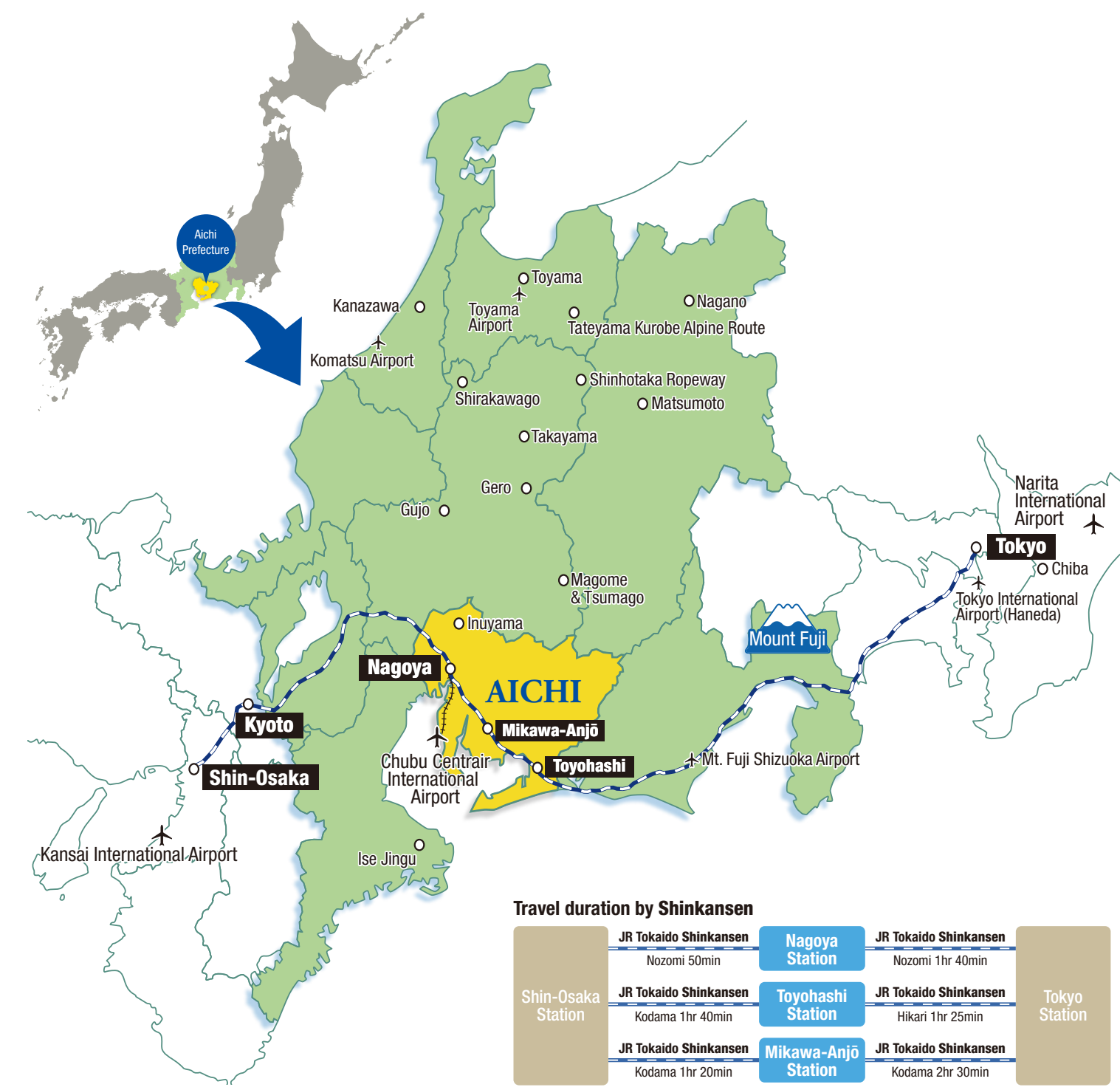


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## TOURISM GUIDE



*Technology and tradition,  
city and nature exist together*



**A** Korankei (Toyota City)

November

Autumn tints 4,000 Japanese maple trees with unforgettable fall colors, all near the year-round charming old town of Asuke.



**B** Obara Shikizakura Autumn Cherry Blossoms (Toyota City)

November

Beautiful cherry blossoms rivaling autumn leaves in beauty. These unusual flowers bloom in both spring and autumn.

