestic snowy caps of Japan's Alps (If kamikochi area is closed, it will be replaced by another attraction.). In the afternoon Next, visit the **The Daio Wasabi** in rural Azumino City, one of Japan's largest wasabi farms and a popular tourist destination.
(Breakfast/ Lunch/ Dinner)



DAY 5: NAGANO – NIIGATA

After breakfast, head to **Kiyotsu Gorge Tunnel**, one of the Three Great Gorges of Japan. Gigantic stone cliffs straddle a river, forming a large, V-shaped gorge. The grand rock surface and strong current of the river in combination are both dynamic and beautiful. Next, visit ***Fruits Garden** and enjoy year-round fruit-picking. Seasonal offerings include Niigata's famous Echigohime strawberries, grapes, peaches etc. . In the evening, visit the only **Sake Vending Machine** in Niigata with 117 selections! (Breakfast/Lunch/ Dinner)

Spring Bouns : ***Gosen Tulip Festival** (Mid – End April) – Enjoy tulip season in mid to end April! Tulip bulbs were first made in Niigata during the Taisho Period. Since then, Niigata has become the biggest producer of Japanese tulips in the country. As a result, the **Tulip Festival** is held in the city of Gosen. There, 1.5 million brightly blooming tulips create a breathtaking carpet of colors. After tulip season, **Niigata Furusato Village** will be visited instead.

DAY6 : NIIGATA – NIKKO – ASHIKAGA

After breakfast, head to **Edo Wonderland**, a cultural theme park highlighting the Edo period. Be prepared to bump into a samurai, ninja, or geisha! Next, visit **Nikko Shinto Shrine**, dedicated to Tokugawa Ieyasu, the founder of Tokugawa Shogunate (Japanese military government). (Breakfast/ Lunch/ Dinner)

Spring Bonus : ***Ashikaga Flower Park** (Mid Apr - Early May) : There are plenty of wisterias competing to outshine each other on their beauty. Walk through the magical garden of enchanting wisteria vines.

DAY7 : ASHIKAGA – TOKYO

Visit **Asakusa Kannon Temple**, the oldest in Tokyo with a history of more than 1330 years. Shop along **Nakamise Shopping Street**, an authentic lane lined with vendors selling souvenirs. Continue to **Shinjuku** - A true shopping paradise! (Breakfast)
Spring Bonus: ***Hitachi Seaside Park** (*Dep: April – 26 May) : The park's iconic flower is the blue nemophila, which covers Miharashi Hill in the spring and mimics the color of the sky. The flowers are usually at their peak from late April to mid May. Paths crisscross the hill providing views over the Pacific Ocean. Tulips and roses bloom all over the rest of the park in different seasons. (Breakfast)

DAY 7: ASHIKAGA – TOKYO (Disneyland)

*Selected Group Dep : 27 MAY – 30 Jun 2023

Enjoy a day of excitement at **Tokyo Disneyland** ! Armed with a passport ticket for unlimited rides, explore Toon Town, World Bazaar, Adventureland, Fantasyland, Tomorrowland and Critter Country. (Breakfast)

DAY 8 : TOKYO - SINGAPORE

After breakfast, Bid farewell to Tokyo and transfer to the airport for our flight back Singapore . we hope you have had an exciting holiday with SA Tours! (Breakfast)

Tour is conducted in Mandarin. Minimum.We reserve the right to merge our tour groups .Some accommodations may not have specific twin, double or triple room types .Due to unforeseen circumstances, or last-minute changes in flight schedule, sequence of the itinerary is subject to change with/without prior notice. If a place of visit or attraction is close to visitors, it will be replaced with an alternative, if possible, with no exchange or refund .During major festivals/trade exhibitions/peak season, accommodation may be relocated to outside of the city .Non -Singapore passport holders please check with our staff for tourist visa requirements.*Fruit picking and flower viewing are subject to seasonality and availability