

## 1 \* Finger Puppets Shokichi [Finger puppets] Map A

The shop conducts finger puppet shows for customers (a collection of short skits with 11 patterns, about 30 minutes), 2 people or more, 700 ven per person Caricatures drawn by finger puppets are also popular (1000 yen).



- Reservation required
- Making the heads and hands of finger puppets - Colorina - Sewing kimono

3-2-6, Yanaka, Taito City Opening Hours 10:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.

Mondays and Tuesdays (open on national holidays, occasionally closed) 2 minute by walk from Sendagi Station, Chiyoda Line, Tokyo Metro

Nothing in particular (groups of 10 or more people are requested to come early)

2 \* RETURN [Classroom & Atelier] Map A

A handicraft studio by Mie Kuba, who is born and brought up in Yanaka, Taito Ward. The studio is located in a Japanese-style house facing the new landmark of Yanaka (Kitte Dori Avenue), with Majima Inari Jinja shrine worshipped in a back alley that still retains the Edo atmosphere.

In the past, a river called Aizome flowed where the present-day Hebi Michi street is located, and the area used to be called Aizomecho, as Aizome, or indigo dyeing, flourished here. The owner has created a "training studio" befitting the artistic and traditional town, that conducts classes for dyeing, from traditional indigo dyeing to easy tie-and-dye, as well as for Box Shamisen



The studio was named "RETURN" with a wish to go back to the good old town.

### Hands-on Experience:

- Reservation required Weekdays 1:00 p.m./Saturday and, Sundays and Holidays 11:00 a.m. ~
- Up to 3 people per session, 3 groups per day Making dyed tie-dye T-shirts
- About 120 minutes 3,000 yen (including material cost) You can take home an original T-shirt

Opening Hours





## [3] Manekineko Yanakado [Manekineko] Map A

We make our original Manekineko, or 'beckoning cats'. Each cat has a different happy face, whether it is a "Good fortune beckoning cat" or a "Money luck beckoning cat kept in the west corner of the house"

## Hands-on Experience

- Reservation required up to 13 people
- Hands-on experience of painting a Manekineko (figure of a cat with one paw raised)
- During business hours (reservations from 10:30)
- Medium 2,200 yen (tax included), Large 2,750 yen (tax included)
- \* Both include tea and snacks
- \* The session is conducted at the adjacent Cafe Necoemon. (Monthly holiday)

5-4-3, Yanaka, Taito City **2** 03-3822-2297

Opening Hours 10:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m Mondays (new year holidays)

7 minutes by walk from JR Nippori Station, 6 minutes by walk from Sendagi Station, Chiyoda Line, Tokyo Metro

http://www.yanakado.com/ Up to 10 days in advance (small groups can be accommodated anytime depending seat availability)

## [4] 🛨 Edo Sashimono Kimura [Wood Joinery] Map B

Edo Sashimono is one of Japan's world-renowned traditional arts. Using traditional techniques such as hozo (tenon joints) and kumite (box joints), and without using a single metal nail, we manufacture sturdy and beautiful furniture and artefacts that include chest of drawers made of paulownia wood, and ornamental shelves, writing desks, jewelry boxes, and full-length mirrors made mainly of mulberry wood. We are committed to making products that our customers will love and appreciate. We also offer hands-on training to students (junior high school students and older) on school trips. Please feel free to contact us. (Kindly contact us in advance for seasonal events.)



## Viewing:- Reservation required - from 3 people

## Hands-on Experience

- Reservation required (from 3 people)
- Make mulberry chopsticks (You can take home a pair of mulberry chopsticks from Mikurashima, one of the
- 7 islands of Izu that are becoming scarce) About 120 minutes 3,500 yen
- 3 or more people can register For school trips, please send a fax from your N6school

3-1-1, Shitaya, Taito City **2** 03-3874-7926

Opening Hours 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Festivals

2 minutes by walk from Iriva Station, Hibiva Line, Tokyo Metro

Up to 2 months in advance

# 5 Edokoro Allan West [Japanese painting production] Map A

Japanese painting studio/gallery of artist Allan West, where works with prices displayed can be purchased directly.



- Reservation required Up to 20 people
- Viewing of Japanese paintings of artist Allan West

1-6-17, Yanaka, Taito City

Opening Hours 1:30 p.m. to 4:30 p.m. Thursdays and Sundays (check the website for temporary closing) 5 minutes' walk from Exit 1, Nezu Station, Chiyoda Line, Tokyo Metro

Up to the day before, if possible

# 6 Ham Sausage Shop TAKE-ZO [Meat production] Map B

A tiny shop selling handmade ham sausages. All sausages are made with minimal use of additives, and there are various types such as plain sausages, herb-infused sausages and sausages shaped like a terrine. You can get a view of the inside of the factory through the glass from the shop front even without making a reservation. If you make a reservation, you can come inside for a tour of the factory.



### Viewing:

- Reservation required
- Up to 5 people
- Explanation of manufacturing machines, etc.

1-32-5, Ryusen, Taito City 11:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. **2** 03-3873-4186

Sundays and festivals

Take Metropolitan bus (To 08) and get off at Shitaya Police Station, 1 minute by walkt

https://www.take-zo.net Up to 7 days in advance

# ★ Teuchi Udon leyasu [Udon noodle production, sales and restaurant] Map B

Handmade udon noodles are traditional Japanese food that tastes like no other. Be sure to try the authentic-style noodles.

- Reservation not required
- Up to 15 people

- Reservation required Up to 15 people (main shop only)
- Three types of experience (kneading, spreading and eating) (Please inquire at the time of reservation for details.)
- 2:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. (outside of business hours)
- \* Please bring your own apron and bandanna.

Inquiries from schools must be made by teachers.

Hands-on experience is offered only at the main shop (not at the Asakusa branch).

1-23-2, Iriva, Taito City ☎ 03-3874-8789 11:30 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. / 6:00 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. Opening Hours Wednesday and Saturday nights and holidays

2 minutes' walk from Iriya Station, Hibiya Line, Tokyo Metro (Ryusen-side exit)

Up to 1 week in advance

# 8 \* Season's Flower (Shop and School) [Flowers and Arrangement] Map B

We would like to share the joy of flowers with you. Making flower wreaths and arrangements for all seasons by hands is such a great pleasure. We offer you more classes, for example, for making Christmas wreaths and the traditional Japanese decoration for the New Year, "Shimekazari". We do flower arrangements for shops, or you can make your own or make one as a gift!

### Hands-on Experience

- Reservation required Up to 6 people
- Create wreaths and arrangements with fresh and dried flowers
- About 120 minutes 1,500 yen ~ (Material cost not included)
- Sessions are conducted from Wednesday to Friday 11:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. (Timing can be discussed). Tools will be provided.
- We can send the tools if you want after the session.

