



Ramen & Other Noodles



The most popular specialty in Hakata is tonkotsu (pork bone) ramen noodles! You can order how well noodles are cooked and also make an additional order of noodles without soup called 'kaedama'.

Hakata, Fukuoka is also a birthplace of udon noodles. Hakata udon noodles are soft and served with tasty soup. It is recommended to order udon noodles topped with 'goboten', fried burdock root or 'maruten', fried fish paste and a rice ball cooked with chicken.

Location/View	
Access	
Season	Year-round
Related links	Fukuoka's Best Dishes-Ramen & Other Noodles http://www.yokanavi.com/eg/bestdishes/

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Yatai



In Fukuoka, 'yatai', outdoor food stalls appear at night and are crowded with tourists and people after work. Soon after entering 'yatai' through colorful curtains and squeezing yourself between strangers, you can enjoy conversation with them and a variety of foods such as ramen noodles, 'oden' (Japanese hotchpotch), 'gyoza' (fried Chinese dumpling), 'yakitori' (grilled chicken), 'tempura' (Japanese fry) and fried ramen noodles.

Location/View	Tenjin area, Nakasu area and Nagahama area
Access	Subway station 'Tenjin' or 'Nakasukawabata', Nishitetsu bus stop 'Haruyoshi' and 'Minato 1-chome'
Season	Year-round
Related links	Fukuoka's Best Dishes- Outdoor Stalls http://www.yokanavi.com/eg/bestdishes/list.html?id=5

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Hotpot (Mizutaki, Motsunabe)



Mizutaki (chicken hotpot) is a local cuisine with a history of over 100 years. The traditional way of eating mizutaki (Hakata style) is enjoying its great chicken soup full of collagen first, then chicken and vegetables second.

Motsunabe (offal hotpot) is also a traditional local cuisine of Fukuoka. First, enjoy beef offal and vegetables, mainly cabbage and chivee cooked in soups based soy sauce or soybean paste, then add rice or chanpon noodles to taste the great soup.

Location/View	
Access	
Season	Year-round
Related links	Fukuoka's Best Dishes - Hotpots http://www.yokanavi.com/eg/bestdishes/

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Hakata Port Tourist Information

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Tourist Information at each Port

<http://www.mlit.go.jp/kankocho/cruise/>

Canal City Hakata

By Foot

Shopping

Canal City Hakata is a large commercial complex with hotels, a theater, cinemas, shops and restaurants. It may take more than one day to experience all facilities. The Ramen Stadium where visitors can enjoy tasting famous local ramen noodles of all over Japan is popular.

Location/View	1-2 Sumiyoshi, Hakata-ku, Fukuoka City ,812-0018 MAP		
Access	30 min. walk from port(2.5km) Travel by tour:10 min. via car from berth(2.5km) Individual travel:(2.5km from port)		
Season	Year-round	Parking for tour buses	12 buses
Related links	Canal City Hakata http://www.canalcity.co.jp/eg/		

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Website:<http://www.canalcity.co.jp/eg/>



Tenjin area, JR Hakata Station area

By Foot

Shopping

Tenjin area is a shopper's paradise with many shops along the streets such as department stores and apparel-related facilities. There are also many must-sees in Tenjin Underground Shopping Mall, a 590m-long underground shopping street with some 150 shops. JR Hakata Station area has spots to enjoy dining and shopping mainly in the JR Hakata City building and gives foreign tourists 5% discount for purchase.

Location/View			
Access	10 min. via car from port(3km) Travel by tour:10 min. via car from berth(3km) Individual travel:Nishitetsu bus stop 'Tenjin Core-mae' or subway station 'Tenjin', 'Hakata' (3km from port)		
Season	Year-round		
Related links	Tenjin Site http://www15.j-server.com/LUCATENJINS/ns/tl.cgi/http%3a//tenjinsite.jp/?SLANG=ja&TLANG=en&XMODE=0&XCHARSET=utf-8&XJSID=0 JR Hakata City http://www.jrhakatacity.com.e.bv.hp.transer.com/		

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Fukuoka Tower

By Public Transport

Main Attractions

Fukuoka Tower is a landmark of Fukuoka City. It is 234m high and covered with 8,000 half mirrors, offering the incredible view from its observation room (123m above ground).

Location/View	2-3-26 Momochihama, Sawara-ku, Fukuoka City ,814-0001 MAP		
Access	Travel by tour:20 min. via car from berth(4.6km) Individual travel:Short walk from Nishitetsu bus stop 'Fukuoka Tower Minami-guchi' bus stop(4.6km from port)		
Season	Year-round	Parking for tour buses	13 buses
Related links	Fukuoka Tower http://www.fukuokataower.co.jp/english/index.php		

Contact Us[Fukuoka Tower]

TEL:092-823-0234 Website:<http://www.fukuokataower.co.jp/english/index.php>





DazaifuTenmangu Shrine

By Public Transport

Main Attractions

DazaifuTenmangu Shrine is a popular site in Dazaifu City. The shrine enshrines a god of academics, Michizane Sugawara, and welcomes many visitors from Japan and abroad who come to pray for passing an examination. There are many must-sees such as the Momoyama-style 'honden' (the main shrine), 'tobiume' (the sacred plum tree) and 'homotsuden' (the treasure hall) housing a national treasure.

