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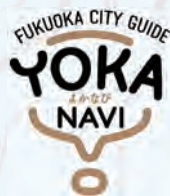
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Trip to Cultural Properties in Fukuoka City!

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Each cultural property number in City Map on the back



## Discover 1 Ancient & Modern Building 20th 17th CENTURY

### 1 Former Nippon Life Insurance Company Kyushu Branch Building Fukuoka City Akarenga Cultural Center



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Telephone: 092-722-4666

Address: 1-15-30 Tenjin, Chuo-ku (Chuo Ward)

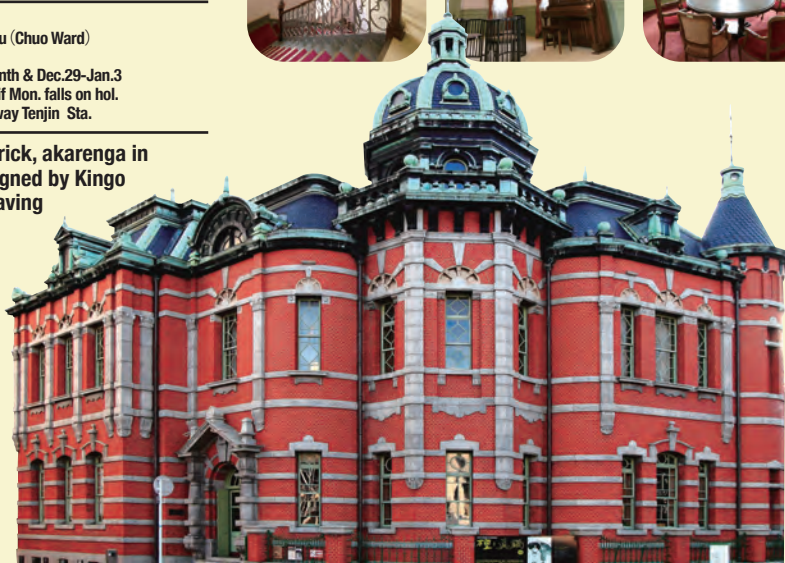
Opening Hours: 9:00 a.m.-10:00 p.m.

Closed: The last Mon. every month & Dec. 29-Jan. 3

\* Following weekday if Mon. falls on hol.

Access: 5-min. walk from Subway Tenjin Sta.

Completed in 1909, this red brick, akarenga in Japanese, structure was designed by Kingo Tatsuno, who is famous for having designed Tokyo Station, and Yasushi Kataoka.



### 2 Former Miura Family Residence

## Hakata Machiya Folk Museum



DATA

Telephone: 092-281-7761

Address: 6-10 Reisen-machi, Hakata-ku

Opening Hours: 10:00 a.m.- 6:00 p.m. (last admission 5:30 p.m.)

Closed: 4th Mon. & Dec. 29-31

\* Following weekday if Mon. falls on hol.

Access: 3-min. walk from Canal City Hakata

Bus Stop (Nishitetsu Bus)

15-min. walk or 5-min. taxi from JR Hakata Sta.

5-min. walk from Subway Gion Sta.

Machiya is a house in the city, which is based on pre-modern Japanese architectural style. The house (the above) was built in the end of the 19th century. Today it's a part of a museum

### 3 Hirao Sanso, Mountain Villa



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Telephone: 092-531-6866

Address: 5-2-28 Hirao, Chuo-ku

Opening Hours: 9:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m.

Access: 5-min. walk from Sanso-dori Bus Stop (Nishitetsu Bus)

In Hirao Sanso, a house with a thatched roof is restored based on traditional Japanese architectural style, where a woman named Moto Nomura used to live. She supported people seeking to reform society in the mid 19th century.



### 4 Grounds of Tokoin Temple



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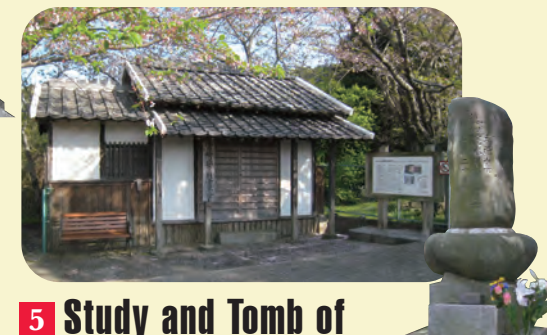
Address: 3-20-37 Yoshizuka, Hakata-ku

Opening Hours: 10:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m.

