

Nature

17 Uradome Beach
A place of scenic beauty made up of many islands, countless cave entrances, strangely shaped rocks and very clear sea water. We recommend that you board an excursion boat and enjoy a nice view from the sea.



19 Sandankyo Gorge
Sandankyo is a 13km-long great gorge. The scenery of the gorge, which harmonizes with the fresh greenery in spring and tinted maple leaves in fall, is breathtaking.



Gourmet

Peach (OKAYAMA)
The harvest season for peaches starts at the beginning of July. You can enjoy their sweet fragrance, soft fruit, and rich and supple texture.



Muscat (OKAYAMA)
White peaches with sweet fragrance and muscats, called the Queen of Fruits, are specialties of Okayama Prefecture. They are at their best from July to mid-August.



Sightseeing spots

21 Karato Market
Every weekend and on national holidays you can enjoy seafood dishes such as sushi at seafood stalls and buy fish in season at reasonable prices.



22 Hagi
There're a number of fascinating sightseeing attractions, such as making Hagi-yaki pottery, which has a 400-year history, visiting scenic spots and going to hot springs.



25 Onomichi
Onomichi City, known as a town of scenic slopes and a town for movies, has many attractive places such as historic sites, temples and shrines, and delicious local dishes.



26 Tomonoura
Tomonoura, once prospered as a port town, has a townscape reminiscent of its 2,000-year history, which now attracts attention as a historic heritage site.



28 Lake Shinji
Lake Shinji is the symbol of the water city of Matsue. The beautiful sunset over the lake changes color with every season and is listed high among the 100 best sunsets in Japan.

Historic sites

29 Iwami Ginzan Silver Mine (UNESCO World Heritage Site)
It is said that one third of the silver in the world was mined from Iwami Ginzan in the 16th century. The old mine shafts and townscape still remain for visitors to experience.



31 Cycling at the Shimanami Kaido
Shimanami Kaido (Shimanami Sea Route) is a 70 km-long highway connecting Imabari on Shikoku Island and Onomichi in Hiroshima Prefecture. Refreshing scenery along the way entertains the cyclists.



33 Sandboarding at the Tottori Sand Dunes
Enjoy sliding on the Tottori Sand Dunes. This speedy sport can be enjoyed all year round.



