

# K O B E

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## City of cinema Kobe: Picturesque! Kobe's varied views



If you have any questions about ward office procedures, financial support for raising children, etc.

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☎ 078-742-8721 (11 languages)



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# Picturesque! Kobe's Varied Views

Did you know that the first movies filmed in Japan were filmed in Kobe?

Also, many Japanese films have filming locations in Kobe because the city is full of different settings for just about any type of story.

(Numbers indicate location on the front-page map)

## #3 Kobe Winery

(agricultural park)

Folk & farming tools house

(Nishi Ward)

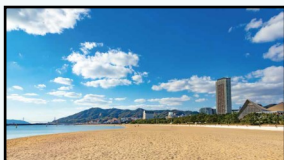


## #4 Former Guggenheim Mansion

(Tarumi Ward)

## #5 Suma Coast

(Suma Ward)



## #6 Shin-Nagata shopping street

(Nagata Ward)

## #7 Minatogawa Tunnel

(Hyogo Ward)



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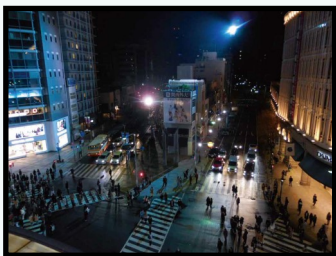


#8 Mt. Maya  
(Nada Ward)

#9 Former  
Foreign  
Settlement  
(Chuo Ward)



# Notable Film Locations in Kobe

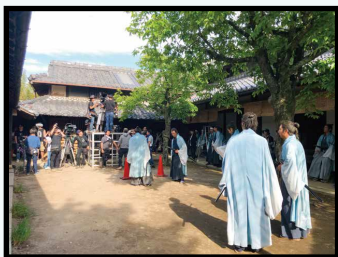


#11 In front of  
Daimaru Kobe  
dept. store  
(Chuo Ward)

*DEATH NOTE: Light  
up the NEW world*  
(2016)

#13 Ogo Honjin  
Historical Site  
(Kita Ward)

*Rurouni Kenshin:  
The Beginning*  
(2021)



# COVID-19 Information

## Switch to BA.4-5 Omicron variant vaccine

The BA.1 Omicron variant COVID-19 vaccine is currently being administered, but it will be changed to one that targets the BA.4-5 Omicron variant.

## About BA.1 and BA.4-5

Regardless of whether you are vaccinated with the versions that target BA.1 or BA.4-5, they should both be more effective against the Omicron variant of COVID-19. They should also help prevent worsening of symptoms, infectiousness, and onset of symptoms.

**See vaccination information in English! →**



# Preconception Care

**Preconception care** refers to the health and daily life interventions taken by both parents in anticipation of pregnancy.

A strong awareness of personal health by both parents is connected to a safe pregnancy and baby's health. It is important to apply good diet, exercise, and sleeping habits to one's daily routine. Try to make these changes long before a future pregnancy.

Also, you can get consultations with doctors and midwives through Hyogo Prefecture's consultation center for people unable to conceive.

**Tap here for details! →**



# Kobe Phosphorus REmoval Project

As one of the three major nutrients in fertilizer, phosphorus is an essential agricultural resource. However, the majority of phosphorus in Japan is imported, and prices are soaring due to export restrictions in the producing countries.

In order to help stabilize the country's agricultural industry in an initiative towards renewable agriculture, Kobe City is working to collect phosphorus from sewage and use it in Kobe Harvest fertilizer. This initiative is called the "Kobe Saisei Rin" project. (Kobe Phosphorus REmoval Project)

In order to promote this Sustainable Development Goal, Kobe Harvest will be available for home garden use from mid-December.

[Details here! →](#)



## Find new restaurants with great food Memorable Meals #2 Stamp Rally

Find the new free guidebook for localite favorites, "Omoi de Gohan #2" (Memorable Meals #2), at the featured restaurants and the Kobe Information Center. Also, if you participate in the stamp rally by patronizing the restaurants, you could win nice prizes like hotel vouchers in the raffle.

**Period:** November 1, 2022 - February 28, 2023



[Details here! →](#)



# ART in Town: Kobe Waterfront Art Project

There are currently a number of art-related events happening at the waterfront area of Meriken Park. In hopes of leaving fond memories with people even during the Port Tower's renovations, we have planned many events that can only be enjoyed now.

## 1st Port Tower Projection Mapping: Voyage

Period: Until the end of November

Through exciting light projections, visitors can see different facets of Kobe.



## 2nd Port Tower and Kobe Maritime Museum: Performance of Light & Sound

Period: Until autumn 2023

Lights from Port Tower and the Maritime Museum will dance colorfully in time with music.



## 3rd Participatory Projection Mapping

Period: Until spring 2023

The memories of families and friends photographed by Kobe City will be projected onto Port Tower.



**Details here! →**

