

# Six Senses Kyoto, Japan

Embodying a heady mix of no-filter landscapes, genuine hospitality and fascinating contrast of preserved ancient culture and ultra-modern shine, Japan is as sensuous as it is enticing.

Historically the largest city and still thought to be the cultural and historical heart of Japan, Kyoto is famed for its Buddhist temples, Shinto shrines, palaces, traditional Japanese architecture, and beautiful cherry gardens. Six Senses Kyoto is conveniently located to provide an urban sanctuary and welcome recharge ready for the many festivals and cultural events on offer on the doorstep.

With its meandering paths through a tranquil courtyard and its feel-good spa, Six Senses Kyoto is sited in front of the Myoho-in temple and Toyokuni-jinja shrine and within walking distance of the buzzing Nishiki Market and colorful Gion district. Experiences embrace each season to bring you a taste and flavor of quintessential Japanese culture.

- Sekki All-day Dining
- Café Sekki Café & Takeout
- Nine Tails Cocktail Lounge & Bar
- Sushi Oga Higashiyama Counter-style Sushi
- Six Senses Spa
- Biohack Recovery Lounge
- · Indoor Pool
- Traditional Japanese Bath, Steam, and Sauna

- Fitness Room
- · Alchemy Bar
- Boutique
- Earth Lab
- Grow With Six Senses
- Herb Garden
- Two Meeting Rooms



# **ACCOMMODATIONS**

Visionary thinking BLINK Design Group has been brought on board to bring the Six Senses brand values to life through elegant designs while maximizing space, privacy, and views. The interiors contrast simple lines with earthy organic tones and a "beauty in the details" vibe, setting a calming and welcoming mood and celebrating authentic Japanese traditions and décor. Quirky touches are inspired by folklore, The Moon Rabbit, and the 11th-century classic Tale of Genji.

Six Senses Kyoto offers 81 guest rooms and suites ranging from 42 to 238 square meters. It's up to you to choose your view – from our peaceful central courtyard with its biophilic design and garden of seasonal landscapes to the gardens of the neighboring Toyokuni Shrine or the seductive city panorama of treetops, temples, tea shops, and rooftops.

# **Bedroom and Suite Amenities**

- Sustainable bathroom amenities
- · Yoga mat
- Pillow menu and Naturalmat organic mattress
- Organic cotton bathrobes
- Fully stocked minibar with locally sourced and homemade snacks (some items are chargeable)
- Coffee and tea
- · Six Senses bottled still and sparkling water
- Flat screen TV with satellite channels
- Bluetooth speaker
- · Personal safe
- Hair dryer
- High-speed Wi-Fi
- Individually controlled air conditioning
- Umbrella

# **GUEST SERVICES**

- 24-hour GEM (Guest Experiences Maker) services
- 24-hour in-room dining
- Multilingual hosts
- On-site personal trainer on request
- Eat With Six Senses nutrition program
- Sleep With Six Senses personal sleep program
- Indoor and outdoor fun activities for kids at Grow With Six Senses
- Crafted experiences and adventures
- Airport and Shinkansen train transfer services
- Nanny and babysitting service
- Packing and unpacking luggage services





# ONE-BEDROOM GUEST ROOMS

Our Superior King rooms feature a contemporary décor with simple lines and earthy organic tones, celebrating authentic Japanese architectural traditions while setting a welcoming mood after a busy day exploring Kyoto.

The Deluxe rooms – which are located across our various floors – comprise a large ensuite bedroom with either a king or twin bed. Some offer the convenience and flexibility of interconnecting with other rooms. Each has large windows to maximize the feeling of space, light, and connection to the outside, leading to a balcony for the perfect "room with a view" feel, whether you opt to face the inner courtyard, city, or the treelined grounds of the historical Toyokuni Shrine.



# GUEST SUITES AND MULTI-ROOM ACCOMMODATIONS

Our spacious and stylish Junior Suites feature everything you need for a comfortable and sumptuous stay, with a separate living area in a modern Japanese design. The Deluxe Junior Suite Garden and the Deluxe Suite Garden are larger, providing extra space to make yourself at home while offering a soothing view of the beautiful Toyokuni Shrine garden from the balcony.

The Premier Suites, with either a king or a twin bed, offer direct access to a splendid private Japanese garden. They are secluded from other rooms and feature a separate living room for a complete escape and relaxing stay. The Grand Premier Suite gives you both the size and the view.

The pinnacle of our accommodation, the Three Bedroom Penthouse Suite, is secluded on the top floor and features artwork that blends Japanese folklore with soothing modern Kyoto design. The two king bedrooms and twin bedroom each have an ensuite bathroom, with a spacious living area also opens out onto a terrace and offers a sofa, dining space, and kitchenette with fully equipped pantry, where private dining offers a whole range of fresh and seasonal Japanese cuisine cooked to order by our chefs.