4-28-8, Matsugaya, Taito City 11am-6pm unless otherwise stated **3** 03-3843-1787

irregularly 3 mins from Iriya station (Hibiya Line) http://www.seasons-flower.net

Up to 5Days in advance





# 9 Bag Shop PARTNER [Purse and bag] Map B

As a local bag shop, Bag Shop PARTNER strives to offer highly personalized services to respond to our customers' demand for a "one-stop shop for bags." Be sure to visit the shop if you're looking for a bag or purse. You will certainly find something you like! We are waiting for you with a selection of quality handmade bags and purses. We also offer repair and processing services and accept orders for custom-made bags. Feel free to inquire if you have any request, such as attaching a shoulder strap to a tote bag.



- Reservation required Number of participants is flexible
- You can see how the bags are made and the tools and materials used to make the bags
- \* We manufacture and sell original totes and shoulders bags made mainly of cowhide.

We also accept orders, please feel free to contact us. We also undertake repairs.

Opening Hours 10:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Sundays, Mondays and Thursdays

7 minutes by walk from Iriva Station, Hibiva Line, Tokyo Metro

https://www.creema.jp/creator/1721743/item/onsale http://kabanpartner.thebase.in/

Up to 2 weeks in advance

## 10 KIWAYA Shokai (KIWAYA Ukulele Museum "RAKU") [Ukulele sales and hands-on experience ] Map E

With the Japanese ukulele brand "Famous" that has been around for over half a century. we offer you "a lifestyle enriched with ukulele music". The Ukulele Museum "Raku" is housed in our company building, where vintage ukuleles are on permanent display and events are held. Kindly book in advance for a tour.



### Hands-on Experience:

- Reservation required
- Ukulele
- Weekly Saturdays 11:30 a.m. to 12:20 p.m.
- Free Ukulele rental available

In Kiwaya Shokai, 1-7-3, Matsugaya, Taito City

Opening Hours 11:00 a.m. to 5:30 p.m.

Mondays Saturdays and Holidays Closed 8 minutes by walk from Inaricho Station, Ginza Line, Tokyo Metro

# 11 \* Wanariya [Indigo dyeing/weaving studio] Map B

A studio for hands-on experiences of indigo dyeing and weaving in Senzoku, Taito City, near the Senso-ji temple and Kappabashi shopping area. Wanariya offers a great time for visitors of all ages, including those from overseas. We also welcome students on school trips from all parts of the country. We look forward to welcoming you. (Services may be offered in English.)



## Viewing:- Reservation not required - Up to 45 people

### Hands-on Experience

- Reservation required Up to 45 people \* Same-day reservation accepted
- Handcraft workshop (coasters, place mats, etc.) 4,200 yen ~ (tax included)
- Indigo dyeing workshop (T shirts, tote bags, handkerchiefs, hand towels, etc.) 2,500 yen ~ (tax included) About 60 to 90 minutes (varies by content)

Kurosawa Bldg., 1F, 1-8-10, Senzoku, Taito City

10:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. Irregularly

8 minutes' walk from Iriya Station, Hibiya Line, Tokyo Metro

www.wanariya.co.jp Same-day reservation accepted

# 12 \* Tanaka Seirenjo [Edo style blinds and screens] Map B,C

Over 100 years, since the early Meiji period, our family has been in the business of creating Edo style "Sudare" blinds and screens. School trips, excursions and foreign residents are welcome. Feel free to ask us.

### **Viewing:**

Booking required up to 15 people

"Edo style [Sudare] blinds-making process" (Depending on work being done)

\*Further discussion needed

### Hands-on Experience

- Reservation required Up to 15 people
- Making bamboo screen luncheon mats using traditional techniques
- \* Consultation required
- About 120 minutes 5,000 yen

1-18-6, Senzoku, Taito City **2** 03-3873-4653 9am-5pm Opening Hours

Closed irregularly

7 mins from Iriya station (Hibiya Line) http://www.handicrafts.co.jp/ Up to 10days in advance

# 13 ★ Ito Inbo [Seal engraving] Map B,C

Thanks to our customers, our vuin (seals on which words or symbols are engraved) made of natural wood (tea, camellia, cherry, maple, prickly ash, etc.) have become well known. Our workshops are popular among both adults and students (including those on school trips). Please inquire. We also make normal seals by hand.



## Hands-on Experience:

- Reservation required Up to 10 people
- Engraving original pictures and characters on natural wood (You can take your work home with you.)

About 120 minutes

- 3,000 yen
- \* Please bring an apron or other dispensable clothes.

1-19-4, Senzoku, Taito City ♠ 03-3873-0489

8:30 a.m. to 6:30 p.m. Irregularly

20 minutes' walk from Exit 3, Iriya Station, Hibiya Line, Tokyo Metro

http://www.ito-inbo.com

Up to about 1 month in advance (10 days for general customers)

# 14 \* Edo Sashimono Watanabe [Wood Joinery] Map B,C

We are the third generation of Edo Sashimonoshi, or specialized furniture joiners, who are located next to the Higuchi Ichiyo Memorial Museum. We try to make use of the beauty of the wood grain to create furniture with classic, as well as modern designs. Please feel free to drop by.



### Viewing:

- Reservation required
- Up to 6 people

### Hands-on Experience

- Reservation required Up to 6 people
- Making chopsticks and small boxes

About 120 to 180 minutes 2,000 yen ~ \* Please wear pants, etc.

3-25-4, Ryusen, Taito City Opening Hours 10:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.

Occasionally closed 7 minutes by walk from Minowa Station, Hibiya Line, Tokyo Metro

http://w-sashimono.jp Up to 2 weeks in advance

15 ★ Asakusa Ojima Edo-Kiriko Shop [Grass, Edo-Kiriko] Map C

**2** 03-3873-3050

A rough draft of the design is made on the glass and then the glass is engraved. Make your own glass that is one-of-its-kind in the entire world. Elementary and junior high school students on a school trip can also safely work on glass. (From 2 to 40 people)



## Hands-on Experience

- Reservation required Up to 40 people
- Carving a pattern on a glass (Edo-kiriko)

About 60 minutes

Elementary and junior high schools 2,700 yen (Tax included), General 4,500 yen (tax included)

4-49-7 Asakusa, Taito City

9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m [Shop] open through the year, [Workshop] closed irregularly

7 mins from Asakusa station (Ginza Line), 8 mins from Asakusa station (Tsukuba Express) http://edokiriko.jp/

Up to 1week in advance

# [16] Takeda Seika [Ladies'/men's shoes] Map C

\* Viewing may not be possible due to the use status of members or when there is an event in the Share Factory.



### Viewing

- Reservation required Up to 15 people
- Viewing of work of member shoemakers and other creators of the Share Factory Asakusa

Free (works of members may be purchased.)

5-41-1, Asakusa, Taito City ☎ 03-3875-1001

Opening Hours 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Saturdays, Sundays and holidays

10 minutes' walk from Asakusa Station, Tokyo Metro Ginza Line/Toei Asakusa Line/Tobu Sky Tree Line/TX

www.magical.co.ip

Advance Reservations Up to 5 business days in advance











# [17] Kimekomi Doll Shop Tanabe [Wood and cloth Dolls] Map F

We sell materials for dolls, called Kimekomi Dolls, made with a traditional technique. The shop has a large selection of fabrics, such as gold brocade and crepe to dress the dolls. In about 90 minutes, you can experience making a doll, which involves dressing a Mari, a small Kimekomi Doll, with cloth. Of course, after making the doll, you can take it home with vou.