Closed: Tue. Thu. & Dec. 29-Jan. 3

Access: 10-min. walk from Toko 2-chome Bus Stop (Nishitetsu Bus)

In the grounds are temple architecture and garden dating from the 17th and 18th centuries. Tokoin Temple, however, has already lost its religious function. Its Buddhist statues and paintings, which have been passed down through the generations, are on display at the Fukuoka Art Museum.



### 5 Study and Tomb of Yasusada Miyazaki



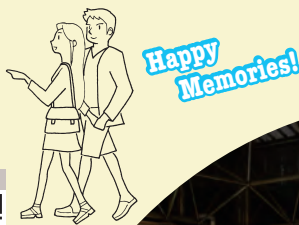
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Address: 215 Myobaru, Nishi-ku

Access: 20-min. walk from JR Kyudai-Gakkentoshi Sta.

Yasusada Miyazaki, a 17th-century agricultural scholar, made a significant contribution to improving agriculture and people's lives. His study and tomb have been passed down through history, and many people come here to pay homage to him.





## 6 Fukuoka Castle Ruins

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Telephone: 092-732-4801  
Address: Jonai, Chuo-ku  
Access: 8-min. walk from Subway Akasaka Sta. or Subway Ohori-koen Sta.  
5-min. walk from Heiwadai-korokan-mae or Akasaka 3-chome Bus Stop (Nishitetsu Bus)



In 1601, the feudal lord Nagamasa Kuroda began building this castle as a base to rule the surrounding area. He gave the name Fukuoka to both his castle and the area he ruled, and the name remains in use today for the city and its prefecture. Some of its stone walls and structures still remain today. At Fukuoka Castle Ruins Visitor Center you can see history of the castle.



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## Genko Borui

The Mongol Empire, whose territory extended over Europe to Asia, attacked Hakata Bay in 1274. In the aftermath of that attack, stone walls stretching a total of 20 kilometers were built along the coast of Hakata Bay to defend against a second invasion. The stone walls are called Genko Borui, and its remains can be seen in various locations around the city.

## 17 Stone Wall Display at Hakata Elementary School

### DATA

Address: 1-38 Naraya-machi, Hakata-ku (at Hakata Elementary School)  
Opening Hours: 10:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m.  
Closed: Mon-Sat. & Dec. 29-Jan. 3  
Access: Closest from Kuramoto Bus Stop (Nishitetsu Bus)



Hakata Elementary School, which is located in the heart of downtown has an exhibit featuring a stone wall, which probably is a part of Genko Borui, in its basement.



## 13 Genko Borui at Ikinomatsubara

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Address: Ikinomatsubara 5-chome, Nishi-ku  
Access: 8-min. walk from JR Shimoyamato Sta.