Location/View	4-7-1 Saifu, Dazaifu City, Fukuoka Prefecture ,818-0195
Access	Travel by tour:45 min. via car from berth(16km) Individual travel:5 min. walk from NishitetsuDazaifu Line station 'Dazaifu'(16km from port)
Season	Year-round
Related links	DazaifuTenmangu Shrine http://www.dazaifutenmangu.or.jp/en Kyushu National Museum http://www.kyuhaku.com/

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TEL:092-0922-8225 Website:<http://www.dazaifutenmangu.or.jp/en>



Ohuri Park ・ Maizuru Park

By Public Transport

Main Attractions

Ohuri Park is located in the city center and an oasis for citizens to enjoy nature of all four seasons. It used to be an outer moat of Fukuoka Castle. Maizuru Park where Fukuoka Castle was located, has ruins of the castle such as stone walls, watch towers, gates and moats. Visitors can enjoy natural landscapes of four seasons, especially cherry blossoms in spring. Maizuru Park is one of the best spots in the city to see beautiful cherry blossoms and hold the festival, Fukuoka Castle Cherry Festival.

Location/View	Ohori-koen, Chuo-ku, Fukuoka City ,810-0051		
Access	Travel by tour:10min. via car from berth(3.3km) Individual travel:Nishitetsu bus stop 'Ohori-koen', subway station 'Ohori-koen'(3.3km from port)		
Season	Year-round	Parking for tour buses	2 buses
Related links			

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Fukuoka City Museum

By Public Transport

Main Attractions

Fukuoka City Museum introduces the history and the lifestyle of Fukuoka, which has been a gateway for international exchanges through the ages. The museum, having renovated extensively in autumn, 2013, regularly exhibits a national treasure, 'kinin' (a gold seal) and 'nihon-go' (a well-crafted spear). In addition to Fukuoka City Museum, the city has attractive museums such as Fukuoka Art Museum and Fukuoka Asian Art Museum.

Location/View	3-1-1 Momochihama, Sawara-ku, Fukuoka City ,814-0001		
Access	Travel by tour:20 min. via car from berth(4.6km) Individual travel:10 min. from port(4.6km) Nishitetsu bus stop 'Hakubutsukan Minami-guchi', 'Hakubutsukan Kita-guchi' and subway station 'Nishijin'		
Season	Year-round	Parking for tour buses	10 buses
Related links	Fukuoka City Museum http://museum.city.fukuoka.jp/english/index_e.html		

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TEL:092-845-5011 | Website:http://museum.city.fukuoka.jp/english/index_e.html





Hakata Dontaku Port Festival



Hakata Dontaku Port Festival is a citizens' festival held on May 3rd and 4th every year. More than 2 million visitors of all over Japan come and enjoy the festival. About 20,000 participants get dressed and parade down Meiji-dori, a 1,230m-long avenue between Gofuku-machi and Tenjin. Various events are held at about 30 stages set up in the city. The word 'dontaku' comes from a Dutch word 'zontag' (holiday).

Location/View	Meiji-dori Avenue MAP
Access	20 min. walk from port(1.8km) Travel by tour:10 min. via car from berth(1.8km) Individual travel:Short walk from Near "Nakasukawabata" or "Hakata station" subway station(1.8km from port)
Season	May 3rd and 4th
Related links	

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Hakata GionYamakasa Festival



During Hakata GionYamakasa Festival held from July 1st to 15th, Hakata is filled with a festive mood. Must-see events are 'oiyama-narashi' on the 12th, 'shudan-yamamise' on the 13th and 'oiyamakasa' in the early morning of the 15th. The impressive performance of lots of men called 'otokoshu' who spread accross roads, carry a 'kakiyamakasa' float of over 1 ton and dash full speed down the streets of Hakata is worth seeing. This festival is more than 770 years old and designated as a national important intangible folk cultural property.

Location/View	Kushida Shrine, 1-41 Kamikawabata-machi, Hakata-ku, Fukuoka City ,812-0026 MAP
Access	30 min. walk from port(2.3km) Individual travel:3 min. walk from Subway station 'Nakasukawabata' or 'Hakata Station' (2.3km from
Season	July 1st to 15th
Related links	

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Hojoya Festival



Hojoya Festival is one of three largest festivals in Hakata, along with Hakata Dontaku Port Festival and Hakata GionYamakasa Festival. Hojoya Festival is a festival held at Hakozaikigu Shrine in autumn, which signals the coming of autumn to Fukuoka City. There is a 1km-long approach to the shrine, both sides of which are filled with about 500 stalls. During the festival, a number of visitors come to the shrine every day. The 'hojoya' is a shrine ritual to respect all kinds of lives and to caution not to kill lives. Visitors express their appreciation to the harvest, wish success of their business and happiness of their family.

Location/View	Hakozaikigu Shrine, 1-22-1, Hakozaiki, Higashi-ku, Fukuoka City ,812-8655 MAP
Access	5 min. via car from port(2km) Travel by tour:5 min. via car from berth(2km) Individual travel:Short walk from Subway station
Season	Autumn-September 12th to 18th
Related links	Yokanavi http://yokanavi.com/eg/theme/detail/114

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Fukuoka Castle and Korokan Information Facility "Sannomaru Square"



Sannomaru Square exhibits the history of the ancient guesthouse "Korokan" and Fukuoka Castle.

There is a cafe facility named "Josuian", serving Japanese Sweets and Green Tea.

"My-You no-Yakata", offering kimono dress-up experience services and enjoy a stroll around Fukuoka Castle in a kimono.

Address	2-5 Jonai, Chuo-ku, Fukuoka City (the former Maizuru Junior High School)
Access	10 minute walk from Subway "Ohori Park station" 5 minute walk from Nishitetsu Bus "Fukuoka City Art Museum East Exit"
Opening hours	10am – 4pm (reservation accepted until 3pm) Closed on Monday
Other information	Korokan exhibition center (admission free) : 092-720-7510 My-You no yakata (kimono dress-up 2,000yen per hour) : 092-707-3191 Café Josuian (Japanese sweets with green tea 600yen and other menus available) : 092-711-0052



【My-You no yakata】



【Exhibition center】



【Café Josuian】

My-You no yakata HP : <http://www.myyounoyakata.com/>

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