Hands-on Experience:

- Reservation not required

- Making a small Kimekomi Doll, mari

Monday to Saturday 11:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

About 90 minutes

Akku Building 7F, 1-18-10, Asakusabashi, Taito City Opening Hours

10:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. Sundays and festivals

Closed 30 seconds walk from Asakusabashi Station on JR Sobu Line and Toei Asakusa Line

https://kimekomi.co.jp

## [18] Qrinaf/Bandy's Leather craft School [Manufacture and sales of leather products] Map C

\$ 03-3862-4701

We follow the concept "make only as many goods as you can with one piece of leather, and be done for the day once they are sold out" and produce leather goods in small quantities as only a small studio can. We also have classes specializing in machine tailoring, which is rare for leather craft. We help people make salable bags while having



Hands-on Experience

- Reservation required (Apply from the Website)

- Experience making a leather purse with a leather sewing machine

About 180 minutes

\* Please inquire for details.

**2** 03-6319-0146 6-26-8, Asakusa, Taito City

10:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. (Classroom: Wednesday, Thursday, Saturday)

10 minutes by walk from Tokyo Metro Ginza Line, Toei Asakusa Line, Tobu Skytree Line, Asakusa Station, Tokyo Metro http://www.grinaf.com

Up to 7 days in advance

# [19] Kokusai Kougei Co., Ltd. [Foil stamping] Map C

We print gold and silver on plastic, leather, and wood. Foil stamping on plastic has become a rare sight today, as it is now done in only a few places in Tokyo. Do visit us once to see how the printing is done. Feel free to get in touch with us.

### Viewing

- Reservation required

- Up to 3 people (1 group per day)

- Foil stamping on plastic and wood, etc.

Monday to Friday

Sekine Building 1F, 6-45-6, Asakusa, Taito City ☎ 03-3876-4510

Openina Hours 8:30 a.m. to 6:00 p.m Saturdays and Sundays

12 minutes by walk from Asakusa Station, Ginza Line, Tokyo Metro

http://kokusaikougei.com Up to 7 days in advance

# 20 ★ RENDO SHOE & REPAIR [Shoe making and sales] Map C

We focus mainly on bespoke designed men's shoes and promote our original brand. We hope you enjoy our shoe-making process and get the feel of what is happening in our industry in Asakusa, a most popular place for tourists.



Booking required

"The whole process of shoe making (Designing a pattern for shoes)"

10am-5pm from Monday to Friday

Tuesdays and Wednesdays

15 mins walk from Asakusa station (Ginza Line, Toei Asakusa Line and Tobu Skytree Line) http://www.rendo-shoes.ip/

Up to 1week in advance

# [21] PEARL SEIWA [Pearl Accessories] Map D

Come and join our workshop and make your own original necklace with our finest collection of pearls! We have many designs to choose from. You can nicely wear them in a casual or a formal occasion.



### Hands-on Experience:

Booking required up to 5 people

"Pearl Necklace Making

Duration: 30 mins to 60 mins approx

Costs: 5.000 ven ~

\*Available only on weekdays

1F, THE GATE UENO, 1-12-2 Higashiueno, Taito City Opening Hours

10:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m Open daily except New Year holidays

5 mins from Okachimachi station (JR Line), 3 mins from Nakaokachimachi station (Hibiva Line)

http://www.pearl-seiwa.jp Up to 2days in advance

# 22 \* atelier & Shop IMAIZUMI [Metal stamping factory] Map F

This is a studio where you can have an authentic production experience.

In this workshop, you will make a necklace called "Kenkafuda". a talisman necklace. It is said that "Kenkafuda" is a talisman that is worn by the portable shrine bearers around their necks, and is said to be a good luck charm to protect them from misfortune.



▲ Website

### Hands-on Experience:

- Reservation required

Stainless steel accessory making (various types)

1.000 ven ~

Reservations may not be accepted during the busy season.

\* Visit our website for details.

3-9-8, Motoasakusa, Taito City (Imaizumi Co.) 2 080-3486-8411 (direct line) 9:00 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. (hands-on experience: 10:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.) Opening Hours 7 minutes' walk from Exit A4, Shin-Okachimachi Station, Toei Oedo Line/TX Access

10 minutes' walk from Inaricho Station/Tawaramachi Station, Ginza Line, Tokyo Metro

Website Instagram:@imazm 10123 / X:@kkimaizumi

# [23] Miyakawa Brush Factory [Handmade brushes] Map D

Please see the handmade brushes made by Tokyo traditional craftsmen/Taito City excellent craftsmen. We've manufactured various types of brushes not only for clothes, shoes, body and hair but also for industrial use, home use, industrial art and cosmetics. We have long experience and knowledge, so please contact us about anything regarding brushes.



No booking required

"The manufacturing process will be explained."

\*Up to 10 persons. Suitable for children aged 15 or older (high school and aove).

2-10-14 Motoasakusa, Taito City **2** 03-3844-5025 9:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Sundays, national holidays and Saturdays irregularly

2 mins from Inaricho station (Ginza Line) http://edo-hake-brush.com/ Up to 10days in advance

# [24] Nagao Printmakers [Edo woodblock print] Map D,F

We have many framed ukiyo-e and nishiki-e pictures on display in the store. An ukiyo-e picture requires collaborative work by a painter, a carver, and a printer, of which, carving and printing processes can be observed in our store at one time.



## Viewing:

- Reservation required

Up to 5 people

- Carving and printing processes

(Content depends on the work of the day)

Address 1-1-1, Motoasakusa, Taito City ☎ 03-3847-0772 Opening Hours 10:30 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.

Closed Occasionally closed 4 minutes by walk from Shin-Okachimachi Station on the Toei Oedo Line/TX

Advance Reservations Up to 1 months in advance





## [25] Miyuki [Rough stone polishing/jewelry] Map D

We deal in various color stones, and distribute consistent goods ranging from rough stones to finished products to wholesalers, retailers, department stores, manufacturers and teleshopping throughout Japan. With our catchphrase "Ask Miyuki anything about rough stones," we enjoy a high reputation as a color stone specialist.

### Viewing:

- Reservation required
- Up to 2 people
- Processing of a rough stone into a lewel (cutting, polishing, etc.)

5-16-13, Ueno, Taito City Opening Hours 10:00 a.m. to 5:45 p.m.

Sundays and holidays 3 minutes' walk from South Exit, Okachimachi Station, JB

http://www.miyukigroup.com Advance B Up to 10 days in advance



## 26 ★ PEACHBRAND [Manufacturing and sales of belt] Map D

This is a retail store that mainly sells fashion accessories made primarily of a traditional fabric called "narrow fabric". The store is popular for its customization service, where customers can choose their favorite combination of fabrics and metal fittings (belt materials), have the belts made in the store, and have them delivered or shipped immediately.