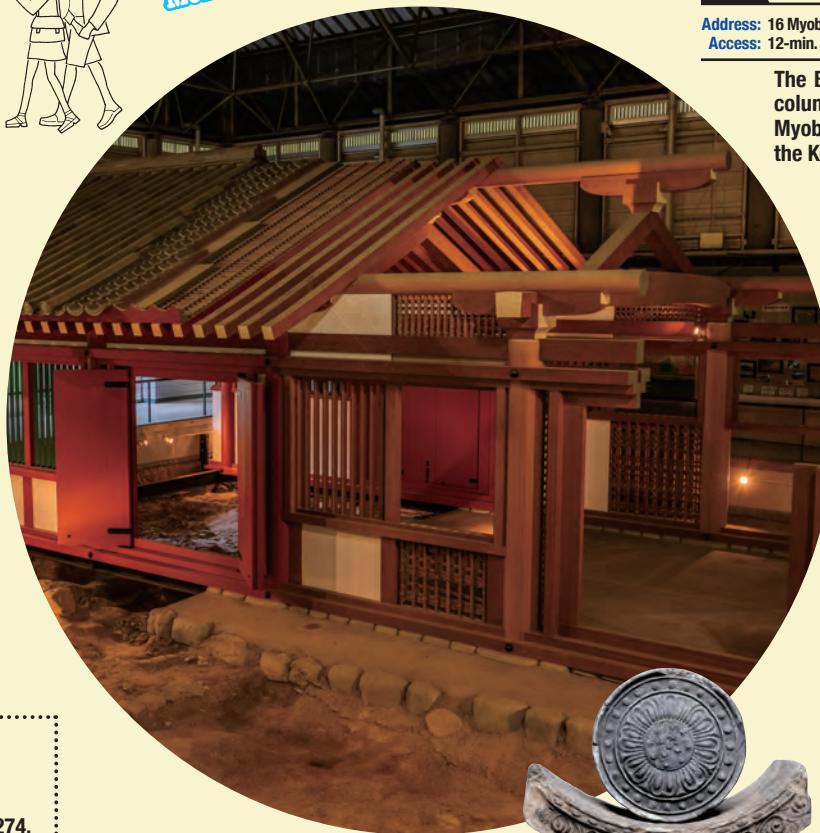
## 18 Korokan Ruins, Korokan Historical Museum

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Telephone: 092-721-0282  
Address: 1-1 Jonai, Chuo-ku  
Opening Hours: 9:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m. (Museum)  
Closed: Dec. 29-Jan. 3 (Museum)  
Access: 7-min. walk from a Subway Akasaka Sta. or Subway Ohori-koen Sta.  
5-min. walk from Fukuoka-jo/Korokan-mae Bus Stop (Nishitetsu Bus)



The Korokan, a diplomatic facility that operated for about 400 years starting at the end of the 7th century, was located here. A museum houses part of the ruins that were excavated from the site. You can also view reconstructed buildings, discovered pottery and other artifacts from overseas.



## 19 Ruins of the Tile Kiln at Myobaru

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Address: 16 Myobaru-kita, Nishi-ku  
Access: 12-min. walk from JR Kyudai-Gakkentoshi Sta.

The Buildings at Korokan are believed to have had vermillion columns, white walls and a tile roof. The remains excavated at Myobaru is home to the tile kiln that fired the roof tiles used at the Korokan.



## 20 Ruins of the Tile Kiln at Roji

### DATA

Address: 4-20 Roji, Minami-ku (at Fukuoka Reformatory)  
Access: 9-min. walk from Oimatsu-jinja-mae Bus Stop (Nishitetsu Bus)

This kiln fired roof tiles that were used in the construction of Kanzeonji Temple, the most important temple in Kyushu.



## 16 Genko Borui at Imazu

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Address: Imazu, Nishi-ku  
Access: 10-min. walk from Fukushima-shisetsu-mae Bus Stop (Showa Bus)





## Kofun, Ancient Tombs

Kofun is the ancient tomb with an earthen mound in which the influential was buried. A large number of kofun were built throughout Japan from the late 3rd century to the 7th century.

### 21 Yamanohana No.1 Kofun

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**Address:** 2-17 Tokunaga-kita, Nishi-ku (at Yamanohana Park)  
**Access:** 2-min. walk from JR Kyudai-gakkentoshi Sta.

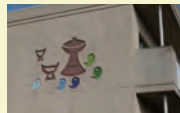


You can climb the mound.

### 22 Umebayashi Kofun

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**Address:** 5-42 Umebayashi, Jonan-ku  
**Access:** 7-min. walk from Subway Umebayashi Sta. or Subway Noke Sta.



On the wall of apartments close to this kofun, you can see paintings of excavated artifacts.

### 23 Otsuka Kofun

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**Address:** 1-26 Imajuku-nishi, Nishi-ku  
**Access:** 13-min. walk from JR Imajuku Sta.



Beautiful keyhole-shaped tumulus



### 24 Marukumayama Kofun

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**Address:** Susenji, Nishi-ku  
**Access:** 10-min. walk from JR Susenji Sta.  
10-min. walk from Susenji-higashi-guchi Bus Stop (Showa Bus)



Marukumayama kofun is the largest keyhole-shaped tumulus in the city. The entrance to its stone chamber is exposed at the top of the mound. you can look into its interior.

