

# JOIN THE RANKS OF THE SAMURAI

# AIZU SAMURAI FESTIVAL

SPECIAL PROGRAM | 19-21 SEPTEMBER 2025



## PARADE ONLY PLAN

15,000 yen

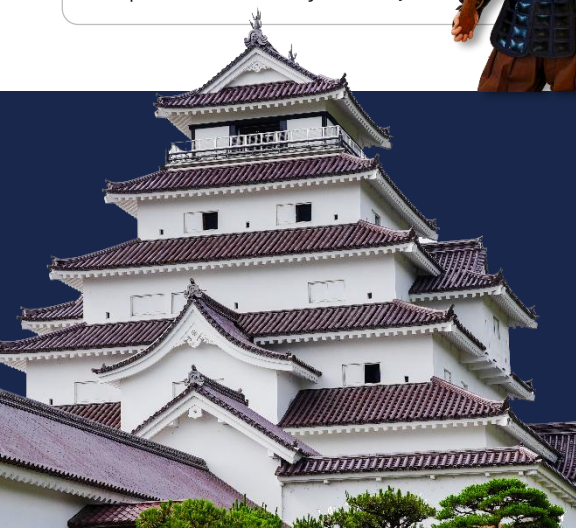
- Join the samurai procession
- Optional hotel stay (+7,000 yen)



## TOTAL SAMURAI PLAN

120,000 yen

- Join the samurai procession
- Train as a warrior in samurai class
- Learn from a real swordsmith
- Visit the traditional Oyaku-en Garden
- Stay at the historic Ookawaso ryokan



## JOIN THE AIZU FESTIVAL PARADE AS A SAMURAI

Held every year in Aizu-Wakamatsu, Japan, the Aizu Festival is a celebration of the region's rich samurai heritage, featuring sword performances, artillery displays and a parade of warriors. Once the site for one of the last battles of the Shogun's reign, you'll visit Tsurugajo Castle and don the traditional armour of a foot-soldier in the gunnery corps of the Aizu Domain. This package also includes the chance to stay at the beautiful Ookawaso inn, where you'll train under a real samurai instructor to hone your swordsmanship skills. Or, join just for a day trip and march alongside your fellow samurai in the shadow of the great castle.

Please contact us if you would like to participate in only part of the experience.  
Plastic ponchos as shown above are only used in cases of severe weather.

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Date		'PARADE ONLY' PLAN: 15,000 yen per person (without hotel stay)
9/19 (Fri)	•	(If hotel option selected) Check-in: 3:00pm – 8:00pm (+7,000 yen for hotel room)
	•	【Overnight stay】 Aizu-Wakamatsu Ekimae Fuji Grand Hotel (dinner not included)
9/20 (Sat)	•	【Meet up】 7:30am at hotel (inc. breakfast) or 7:50am at Aizu-Wakamatsu City Hall
	•	8am: Arrive at Tsuragajo Castle → Change into armour → Join the parade
	•	【End of tour】 2:00pm, Aizu-Wakamatsu Station

Date		'TOTAL SAMURAI' PLAN: 120,000 yen per person
9/19 (Fri)	•	【Meet up】 2:00pm Aizu-Wakamatsu Station
	•	Aizu-Wakamatsu Station → Hotel check-in → Swordsmith experience → Hotel
	•	【Overnight stay】 Aizu-Wakamatsu Washington Hotel (dinner not included)
9/20 (Sat)	•	【Meet up】 7:30am at the hotel (breakfast included)
	•	8am: Arrive at Tsuragajo Castle → Change into armour → Join the parade →
	•	Lunch → Visit Oyakuen Garden → Samurai class at Ookawaso dojo
9/21 (Sun)	•	【Overnight stay】 Ookawaso ryokan, Ashinomaki Onsen (dinner included)
	•	【End of tour】 Breakfast → 10:00am check-out
	•	10:00am Head to Aizu-Wakamatsu Station (Free shuttle bus service)

※Both tour fees include an English-speaking local guide and participation / costume fees for the festival.

※The 'Total Samurai' Plan includes: Fees for swordsmith experience, samurai class experience, admission fee for Oyaku-en Garden, plus lunch and dinner fees where mentioned above.

※Room fees are for two people. An additional charge of 12,000 yen applies for a single room.

※The 'Total Samurai' Package requires a minimum of six participants to go ahead.



### Other information

#### Application Procedure and Contract Completion Period

(1) A travel contract is established upon our acceptance of the application made via the WEB or phone, and upon receiving the total travel cost.

(2) As travel fees cannot be collected on-site, full payment of the travel fee is required in advance. Therefore, partial deposits of the application fee are not accepted.

(3) We accept reservations via WEB, telephone, e-mail, etc. However, the contract is not finalized at the point of reservation. The contract is established only upon receiving the travel fee, either within seven days from the day following our receipt of the reservation notification, or by a date specified by us. If the travel fee is not received within this period, we will treat it as if the reservation was not made.

#### Travel Terms & Conditions (Reservation)

##### ■ Payment of Travel Fees

(1) The travel fee should be settled no later than the 14th day prior to the start of the journey. For last-minute applications, payment must be made by a date specified by our company.

##### ■ Included in the Travel Fee

(1) The travel fee includes the costs of transportation services stated in the itinerary, accommodation, meals, sightseeing fees, travel handling charges, and taxes such as sales tax. It does not include miscellaneous expenses like non-itinerary transportation costs or personal expenses. Please note that refunds are not applicable for any unused portion of the expenses mentioned above due to customer circumstances.

##### ■ Handling of Personal Information

(1) We will utilize the personal information provided by customers during the travel application process solely for the purpose of facilitating communication with the customers and arranging the requested travel services. We will only disclose the information to relevant organizations within the scope of service delivery and receipt.

##### ■ Others

(1) For detailed travel conditions, please consult our staff who can provide a comprehensive explanation of the travel terms and answer any questions you may have.

We kindly request that you review the conditions carefully before submitting your application

### Cancellation Fees

Increases from the day before start of Tour		Day before start of Tour	Day of Tour No Contact No Show
30 to 21 Days Before	20 to 3 Days Before		
30% of Tour Price	40% of Tour Price	50% of Tour Price	Full Tour Price