

Enjoy Akita by taking a leisurely stroll!

Downtown Akita City is full of must-see sights! Experience the history of Akita by taking a relaxing stroll around Senshu Park, which is the site of the remains of Kubota Castle built by the Satake family, which relocated there from Hitachi (Ibaraki Prefecture today), and the surrounding area, which retains the look of a castle town. The convenient Loop Bus is also recommended!

Akita City Walking Map

Enjoy a comfortable stroll guided by the map boards set up at eight locations around the downtown area!

Look for the markings on the map!



Recommended routes

Each route takes about 60-90 minutes.

The starting point is Nigiwai Kouryukan AU!

Route A Enjoy the must-see sights in Senshu Park!
Distance: approx. 2.0 km

- Nakadobashi Bridge → 2. Matsumitama Gate Site → 3. Nagasakom Gate Site → 4. Omonogashira Guard House → 5. Front Gate → 6. Hachiman Akita Shrine → 7. Yojiro Inari Shrine → 8. Kubota Castle's Osumiyagura Turret → 9. Back Gate Ruins → 10. Kogetsu Pond → 11. Kurumon Gate Site → 12. Senshu Park Pocket Park
- *Satake Historical Museum is currently closed until around October 2025.

Route B Shopping and art tour of Nakadori!
Distance: approx. 1.6 km

- Akita Museum of Arts → 2. Pillar Box → 3. Akita Literature Museum → 4. Akita Citizen's Market → 5. Atorion / Akita Prefectural Goods Plaza (basement)
- *Senshu Museum of Art is closed until end of June 2024.

Route C Experience Akita Kanto Festival, one of the "big three" festivals in the Tohoku region!
Distance: approx. 1.7 km

- Nakadobashi Bridge → 2. Takasago → 3. Akita City Folk Performing Arts Heritage Center (Neburi Nagashi Kan) / Old Kaneko Family House → 4. Shoji Taro Music Museum → 5. Akita City Machinaka Tourist Information Center

Route D Stroll through the warmhearted neighborhood Kawabata!
Distance: approx. 2.0 km

- Akita City Machinaka Tourist Information Center → 2. Shoji Taro Music Museum → 3. Akita City Akarenga (Red Brick) Folk Museum → 4. Naba Paper Shop → 5. Akiba Shrine → 6. Naba Family Well

An experienced sightseeing guide will show you around.



A Sightseeing Information Desk is set up to serve as a hub for providing information on downtown sightseeing spots for everyone who visits Akita. An experienced sightseeing guide wearing a yellow uniform will show you around. There is no charge, so please feel free to use the service.