### 25 Roji Kofun

DATA

**Address:** 4-20 Roji, Minami-ku (at Fukuoka Reformatory)  
**Access:** 9-min. walk from Oimatsu-jinja-mae Bus Stop (Nishitetsu Bus)



### 26 Sukizaki Kofun

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**Address:** Sukizaki, Imajuku-aoki, Nishi-ku  
**Access:** 20-min. walk from JR Imajuku Sta.



Roji and Sukizaki Kofun have unprecedented stone chambers that can be accessed from the side. You can see the full-scale model of the chamber in Sukizaki Kofun in Fukuoka City Museum.

### 27 Hie Site

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**Address:** 5-12 Hakataeki-minami, Hakata-ku  
**Access:** Closest from Haruzumi-cho Bus Stop (Nishitetsu Bus)



At a time when many kofun were built, Yamato rulers in the Kinki region extended their reach throughout the surrounding area. At Hie was located the large storehouses surrounded by a fence that might have helped the government establish its rule over the nearby area.

### 28 Nokata Site, Nokata Pit-house Museum

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**Telephone:** 092-812-3710  
**Address:** 5-11-25 Nokata, Nishi-ku  
**Opening Hours:** 9:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m.  
**Closed:** Mon. & Dec.29-Jan.3 \* Following weekday if Mon. falls on hol.  
**Access:** 5-min. walk from Nokata-iseki-iriguchi Bus Stop (Nishitetsu Bus)  
1-min. walk from Nokata-iseki-mae Bus Stop (Nishitetsu Bus)



Nokata site was home to a settlement inhabited from 1,800 to 1,700 years ago. The museum at the site exhibits featuring excavated ruins of pit-houses so that you can see how people lived at the time.

### 29 Itazuke Site, Itazuke Yayoi Museum

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**Telephone:** 092-592-4936  
**Address:** 3-21-1 Itazuke, Hakata-ku  
**Opening Hours:** 9:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m.  
**Closed:** Dec. 29-Jan. 3  
**Access:** 3-min. walk from Itazuke-danchi-daini Bus Stop (Nishitetsu Bus)



Rice cultivation came to Fukuoka over 2,500 years ago, and the Itazuke Ruins was home to one of Japan's oldest rice-growing settlements. The village with several pit-houses surrounded by a moat has been restored at the site. You can experience the culture at the time in the museum.

### 30 Imayama Site

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**Address:** 2-39 Yokohama, Nishi-ku  
**Access:** Closest from Imayama or Yokohama 2-chome Bus Stop (Showa Bus)



Mt. Imayama consists of basalt and granite. Here stone tools such as axes were produced over 2,200 years ago.



### 31 Yoshitake-Takagi Site, Yayoi no Kaze Park

DATA

**Address:** 194 Yoshitake, Nishi-ku  
**Opening Hours:** 9:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m.  
**Access:** 15-min. walk from Tamura 1-chome Bus Stop (Nishitetsu Bus)



A settlement that dates back to more than 2,200 years ago along with graves and the remains of large structures were unearthed at this site. Today it serves as a park where you enjoy a beautiful scene.

### 32 Kanenokuma Site, Kanenokuma Kamekan Museum

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**Telephone:** 092-503-5484  
**Address:** 1-39-52 Kanenokuma, Hakata-ku  
**Opening Hours:** 9:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m.  
**Closed:** Mon. & Dec.29-Jan.3  
\* Following weekday if Mon. falls on hol.  
**Access:** 5-min. walk from Kanenokuma-iseki-mae Bus Stop (Nishitetsu Bus)



This site was home to a graveyard for 600 years starting 2,400 years ago. A total of 348 Kamekan, earthenware Jar-coffins were excavated here. In the museum, you can view a part of remains that include human bones kept intact after excavation.