#### DINING

Carefully designed menus bring our Eat With Six Senses ethos to Kyoto, mixing the best of what is grown to perfection locally and seasonally while keeping the well-being of our guests and community front of mind. What results is a flavor sensation made from good food, good vibes, and good science.

# **SEKKI**

The all-day dining restaurant features evolving hyper-seasonal menus inspired by Sekki, the 24 solar terms in the traditional Japanese calendar. The menu highlights a veg-forward lineup celebrating artisanal local and sustainable ingredients, complemented by a carefully sourced meat and seafood selection. The nose-to-tail and root-to-stem cooking principles ensure all menus are as flavorful as they are sustainable.

# CAFÉ SEKKI

The cosy café area boasts a selection of fresh brews, craft teas, homemade kombucha, healthy slow juices, and guilt-free sweets and pastries using only natural ingredients and traditional fermentation techniques. Take-out options are also available.

### **NINE TAILS**

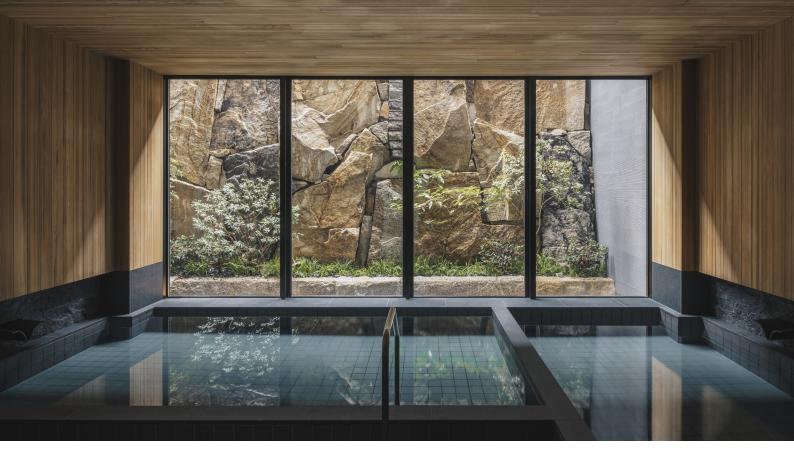
The intimate cocktail bar is where the imaginary foxes in the hotel gather for a sip of their favorite tipple at night. Behind the apothecary-inspired bar counter is the centerstage where our mixologists weave their magic into bespoke concoctions from the extensive collection of handpicked Japanese spirits and liqueurs. Zero-proof drinkers can opt for thoughtfully designed non-alcoholic options crafted from artisanal condiments and homemade syrup and cordials.

# SUSHI OGA HIGASHIYAMA

The first branch of the acclaimed sushi restaurant from Osaka brings a new dimension of Omakase sushi to Kyoto. Under the same vision of Oga, the young and talented sushi master Chef Sakai delivers a unique Omakase experience that respects tradition while surprising and delighting sushi connoisseurs.







#### SIX SENSES SPA

Six Senses Spa incorporates smart science, traditional healing, and Japanese Zen culture into a unique wellness experience. With its wood and stone finish and light and airy vibe, you'll want to hit pause on your action-packed sightseeing schedule and set aside some self-care time. Enjoy a nourishing wellness shot before blending up your own beauty scrubs at the Alchemy Bar. Ingredients are chosen every period to reflect Japan's 24 micro-seasons, or sekki, from Risshun (beginning of spring) in early February right through until Daikan (greater cold) the following January. The spa lounge incorporates a concept store offering vibrant and fun fashion and homeware collections and a variety of skincare and lifestyle products, so leave room in your luggage.

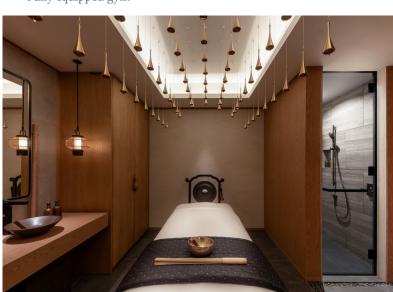
The traditional male and female bath houses are another highlight, cocooning you in warm ripples and steam. Extend the watery delights in the indoor pool before heading to the studio for yoga, meditation, or flying yoga. For the modern-minded, there's a state-of-the-art gym and Biohack Recovery Lounge, which focuses on knowledge, smart tech, and the environment you can create around you to support your long-term lifestyle and wellness goals.