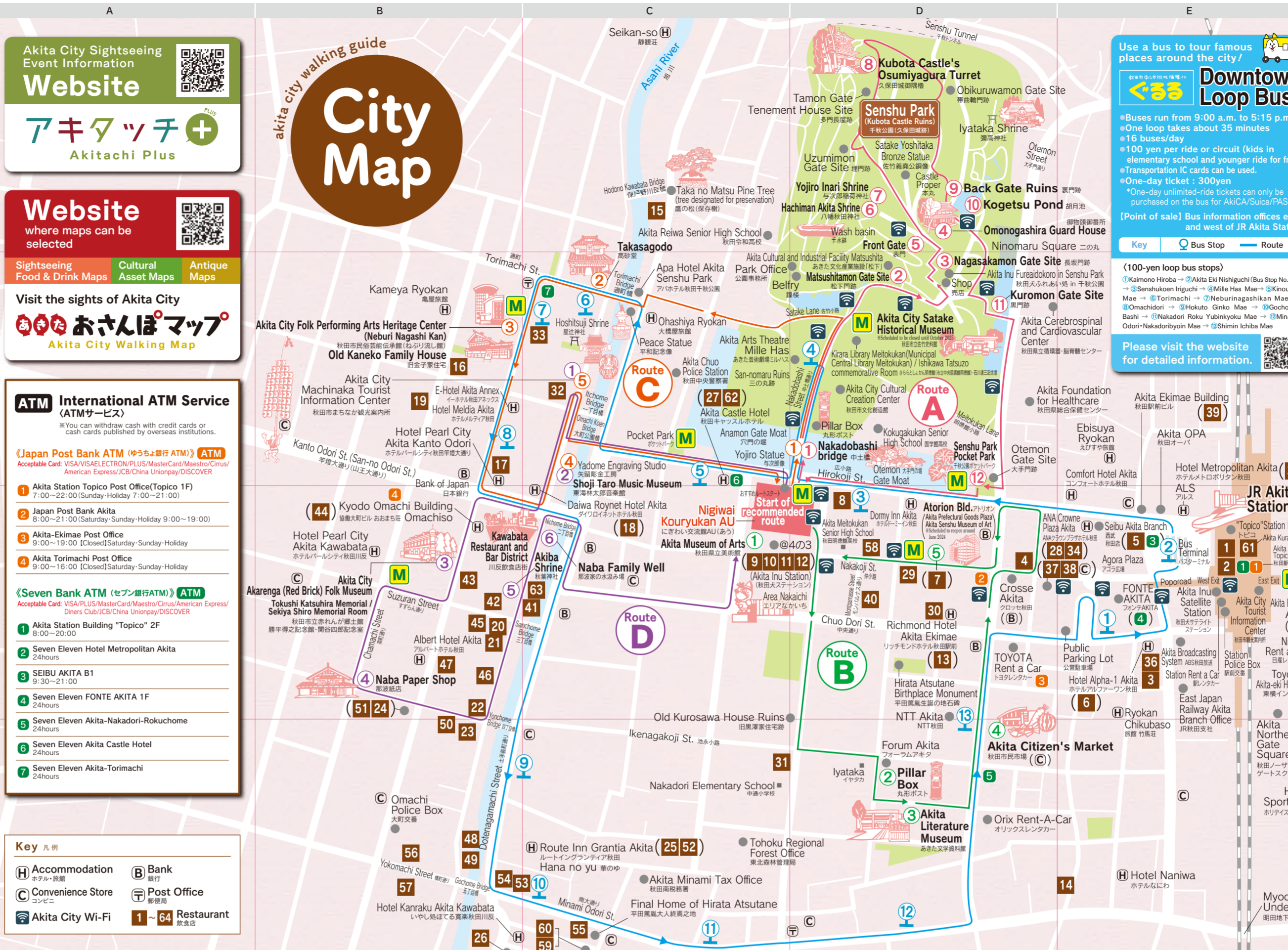
**We use a translation tool for non-native speakers of Japanese.

[Availability] Weekends and holidays from April to early-December

**Also available during the Kanto Festival and when large conventions are held.

[Time] 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

[Place] Inside Area Nakaichi Nigiwai Kouryukan AU



ATM International ATM Service (ATMサービス)

※You withdraw cash with credit cards or cash cards published by overseas institutions.

Japan Post Bank ATM (ゆうちょ銀行 ATM) ATM
Acceptable Card: VISA/VISA Electron/PLUS/MasterCard/Maestro/Cirrus/American Express/JCB/China Unionpay/Discover

- Akita Station Topico Post Office (Topico 1F) 7:00~22:00 (Sunday/Holiday 7:00~21:00)
- Japan Post Bank Akita 8:00~21:00 (Saturday/Sunday/Holiday 9:00~19:00)
- Akita-Ekimae Post Office 9:00~19:00 (Closed/Saturday/Sunday/Holiday)
- Akita Torimachi Post Office 9:00~16:00 (Closed/Saturday/Sunday/Holiday)

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Key 凡例

(H) Accommodation (ホテル・旅館)
(B) Bank (銀行)
(C) Convenience Store (コンビニ)
(P) Post Office (郵便局)
(W) Akita City Wi-Fi (1~64) (観光施設)

Try many specialties!

The local dishes from all over Akita Prefecture are gathered in Akita City!

Inaniwa Udon 稲佐うどん

Inaniwa Udon is a dry thin noodle that originated in Inaniwa, Yuzawa City at the early Edo period. It has a smooth texture made with time-honored techniques such as stretching the noodles by hand.

