

Shonan
Hiratsuka City

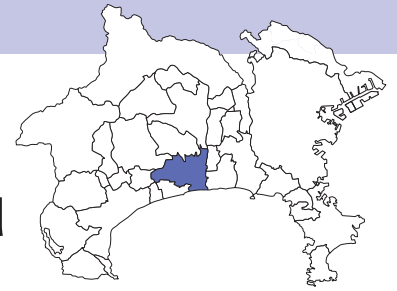
Tourist Attraction No.

2687

<Japanese Culture>

Expressing the heart and mind of the Japanese
with the Wagasa (Japanese umbrella)

Shonan Wagasa Ei Yuu

Explanation of
Tourist Attraction

The Shonan Wagasa Ei Yuu is the only craft studio in Kanagawa Pre. that creates Wagasas completely handmade. Wagasas became widely used in the Edo Period, but with the spread of western umbrellas in the Meiji Period, it quickly ceased to be used. However, the appeal of the Wagasa is being newly rediscovered not only in the realms of Shinto rituals, entertainment, and such where they have always been used, but throughout. Amidst the declining Wagasa artisans nationwide, Ei Yuu is imparting both domestic and overseas, the appeal of the Wagasa.

selling point

Ei Yuu conducts workshops where you make Wagasa lampshades using Wagasa materials. With the "Complete Course," you can experience the entire process from assembling the bamboo, and with the "Quick Course," experience the process of pasting on the Washi (Japanese paper).

Address	18-11 Takahamadai, Hiratsuka-shi
Opening Hours	—
Availability of Parking	Unavailable
URL	http://shonanwagasa.com/english/shonanwagasa_en_home

Recommended Season

All year

Group/Individual Mark

 Individual

Target Regions

Europe, North America, Oceania, Asia

Access

13 min walk from Hiratsuka Station (JR Tokaido Line)

Specific Model Route Details

Individual

JR Tokaido Line [Hiratsuka Station] ...
 Rental car (20 min) ... Kana Garden (60 min) ... Rental car (25 min) ... Shonan Wagasa Ei Yuu (30 min) ... Rental car (20 min) ... Komayama Park Shonan Daira Hills (60 min) ... Rental car (20 min) ... JR Tokaido Line [Hiratsuka Station]
 All traveling via rental car

Start Hiratsuka Station

Goal Hiratsuka Station

Time Required 4 hours



Nearby Sightseeing Spot

Shonan Hiratsuka Tanabata Festival



The Shonan Hiratsuka Tanabata Festival is held over a few days every year timed to coincide with the July 7th Tanabata season. With the decorative illuminations used on banners, the characteristic of the festival is such that it can be enjoyed even at night.

Kana Garden



This is a facility where you can enjoy seasonal plants, including sakura (spring), crepe myrtle (summer), roses (spring and fall), and Japanese apricot (winter). You can learn things while enjoying horticulture and agriculture in a spacious park.

