

Founded in Kyoto in late 1850, Kyō-wagasa, a Traditional Craft

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About the Workshop

Schedule

Monday–Friday (excluding public holidays)
Morning Session: 10:00 AM
Afternoon Session: 2:00 PM

*Weekend and public holiday bookings may be available upon request.
Please feel free to contact us.
*Group bookings and off-site workshops are also available.

Reservation

Reservations must be made at least 7 days in advance.
<https://shop.wagasa.com/en/pages/workshop>



Access to Hiyoshiya Atelier

Address: 546 Dodo-cho, Teranouchi-dori, Horikawa Higashi-Iru,
Kamigyo-ku, Kyoto 602-0072

By Bus (Kyoto City Bus)
From Kyoto Station,
take Kyoto City Bus No. 9 (approximately 30 minutes).
Get off at Horikawa Teranouchi,
then walk for about 2 minutes to the atelier.

By Subway (Karasuma Subway Line)
From Kyoto Station, take the Karasuma Subway Line
to Imadegawa Station, then walk for about 13 minutes to the atelier.

Parking Information

A reserved parking space (No. 11) is available at the Hokyoji Garage.
Please make a reservation in advance.



Seasonal Workshops

We offer seasonal experiences featuring materials and designs inspired by the changing seasons. Using special washi papers unique to each time of the year, enjoy creating a mini wagasa (traditional Japanese umbrella) or a KOTORI table lamp. For the latest experience details and pricing, please visit our website.

Duration: 1h 30min
Price : Please visit our website / person
Finished Size: Φ30cm

ExclusiveExperience
Groups of 1-10 people
Includes tour of wagasa atelier



Kyō-wagasa, Kyoto’s traditional Japanese umbrella Atelier Tour

Step inside the wagasa atelier, normally closed to the public, and enjoy a guided tour led by skilled artisans. Learn about the history and craftsmanship of Kyō-wagasa, Kyoto’s traditional Japanese umbrella, as well as Hiyoshiya's approach to creating products for modern lifestyles. Surrounded by the scent of oiled paper and bamboo, discover the timeless techniques passed down through generations.

Duration: 30min
Price : 5,500Yen (tax included) / person

Short period of time
Groups of 1-8 people



Mini Kotori Lamp Workshop

Create a KOTORI table lamp using the materials and structure of Kyō-wagasa, Kyoto’s traditional Japanese umbrella, decorated with your own design. The workshop also includes a visit to the wagasa atelier, where you'll learn about the traditional production process and see skilled artisans at work. Take your finished KOTORI lamp with a tabletop light base home as a unique souvenir of your visit.

Duration: 1h 30min
Price : 11,000Yen (tax included) / person
Finished Size: Φ14×H20cm

Authentic experience
Groups of 1-10 people
Includes tour of wagasa atelier



Mini Japanese Umbrella (Wagasa) Workshop

Create your own mini wagasa (traditional Japanese umbrella) using colorful Yuzen washi inspired by Kyoto's kimono tradition. Mix and match patterns to make a one-of-a-kind design. The workshop also includes a visit to the wagasa atelier, where you'll learn about the traditional production process and see skilled artisans at work. Take your finished mini wagasa home as a unique souvenir.

Duration: 1h 30min
Price : 8,800Yen (tax included) / person
Finished Size: Φ30cm

Authentic experience
Groups of 1-10 people
Includes tour of wagasa atelier



Founded in Kyoto in the late Edo period, Hiyoshiya has carried on the craftsmanship of Kyō-wagasa, Kyoto’s traditional Japanese umbrella, for more than 170 years.

From shaping bamboo ribs and applying washi paper to the final finishing touches, each wagasa is crafted through numerous meticulous processes.

While preserving these traditional techniques, Hiyoshiya continues to explore new possibilities for the future.

From KOTORI, our lighting collection inspired by wagasa, to contemporary designs that bring its craftsmanship into modern spaces, we create new forms rooted in tradition.

Guided by our philosophy, “Tradition is a Continuous Innovation,” we continue to expand the possibilities of Kyō-wagasa for generations to come.

Hiyoshiya Experience

Founded in the Late Edo Period Kyoto Wagasa