Green Soybeans 枝豆

The extreme temperature difference between daytime and night-time in summer in Akita provides a lot of sugar to green soybeans. The advantageous climate and insistence on quality are the secrets of their great flavor.

Babavera Ice Cream Cones ババアアイス

A popular ice cream cone in Akita with a vivid contrast between its yellow and pink colors. You can find them at event venues, etc.

Local Hinai Chicken 出内鶏

Local Hinai Chicken is a free-range chicken with no excess fat. The more you chew, the more richness and flavor you get. The Local Hinai Chicken is considered as one of the top three most delicious chickens in Japan.

Kiritanpo きりたんぼ

"Tanpo" is made by mashing cooked new rice coarsely, putting it on skewers made of Akita cedar, and grilling it. During autumn, people share the joy of harvest by boiling mushrooms and other vegetables with local Hinai chicken and then adding in "kiritanpo" into easy-to-eat pieces to make delicious stews. Another variation is "miso tanpo", which is made by coating tanpo with miso before grilling.

Local Sake 地酒

Akita boasts of both abundant rice and sake production. Delicious sake is brewed by almost 40 breweries using traditional techniques that takes advantage of the cold and snowy climate in Akita.

Search and discover the restaurants of Akita Recommended Restaurants

These are supporting members of Akita Convention & Visitors Bureau.

Look for this sticker.

Hours 営業時間 Closed 定休日 Address 住所 *main switchboard 代表電話

Open for lunch ランチタイム営業 Local dishes available 地産品利用あり Open Sundays and holidays 土日祝日営業 Local sake available 地酒販売あり

The number of the restaurant corresponds to the number on the map.

1 ISABAYA Japanese Food 11:00 a.m. - 10:00 p.m. Lunch time: 11:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m. Closed irregularly	2 AKITAKO Akita Izakana/Okamado Meshi 11:00 a.m. - 10:00 p.m. 3rd Floor, Topico, Akita Station Bldg., 7-1-2 Nakadori	3 JAPANESE CUISINE OGIUYA Japanese Food 11:00 a.m. - 10:00 p.m. Closed irregularly	4 MUGENDO AKITA EKIMAE TEN Local Dishes (Noodles) 11:00 a.m. - 10:00 p.m. Closed irregularly	5 SATO YOSUKE Akita No Meguri Sushidokoro 11:00 a.m. - 9:00 p.m. Closed irregularly	6 KARAHASHI CHAYA Local Sake and Local Dishes 11:00 a.m. - 11:30 a.m. / 5:00 p.m. - 10:00 p.m. Closed irregularly
7 SAPPORO KANI-HONKE AKITATEN One Course Restaurant 11:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m. and 5:00 p.m. - 10:00 p.m. Closed irregularly	8 LOCAL DISHES GARAKU AKITATEN Local Dishes 11:30 a.m. - 2:00 p.m. (last order: 1:30 p.m.) Closed irregularly	9 MIKURIYA KOURIN Local Dishes 11:00 a.m. - 2:30 p.m. (last order: 2:00 p.m.) Closed irregularly	10 YORINUCHI ZAKAYA NAKAICHI SAJKI Local Dishes 11:00 a.m. - 10:00 p.m. Closed irregularly	11 KANBUNGONDO AKITATEN Local Dishes 11:00 a.m. - 10:00 p.m. Closed irregularly	12 HONKE ABYA AKITATEN Local Sake and Local Dishes 11:00 a.m. - 10:00 p.m. Closed irregularly