You can enjoy making belts with us by seeing and touching the narrow fabric that combines "variety" and "originality".

We try to keep our prices as low as possible.

Workshops are held at the store every day. You can enjoy choosing fabric of your liking!

2k540 P-2 5-9 Lleno Taito City ☼ 03-3833-3727

11:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. Wednesday and occasionally closed

4 minutes by walk from JR Okachimachi Station, 8 minutes walk from JR Akihabara Station,4 minutes

by walk from Suehirocho Station, Ginza Line, Tokyo Metro, 5 minutes by walk from Naka-Okachimachi

Website http://peach-brand.com.

# [27] ★ Largesk [Men's Accessories] Map D

This is a factory and shop for silver accessories. As accessories are designed, made, and sold by the owner, customization and repairs are also possible. The unique designs and the technique are a must watch!



### Hands-on Experience

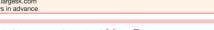
- Reservation required Up to 4 people
- Stone insertion for silver charms and natural stone bracelet making About 40 minutes 4,000 yen (tax included)

2k540 P-3 5-9, Ueno, Taito City ☎ 03-5812-4141

Opening Hours 11:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m Wednesdays

8 minutes by walk from the South Exit of JR Okachimachi Station

http://www.largesk.com Up to 3 days in advance





# [28] UAMOU [Original Character Creation] Map D

Displays and sells a collection of goods and artworks, mainly soft vinyl figures of UAMOU and Boo



### **Viewing**

- Reservation not required

Address 2k540 N-5 5-9, Ueno, Taito City

Opening Hours 11:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. Closed

Wednesdays Access

4 minutes by walk from JR Okachimachi Station

http://www.uamou.com

## 29 \* Mataro Dolls Hall [Wood and Cloth Dolls] Map D

We are making and selling Japanese dolls certified as an authentic successor of wooden dolls. We handle wooden dolls popular as gifts or souvenirs for overseas such as Hina dolls and dolls for the Boys' Festival. We are looking forward to seeing you at our store with a variety of dolls ranging from the Heian period's to Noh, Kabuki and creative ones. Also, we have hands-on training classes for doll-making.



### Hands-on Experience

Booking required up to 20 people and only 5 groups of 20 people available per day "Choose a magnet, strap and doll, and have a hands-on training of making a wooden doll."

Duration: 30 mins to 120 mins approx Costs: From 2,000 yen to 7,000 yen

5-15-13 Ueno, Taito City Opening Hours 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Weekends and National holidays

1 mins from Nakaokachimachi station (Hibiya Line) 5 mins from Lleno-okachimachi Station (Toei Oedo Line)

Up to about 2days in advance



## (30) ★ Hiramoto Kobo [Gold and Silverworks] Map D

Many people from beginners to professionals come to our engraving classes to learn the techniques of the craftsmen. We make order-made jewelry and do repairs using traditional techniques. The hands-on experience includes a series of tasks from melting the silver. forming the shape of a ring, and finishing the ring with a file. We also offer hands-on learning to students on school trips. Please feel free to contact us.

Viewing:- Reservation required

Number of participants is flexible

### Hands-on Experience

- Reservation required Number of participants is flexible

Making rings

About 120 minutes Students 2,500 yen General 3,500 yen

4-7-8, Taito, Taito City **2** 03-3837-3889

10:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. (Sundays and Festivals up to 6:00 p.m.) Open all year round

5 minutes by walk from JR Okachimachi Station

http://www.hiramotokoubou.com/ Regular session: Anytime, Up to 2 months before the session for school trip, junior high school students



## [31] ★ Ten Forest [Jewelry/accessories] Map D

We hold jewelry-making lessons, in addition to designing and making original jewelry, accepting custom-made orders, production from prototypes and wholesale distribution. Lessons are available for both individuals and groups.

## Hands-on Experience

Reservation required Group lessons for 4 to 8 people

(1) Sterling silver clay (plate pendant)

About 120 minutes

Students: 3,300 yen ~ (tax included) Adults: 4,400 yen ~ (tax included)

(2) Silver line works (clip charm) About 90 minutes

Students: 2,750 yen ~ (tax included) Adults: 4,180 yen ~ (tax included)

Silver Bldg., 2F, 3-16-9, Taito, Taito City 10:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. ₱ 03-3831-2307

Opening Hours

Sundays and holidays

\* Content, date, price and time (9:00 a.m. -) are negotiable for groups (up to 8 people) 5 minutes' walk from South Exit, JR Okachimachi Station

1 minute's walk from Naka-Okachimachi Station, Hibiya Line, Tokyo Metro

http://www.tenforest.com/ Up to 2 weeks in advance



## [32] ★ Studio Sakami [Venetian glass-fusing, cloisonne ware, jewelry engraving, and making tonbo dama (glass beads)] Map D

The hands-on training of Venetian glass-fusing, cloisonne ware, jewelry engraving, and making tonbo dama (glass beads) are popular. Those who want to learn thoroughly should try this class!

Please contact us in advance.

## Hands-on Experience

Reservation required From 1 to about 15 people
\* Up to 5 people for glass bead making/toreutics
Class fusing, cloisonne, toreutic accessories and glass bead making
About 120 min. (Works can be taken home.)

Monday to Friday 10:00 a.m. - noon, 1:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m. School trip/hands-on experience plan 2,200 yen ~ (tax included) General customers 2,750 yen ~ (tax included)

\* Please wear clothes that are easy to work in.

1F Silver Bldg.3-16-9, Taito, Taito City ☎ 03-3837-3721

9:00 a.m. to 5:30 p.m

Weekends and national holidays (Some weekends and holidays are exceptional. Please contact us for details.) 5 mins from the South Exit of Ókachimachi station (JR Line), 1 mins from Nakaokachimachi station (Hibiya Line)

http://www.s-sakami.com/ Up to 1 month in advance for school trips, up to 1 week in advance for general customers



## [33] \* Blooming (Workshop in Gallery shop) [Wooden toys and furniture] Map D

You can check our company's products and artists' original works



### Hands-on Experience

Booking required up to 5 people and only four groups of 5 people available per day

"Making a cute wooden bear pendant!"

Duration: 30 mins approx Costs: From 1,650 yen ~ (tax included)

\*Please contact us for more information on available dates for viewing and hands-on experience.

1F, Blooming, 2-10-13 Taito, Taito City Opening Hours Closed 11:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.

Closed irregularly

10 mins from Akihahara and Okachimachi station (JR Line)

http://www.blooming2007.com Up to 1week in advance



## [34] \* Playacolores [Manufacture and sale of accessories] Map F

Playacolores, which means 'colors of the sea', breathes life into sea glass and seashells having a mysterious charm created by nature, as accessories. Through our accessories, we hope to convey the strength and splendor of nature that transforms fragments of glass, which were originally man-made, into round and wonderful sea glass. We hope that wear ing our accessories can bring you the power of nature!



