3-DAY TRAVEL GUIDE

3 Days in Fukuoka Itinerary: Hakata, Itoshima & Dazaifu

A 3-day Fukuoka itinerary covering Fukuoka Castle, teamLab Forest, BOSS E - ZO, Fukuoka Tower, Hakata, Itoshima, Dazaifu, and Tenjin.

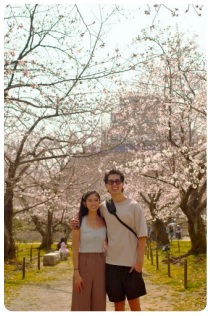


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01	*Day One* **Fukuoka Highlights: Fukuoka Castle, teamLab Forest & Hakata**	Fukuoka Castle Ruins & Ohori Park / teamLab Forest Fukuoka / BOSS E - ZO FUKUOKA
02	*Day Two* **Itoshima Day Trip: Couple Stones, Keya & Shiraito Falls**	Ito Sai Sai Farmers Market / Shiraito Falls / Itoshima Berry Farm
03	*Day Three* **Dazaifu Day Trip: Tenmangu, Kyushu Museum & Tenjin**	Dazaifu Tenmangu / Kyushu National Museum / Motsunabe Maedaya

MAIZURU PARK - MOMOCHI - HAKATA

Day One: Fukuoka Highlights: Fukuoka Castle, teamLab Forest & Hakata



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Fukuoka Castle Ruins & Ohori Park

Hilltop ruins turn Maizuru Park into a history walk with sweeping city views and the Fukuoka Walk around Ohori Park for a beautiful loop around the lake and a...

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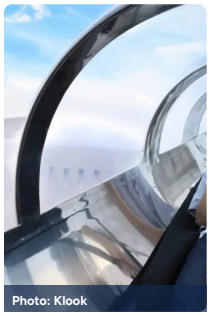


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teamLab Forest Fukuoka

This is like a sister interactive art exhibition similar to the famous teamLab Planets! Climb, balance, and jump through interactive artwork that changes around you

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BOSS E - ZO FUKUOKA

An indoor entertainment complex mixing rooftop thrills, VR, baseball, Sanrio, and digital art SUBE-ZO drops you through a 100-meter tube slide outside the building You can choose one attraction or spend an entire day...

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Fukuoka Tower

A mirrored 234-meter tower with an observation room that has panoramic views of the city and sea Visit around sunset for the best view!

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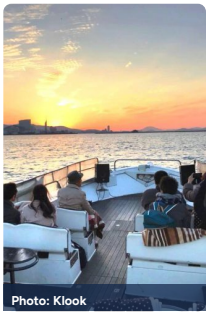


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Tochoji Temple

A peaceful Hakata temple hiding an enormous wooden Buddha inside The bright five-story pagoda is one of Old Town's prettiest landmarks

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Fukuoka Nakasu River Cruise

Take a boat ride through the Nakasu River to view Fukuoka from an entirely different angle. Glide past Canal City, riverside yatai, and Nakasu's bright...

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Nakasu Yatai Food Stalls

You have to try the iconic yatais in Fukuoka! These are tiny open-air stalls where everyone squeezes around one lively counter for small eats. Our random stall served one of the BEST ramen bowls I've ever had!

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SAKURAI-FUTAMIGAURA - KEYA - SHIRAITO

Day Two: Itoshima Day Trip: Couple Stones, Keya & Shiraito Falls

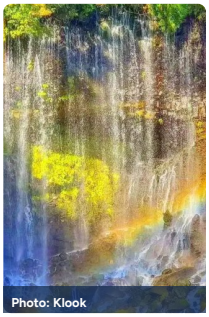

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Ito Sai Sai Farmers Market

A huge farmers market showcasing what Itoshima grows, catches, and makes It is one of the easiest places to taste the peninsula in one stop!

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Shiraito Falls

A 24-meter waterfall fanning across dark rock in delicate white streams Look for seasonal fishing and flowing somen!

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Itoshima Berry Farm

A 40 minute all you can eat greenhouse experience where you can taste ripe strawberries straight from the plants Compare several varieties, including Fukuoka's juicy Amaou berries

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Keya no Oto

Japan's largest basalt sea cave-64 m high and 90 m deep. The best view is from the roughly 25-minute sightseeing boat, which can enter the cave when sea conditions allow

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Keya Totoro Forest

A leafy camellia tunnel that feels like a tiny step into a Ghibli scene The short uphill walk takes about 10 minutes and ends at an ocean viewpoint behind the cave.

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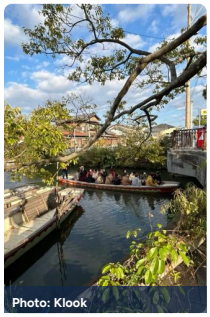
Sakurai Futamigaura: Itoshima Couple Stones

An iconic white torii standing in the sea before two sacred rocks creates one of Itoshima's most striking coastal views! We had the entire beach to ourselves....

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DAZAIFU - TENJIN - HAKATA

Day Three: Dazaifu Day Trip: Tenmangu, Kyushu Museum & Tenjin



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Dazaifu Tenmangu

An active shrine honoring Tenjin, the Shinto deity of learning and culture The approach from Dazaifu Station is lined with shops selling the local grilled rice cake, umegae mochi.

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Kyushu National Museum

The museum explores Japan's history through Kyushu's cultural connections with Korea, China and the wider world-making it an excellent companion to Dazaifu Tenmangu. The striking glass building is reached directly from the...

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Tenjin Underground Mall

An elegant underground shopping street filled with fashion, beauty, cafes, and bakeries This was honestly our safe haven during a rainy Fukuoka day!



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I'm donut?

Unbelievably bouncy, fluffy donuts that aren't overly sweet! These became my favorite donuts almost immediately-you NEED to try them!



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Motsunabe Maedaya

A cozy introduction to Fukuoka's signature offal hot pot. This was comforting, savory, without tasting gamey. Our sashimi was incredibly fresh, and dinner was completely worth the wait!

EXTEND YOUR TRIP

Have more time?

Consider these stops.

OTHER ITINERARY LENGTHS: 1 days in Fukuoka - 2 days in Fukuoka - 4 days in Fukuoka



UMINONAKAMICHI

Uminonakamichi Marine World Admission Ticket in...

Admission to Marine World Uminonakamichi, including its Kyushu marine exhibits and seaside dolphin and sea lion show.

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DAZAIFU - HAKATA - TENJIN

Downtown & Street Shopping Tour

A guided Hakata walking tour through Kawabata Shopping Arcade, Kushida Shrine, Hakata Machiya Furusatokan, and Hakata Riverain.

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