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# 2024 Disney Parks, Mt. Fuji, Tokyo & Kamakura Summer Fun #2

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**June 4 - 12, 2024**  
**7 Nights/9 Days**

*Tokyo Disneyland - Tokyo DisneySea -  
Mt. Fuji - Hakone - Tokyo - Kamakura*

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when you pay with a personal check/cash

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per person-triple occupancy

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A minimum of 16 participants is required for the tour to operate

# Itinerary

## Day 1: (Tue) Jan 4 – Honolulu Depart Honolulu via Hawaiian Airlines

→ Meet the Panda Travel representative 3 hrs prior to departure at the Hawaiian Airlines check-in counters.

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## Day 2: (Wed) Jan 5 – Haneda-Maihama/Tokyo Disneyland

Tokyo Bay Maihama Hotel (Free Wi-Fi)

→ Arrive at Haneda Airport. Meet your English speaking local guide at the arrival lobby before transferring to the hotel.

→ Welcome to Tokyo Bay Maihama Hotel, the official Tokyo Disney Resort® Hotel! Take advantage of the hotel's direct access to the Disney Resort Line monorail system. The monorail, which loops around the perimeter of the resort, will make several stops, including at the doorsteps of Tokyo Disneyland and DisneySea. If you'd like to explore **Ikspiari**—a vibrant shopping, dining, and entertainment hub—please let your local guide know and they will assist you.

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## Day 3: (Thu) Jun 6 – Maihama/Tokyo Disneyland (B)

Tokyo Bay Maihama Hotel (Free Wi-Fi)

→ Breakfast at hotel.

→ 8:15am – Meet your guide at the hotel lobby for the monorail ride to Tokyo Disneyland.

→ Get ready for an exhilarating day at **Tokyo Disneyland!** Explore the many Tokyo Disneyland exclusive attractions like its glass covered Victorian-style indoor World Bazaar and the Beauty and the Beast mini-land that stretches from Belle's village square to Beast's Castle. Don't miss out on the spectacular PhilharMagic show (revamped in Sept 2022) and new rides like The Happy Ride with Baymax! In between attractions, snack on a chewy Stormtrooper mochi or hot, fresh popcorn featuring flavors like curry, cookie cream, and garlic shrimp. Enjoy making fun memories today!

→ Return to hotel – The monorail will transport you back to the hotel when you decide to return and rest up for the next day's Disney adventure.

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## Day 4: (Fri) Jun 7 – Maihama/Tokyo DisneySea (B)

Tokyo Bay Maihama Hotel (Free Wi-Fi)

→ Breakfast at hotel.

→ The day is yours at **Tokyo DisneySea**, the 4th most visited theme park in the world! Excitingly, you'll step foot in the park's newly opened Northern European inspired expansion: Fantasy Springs (projected to open in spring 2024). With rides, attractions, and foods from the massively popular Frozen, Tangled, and Peter Pan movies, you'll find Arendelle

Castle in Frozen Kingdom, the floating lantern festival in Rapunzel's Forest, a pirate ship in Peter Pan's Neverland, and more! But the fun doesn't end there...drift along the Mediterranean Harbor on a Venetian gondola, descend to the ocean's depths in the 20,000 Leagues Under the Sea submarine, explore caverns of mystery in a subterranean vehicle on the Journey to the Center of the Earth ride, and navigate a watercraft in Aquatopia. Fuel up with a gyoza dog, a tiramisu ice cream sandwich, or a tempura assortment plate. Have fun - Sea you later!

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## Day 5: (Sat) Jun 8 – Maihama-Mt. Fuji (B/L/D)

Hotel Mystays Fuji Onsen Resort (Free Wi-Fi)

→ Breakfast at hotel.

→ 8:30am – Meet your guide at the hotel lobby for a drive to Mt. Fuji.

→ 11:30am – Situated 7500 ft above sea level, **Mt. Fuji's 5th station** is the starting base for hikers and the most popular stop for visitors to soak in gorgeous views and shop for food, drinks, and specialty goods like handheld canned oxygen bottles.

→ 1:15pm – Lunch will be served at **Oshino Shinobi no Sato**, an exciting ninja-themed village with stunning Mt. Fuji in the background. Engage with interactive exhibits, watch live martial arts demonstrations, and fine tune your stealth skills as we explore the world of ninjutsu.

→ 3:45pm – Are you ready to join us on the ascent to Mt. Fuji via the **Mt. Fuji Panoramic Ropeway?** This cable car ride will take us to see breathtaking panoramic views of Mt. Fuji and Lake Kawaguchiko. Once there, try to spot the **Bell of Tenjo**. It's been said that this statue grants wishes to those who ring the bell while looking at Mt. Fuji through its heart shaped silver frame.

