



The **North Japan Alps**, **Imperial Pilgrimage Route**, and **Walks in the Heart of Japan** tours.

North Japan Alps

Mountain hiking some of the very best routes in the North Alps, followed by Kyoto and Nara highlights. 15 days/14 nights.

Prices from 554,000 yen per person. Normal minimum group size 5.

Best season: from end-June to early October. Particularly beautiful with the alpine flowers in July and in fall colours in September and into October.

The Imperial Pilgrimage Route

A walking tour, regarded by some as Japan's Camino de Santiago, following in the footsteps of retired emperors and poets, to the Three Grand Shrines of Kumano, followed by a day hike along the Omine mountain route from Yoshinoyama, and a fascinating week exploring the ancient capitals of Asuka, Nara, and Kyoto. 17 days/16 nights.

Prices from 550,000 yen per person. Normal minimum group size 5.

Best season: from April to November. Particularly recommended in May and late October/November.

Walks in the Heart of Japan

A tour focused on the cultural heartland of Japan, with gentle hikes and walks in and around Yoshino, Asuka, Nara, and Kyoto, as well as a day on Odaigahara Plateau in the important, UNESCO designated Mount Odaigahara and Omine Biosphere Reserve. 13 days/12 nights.

Prices from 500,000 yen per person. Normal minimum group size 5.

Best season: May to November, but also possible earlier in spring.