- Reservation required Up to 2 people (3 groups per day)

Refer to our Website for details as contents of the section changes depending on the season

1-33-12-201, Taito, Taito City 11:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. **2** 080-5195-4911

Refer to our Website for details 10 minutes by walk from JR Akihabara Station

http://playacolores.ocnk.net/

Up to 1 week in advance



# [35] **DELIFE Factory Store** [Planning and manufacturing of leather products] Map F

₱ 03-4361-5296

We are a leather shop that sells wallets and bags, with a factory adjoining our shop. In the shop, there is an "Order Stand" where you can customize the leather goods to your very own liking with leather color and metal fittings of your choice, and have your name engraved then and there.



- Reservation required

You can observe the manufacturing process

- Tuesday

- 2 participants per session, up to 2 groups per day

Address 403, Toko Building, 1-14-14, Taito, Taito City

Opening Hours 1:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m.

Closed Mondays

5 minutes by walk from JR Akihabara Station

https://www.delife.tokvo/



# [36] ★ Tama Biyo Kagaku [Cosmetics manufacturer] Map D,F

You can add your original scent to shampoo handmade by professionals by getting counseling from a qualified aromatherapist. You can learn knowledge about shampoo and aromas while having fun, and take home the shampoo you made.



### Hands-on Experience

- Reservation required Up to 4 people

- Shampoo scenting

About 30 to 45 minutes

1,500 yen

- Hands-on experience of perfume blending (hair oil, etc.) is also available.

2-18-14, Kojima, Taito City **2** 03-3851-8707 Opening Hours

Monday: 11:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. / Wednesday - Saturday: 11:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. Closed Tuesdays Sundays and holidays

Access 30 seconds' walk from Exit A4, Shin-Okachimachi Station, Toei Oedo Line/TX

http://www.tamabiyoukagaku.com Up to about 20 days in advance



## [37] Kimoto Glass [Glassware] Map D.F.

We are a shop specializing in class tableware, which has been in business for last eighty vears. You must visit our shop that showcases a wide variety of Edo Kiriko glasswork, a traditional craft of Tokyo dating back to the Edo period, as well as beautiful glassware created in collaboration with up-and-coming designers.



### Viewing:

Booking required up to 5 people

"EDO KIRIKO (the traditional Japanese glass cutting), the whole process of glassware making, glass panels and samples'

Duration: 30 mins approx

2-18-17 Kojima, Taito City Opening Hours

10:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Wednesdays, Weekends and National holidays

1 mins from Exit A4 Shinokachimachi station (Tsukuha Express, Oedo Line)

http://kimotoglass.tokyo Up to 10days in advance

# [38] Wooden Tag Craftsman Houn's Store Fudaya.com [Wooden tag] Map D,F

Japanese-style chic gift! Wooden tags are greatly appreciated for celebrating milestones, as commemorative gifts, and as souvenirs to overseas. Please check out our original and chic wooden tags made of materials that only a specialty store can offer, for your "necklace. straps, golf bags, bags, and key cases". We can also suggest designs for events such as birth, store opening, relocation, anniversary, thanking someone, or celebrating longevity, or matching designs for friends.



- Reservation required Up to 5 people

We will explain the origin of the wooden tag in the production process, such as "extreme" hand-finishing by polishing, etc. If you make an appointment to visit the workshop, you will receive a free gift. About 60 minutes

Updated as needed on our Website

5 minutes by walk from A2 Exit, Shin-Okachimachi Station on the Toei Oedo Line/TX http://www.fudaya.com http://www.fudaya.jp

Up to 2 ~ 3 weeks in advance

# [39] Fujii Bags [Bags and Purses] Map F

We are dedicated to preserving the culture of Edo through the production of bags. Bags are made to order, such as cigarette cases made using traditional wooden molds, drawstring bags on which owner's name can be printed, and hand bags made from hand towels.



- Reservation required Up to 4 people (2 groups per day)
- You can see the process of making bags

Saturday and Sunday

1-17-5, Torigoe, Taito City ☼ 03-5820-3987

9:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m

Open all year round (However, closed during business trips)

12 minutes by walk from Asakusabashi Station, JR Sobu Line. 8 minutes by walk from Shin-Okachimachi Station, Toei Oedo Line/TX

http://www.saifuya.com Up to 3 days in advance

# [40] Kurumi Button Shop MiSuZuYa [Covered buttons] Map F

We manufacture and sell "Kurumi buttons", which are made by wrapping fabric or leather around metal fittings. We will suggest ways to use and enjoy Kurumi buttons so that they can become a part of your everyday life. Please feel free to talk to the craftsmen who make various articles or original buttons.



## Hands-on Experience:

- Hands-on experience making Kurumi buttons, about 10 minutes, 500 yen

1-6-6, Torigoe, Taito City 1:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. **2** 03-3864-1293

Sunday and Monday

10 minutes by walk from Asakusabashi Station, JR Sobu Line 10 minutes by walk from Shin-Okachimachi Station, Toei Oedo Line/TX

http://www.facebook.com//kurumimisuzuya





# [41] Kakuiwa Shibata Goki [Bags and Pouches] Map F

Our craftsmen, who have carried on the tradition since our inception in 1897, produce Edostyle bags with all their hearts. Touch and feel our products that are full of the Edo-period charm. We also make bags from your own hand towels or fabric.



Viewing:- Reservation required Up to 4 people (3 groups per day)

- Bag manufacturing work (Please note that some parts cannot be disclosed) We can conduct a workshop
- During business hours (can be done after business hours)

Hands-on Experience:- Reservation required

- Up to 4 people (3 groups per day)

1-10-6, Torigoe, Taito City Opening Hours

10:30 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.
Wednesdays, Saturdays and Holidays

8 minutes by walk from A4 Exit, Shin-Okachimachi Station. Toei Oedo Line

Advance Re Up to 2 weeks in advance

## [42] Obelisk [Custom-made leather clothing, men's and ladies' apparel] Map F

Our clothes have been worn by many famous artists. Leather clothing made to fit perfectly for you will make you look really cool. We take pride in our custom-made clothing that makes your dreams come true. Get your only one!



### Viewing

- Reservation required Up to 10 people
- (2 groups/day)
- Description of works displayed in the shop and their production process

2:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. on weekdays

Within 30 minutes

1-6-3. Misuii. Taito City **2** 03-5833-0737

Weekday: 10:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. / holiday: 2:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m.

8 minutes' walk from Asakusabashi Station, JR Sobu Line/Shin-Okachimachi Station, Toei Oedo Line

http://www.obelisk.jp Up to 3 days in advance

# [43] ★ Nisshin Kikinzoku [Silverware] Map F

At our workshop, we offer hands-on classes in which contemporary master craftsman Sosho Kamikawa and his family of traditional craftsmen address your needs politely and attentively. Hands-on classes are offered to individuals, as well as groups.



