



GRAND OPENING IMPERIAL HOTEL, KYOTO

March 5, 2026

Your Stage Awaits

Exclusive Member Offer
Advance accommodation reservations begin
November 11, 2025 at 11:00 a.m.

Advance reservations are exclusively available to members of the Imperial Club and Imperial Club Grace.

Accommodation Reservations
for all guests open
November 17, 2025 at 11:00 a.m.



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Suites — Experience the ultimate in comfort and indulgence within a space where timeless heritage meets modern sophistication.

This singular retreat seamlessly blends the timeless spirit of the Yasaka Kaikan with breathtaking views of Kyoto's cityscape and surrounding mountains. Discover a new standard of luxury, with suites meticulously crafted from exquisite natural materials, all while enjoying the art of unwinding and renowned hospitality of The Imperial Hotel, Kyoto.



Imperial Suite | 128 sqm (1,377 sqft) Interior with 65 sqm (699 sqft) Terrace

This is the pinnacle of the Imperial Hotel, Kyoto. Boasting a spacious 128sqm, it offers an overwhelming terrace with panoramic views of Kyoto, along with the unique experience of visiting the preserved gazebo of the original Yasaka Kaikan. This guarantees a one-of-a-kind stay that can only be found here.



Penthouse Suite | 95 sqm (1,022 sqft) Interior with 15 sqm (161 sqft) Balcony

Perched on the top floor, our Penthouse Suite boasts an open layout that allows you to savor the luxurious, unparalleled, and sweeping views of Kyoto's cityscape. Savor serene moments on the balcony as the panorama unfolds before you.



Yasaka Suite | 103 sqm (1,108 sqft) Interior with 13 sqm (139 sqft) Balcony

A special suite named after the Yasaka Kaikan. Step into a rare and unforgettable experience in this distinguished suite, where the heritage of a cherished cultural landmark meets the grace of elegant contemporary design.



Suites | 101–104 sqm (1,087–1,119 sqft)

Suites where the spirit of Yasaka Kaikan and the hospitality of the Imperial Hotel come to life. Discover timeless elegance and ultimate comfort in an expansive 101–104sqm setting.

North Wing —

Immerse yourself in a tatami-floored, modern Japanese retreat, where your stay becomes part of the everyday rhythm of Gion.

Indulge in a modern Japanese retreat with tatami flooring, in perfect harmony with Gion's traditional streets. Savor a moment of calm and serenity in this authentic Japanese space.



Grand Premier Rooms | 58–71 sqm (624–764 sqft)

Premier Rooms | 50–55 sqm (538–592 sqft)



The Yasaka Kaikan

Completed: 1936

Registered: Tangible Cultural Property of Japan (2001)

Designated: Historic Scene by Kyoto City (2011)

The Yasaka Kaikan was built to complement the singing and dancing hall for geiko and maiko and in response to the need for an association hall that would reflect to the progress of society. It was designed by Tokusaburo Kimura of the Obayashi Corporation. Each floor is covered with a copper-tiled roof, and the center of the tower-like front has a design reminiscent of a castle keep with its attached tsukebisashi eaves and hogyo-zukuri roof. This skillfully incorporates traditional Japanese design features. Initially used for theatrical performances and Ningyo Joruri (traditional Japanese puppet theater), the building was later used for various entertainment purposes that included movie theater, dance hall, and concert hall, becoming a landmark of the local community.

Opening its doors on March 5, 2026, Imperial Hotel, Kyoto is an intimate sanctuary with 55 guest rooms, seamlessly blending the extraordinary world of Gion with the signature comfort of the Imperial Hotel. The hotel honors the legacy of the Yasaka Kaikan, a registered Tangible Cultural Property of Japan, by preserving its architectural style while elevating it with modern luxury.

The Main Building stands as a living testament to the history of the Yasaka Kaikan, featuring a dedicated Heritage Area where select guest rooms retain the indelible charm and original architectural spirit of the era. The newly expanded North Wing introduces rooms with tatami flooring, a first for the Imperial Hotel, blending traditional Japanese elegance with modern luxury. Discover distinct atmospheres in every room, where the essence of Gion and the artistry of Japanese tradition are beautifully expressed.

*For accommodation rates, please refer to our official website.

Main Building - Heritage —

Indulge in the timeless legacy of the Yasaka Kaikan with a truly unique stay.

Experience the rare privilege of staying amidst history, where elements of the Yasaka Kaikan, a registered tangible cultural property of Japan, including its pillars and window frames, have been thoughtfully preserved, allowing the spirit of the building to be felt throughout.



Heritage Jr. Suite | 79 sqm (850 sqft)



Heritage Jr. Suite with Balcony | 100 sqm (1,076 sqft)



Heritage Grand Premier Rooms | 62–64 sqm (667–688 sqft)

Heritage Premier Rooms with Balcony | 53–54 sqm (570–581 sqft)

Heritage Premier Rooms | 53–58 sqm ((570–624 sqft)

Main Building

Savor a serene stay, where the timeless beauty of Kyoto unfolds before your window and modern elegance surrounds you.