→ 5:00pm – Arrive at **Hotel Mystays Fuji Onsen**, a resort hotel featuring a panoramic view of Mt. Fuji. **Enjoy a buffet dinner at 6:00pm**, then relax in the incredible onsen, soothing away all your stress while gazing out on Mt. Fuji.

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## Day 6: (Sun) Jun 9 – Mt. Fuji-Hakone-Tokyo (B/L)

Sunshine City Prince Hotel (Free Wi-Fi)

→ Breakfast at hotel.

→ 8:30am – Meet your guide at the hotel lobby for a drive to **Hakone**, an important Edo period checkpoint that has evolved into a popular onsen town today.

→ 10:15am – Begin the day with a leisurely sightseeing **pirate boat cruise** on **Lake Ashi**, a caldera lake created from Mount Hakone's last eruption thousands of years ago. Enjoy the splendid, uninterrupted views of the surrounding natural landscapes and on a clear day, spot Mt. Fuji!

→ **10:45am** – Next, a ride on the famous **Hakone Ropeway**. Recognized by the Guinness Book of World Records as the “busiest aerial lift” with over 2 million annual passengers, this Hakone must-do offers stunning, sweeping views of the natural landscape below, the steaming hot springs of Owakudani, Lake Ashi, and Mt. Fuji on a clear day.

→ **11:15am** – Our ropeway ride takes us to **Owakudani**, a volcanic valley that resulted from Mount Hakone’s last eruption 3,000 years ago. Undoubtedly one of Hakone’s most famous landmarks, this site allows visitors to safely explore active sulfur vents, hot springs, and hot rivers while surrounded by gorgeous views of nature. Tip: try the on-site “black eggs,” believed to extend your life by 7 years when you eat them! The eggs are hard boiled in the area’s geothermal springs and its shells blackened from the sulfur.

→ **1:00pm** – **Enjoy lunch at a local restaurant along the way to Odawara.**

→ **2:15pm** – This afternoon begins with a visit to the **Suzuhiro Kamaboko Museum**, a historic mainstay of fish cake production since 1865. As we’ll learn, Suzuhiro’s success in creating delicious and distinctive fish cakes is due in part to Odawara’s wealth of fresh quality seafood and Hakone’s natural spring waters. Uniquely, Suzuhiro is home to approx. 16 top-level ranked kamaboko professionals, the largest group of kamaboko craftspersons in the country. It is at this incredible facility where we’ll have a fun **Chikuwa making experience**. Follow along as the expert craftsperson teaches you how to transform fish paste into the grilled perfection that is Chikuwa. Enjoy!

→ **5:30pm** – **Arrive at Sunshine City Prince Hotel, our accommodations for the next 3 nights.** Our hotel is directly connected to Sunshine City shopping center with many shopping and dining options available to you. Nearby, you’ll also find a 24-hr Family Mart convenience store and a Seiyu supermarket for snack, bento, and beverage pickups. Enjoy your evening at leisure.

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### **Day 7: (Mon) Jun 10 – Tokyo (B)** Sunshine City Prince Hotel (Free Wi-Fi)

→ **Breakfast at hotel.**

→ **8:30am** – **Meet your guide at the hotel lobby for a full day tour around Tokyo.**

→ **9:00am** – Today begins at the iconic **Tsukiji Outer Market**. A renowned bucketlist spot, Tsukiji is the largest fish market in the world. While the inner auction market relocated to Toyosu in 2018, the charm remains in its outer market. Be sure to enjoy all that the outer market has to offer, from seasonal produce and candy tasting to knife-making artisan shops.

→ **11:00am** – We’ll now visit the brand new **Toyosu Senkyaku Banrai**. Scheduled to open its doors in Feb 2024 and inspired

by the historic streets of Tokyo, this Edo themed multi-story shopping and entertainment center treats visitors to a diverse selection of boutiques, as well as eateries featuring specialty foods like Toyosu’s signature fresh seafood and produce.

→ **1:00pm** – This afternoon, a visit to Asakusa’s renowned **Sensoji Temple** and **Kaminarimon Gate** (aka “Thunder Gate”) with its massive lantern. This spot is a “must see” in every guidebook and boasts over 30 million annual visitors. Traditionally, once you reach the top of the temple steps, you should clap twice and bow your head as a sign of respect. With the belief that coins trap the dangers of daily life, visitors also customarily make a small offering by tossing coins into a wooden rack, tossing away those dangers as well.