## NATURE



**C** Shibazakura Festival (Moss Pink Festival) (Toyone Village)

Mid-May to early June

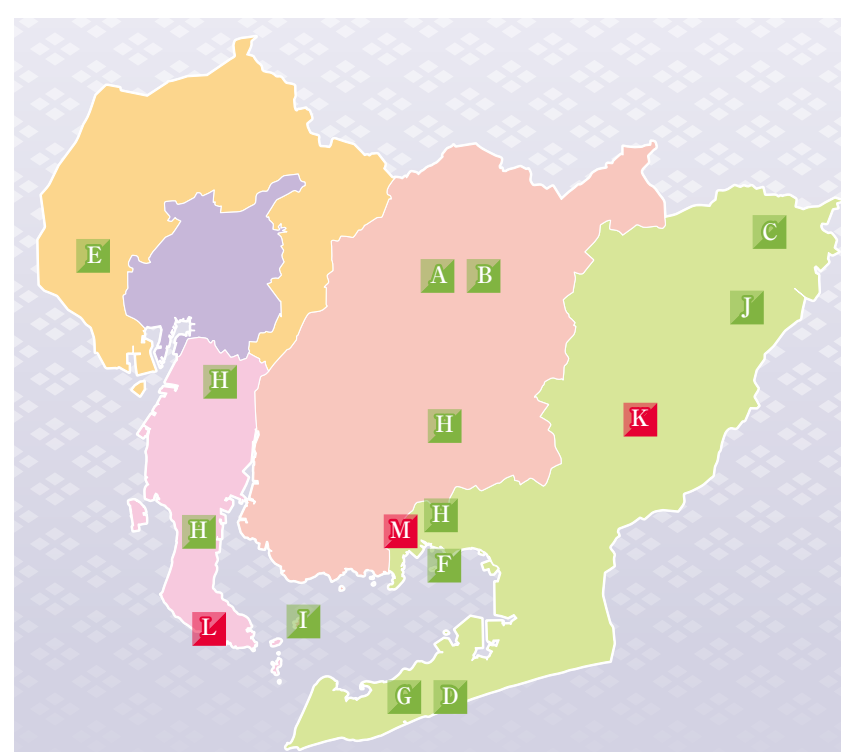
Walk through one of the highest hillside flower fields in Japan, where blossoms meet the sky. You can also take a wonderful airborne stroll on the ski lift.



**D** Rapeseed Blossom Festival (Tahara City)

January to the end of March

A solid carpet of yellow. Rapeseed blossoms announce the arrival of spring on the Atsumi Peninsula.



**E** Owari Tsushima Fuji Matsuri (Owari Tsushima Wisteria Festival) (Tsushima City)

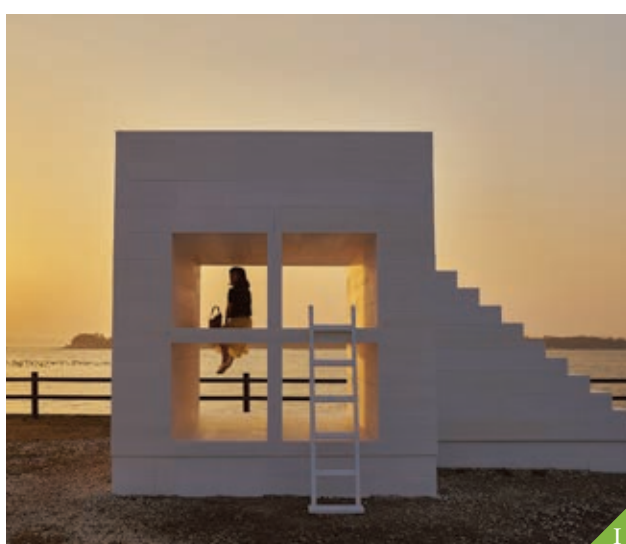
Late April to early May

A curtain of purple spreads overhead. The scene is also lit up at night.



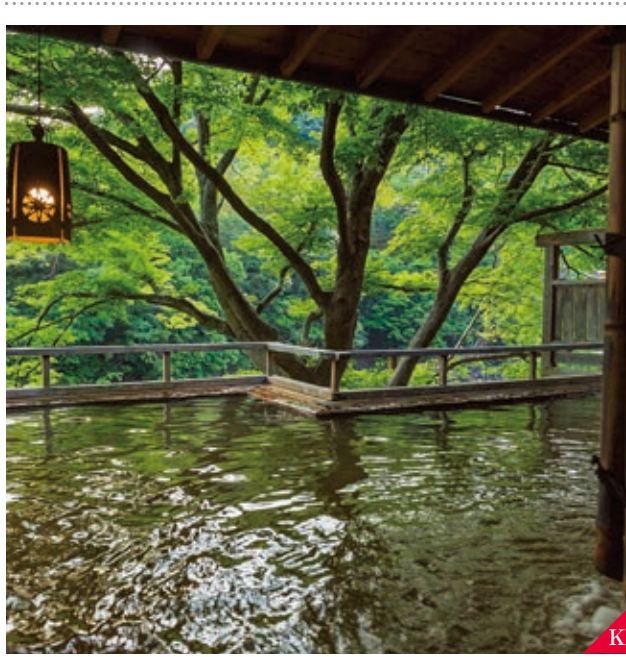
**F** Takekushima Island (Gamagori City)