## Intangible folk cultural properties and annual schedule

	Date		Ward
JAN.	1st	1 Udagawara Honen Shishimai Dance	Nishi
	1st	2 Imajuku-aoki Shishimai Dance	Nishi
	2nd	3 Kanenokuma Tobino-Mizu Ceremony	Hakata
	7th	4 Imajuku-uemachi Tenmangu Onisube Ceremony	Nishi
	13th	5 Karadomari Gomanzai Ceremony	Nishi
	Sun. before Coming of Age Day	6 Imazu Juichinichi Ceremony	Nishi
	Sat. closest to 14th	7 Ishigama Tobitobi Ceremony	Sawara
	Sun. closest to 15th	8 Shikaumi Shrine Hoshasai Ceremony	Higashi
MAR.	1st	9 Imori Shrine Kayura Fortune-telling	Nishi
APR.	15th	10 Yamahome Ceremony	Higashi
	Sun. closest to 17th	11 Shishi-gaku Dance Dedicated to Kashigu Shrine	Higashi
MAY	3rd & 4th	12 Hakata Matsubayashi Parade	Hakata
	1st-15th	13 Hakata Gion Yamakasa Festival	Hakata
JUL.	2nd Sat.	14 Tajima Kagura Dance	Jonan
	Sun. closest to 13th	15 Tonoharu Gion Yamakasa Ceremony	Higashi
	2nd Sat. & Sun.	16 Motooka Shishimai Dance and Gion Bayashi Music	Nishi
	13th-15th	17 Taguma Obon Pushing Contest and Tug of War	Sawara
AUG.	14th & 15th	18 Jonoharu Obon Dance	Nishi
	15th	19 Kusaba Obon Tug of War	Nishi
	16th	20 Nishinoura Vine Tug of War	Nishi
	17th	21 Udagawara Honen Shishimai at Marukumayama Kofun	Nishi
	Irregularly scheduled	22 Shikanoshima Obon Dance	Higashi
	End of Aug.	23 Hakata Niwaka, Impromptu Comic Play, at Chuo Ward Civic Center	Chuo
	12th-14th (every other year)	24 Hakozakigu Shrine Shinko Ceremony	Higashi
	1st, 4th, 8th & 9th	25 Shirahige Shrine Okunchi Ceremony	Nishi
OCT.	9th	26 Imori Shrine Horseback Archery Ceremony	Nishi
	2nd Sun. (every other year)	27 Shikaumi Shrine Shinko Ceremony	Higashi
	Sun. closest to 17th	11 Shishi-gaku Dance Dedicated to Kashigu Shrine	Higashi
NOV.	15th	10 Yamahome Ceremony	Higashi
	19th & 20th	28 Hayama Filleting Fish Ceremony	Higashi
Other	Sun. in middle of Oct.	29 Imazu Ningyo Shibai, Puppet Play	Nishi
	1st Sat. & 3rd Sun. every month	30 Hakata Niwaka at Hakata Machiya Folk Museum	Hakata

As of March 2019

## Museums and Information Centers

### 33 Fukuoka City Museum

Telephone:092-845-5011

Over-2000-year history and culture in Fukuoka



### 34 Fukuoka City Public Library

Telephone:092-852-0600

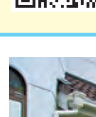
Library,city archives and Japanese and other Asian film archives



