8D7N : Japan Bespoke Voyage 2A (Yokohama – Busan)



Trip Overview

A 8-day voyage from Yokohama to Kobe, exploring Japan's cultural treasures and scenic coastlines. This cruise offers a perfect blend of art, history, and nature, with stops at picturesque Setouchi islands, historical landmarks, and the vibrant city of Busan, South Korea. Enjoy world-class hospitality aboard, with fine dining, entertainment, and relaxation at sea.

Trip Highlights

- Take pleasure in the beauty of Seto Inland Sea.
- Enjoy a unique blend of historical significance and stunning coastal scenery in Hagi and Shimonoseki.
- Marvel at the magnificent view of Mt. Fuji from Yaizu and Tagonoura
- This course is scheduled during the best period to witness the breathtaking beauty of sakura in full bloom. (Notice : The sakura blooming period can vary significantly due to weather conditions.)

Trip Itinerary

Destination:	Japan, Korea
Departure Location:	Yokohama
Return Location:	Busan
Tour Validity:	25 Mar - 01 Apr

Day 01: YOKOHAMA

WELCOME TO YOKOHAMA, JAPAN. Yokohama opened its port to the world in 1859, marking the beginning of Japan’s modernization. Before that, it was just a small fishing village, but with the arrival of foreign trade, it quickly transformed into an international hub, embracing Western culture while maintaining its Japanese heritage

Day 02: TAGONOURA

Tagonoura is one of the best places to enjoy unobstructed views of Mount Fuji rising majestically over the bay. The iconic scenery has inspired Japanese poets and artists for centuries, including the famous haiku master Matsuo Basho. Whether at sunrise or sunset, the sight of Mount Fuji reflected ion the ocean surface is simply unforgettable. With its mention in classical Japanese poetry and historical records, Tagonoura holds a special place in Japan's cultural heritage

Day 03: YAIZU

Yaizu is one of Japan's top fishing ports, famous for bonito (katsuo) and tuna, caught using traditional and sustainable methods. Visitors can explore the bustling fish market, and enjoy fresh seafood. Known for its rich maritime culture and stunning coastal scenery, Yaizu offers an authentic experience of Japan away from the crowded tourist spots.

Day 04: TOBA

Toba is a coastal city located in Japan's Mie Prefecture, on the shores of the Pacific Ocean. Situated in the Ise-Shima National Park, Toba has given its name to majestic bay sheltering a string of small islands, famous for the beauty of their forests and the production of cultured pearls. You will have the possibility of discovering the Ise Shrine, residence of the Imperial family and venerated by the Japanese people as the "soul of Japan".

Day 05: KATSUURA

At the heart of the region lies **Kumano Nachi Taisha Shrine,** an ancient spiritual site with a history of over 1,000 years that has welcomed many pilgrims. Perched on the mountainside with spectacular views, the shrine is part of the sacred Kumano Sanzan complex, which has deep connections to both Shinto and Buddhism. Nearby, is the stunning Seiganto-ji Temple, with its famous red pagoda set against the backdrop of Nachi Falls, which is one of the most iconic sights in Japan.

Day 06: AT SEA

During your day at sea, make the most of the many services and activities on board. Relaxation in the spa or stay in shape in the fitness centre.

Day 07: HAGI

In the south of Honshu island, surrounded by mountains, **Hagi** is a city of water. For good reason; it was built on the delta of the Abu-gawa river. Its castle was built in the 17th century and its outer walls remain in the lovely Shizuki Park. The old town was one of the cradles of the Meiji revolution. You will discover its rich past in streets lined with old houses and samurai manors, or within the walls of the many museums and Hagi-yaki ceramics workshops.

Day 08: BUSAN, SOUTH KOREA

Busan is the second largest metropolis on South Korea, after Seoul. This dynamic harbour city, located in the south-east, surrounded by the warm waters of the Sea of Japan, benefits from a mild, pleasant climate. You'll find delightful simply to stroll around the lively streets and explore the city's outstanding cultural heritage of art galleries, museums, and Buddhist sites, such as the Haedong Yonggungsa temple.

What's included

PACKAGE INCLUDES

- 7 nights shipboard on Ponant Cruise
- All shore excursions
- 24 hour room service (special selection)
- Butler service (special selection)
- Free unlimited WIFI onboard
- Evening entertainment and events
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- Evening entertainment and events

PACKAGE EXCLUDE

- International air ticket
- Airport transfer
- Gratuities

Price & Cost

Date	Price	Ship
25 Mar - 01 Apr 2027	**RM 38,500**	**LE JACQUE CARTIER**
Deluxe Stateroom	RM 38,500	Available
Prestige Stateroom	RM 44,688	Available
Deluxe Suite	RM 64,838	Available