You’ll also find the **Five Storied Pagoda** there. Regarded as one of the “Four Edo Pagodas,” this nearly 174 foot monument stands to represent Tokyo’s few remaining pagodas. As you roam through the temple grounds, you’ll come across the **Nakamise Shopping Arcade**, a lively and extensive shopping street lined with good luck charms, traditional goodies, and Japanese snacks.

→ **2:45pm** – Next, we’ll make a stop at **Tokyo Solamachi**. Located at the base of Japan’s tallest structure, Tokyo Sky Tree, this large shopping, dining, and entertainment complex features over 300 establishments.

→ **5:00pm** – **Return to hotel.** Enjoy the evening of shopping and dining on your own.

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### **Day 8: (Tue) Jun 11 – Tokyo-Full day at leisure (B)** Sunshine City Prince Hotel (Free Wi-Fi)

→ **After breakfast, enjoy your free day to explore Tokyo!**

→ If you’ve already experienced Sunshine City shopping mall, take a visit to Ikebukuro station and hop on a rail line that will connect you to other popular areas like Shinagawa, Shibuya, Shinjuku, Ueno, and Akihabara. Ikebukuro station is also close to our hotel.

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### **Day 9: (Wed) Jun 12 – Tokyo-Kamakura-Haneda-Honolulu (B)**

→ **Breakfast at hotel.**

→ **8:30am** – **Meet your guide at the hotel lobby for a full day tour around Kamakura.**

→ **10:00am** – Explore **Hase Temple** this morning, the go-to destination for hydrangeas in Kamakura. Between early June and early July, 2,5000 hydrangeas of approx. 40 varieties transform the temple’s grounds into a picturesque display of blues, pinks, and purples. Enjoy the astonishing scenery.

→ **11:15am** – Now, a visit to the **Great Buddha at Kotokuin Temple**. This mountainous bronze Amida Buddha stands

nearly 38 ft tall, making it the 2nd tallest bronze Buddha in Japan. Despite being exposed in the open air since 1495, the statue remains beautifully adorned and well-preserved. For a small donation, visitors can enter the Buddha and experience what many regard as Japan's National Treasure.

→ **12:30pm** – Have fun and grab lunch on your own on **Komachi-dori shopping street**. Be sure to stop by Kamakura's famous cookie store for a sample. They're best known for their dove-shaped butter cookies, which make for a great Kamakura souvenir and omiyage gift. Enjoy some last-minute shopping!

→ **3:15pm** – Our next stop at everyone's favorite, **CUPNOODLES Museum Yokohama**. Here, you'll learn about the history and development of instant ramen noodles and peer into a replica shed of where it all started. Perhaps most thrilling is the hands-on workshop, **My CUPNOODLES experience**, where you become both chef and artist.

→ **5:15pm** – Arrive at Haneda Airport and begin our check-in process for the flight home.

→ Depart from Haneda via Hawaiian Airlines for our flight home.

→ Arrive in Honolulu (same day).

Thank you for traveling with us!



# Need to Know...



## Payment Policy

- » Reserve with \$75 per person deposit. Refundable up to 65 days prior to departure date, March 31, 2024.
- » Final payment due by April 15, 2024. Package is non-refundable after this date.

## \* Fares and Fees (Priced in USD)

- » Are subject to change in light of fuel supplements, taxes, and differences in costs.
- » Air ticket fare is guaranteed, but taxes, fees, and fuel surcharges are subject to change until tickets are issued, approximately 50 days out.
- » We reserve the right to make changes to the itinerary with or without notice.



## Special Assistance

- » You must inform us of any disability/impairment that requires special attention at the time of your making the reservation.
- » We reserve the right to cancel the reservation(s) if the disability/impairment is unsuitable for the tour.
- » You are also responsible for any costs and/or accommodations related to your disability/impairment, such as providing your own travel companion.



## Travel Insurance

- » We highly recommend the purchase of trip insurance. Please ask our representatives for more information.



## Travel Documents

- » A valid passport is required for all U.S. citizens and must be valid and not expire at least 6 months from the return tour date.
- » Non-U.S. passport holders must check with the Japanese Consulate to see if a visa is required.



## Land Tour Operator & Costs

- » Land Tour Operator is Nippon Travel Agency.
- » Land Tour costs are based on current currency conversion rates, which are subject to change.



## Other remarks

- » Not Included in the tour: Gratuities for local English speaking guide; additional baggage fee charges from the airlines; alcohol and soft drinks with meals.
- » A minimum of 16 participants are required for the tour to operate.
- » You are expected to abide by domestic and international government and accommodation policies related to health, safety, and welfare.