This island features many attractions, including a shrine that is famous for good fortune, easy delivery, and happy marriage, along with an aquarium, beautiful natural scenery, and more.



**I** Sakushima Island (Nishio City)

Artworks affixed all over this beautifully preserved bit of land make it a perfect escape destination, easy to get by ferry and much sought after by couples.



**K** Yuya Onsen (Shinshiro City)

This hot spring town is located in a famous scenic area where Japanese inns line the river.



**G** Cape Irigo (Tahara City)

This cape is located at the tip of Atsumi Peninsula. Legends of love live on at Koijigahama, or "Lover's Beach," a beautiful sandy beach that stretches away from the lighthouse.



**H** Fruit Picking

Blessed with a temperate climate, the Mikawa Bay coast and Chita Peninsula allow visitors to enjoy fruit picking throughout the four seasons.



**J** Mineral Foundation Crafting Experience naori (Toei Town)

Toei-Town is a source of the mineral sericite, a prime ingredient in cosmetic foundation. How about creating your own handmade cosmetic from the basic materials?



**M** Gamagori Hot Springs (Gamagori City)

This refers to the four hot springs towns of Miya, Gamagori, Katakara, and Nishihara. The surrounding area features theme parks and many other attractions as well.

Photo courtesy of Hotel Hananomaru



### 1 Nagoya Castle Hommaru Goten Palace (Nagoya City)

Nagoya Castle's Hommaru Palace was completed in 1615 and was originally used as the administrative offices and residences of the first feudal lord of Owari. Long-awaited restoration of the Hommaru Palace finally began in 2009, and the completed work was unveiled in June of 2018.

### 2 National Treasure Inuyama Castle (Inuyama City)

A national treasure, this castle features marvelous views of mountains and the river from the top level.

### 3 Kiyosu Castle (Kiyosu City)

A great reconstruction of local warlord and hero Oda Nobunaga's castle, where visitors can get to know the history of the city during the Sengoku period.

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## EVENTS



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April to November



## INDUSTRIAL TOURISM



### 16 Aichi Museum of Flight (Toyoyama Town)

Many real aircraft on display, starting with the YS-11, Japan's first passenger plane. Try becoming a pilot or mechanic, or join a hands-on program at the Science Lab.



