

Explore Tea Culture 2: Green Tea Traditions in the City Center

Capacity: 20



Preparing tea in the traditional manner

Explore the world of Japanese tea in the center of Kyoto, as we visit the Flagship Store of one of Japan's oldest tea companies. Fukujuen have been experts in fine Japanese tea since 1790, and are committed to preserving the traditions of Kyoto's Uji tea and developing new tea products by combining innovative techniques with traditional ones. You'll be welcomed with typical Japanese hospitality to explore the ten floors of this jewelry box of tea culture; with hands on experiences in preparation, tasting, and the culture of tea ceremony - and an opportunity to take your favorite teas home - this trip will ensure you're enjoying Japanese tea for years to come.

Itinerary

*The itinerary is subject to change without notice.

13:15 Meet at Hankyu Karasuma Station Exit No. 12Walk.....

13:30–15:30 **Fukujuen Kyoto Flagship Store (Fukujuen Kyoto Gallery)**

Enjoy matcha tea and Kyoto sweets. Learn how to prepare Japanese tea: shopping
(End of tour)

Fukujuen Kyoto Flagship Store: Fukujuen Kyoto Flagship Store, housed in a nine-story building with one basement floor, offers visitors a multitude of opportunities to enjoy Japanese tea in a different way on every floor. You'll be learning how to prepare Japanese tea, be able to buy tea only available here, and tasting matcha tea in a casual tea ceremony style, seated on a chair. Enjoy exploring the fascinating world of Japanese tea at this Flagship Store.



Learning how to prepare Japanese tea



Shopping on the first floor