## **Viewing**

- Reservation required
- Up to 5 people

## Hands-on Experience:

- Reservation required Up to 5 people
- Choose from three types of content (Please inquire at the time of reservation for details.)
- \* Please wear clothes that are comfortable to work

Ito Building 1F, 1-3-13, Misuii, Taito City **7** 03-5687-5585

9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Occasionally closed

7 minutes by walk from Kuramae station, Toei Asakusa Line

http://www.nisshin-kikinzoku.com Up to 1 week in advance

[44] MAITO [Natural dyeing Knitwear, accessories and household goods] Map F

In our shop, you can purchase our original naturally dyed products. There is also a dyeing studio nearby, where we hold monthly workshops on natural dyeing.



## Viewing:

- Reservation required Up to 5 people
- Planning of original products, plant dyeing and sewing
- \* Please inquire if you are sure of visiting

### Hands-on Experience:

- Check our Website

Kuramae Building 1F, 4-20-12, Kuramae, Taito City ☎ 03-3863-1128 11:30 a.m. to 6:30 p.m.

(Kuramae Main Store) Mondays

1 minute by walk from AO Exit, Kuramae station, Toei Asakusa Line

https://maitokomuro.com

Reserve from our Website

# [45] ★ Mogami Kogei [Wood Joinery] Map F

Edo Sashimono is Japanese-style furniture made by assembling boards and rods without using a single metal nail, vet it is delicate and robust, and shows the aesthetic sense of Edo. While inheriting the traditional manufacturing methods, we have the flexibility to match the types of furniture to the living style of the times, and we manufacture furniture that gels well with western as well as Japanese-style rooms.



### Viewina:

- Reservation required - Up to 6 people

### Hands-on Experience

- Reservation required Up to 6 people
- Making small boxes About 90 to 120 minutes 2,000 yen ~
- \* Please wear clothes that are comfortable to work. Up to 5 people can be accommodated

4-37-10, Kuramae, Taito City 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Sundays and festivals

5 minutes by walk from Kuramae station, Toei Oedo Line http://sasimono.ciao.jp/

Up to 1 week in advance

## ★ Baisendokoro En-no-ki [Coffee bean roaster] Map F

The shop has a selection of green unroasted coffee beans. We will roast your beans to suit your taste after you place your order, so please enjoy this process.



- Reservation not required
- From selection of beans to roasting and packing

### Hands-on Experience

- Reservation not required
- Up to three people at a time (up to ten groups per day)
- From selection of beans to roasting and packing
- About 20 minutes
- Please purchase the beans you processed.

**2** 050-3701-1178 2-3-1, Kuramae, Taito City Noon to 5:00 p.m.

Sundays, Mondays, Wednesdays and holidays

1 minute's walk from Exit A1, Kuramae Station, Toei Asakusa Line

https://en-no-ki.com

Same-day reservation accepted

# [47] ★ dakota Kobo [Pottery] Map E

With the concept of "bringing playful spirit to everyday lives," we make somewhat mischievous and wicked works. We have workshops and hands-on experience classes where you can casually enjoy pottery. Craft teacher Akko holds craft-making classes for children every Wednesday!



### Hands-on Experience

- Reservation required Up to 17 people (3 groups/day)
- Vessel making/painting
- About 90 to 120 minutes
- Pottery: 3.500 ven ~ (tax excluded) / painting: 3.000 ven ~ (tax excluded)
- Please wear clothes you don't mind getting dirty.

4-6-11 Kotobuki, Taito City **2** 03-6318-9920

10:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m Saturdays and Sundays (We do not have a regular schedule.)

3 mins from Tawaramachi station (Ginza Line), 6 mins from Kuramae station (Oedo Line)

http://www.dakota-kobo.com Up to 4days in advance

# [48] \* Glass Craft Sandblast Headquarters Classroom [Glass craft classroom] Map F

People of all ages, from about 9 years old, can have a hands-on craft experience casually. Even if you have no talent for painting or you are a beginner, you can make a wonderful glass craft in only 90 minutes and take it home right away. It is an ideal activity for couples, women's groups and families. Staff speak basic English.



- Reservation required 2 people (up to 4 groups/day)
- Explanation on processes in the shop

## Hands-on Experience

- Reservation required 10 people

Hands-on experience of making glasses, plates, etc.

Weekday: 10:00 a.m. / 1:00 p.m. / 3:30 p.m. / 6:30 p.m. Saturday: 10:00 a.m. / 1:00 p.m. / 3:

Sunday/holiday: 1:00 p.m. / 3:30 p.m. 3,500 yen to 4,000 yen/person About 90 minutes Saturday: 10:00 a.m. / 1:00 p.m. / 3:30 p.m.

- Works can be taken home on the same day.

Izumina Bldg., 1F, 1-26-12, Asakusabashi, Taito City 9:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m.

Irregularly 1 minute's walk from West Exit, Asakusabashi Station, JR Sobu Line A3 Exit, Asakusabashi Station, Toei Asakusa Line

http://bestglass.jp/?page\_id=503





## [49] ★ Hashitou Honten [Sale of chopsticks] Map E

We are a store specializing in chopsticks that has been in business for over 100 years, and we aim to be a company that introduces Japanese food culture and hospitality to the world



\* For groups of 11 people or more, please contact us in advance (Contact person: Kaminaka).

### Hands-on Experience

- Reservation required Up to 10 people
- Making chopsticks using wood from Japan

About 60 minutes

1.500 ven ~ 2.000 ven (tax included)

Opening Hours

Sundays and festivals

9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

## 5 minutes by walk from Tawaramachi Station, Ginza Line, Tokyo Metro http://www.hashitou.co.jp Up to 1 month in advance of the event day

# [50] ★ Asakusa Taiyaki Experience Workshop Guraku [Taiyaki and shaved ice] Map E

- Guraku is the only place where you can experience making Japanese traditional sweet Taiyaki! You can have an authentic experience using a commercial Taiyaki machine.
- A variety of ingredients can be used! In addition to the bean paste and cream, you can add kimchi cheese, and make savory Taiyaki like a hot dog.
- Since fire or knife is not used, even children and novice cooks can safely try making Taivaki! People of all ages from children to adults can include in the experience!



Hands-on Experience:- Reservation required \* Reserve from our official website or over the telephone 3,850 yen for adults, 2,750 yen for elementary and high school students (tax included)

- 16 participants per session, Up to 5 groups can be accommodated in a day
- (1) Learn about the history of Taiyaki and how it is made (2) Cooking (each person will cook 6 numbers) (3) Food sampling

2-3-2. Nishiasakusa, Taito City **2** 03-6338-1809

Opening Hours 11:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. None (occasionally closed) Closed

4 minutes by walk from Tawaramachi Station, Tsukuba Express Asakusa Station, Ginza Line, Tokyo Metro Access

https://guraku.jp



## [51] ★ Ganso Food Sample Store Kappabashi [Food samples] Map E

There are a variety of unique and fun items made using food sample techniques. We also offer hands-on experience of making food samples using traditional wax.



- Make food samples using traditional wax.(2 tempura/ 1 lettuce)
- First grade elementary school and above \*First and second grade elementary school students must be accompanied by an adult (paid). (Up to 2 children can accompany an adult)
- Up to 6 people per slot (reserve 2 slots for 7 to 16 people)

(1) 11:00 a.m., (2) 11:30 a.m., (3) 2:00 p.m., (4) 2:30 p.m., (5) 3:00 p.m., (6) 3:30 p.m., (7) 4:00 p.m. and (8) 4:30 p.m. 2,500 yen (for one person/tax included)

\* 3,000 yen (tax included) from March 1, 2024.