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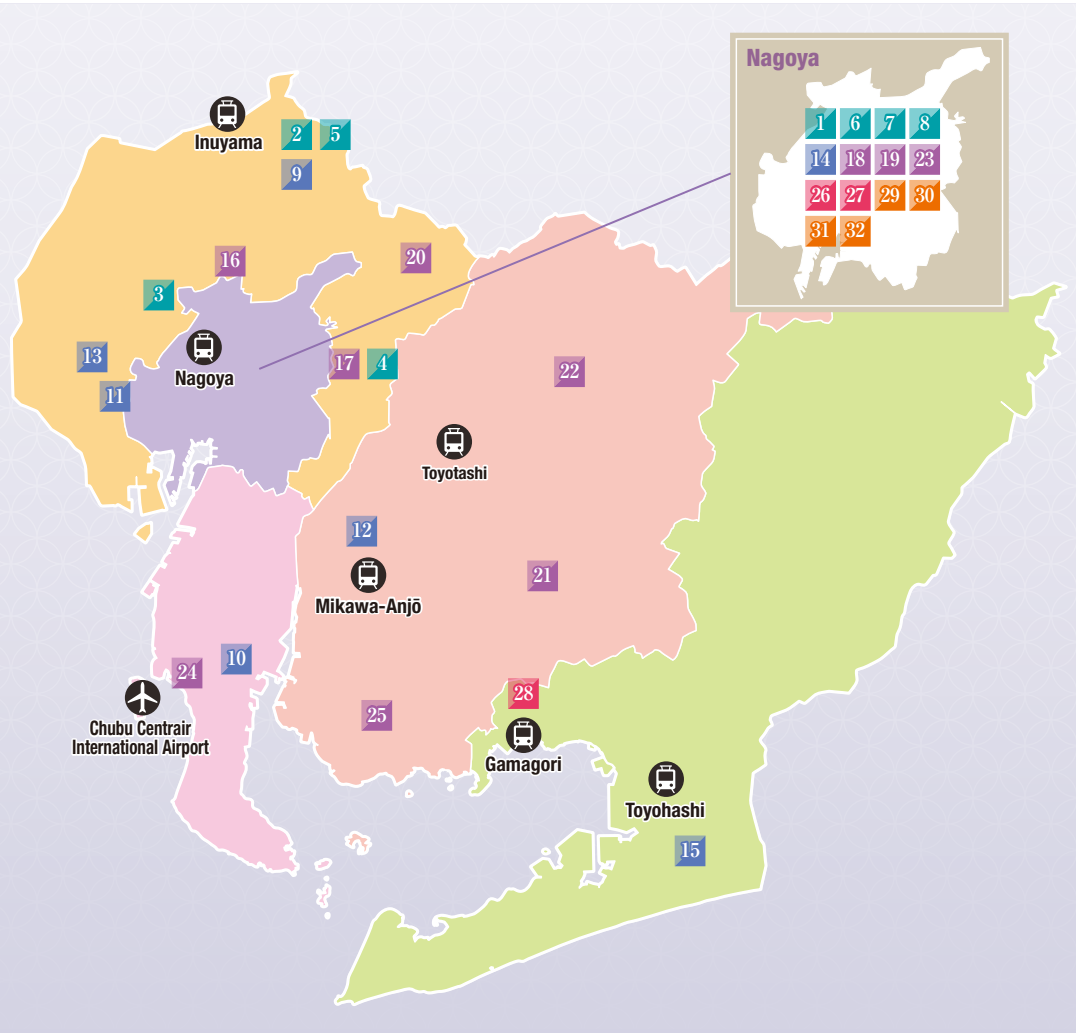
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## AMUSEMENT PARK



### 26 Port of Nagoya Public Aquarium (Nagoya City)

Home to a large group of popular marine animals, including belugas and orcas. The dolphin performance, presented in Japan's largest pool, is a must-see event!

### 27 LEGOLAND® Japan (Nagoya City)

Popular all over the world, this outdoor theme park for families allows you to become fully absorbed in the world of LEGO.



### 28 Laguna Ten Bosch (Gamagori City)

This resort includes an amusement park, a shopping mall, and nice restaurants. Employees at the hotel directly connected to the park include a dinosaur robot!



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In Aichi's version of the unadon eel/rice bowl, the first portion is enjoyed as is, the second is topped with condiments, and for the third, tea is poured over the remaining eel and rice, which is eaten as ochazuke.

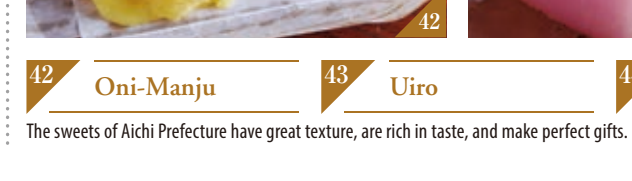
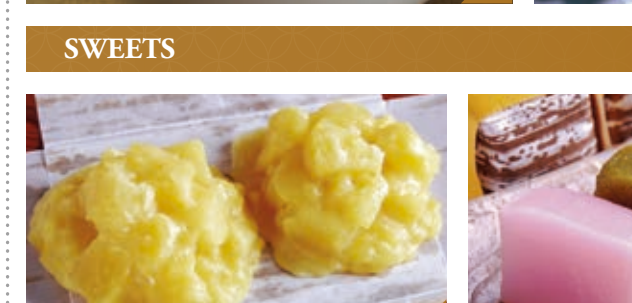
### 34 Tebasaki Karaage

Light, tasty, spicy and reasonable chicken wings typify Nagoya-style dishes. Have no doubt, once you start eating them, you won't want to stop.



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These bite-sized rice balls highlight the wonderful matching of rice and shrimp.



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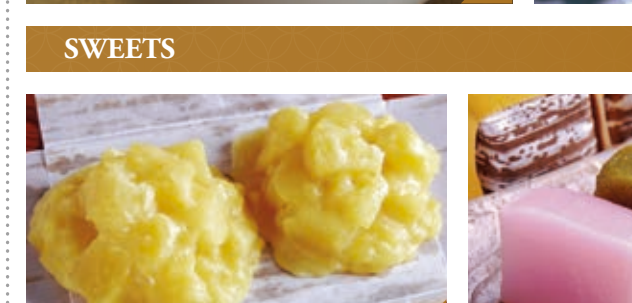
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