

5-minute walk  
from Noboritachi-mon  
to Date museum



Date Museum



Tensha-en  
Garden



# Uwajima Castle Tour

## Recommended Standard Course

Approximately 1-1.5 hours, including entry to the main keep

Original gate,  
like the main  
keep

Noboritachi-mon  
Gate

Honmaru is the best  
viewpoint to overlook  
Uwajima Bay!

Shikibu-  
maru

Gokoku-jinja Shrine

Viewing spot where the  
main keep, stone walls, and  
Onigajo Mountain Range fit  
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The oldest stone wall within  
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The longest stone  
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Korekata Kojima  
Statue

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Castle Tower  
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Daiemon-maru

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Nagato-maru  
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Castle stamps and the 100 Famous  
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This is a steep staircase with  
uneven steps. For those full of  
energy, enjoy it on the way back!

- ※ Slippery when the ground is  
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Marunouchi  
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San-no-maru

Kori Family's  
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## ~ Relax in the sunlight filtering through the trees in front of the Nagato-maru Stone Wall ~

The Nagato-maru Stone Wall, is said to be the widest within the castle, measuring approximately 50 meters.

Along the path to the castle, near the corner angles, you can see stone walls with holes created by marine erosion and perforated shells.

“Here you can explore the stones, which were lifted and brought from the sea coast”

The space in front of the stone wall includes large trees such as Japanese Camphor (Kusunoki), as well as Basket Oak (Kagonoki) and Japanese Flowering Cherry (Bakuchinoki), among others.

Rare trees create a beautiful dappled sunlight. Take a seat on the bench and relax in the forest of Castle Hill.

※ During the summer, be cautious of mosquitoes in this area.



## ~ Capture the view from Ni-no-maru! ~

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## ~ Stone walls dating back to the founding era of Todo Takatora! ~

Tobei-maru Stone Wall is considered the oldest within the castle, dating back to the era of Todo Takatora.

Approximately 13 meters high, it is the second tallest stone wall within the castle.

Using untreated natural stones, the characteristic of the stone wall is that it does not have a curvature.

The stone wall was constructed with a straight incline.

The right side of the staircase to the Castle Mountain Folk Museum features the oldest stone wall on the premises. The moss-covered atmosphere makes it feel like you've slipped back in time, doesn't it?!



## ~ Are you ready for the castle ascent? ~

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Statue

The tallest stone wall within  
the castle, Daiemon-maru  
Stone Wall, 15 meters high.

Shikibu-  
maru

Gokoku-jinja Shrine

There are many  
camphor trees,  
creating a peaceful  
and quiet space.

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### ~ While you climb to the bailey from Daiemon-maru, gaze at the highest stone wall of the castle ~

The Daiemon-maru showcases a rich variety of stone walls, ranging from the oldest to the newest within the castle. The 15-meter-high stone wall proudly stands as the tallest within the premises.

"To get from Shikibu-maru to Daizaemon-maru, take an unpaved path. Be careful not to slip."

The bailey of Daiemon-maru is filled with many camphor trees, creating a tranquil space with a panoramic view of the city on the south side.

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