3-7-6. Nishiasakusa. Taito City **2** 0120-17-1839

10:00 a.m. to 5:30 p.m No holidays (closed during new year holidays)

8 minutes by walk from Iriya Station, Hibiya Line, Tokyo Metro. 5 minutes by walk from Asakusa Station, TX

http://www.ganso-sample.com

Up to 6 months in advance (on the same day if available)



## [52] Hanato [Edo-style hand-painted paper lantern] Map E

A store specializing in Chochin, or Japanese paper lanterns, established in 1893. We sell hand-painted lanterns for ceremonies, store signs, and various celebrations. We accept orders from one lantern. We also sell our original lanterns. Please feel free to contact us for lanterns that suit to your needs.



- Reservation required 5 to 6 people per day (Up to 1 group)
- Visit contents will vary depending on the day
- 2:00 p.m. ~
- \* Pease inquire with us due to the COVID-19 pandemic

2-25-6, Asakusa, Taito City ☎ 03-3841-6411 10:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. Opening Hours Closed Tuesdays, Second and Fourth Wednesdays

10 minutes by walk from Asakusa Station, Tawaramachi Station, Ginza Line, Tokyo Metro

http://www2.plala.or.jp/Asakusa-Hanatoh/

## 53 \* Ginsen Izumiken [Silverware and engraving] Map E

This is a workshop, store and classroom to create original products by hammering, engraving and crafting precious metals. We also offer hands-on learning to students on school

\* Reservations are required for tours and hands-on learning in groups.



### Viewing:- Reservation not required - Up to 10 people

Hands-on Experience:- Reservation required Up to 8 people

- From hammering to finishing of a silver flat ring

From filing, patterning and finishing silver bangles (bracelets)

A. Ring or pendant About 60 minutes Students 3.000 ven General 5.000 ven (Includes tax and material cost)

B. Bracelet About 90 minutes Students 5,000 yen General 8,000 yen (Includes tax and material cost)

SDS Building 201, 2-26-5, Asakusa, Taito City Opening Hours Closed 10:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.

Monday and Wednesday Access 4 minutes by walk from Asakusa Station, TX, 12 minutes by walk from Tawaramachi Station,

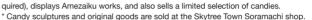
Asakusa Station, Ginza Line

Website http://www.izumiken.com



## [54] 🖈 Asakusa Amezaiku Ameshin Hanakawado Studio [Candy fashioned in human and animal forms] Map E

Amezaiku, or Japanese candy art, is a traditional Japanese art in which candies softened by heating are sculpted using traditional Japanese scissors before they cool down and harden. The Hanakawado studio offers hands-on Amezaiku classes (reservations re-





Viewing:- Reservation not required

- Visit to the Amezaiku exhibit - During business hours

Hands-on Experience:- Reservation required Up to 40 people

- Modeling and coloring of Amezaiku (candy making)

About 90 to 120 minutes

High school students and below 2,500 yen General 3,100 yen

Hori Building 1F, 2-9-1, Hanakawado, Taito City 10:30 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. ☎ 080-9373-0644 (for reservations)

Thursdays (Occasionally closed on other days) 5 minutes by walk from Asakusa Station, Different Railway Lines. 10 minutes by walk from Asakusa Station, TX

http://www.ame-shin.com

Individual: Up to 2 weeks in advance Group: Please inquire with us



# ★ Tsujiya Honten [Geta shoes for traditional Japanese clothing] Map E

This Japanese traditional sandal (geta) shop was established in 1912. Here seasoned artisans attach the straps on geta or leather-soled geta for a perfect fit to your foot. This means your new geta will be comfortable to wear from the moment you put them on!



Booking required up to 6 people

"Participants attach sandal straps to base"

12:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m.

₱ 03-3841-8171 1-36-8 Asakusa, Taito City

10:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. Closed irregularly

3 mins from Tokyo Metro Asakusa station (Ginza Line)

https://getaya.jp Up to 1month in advance



# [56] Kimpakuya UHEI [Sales of gold leaf and foil products, hands-on experience] Map E

**2** 080-3387-3325

Kimpakuya UHEI is a showroom that deals in products and sweets, where "gold leaf", "foil" and "glitter" are used in all the items. In addition to sweets, we also have drinks with ample use of gold leaf to have people feel the glitter of gold, which has been treated as a symbol of good luck since ancient times. You can also try your hand at "applying gold leaf", a rare experience in Tokyo. Enjoy applying a gold leaf to a cute design of Manekineko and make your Asakusa visit memorable.



## Hands-on Experience:

- Reservation required

Closed

- Up to 4 people per session
- Apply gold leaf to a card shaped like a beckoning cat (Manekineko).
- About 30 minutes 1,485 yen (tax included) ~ (depends on the card size)

Address Ikeda Building 1F, 1-31-8, Asakusa, Taito City Opening Hours 10:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m

Irregular \* Visit the Website for details

3 minutes by walk from Asakusa Station, Ginza Line, Tokyo Metro

http://www.kimpakuva-uhei.ip/







## [57] \* Asakusa Chazen [Experience Japanese culture] Map E

Inside the shop, there is an authentic tearoom equipped with a "tsukubai", or a traditional washbasin, and a "nijiriguchi", or a small entrance to the teargon. This is an experience of Japanese culture that couples friends and families can enjoy.

■ Tea ceremony experience

You can leisurely experience tea ceremony in an authentic tearoom equipped with "tsukubai" and "nijiriguchi". You can also try making matcha green tea.

■ Hands-on Jananése Café

This is a hands-on Japanese Café where you can make seasonal Japanese sweets and matcha green tea. You can choose plates and bowls to your liking, and take pictures in the photo spot that will surely look great on social networking sites.



- Tea ceremony experience 3,500 yen (tax included) (held every day from 10:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.)
Lecture, preparing matcha (powdered green tea), demonstration of etiquette, Japanese sweets and matcha, preparing matcha by yourself Experiential Japanese Cafe: 1,800 yen ~ (tax included) (every Saturday, Sunday and national holidays "confirmation required)
Hands- on experience of preparing Japanese sweets and matcha

☎ 03-6264-0690

**7** 03-5246-4093

\* A hall is available for groups Consultation required.

Benkyoudo Building 5F, 1-4-7, Asakusa, Taito City

Opening Hours 10:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.

