

*For international tourists*

## Common people, Common life in local village

### FREE experimental tour to interact with local people in their homes

We, the University of Hyogo, are offering a free special experimental tour for international tourists to interact with local common people in their own homes. In the rural area around Kinosaki, many traditional houses and lives still remain. These spots will give you the chance to experience authentic Japanese common people's lives which you cannot experience in urban areas. Since it is usually difficult for international tourists to enter these houses and interact with these people, this is a very special opportunity.

In this tour, you will be able to enjoy a program involving interaction with local people by our arrangement. Come make great memories and experience Japanese common life through this tour!

#### ■ Date and Program

- **June 14<sup>th</sup> (Fri):** Exploring a Japanese garden outside of a local's home, pine tree pruning experience, rice cracker-making experience



- **June 15<sup>th</sup> (Sat):** Exploring a Japanese garden outside of a local's home, tea ceremony experience



- **June 16<sup>th</sup> (Sun):** Walking through local village, Origami (traditional paper folding) experience with local people in their home



■ Meeting Place: 8:30 JR Toyooka Station, or  
8:50 Front desk of your accommodation in Kinosaki Onsen

■ Schedule (each day) :

9:30～ Visit the local village

10:00～ Participate in activity of the day:

14<sup>th</sup>: Explore a Japanese garden outside of a local's home, try pine tree pruning, make rice crackers

15<sup>th</sup>: Exploring a Japanese garden outside of a local's home, includes tea ceremony experience

16<sup>th</sup>: Walk through local village, try Origami (traditional paper folding) with locals in their homes

Before around 12:00 Depart from the village

■ Guide: English guide

■ Cost: FREE

■ Sign up by sending below reservation by sending e-mail to [hirata@awaji.ac.jp](mailto:hirata@awaji.ac.jp)  
or FAX (0799-82-3140)

■ Reservation deadline: June 11<sup>th</sup> (Tue)

We will close the signups when the number of applicants reaches 6 for each day.

■ This program is managed by the Graduate school of Landscape Design and Management, University of Hyogo.  
Hirata Lab. ([hirata@awaji.ac.jp](mailto:hirata@awaji.ac.jp)).

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Date of reservation      14<sup>th</sup> / 15<sup>th</sup> / 16<sup>th</sup>

Name                              Nationality                              Address or Hotel

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