

West of
the Prefecture
Odawara City

Tourist Attraction No.

1479

<History>

Historical building in Odawara City
(Registered Tangible Cultural Property)
Seikantei (Villa)Explanation of
Tourist Attraction

The Seikantei Villa was built in the town of Odawara-machi, Ashigarashimo-gun, Kanagawa (current Minami-cho, Odawara-shi) in 1906, and it was the country house of Marquis Nagashige Kuroda, who was active during the Meiji Period. It was situated on slope facing south toward the Sannomaru outer citadel of the former Odawara Castle, and on sunny days the main building provided views of the Manazuru Peninsular, Oshima Island, Sagami Bay and the mountains of Hakone. It was built in the Sukiya style of architecture without any formalities, and consists of a single story building and a two-story house that are connected together. The high-quality design, including picture sliding doors and wickerwork ceiling, can be seen inside.

selling point

Enjoy desserts at the cafe while enjoying the garden view.

Address	1-5-73 Minami-cho, Odawara-shi, Kanagawa
Opening Hours	11:00 am to 4:00 pm (Closed every Tuesday)
Availability of Parking	No Parking (Coin parking available nearby)
URL	http://www.city.odawara.kanagawa.jp/public-i/facilities/seikanntei/top-2012.html

Recommended Season

All year

Group/Individual Mark



Group



Individual

Target Regions

Europe, North America, Oceania

Access

15-minutes' walk from Odawara Station on the JR, Odakyu, Daiyuzan and Hakone Tozan Lines

Specific Model Route Details

Individual

Odakyu Line [Shinjuku Station] +++ (80 minutes) +++ Odakyu Line [Odawara Station] ... <<Joeiji Temple>> ... <<Okubo Shrine>> ... <<Denjoji Temple>> ... <<Odawara Literature Museum/Hakusho Children's Pavilion>> ... <<Seikantei Villa>> ... <<Hotoku Ninomiya Shrine>> ... <<Odawara Castle Ruins Park>> ... <<Tombs / Graves of Hojo Ujimasa - Hojo Ujiteru>> ... <<Lusca Odawara (view of Odawara castle from the roof)>> ... Odakyu Line [Odawara Station] +++ (80 minutes) +++ Odakyu Line [Shinjuku Station]

Start

Shinjuku Station (Odakyu Line)

Goal

Shinjuku Station (Odakyu Line)

Time Required

6 hours



Nearby Sightseeing Spot

Odawara Oden Honjin

Odawara oden does not contain mustard, but is instead eaten with plum miso, which uses the plums that are one of Odawara's famous specialties, and comes with either a bonito and kelp flavored soup or a chicken and kelp flavored soup.

Uiro

Uiro is the oldest shop in Kanagawa, and is run by the Uiro family. Uiro are steamed buns made of powdered rice that were first conceived 600 years ago for serving to an overseas delegation, and their main feature is a chewy and gentle sweetness.