7-Day Japan Travel Itinerary

Day 1: Arrival in Tokyo

- Arrive at Tokyo Narita or Haneda Airport
- Check-in to hotel (Shinjuku or Shibuya area)
- Evening walk at Shibuya Crossing and Hachiko Statue
- Dinner at a local izakaya

Day 2: Explore Tokyo

- Visit Senso-ji Temple in Asakusa
- Walk around Nakamise Street
- Explore Akihabara (anime & electronics district)
- Tokyo Skytree or Tokyo Tower visit in the evening

Day 3: Day trip to Nikko or Mount Fuji

- Early train to Nikko or Mount Fuji (Lake Kawaguchi area)
- Visit UNESCO shrines (Nikko) or Mt. Fuji 5th Station
- Return to Tokyo by evening

Day 4: Travel to Kyoto

- Shinkansen (bullet train) to Kyoto (~2.5 hrs)
- Check-in to hotel (Gion or Kyoto Station area)
- Evening walk through Gion (geisha district)
- Dinner at Pontocho Alley

Day 5: Explore Kyoto

- Visit Fushimi Inari Shrine (thousands of torii gates)
- Explore Arashiyama Bamboo Grove
- Visit Kinkaku-ji (Golden Pavilion)
- Traditional tea ceremony experience

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Day 6: Nara Day Trip

- Day trip to Nara from Kyoto (~1 hr)
- Visit Nara Deer Park and Todai-ji Temple
- Return to Kyoto in the evening for shopping or onsen

Day 7: Return to Tokyo or Departure

- Shinkansen back to Tokyo or fly out from Kansai Airport (Osaka)
- Last-minute souvenir shopping
- Departure