Open all year round (excluding new year holidays)

3 minutes by walk from Asakusa Station, Ginza Line, Tokyo Metro

https://www.chazen-co.ip/



# f8 ★ Hakocho [Paulownia craftwork] Map E

Regardless of whether you prefer Edo-style or Kyoto-style, our products have long been popular as decorative items and furniture. Kimekomi technique in which pure silk fabric or Saga Brocade is used with Paulownia wood, is a magnificent decorative technique where the Paulownia wood and the warmth of the fabric blend perfectly well with each other. This completely original technique of Paulownia craftwork is exclusive to Hakocho. Hakocho brings the essence and sentiment of Edo to your home



☎ 03-3843-8731 (headquarters)

Hands-on Experience:- Reservation required Up to 10 ~ 30 people

(1) For general (Thursday once a month)

You can choose your own design and carve it with a chisel, or you can just try your hand at wooden dolls. About 120 minutes 3,300 yen ~

(2) For students

Experience making Kimekomi dolls using course materials About 90 minutes 2.500 ven ~

\* Visit the Website for details.

(Asakusa Orange Street Branch) 1-4-5, Asakusa, Taito City 9:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.

Saturdays, Sundays, and holidays (Store is open all year round) 3 minutes by walk from Asakusa Station, Ginza Line, Tokyo Metro

http://www.hakocho.com Up to 2 weeks in advance



## [59] ★ Asakusa Bunko [Small leather goods] Map E

Our beautiful leather accessories, a product of Asakusa's craftsmanship, are like an elaborate painting. Come and get the feel of Asakusa Bunko. At the Asakusa Bunko Main Store. we offer hands-on experience of hand-painted Yuzen at regular intervals. This experience is worth a visit.



Hands-on Experience:- Reservation required Up to 6 people

- Experience hand-painting of yuzen

Irregular (weekdays only)

\* Negotiable for sessions on Saturdays, Sundays and holidays

1:00 p.m. to 2:00 p.m. 4,950 yen (tax included)

\* Please wear clothes you don't mind getting dirty.

(Arm covers and aprons will be provided.)

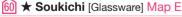
YN Building 1F, 1-10-2, Asakusa, Taito City

Opening Hours 10:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. Open all year round

4 minutes by walk from Asakusa Station, Toei Asakusa Line

http://www.asakusabunko.jp/ Un to 1 week in advance





We offer hands-on classes on Kiriko glass craft through which you can experience the fun of working with glass. Please feel free to ask us about how to use the glassware, its features, and points to consider when choosing the glassware.



Hands-on Experience: Booking required up to about 36 people

"EDO KIRIKO glass catting"

Duration: 90 mins approx Weekdays: 10:15am, 1:00pm, 3:00pm

Weekends and holidays: 8:30am, 10:15am, 1:00pm, 3:00pm, 5:00pm

2,750 yen for children under 18 years of age (high school age) (tax excluded),

3,630 yen for general people (tax excluded).

\*A fee of 4,180 yen (tax included) applies to the 5:00 p.m. session on holidays.

2-1-14 Kaminarimon, Taito City 🏗 03-6802-8948 Weekdays 11:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. Saturdays, Sundays and Holidays 10:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. Open through the year (Excluding year-end and New Year holidays)

1 mins from Asakusa station (Ginza Line), Exit 4

http://www.sokichi.co.ip

Up to 1day in advance



We make unique bags for both formal occasions and daily use using leather, fabric and various other materials. We also hold workshops at the shop (reservation required) and accept repairs and orders for custom-made bags.

\* Please bring scissors and an apron.

\* Students on school trips are not accepted.

- Reservation required Up to 6 people

- Handbag making processes (cutting, etc.) 1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.

### Hands-on Experience

Reservation required Up to 4 groups/day

Simple charm and bag making

About 60 to 120 minutes 1,500 yen ~

2-7-3, Komagata, Taito City 9:30 a m to 6:30 n m

Opening Hours Saturdays, Sundays and holidays

3 minutes' walk from Asakusa Station. Toei Asakusa Line

Up to 2 weeks in advance

## 62 ★ Tsumami-zaiku Ichirindo [Shop specializing in tsumami-zaiku (traditional craft of creating fabric flowers)] Map F

**7** 03-4360-3294

Tsumami-zaiku Ichirindo sells special materials and tools for tsumami-zaiku, sells and distributes hair accessories for the Shichigosan festival and coming-of-age ceremony, and holds full-fledged workshops for people who want to learn the craft.



☑ info@tsumami-i.com

We also offer hands-on tsumami-zaiku experiences. Be sure to enjoy the traditional craft, which can be enjoyed by people of all ages as part of school trips, field trips and company welfare programs.

# Hands-on Experience:

- Inquiry necessary

Jupiter Five Bldg., 2F, 4-11-2, Kuramae, Taito City

Opening Hours 11:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.

Irregularly on Mondays and holidays Access 3 minutes' walk from Kuramae Station, Toei Asakusa Line

https://tsumami-ichirindo.com/

Advance Reservations Up to 1 week in advance (up to 1 month in advance for groups)

# 63 ★ Sun Beadle [Bead handicraft] Map F

The shop specializes in various types of beads, kits, and handicraft items. In the bead weaving class, you can learn the technique of bead weaving using looms of various sizes, while making bags and corsages. You can also learn to make bead handicraft without using a loom



Reservation required Up to 5 people (2 sessions per day)

- Making bead handicrafts Third Fridays 10:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.

### Hands-on Experience

Reservation required Up to 5 people (2 sessions per day)

Making bead handicrafts (Creation of small articles and accessories)

10:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. (Day of the week is flexible)

About 60 to 120 minutes 1,100 yen (tax included)

1-12-2, Yanaqibashi, Taito City ☎ 03-3861-9322

10:30 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. Saturdays, Sundays and Holidays

1 minute walk from Asakusabashi Station on JR Sobu Line and Toei Asakusa Line http://www.sun-beadle.com

Up to 10 days in advance

# 64 \* Tsumami-zaiku Asakusa Komaki [Hands-on tsumami-zaiku experience] Map E

☎ 03-5811-1953

We hold hands-on experience sessions of tsumami-zaiku (craft of creating fabric flowers designated as a traditional craft by the Tokyo Metropolitan Government) using adhesive bond. Make your one and only work while enjoying all the processes starting from choosing fabric.



Reservation required

- Viewing of how to make five-petal flowers (free)

### Hands-on Experience:

Reservation required 4 people (up to 3 groups/day)

Tsumami-zaiku using adhesive bond

60 minutes 2,200 yen 90 minutes 3,300 yen Motifs vary by season.

1-29-8, Asakusa, Taito City

11:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. Opening Hours

Irregularly
5 minutes' walk from Asakusa Station, Ginza Line, Tokyo Metro

https://komasa-asakusa.com

























# 65 Dogin Doki-ten [Copperware] Map C

Our shop, which was established in 1924, specializes in copperware. Our omelet pans, tempura pots, teapots, kettles, cups and frying pans are especially popular. Everything is handmade. Be sure to visit us. You can have a hands-on experience of making a pen



- Reservation required Up to about 5 people
- Viewing of copperware production process
   (Content varies by the day's work)

Address 4-22-10, Asakusa, Taito City 10-3-3872-7328

Opening Hours 9:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.
Closed Irregularly 7 minutes' walk from TX Asakusa Station 2 minutes' walk from Asakusa 4-chome stop of Metropolitan bus (Ue 46)

Advance Reservations Up to about 2 weeks in advance