Building upon the legacy of the Yasaka Kaikan, the hotel's contemporary design embraces the beauty of its surroundings. Floor-to-ceiling windows showcase the breathtaking scenery of Kyoto, creating a truly immersive stay right in the heart of the city.



Jr. Suite | 73 sqm (785 sqft)



Jr. Suite with Balcony | 65 sqm (699 sqft)



Grand Premier Room with Balcony | 64 sqm (688 sqft)

Grand Premier Rooms | 57–65 sqm (613–699 sqft)

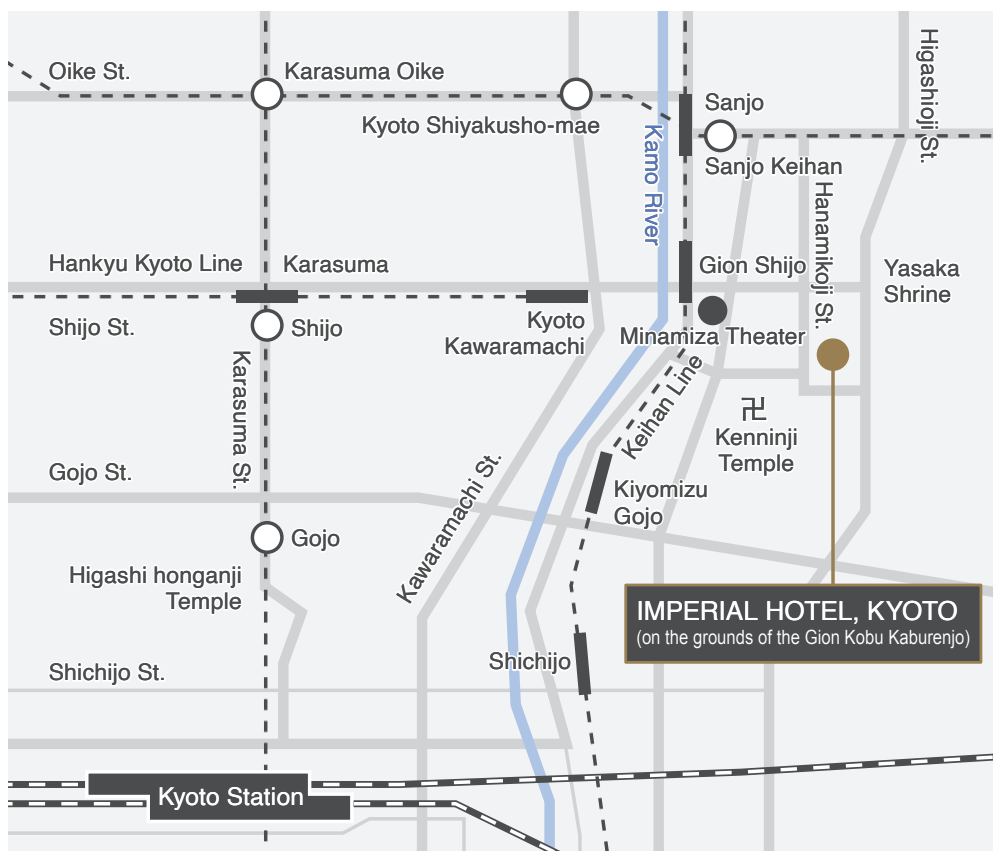
Premier Rooms | 54–55 sqm ((581–592 sqft)

The images shown are for reference only and may not reflect the exact room or view.



As we prepare to unveil the Imperial Hotel, Kyoto, it is with heartfelt gratitude that I extend my warmest welcome to all who gather with us, from near and far. This is a unique property where over a millennium of Kyoto's elegant cultural heritage enfold the 135-year legacy of hospitality that the Imperial Hotel has carefully cultivated. With respect for the time-honored traditions of Gion, my mission is to ensure a stay that is not only exceptional in quality but also leaves a lasting warmth in the hearts of our guests, bringing smiles to their faces each time they recall their stay, stirring a gentle desire to return, whenever they think back — welcoming guests not just for now, but for generations to come.

Reiko Sakata
General Manager, Imperial Hotel, Kyoto



Access

By Taxi, Train, or Bus

- ◆ From JR Kyoto Station
 - Approximately 3.5 km to the hotel: about 15 minutes by taxi
 - Take City Bus No. 206 to "Gion" stop, then a 5-minute walk
- ◆ From Keihan Main Line "Gion-Shijo" Station
 - An 8-minute walk
- ◆ From Hankyu Kyoto Line "Kyoto-Kawaramachi" Station
 - A 10-minute walk



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