

Shishijima Island Guide Map

Getting Around

Most of Shishijima's roads are extremely narrow with lots of slopes and staircases. Neither cars nor bikes are a viable means of transportation, and visitors should expect to do a fair amount of walking.



9 Yokobo no Tsuji
Get a panoramic island view! Long overgrown, the path up to this scenic spot has been cleared by determined locals.



1 Okusu: The Great Camphor Tree

Deep within the hills at the center of the island is a 1,200-year-old camphor tree, Okusu. The path to Okusu is steep and often muddy, so visitors should wear comfortable shoes.

20 min. from Shishijima Port



2 Camphor Overlook

A quick hike to the West of Okusu brings you to this cute, handcrafted hut with a gorgeous view

20 min. from Shishijima Port



5 Burial Cottages

The islands in this area of the Seto Inland Sea traditionally divided graves into two: one where the family can come to pay their respects, and one that houses the body in peace and quiet. These small, house-like structures are the latter.

1 min. from Shishijima Port



3 Skyview Meadow April - June

In the island's heyday, Shishijima was covered in fields of different flowers, giving the island a patchwork appearance from the air. Most of these fields have since disappeared, but certain residents are working to revive them, starting here.

15 min. from Shishijima Port

Blooming Period
 Carnations: April - June Marigolds: April

Come Prepared!

Bring everything you need for the day



Protect yourself from bugs in the Summer (June - Sept.)



Island Idols

Possibly the most famous and well-liked residents of the islands are its goats. These cute little lawnmowers are typically found near the port area, but occasionally move to other areas of the island when duty calls. Ask at Kusu-Kusu to find out where they're working during your visit.



4 Kusu-Kusu Café

Located inside a 100-year-old home is Shishijima's only rest spot. Stop in when you arrive for information about the island, then again before you leave to check out their coffee, ice cream, and original souvenirs.

3 min. from Shishijima Port

090-1598-5885

10:00am-11:30am & 2:30pm-3:50pm

7 Shishijima Fureai Hall

An exhibition site for both individual and group works. It also displays farming implements used on the island.

4 min. from Shishijima Port

090-7624-6355 (Mr. Terashita's cell)

Open every day 8:00am-4:00pm



Recommended Course

