



# GUIDEBOOK

## Aina Satoyama Park

Akashi Kakiyo National Government Park - Kobe Area

### Satoyama Experiences

#### Satoyama Experiential Activities

Try out our Satoyama farming and harvest activities! Free of charge!  
These mini-activities are easy for anyone to join at only an hour long. Held every morning and afternoon. Enjoy working on the Satoyama together and harvesting vegetables.

##### • Satoyama work



##### Look forward to harvesting!



### 4 Major Festivals

#### Rice Planting Festival

Try out rice planting, the first stage in growing rice, which is the lifeblood of the Satoyama



#### Satoyama Festival

The Satoyama autumn harvest festival. Enjoy a variety of activities, including rice harvesting and digging for sweet potatoes.



#### Bayberry Festival

Enjoy harvesting yamamoto (bayberries), a traditional product of the Aina region.



#### Hatsu-Matsuri Festival

A tondo-yaki bonfire prays for health and a bountiful harvest in the new year.



Aina Satoyama Park offers a variety of Satoyama experiences so you can enjoy the nature, lifestyle, and culture of the Satoyama throughout the four seasons, including our daily experiential activities, reservation-only experiential programs, four major seasonal festivals, and experiential learning for groups.

### Satoyama Experiential Programs

Mainly held on weekends and holidays, these programs let you enjoy the Satoyama at its seasonal best.



### For Groups

#### Kamado oven cooking

Cook rice and soup using a traditional kamado oven at the Soudagatsuji-no-ie House. You will receive organic rice grown at Aina Satoyama Park.

\*Rice included in participation fee.



### Guided Tours

Park staff will show you around the highlights of the park, including animals, plants, and traditional thatched-roof houses. Enjoy a leisurely hour-long walk around the park.

### Facilities for rental

Apply in advance to rent out the park's thatched-roof houses, farm village theater, open areas, and more. We invite you to use these spaces for your events.

Event examples: performances at the farm village theater, marathons, kite-flying, commercial filming, and more.



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4. It also aims to gain the history and culture of local citizens, groups to maintain the Satoyama, as well as cultural programs.

1. An area where visitors can enjoy seasonal Satoyama scenery.  
2. The park offers a variety of educational programs that allow anyone to experience the nature of Satoyama, living with the Satoyama, as well as cultural programs.

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### Aina Satoyama Park?



The concept of Awaji area is to create a recreational space near the shore, with the Akashi Kakiyo Bridge, and people can meet".  
The fundamental principle of the park is to create an area where humans and nature co-exists, and people can meet".  
The total size of these two areas is 330ha. Around the Akashi Kakiyo Bridge, and consists of an Awaji area, and a Kobe area. The park is in the center of an Awaji area, and a Kobe area. The park being a Satoyama area, allows city dwellers to preserve and restore the park. "Aina Satoyama Park" is known as a Satoyama area (affectionately known as "Satoyama"), and provide a variety of educational programs.

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\* Visitors may not collect or capture animals or plants from within the park without the permission of the park managers.

### What is the Akashi Kakiyo National Government Park?



### Plants at the park



### Creatures at the park