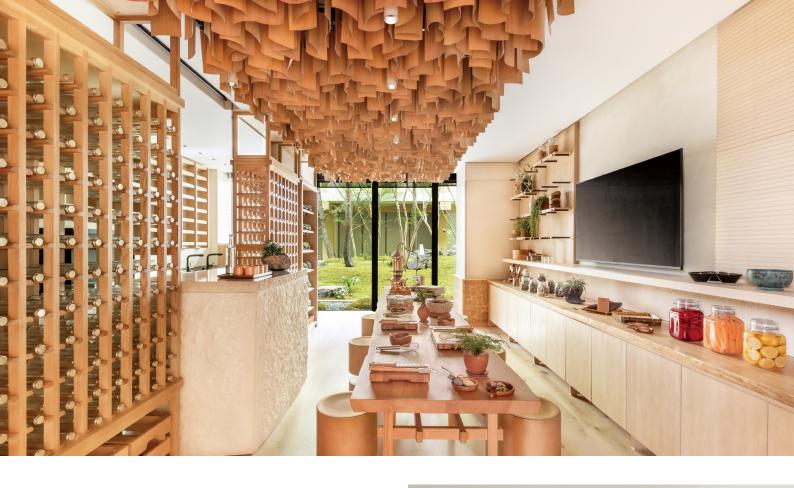
Treatments highlights include the Kyoto-exclusive Ah-un, which symbolizes the pursuit of inner peace, balance, and awakening in Zen through a series of rituals and harmonizing body and sound therapies. Watsu (aquatic bodywork) relieves any tension of the body and the mind through hydrotherapeutic moves and stretches in the city's only dedicated pool for the treatment.

If you don't know where to start, start with our Wellness Screening, which analyzes key biomarkers to dig into what you might want to change before our friendly experts help design a program around you.

- Welcome Area with Spa Boutique
- Four Treatment Suites, including one double treatment suite (Smell) and three single treatment suites (Sound, Sight, and Taste)
- One Sensory Studio (Beyond)/Multi-purpose studio for meditation, yoga, and flying yoga
- Male and female changing rooms with traditional hot bath, sauna, steam room, cold plunge, showers and lockers
- Alchemy Bar
- Japanese and Herbal Tea Lounge
- Watsu (Aquatic Bodywork) Pool
- Indoor Pool
- Fully equipped gym







#### SUSTAINABILITY

Six Senses Kyoto is a green oasis at the heart of Japan's cultural capital, showcasing sustainability through culture, community, and ecology. Urban sustainability is about collaboration and forging connections, from turning the unused land of the Shinto shrine next door into a herb garden to working with Kyoto artisanal producers to provide best-in-season ingredients for our guests. Kitchen waste is composted and used to feed our beautiful traditional gardens and grow herbs for the kitchens and spa. Guests and the local community are invited to meet in our Earth Lab and share ideas for a more sustainable world. Our aim is to integrate with the fabric of Kyoto and provide the perfect vantage point to explore the fantastic history and thriving culture this city has to offer.

A dedicated sustainability Fund, which collects 0.5 percent of hotel revenue, supports two locally based organizations Biotope Network Kyoto and Council for Kyoto Traditional Forest Culture, in regenerating, conserving, and educating younger generations on forestry revitalization and its cultural value.

# **EXPERIENCES**

Discovery is at the heart of Six Senses Kyoto, beckoning you to venture beyond the ordinary and embrace the extraordinary. Our hotel is your gateway to immersive journeys that expand your horizons and nourish your curiosity. With expert guides by your side, embark on tailored adventures that lead you through the hidden alleys, age-old temples, and vibrant markets of Kyoto. Unearth the stories that shape this ancient city, engage with local communities, and create memories that linger long after your journey. At Six Senses Kyoto, every exploration is an opportunity to enrich your spirit and expand your understanding of the world.

Inside the hotel, the Earth Lab is dedicated to sustainability, innovation, and exploration (and the place to make an unconventional souvenir). A host of Grow With Six Senses arts, crafts, ecological, and wellness activities attune children to Japanese customs in a playful, immersive way.





## MEETING & EVENTS

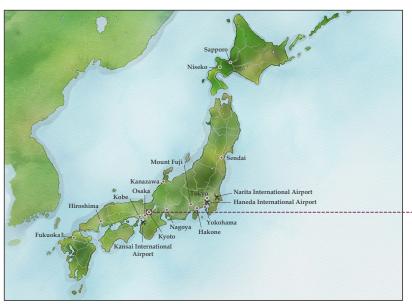
Just a few steps away from the main landmarks, Six Senses Kyoto is the perfect location when hosting any kind of event. It offers 105 square meters of dedicated events spaces with flexibility from corporate events to family reunions, to wine dinners, and wellness events.

## HOW TO GET THERE

Coming from Tokyo or Osaka city center, the bullet train is the most convenient way to reach Kyoto. Six Senses Kyoto is a 7-minute taxi ride from the main station. Private transfers can also be arranged from Itami Airport for domestic flights and from Kansai International Airport for international flights, taking 1 hour and 1 hour 15 minutes respectively. Private transfers must be booked in advance. The nearest subway station is Shichijo Station on the Keihan Line, a 10-minute walk away.









RESERVATIONS AND FURTHER INQUIRIES

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