

★ Town Walk from the Pottery Town to the Town where SL Passes by! ★



Mashiko ware

A lot of potters from young to experienced have their own studio in Mashiko. The Mashiko Pottery Market is held in spring and autumn.

Worth visiting!



Shoji Hamada's Former House (Ceramic Art Messe Mashiko)

Free Admission

The Shoji Hamada's Former House is a Town's Cultural Property and opened to the public. The thatched house was a former residence of Shoji Hamada and moved to this location.



Mashiko Ceramic Buddha Statue

Free Admission

The world's largest ceramic buddha statue located in the Kannonji Temple in Mashiko.



Hotroom Keyaki

Food and drink from 970 yen

A restaurant serves creative Italian cuisine and coffee. Its popular menus are Prosciutto and Avocado Spaghetti with Garlic and Oil and Tochiotome strawberry Milk Juice.



Moka Railway

A local railway connecting Chikusei City, Ibaraki and Moteji Town, Tochigi. Its main attraction is SL (steam locomotive) operated on Saturdays, Sundays and National Holidays.

SL 96-Kan

Free Admission

Its name is originated from Class 9600 of locomotive displayed in the premises. Visitors can go inside the displayed train cars, borrow locomotive engineer's uniform to shoot photo (paid service) and do more.



8:20 START

Akihabara Station

Ibaraki Kotsu- Kanto Yakimono Liner
 (150 min) Booking essential Fare 2,150 yen
 Akihabara Station Departure: 8:20
 Togeji Messe Iriguchi Arrival: 10:50

Mashiko Town Walk (around Jonaizaka)

Walk (10 min)

15 min

Shoji Hamada's Former House (Ceramic Art Messe Mashiko)

Walk (10 min)

15 min

Mashiko Ceramic Buddha Statue

Walk (11 min)

LUNCH!

Hotroom Keyaki

Walk (7 min)

Kanto Bus (17 min)
 Fare 200 yen
 Jonaizaka Departure: 13:20
 Mashiko Ekimae Arrival: 13:37

Mashiko Station

Moka Railway (14 min)
 Fare 340 yen
 Mashiko Station Departure: 13:50
 Moka Station Arrival: 14:04

GOAL 21:30

Akihabara Station

JR Rapid Rabbit/ JR Yamanote Line (105 min)
 Fare 1,980 yen
 Utsunomiya Station Departure: 19:43
 Akihabara Station Arrival: 21:28

JR Utsunomiya Station

Enjoy drink and food in the central city of Utsunomiya City

Kanto Bus (49 min)
 Fare 940 yen
 Tamachi Departure: 17:03
 JR Utsunomiya Station Arrival: 17:52

Walk (2 min)

Walking in the Monzen Area

Tsujizenbe Shoten

Walk (3 min)

Moka Cotton Hall

Walk (15 min)

SL 96-Kan

Moka Station



Tsujizenbe Shoten

Tsujizenbe Shoten is a long-established store with more than 200 years of history. Its Junmai Ginjo (Gohyakumangoku/ Tsujizenbe) brewed with local rice, local water and technology in the historical and traditional method is highly reputed. Taste local sake!



Moka Cotton Hall

Free Admission
 (weaving and dyeing experiences are charged)

One of Moka's specialties is cotton. Visitors can observe spinning and weaving processes and experience weaving and dyeing (booking essential) in the Moka Cotton Hall.