### 35 Seinan Gakuin University Museum (Dozier Memorial Hall)

Telephone:092-823-4785

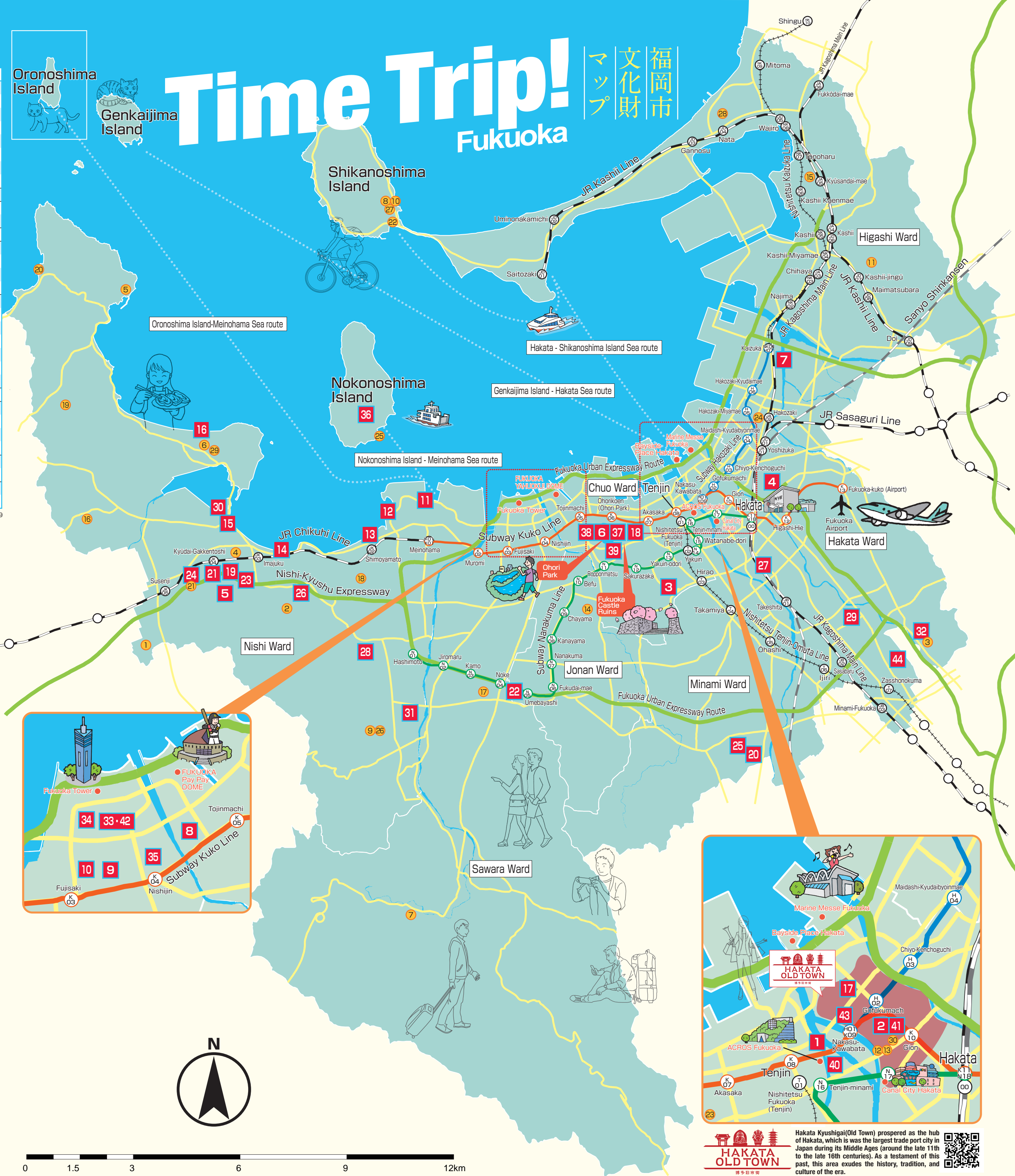
Christian Culture / Western brick building completed in 1921



### 36 Noko Museum

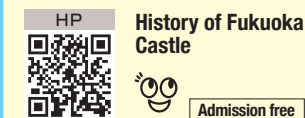
Telephone:092-883-2887

History of Nokonoshima Island and Hakata Coast / Remains of a kiln inside the site



### 37 Fukuoka Castle Ruins Visitor Center

Telephone:092-732-4801



### 38 Fukuoka Castle and Korokan Information Facility "Sannomaru Square"

Telephone:092-720-7510



### 39 Fukuoka Art Museum

Telephone:092-714-0651

A wide range of the collection from Japanese pre-modern art to modern and contemporary art



### 40 The Previous Fukuoka Prefectural Civic Hall and Honorary Guest House

Telephone:092-751-4416



### 41 Hakata Machiya Folk Museum, Exhibition Hall

Telephone:092-281-7761



### 42 Hakata Traditional Craft and Design Museum

Telephone:092-409-5450



### 43 Fukuoka Asian Art Museum

Telephone:092-263-1100

Collection and exhibitions of Asian modern and contemporary art works



### 44 Fukuoka City Archaeological Center

Telephone:092-571-2921

Collection and exhibitions of artifacts excavated from Fukuoka City

