

Akama Shrine

Emperor Antoku, defeated in the Battle of Dan-no-ura and drowned in the Kanmon Straits at the young age of 8, is enshrined here. On the grounds of the temple, you will find the Hoichi Hall from Lafcadio Hearn's famous Hoichi the

- 1 Shimonoseki Port (Arcaport) 12 min on foot
- 3 Onoda Port 45 min by car
- 4 Ube Port 60 min by car



Statue of Shinsaku Takasugi

Shinsaku Takasugi was a patriot and part of the driving force behind the Meiji Restoration. He raised Japan's first militia in Kozanji Temple, organizing them to challenge the Tokugawa Shogunate.

- 1 Shimonoseki Port 15 min by car
- 30noda Port 40 min by car
- 4 Ube Port 50 min by car



Karato Market

As the top handler of pufferfish in Japan, Yamaguchi prides itself on its many local foods. On weekends, the Karato Market is packed as many people come to buy fresh sushi.

- 1 Shimonoseki Port (Arcaport) 5 min on foot
- 30noda Port... 45 min by car
- 4 Ube Port 60 min by car

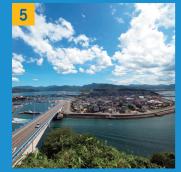


Tsunoshima Bridge

At 1780m, the Tsunoshima Bridge is one of Japan's leading toll-free bridges. After crossing the bridge across the brilliant blue ocean, you'll find yourself in Kita-Nagato Kaigan Quasi-National Park.

- **5** Senzaki Fishing Port 60 min by car / **1** Shimonoseki Port 90 min by car/
- 2 Hagi Port 90 min by car

Visitors to Nagato can experience sights including the beautiful coastal scenery of the Japan Sea that is designated the Kita-Nagato Kaigan Quasi-National Park, and the world of the nursery rhyme poet Kaneko Misuzu. There are five hot springs in the city where travelers can ease away the weariness of their journeys. In Nagato, known for traditional Japanese hospitality, travelers are the leading characters.



Senzaki Area

- 5 Senzaki Fishing Port Arrive here
- 2 Hagi Port 35 min by car
- 3 Onoda Port 70 min by car



Tawarayama Hot Spring

- Senzaki Fishing Port 30 min by carHagi Port 60 min by car
- 1)Shimonoseki Port 60 min by car



Taineiji Temple

- Senzaki Fishing Port 15 min by car2 Hagi Port 35 min by car
- 3 Onoda Port 60 min by car



Kaneko Misuzu Memorial Museum

- 5 Senzaki Fishing Port 10 min on foot
- 2 Hagi Port 35 min by car
- 3 Onoda Port 70 min by car
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Tokiwa Park

The Ube Biennale (international Sculpture Competition) is held in Tokiwa Park once every two years. This international competition has a history of more than a half-century and is one of the largest outdoor sculpture exhibitions in Japan, with entries from countries around the world. Visitors can enjoy a dynamic exhibition of contemporary sculptures and models.



Fujigochi Tea Plantation (Ono Tea)

The spectacular view of one of Japan's largest tea plantations spreads across over 70 hectares of small hills. There is a gift shop approximately 10 minutes from the tea garden by car that also offers tours of the tea factory and tea picking experiences. With a perfect mix of sharpness and bitterness. Ono Tea is great tea to bring home or to give as a gift, and is loved as one of Yamaguchi's specialties.

- 4 Ube Port 30 min by car / 3 Onoda Port 35 min by car /
- 9Mitajiri-Nakanoseki Port 45 min by car