

Welcome to Taito City vol.1

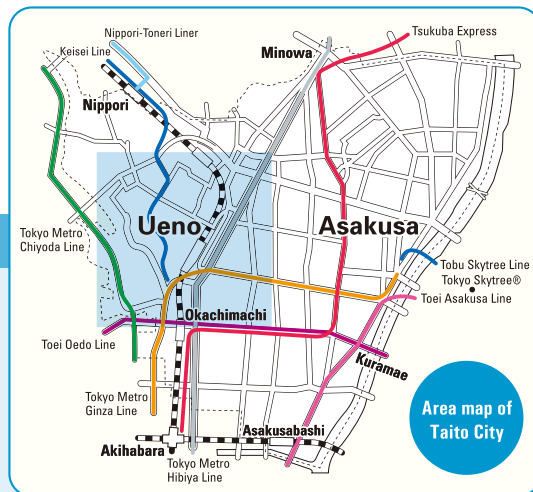
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UENO

Everything's Real
(Feel, touch, eat!)
in Taito City.

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Ueno sprang into fame shortly after the establishment of the Tokugawa Shogunate in Edo in 1603, as the home to Buddhist temples and townfolk. Additionally, ever since the Meiji period (1868 and thereafter), it has been a hub of modern Japanese art and culture. Blessed with a wealth of quality tourist attractions, Ueno takes pride in its historic monuments related to the Kaneiji Temple and the family of the Tokugawa Shogun; its world-class art and science museums; and being home to the nation's first and largest zoo. Or, you could start by exploring Ueno's quaint and idyllic neighborhoods. Ueno offers shopping excitement all along its bustling streets. It serves as a convenient gateway to central Tokyo from Narita International Airport. Come and enjoy all of UENO's attractions to your heart's content!



Toilet map

This detailed map covers the Ueno area, showing numerous landmarks and facilities. Key locations include the Tokyo National Museum, Tokyo University of the Arts, Ueno Zoo (East and West), Ueno Park, and various shrines like Kaneiji Temple and Shitamachi Museum. It also shows the JR Ueno Station and surrounding streets like Chuo-dori and Ueno-dori. A legend in the bottom right corner explains the symbols used for tourist information centers, information boards, toilets, parking, and other facilities.

	Tourist information center		Smoking area
	Information board		Exchange
	Toilet for handicapped person		Hospital
	Toilet		School
	Parking		Temple
	Police / Police box		Shrine
	Fire station		
	Post office		

Ueno Chuo Dori Underground Parking Lot

Hours: 24 hours
 Charge: 8:00 a.m. to 10:00 p.m. JPY 300 per 30 minutes
 10:00 p.m. to 8:00 a.m. JPY 100 per 30 minutes
 * Car size limit: 2.0m high, 1.9m width, 5.3m length, 2.3t weight
 * No buses or motorcycles.
 * Charge limits on nights and weekdays.

Ueno Park 上野恩賜公園



Ueno Park, Japan's first public park, was established in 1873. Unique points about the park include the high concentration of modern art and cultural facilities in its lush forest, as well as an abundance of historic monuments and relics dating back to the Edo and early Meiji periods. It also boasts picturesque views of cherry blossoms in the spring.

Access: JR Ueno Sta., Metro Ueno Sta., Keisei Ueno Sta.

Kaneiji Temple 東叡山寛永寺



Kaneiji Temple was originally built in 1625 as a family temple of the Tokugawas by the high Buddhist priest Tenkai. Tenkai commanded great respect from Tokugawa Ieyasu, the found of the Tokugawa Shogunate, as well as his successors. The original temple halls were destroyed during the Battle of Ueno in 1868.

Address: 1-14-11 Ueno-Sakuragi Taito-Ku
Access: JR Uguisudani Sta.

National Museum of Western Art (NMWA) 国立西洋美術館



Established in 1959, the Main Building was designed by French architect Le Corbusier. "The Architectural Work of Le Corbusier, an Outstanding Contribution to the Modern Movement", which includes NMWA as a constituent, was registered as a World Cultural Heritage Site in 2016.

Address: 7-7 Ueno Koen, Taito-ku **Telephone:** 050-5541-8600(NTT Hello Dial)
Access: 1-minute walk from Koenguchi Exit of JR Ueno Station
7-minute walk from Keisei Main Line Ueno Station
8-minute walk from Metro Ueno Station
Closed: Mondays (the next business day in case of holiday or substitute holiday), and the New Year's holiday

Shitamachi Museum 下町風俗資料館



Shitamachi Museum recreates the atmosphere of shitamachi (old downtown Tokyo) and its customs and life style in the Meiji, Taisho, and mid-Showa periods-from the 1860's to the 1940's. Visitors can enjoy regular demonstrations of handicraft making or take the children to a street "picture-story" show.

Address: 2-1 Ueno-Koen Taito-Ku **Closed:** Mondays, Year-end Holidays, New Year's Holidays
Access: JR Ueno Sta., Metro Ueno Sta. Keisei Ueno Sta.

※under renovation since April 2023 until 2024 (date to be determined)

Ameyoko (Ameya Yokocho) アメ横



Ameyoko is a maze of bustling streets where some 500 shops vie with each other, selling most kinds of consumer items; from fresh vegetables to marine products, footwear to clothes, jewels to timepieces, cosmetics to brand-name items.

Access: JR Ueno Sta., Metro Ueno Sta., JR Okachimachi Sta., Keisei Ueno Sta.

Ueno Toshogu 上野東照宮



Ueno Toshogu, a shrine dedicated to the memory of Ieyasu Tokugawa, was built by Takatora Todo, a lord of the Tsu Domain, in 1627. The Peony Festival is held in the Peony Garden of the shrine in spring and winter.

Address: 9-88 Ueno Koen, Taito-ku **Telephone:** 03-3822-3455
Access: 10-minute walk from Koenguchi Exit of JR Ueno Station
12-minute walk from Keisei Main Line Ueno Station
10-minute walk from Metro Ueno Station

Official website and SNS of Taito City

WEB

Taito Odekake Navi
(Taito City Tourist Information Website)



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Where to Call

Sightseeing Tour

Asakusa cultural tourist information center	03-3842-5566
Tokyo SGG Club	03-6280-6710
JNTO TIC	03-3201-3331
Tokyo Tourist Information Center Ueno Branch	03-3836-3471

Accidents and emergency

Japan Visitor Hotline (JNTO) 050-3816-2787

Medical Information

Tokyo Metropolitan Medical Institution Information (HIMAWARI)
03-5285-8181

Taito City Loop Bus "Megurin"

For bus routes and timetables, please check the latest information from the QR Code.



Tokyo Dietary Diversity Map

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