13 WASHOKU KAGURA Japanese Food 11:00 a.m. - 10:00 p.m. Closed irregularly	14 FURUSATO SHUZO ARAISO LOCAL DISHES NIHON-ICHI Local Dishes 11:30 a.m. - 10:30 p.m. Closed irregularly	15 SUSHI YAMATO Sushi 11:30 a.m. - 10:00 p.m. Closed irregularly	16 MUGENDO OMACHI HONTEN Local Dishes 11:00 a.m. - 11:00 p.m. Closed irregularly	17 WASHOKUDOKORO MARU Local Dishes 11:30 a.m. - 10:30 p.m. Closed irregularly	18 KORIN Japanese Dining 11:30 a.m. - 10:30 p.m. Closed irregularly
19 AKITA'S DINER YAMATO Diner 11:30 a.m. - 2:30 p.m. Closed irregularly	20 JAPANESE STYLE RESTAURANT HAMANOYA Japanese Food 11:30 a.m. - 2:00 p.m. Closed irregularly	21 TSUNEYA Local Dishes 11:30 a.m. - 10:30 p.m. Closed irregularly	22 OTAFUKU Local Dishes 11:30 a.m. - 10:00 p.m. Closed irregularly	23 LOCAL DISHES MIHARU Local Dishes 11:30 a.m. - 11:00 p.m. Closed irregularly	24 APPARE-ZUSHI OMACHI HONTEN Local Dishes 11:30 a.m. - 11:00 p.m. Closed irregularly

31 NAKADORI CHILLOUT Bistro 11:30 a.m. - 10:00 p.m. Closed irregularly	32 BIER BAR AQUILA Wholly Owned Local Beer Brewery 11:30 a.m. - 10:00 p.m. Closed irregularly	33 RESTAURANT RECETTE Restaurant 11:30 a.m. - 9:00 p.m. Closed irregularly	34 CHINESE RESTAURANT KARIN Chinese Food 11:30 a.m. - 10:00 p.m. Closed irregularly	35 DINING-MANYO HOTEL METROPOLITAN AKITA Restaurant 11:30 a.m. - 10:00 p.m. Closed irregularly	36 LOCAL SAKE DINING MATAROKU Local Sake and Local Dishes 11:30 a.m. - 10:00 p.m. Closed irregularly
37 AKITA GYUENITEI EKIMAE HONTEN Japanese Dining 11:30 a.m. - 10:00 p.m. Closed irregularly	38 KAWANOYA EKIMAE SAKABA MASUYA Tavern 11:30 a.m. - 1:30 p.m. (last order: 1:00 p.m.) Closed irregularly	39 AKITA BANYA SAKABA Tavern 11:30 a.m. - 10:00 p.m. Closed irregularly	40 KAKURE IZAKAYA SAKEMARU Tavern 11:30 a.m. - 11:00 p.m. Closed irregularly	41 AKITANOTAKI Tavern 11:30 a.m. - 11:00 p.m. Closed irregularly	42 HINOTORI KAWABATEN Tavern 11:30 a.m. - 11:00 p.m. Closed irregularly

43 FARM-FRESH LOCAL DISHES AKITASUGI Local Dishes 11:30 a.m. - 11:00 p.m. Closed irregularly	44 UOGASHI Tavern 11:30 a.m. - 11:00 p.m. Closed irregularly	45 ROAST BEEF BAR USHIMARU Tavern 11:30 a.m. - 11:00 p.m. Closed irregularly	46 AKITA KIRITANPOYA AKITATEN Tavern 11:30 a.m. - 11:00 p.m. Closed irregularly	47 AKITA KAWABATA SAKABA AKITAHONTEN Tavern 11:30 a.m. - 11:00 p.m. Closed irregularly	48 OYSTER DINING SEA FISH Tavern 11:30 a.m. - 11:00 p.m. Closed irregularly
49 NIKUBAR NORICHANG Bar & Grill 11:30 a.m. - 11:30 p.m. Closed irregularly	50 CHARCOAL GRILLING SANOICHI Tavern 11:30 a.m. - 11:30 p.m. Closed irregularly	51 IMONYA TORIFUKU Tavern 11:30 a.m. - 11:30 p.m. Closed irregularly	52 HANANOYUME MAGUROYA Seafood dining 11:30 a.m. - 11:00 p.m. Closed irregularly	53 BEEF BARBECUE RESTAURANT DAISHOEN Tavern 11:30 a.m. - 11:00 p.m. Closed irregularly	54 UMAI-SAKANA ZEN Tavern 11:30 a.m. - 11:00 p.m. Closed irregularly

*Recommended restaurant information is accurate as of January 31, 2024, and is subject to change.
**No.64 is halal compatible.