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KURAMAE ASAKUSABASHI

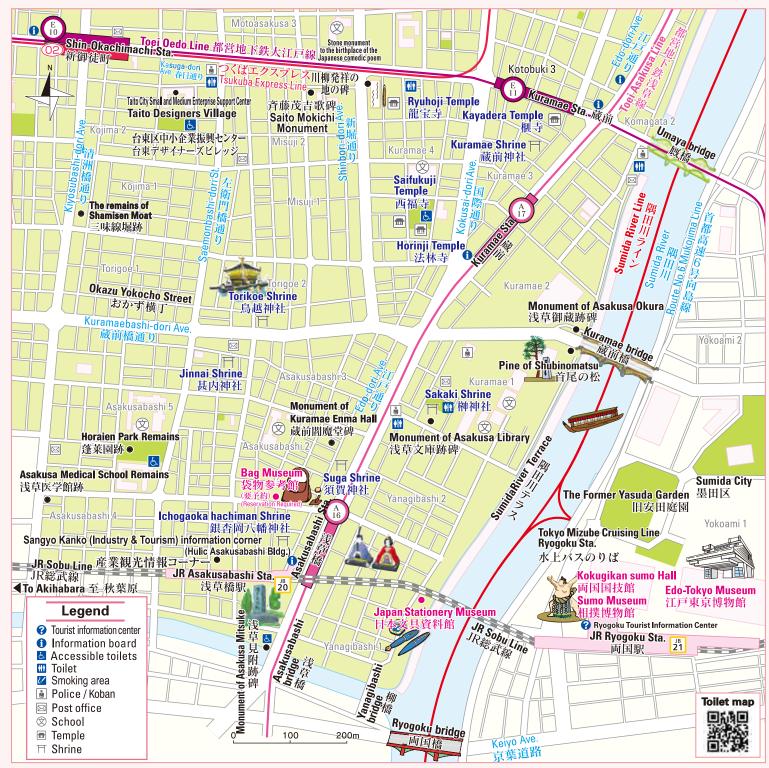
EXECUTATION S Real (Feel, touch, eat!) in Taito City.

蔵 前 ・ 浅 草 橋

The area from Kuramae to Asakusabashi has been thriving since the Edo period as a commercial and transportation center by harnessing the natural wealth of the Sumida River. The Tokugawa Shogunate built a gate here called "Asakusa-Mitsuke", a crucial advance guard for the defense of Edo Castle.

Today, with its dense commercial community composed of various wholesalers and retailers, such as traditional doll shops, the area attracts numerous visitors.





Looking and Walking around Kuramae and Asakusabashi

蔵前の選草橋の見るの遊ぶ

Torikoe Shrine 鳥越神社



This shrine has a mikoshi called "Senkan (about 3.75 tonnes) Mikoshi", which is said to be the heaviest in Tokyo. Tondo-yaki Festival is held on January 8, and Torikoe Festival in early June.

Address: 2-4-1 Torigoe, Taito-ku Access: 5-minute walk from Metro Kuramae Station 8-minute walk from JR Asakusabashi Station or Metro Shin-Okachimachi Station

Okazu Yokocho Street おかず横丁



A shopping street with a downtown atmosphere, within a walking distance from Kuramae. Locals love this street, with many shops selling side dishes.

Address: Torigoe 1-chome, Taito-ku Access: 9-minute walk from Toei Oedo/Asakusa Line Kuramae Station

Kuramae Shrine 藏前神社



This shrine is the birthplace of sumo wrestling tournaments and is associated with classical Rakugo. In spring, the combination of early-blooming cherry blossoms and mimosa is beautiful.

Address: 3-14-11 Kuramae, Taito-ku Access: 1-minute walk from Toei Oedo/Asakusa Line Kuramae Station

Stone Monument for Pine of Shubinomatsu 首尾の松跡碑



A pine tree which used to be at the landing place of a rice warehouse of the Edo Shogunate and is depicted in Hiroshige Utagawa's ukiyo-e woodblock print. Today, a pine tree (seventh generation) is planted about 100 meters upstream from where the original pine tree used to be.

Access: 4-minute walk from Toei Oedo/Asakusa Line Kuramae Station

Yanagibashi 柳橋



This area has been known as a red-light district since the Edo Period. There are many landing sites for yakatabune, oldfashioned Japanese houseboats, along the Kanda River near the area.

Address: Yanagibashi, Taito-ku Access: 5-minute walk from JR & Toei Asakusa Line Asakusabashi Station

Edo Street 江戸通り



Wholesale and retail stores of dolls, toys, stationery, accessory parts, artificial flowers, etc. line Edo Street from JR Asakusabashi Station to Toei Oedo/Asakusa Line Kuramae Station.

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Tokyo Dietary Diversity Map

This map is for Muslim, vegan, and vegetarian tourists so that they feel safe and enjoy dining and sightseeing.





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