



Kyoto

**“All you’ve got to do is decide to go
and the hardest part is over.**

So go!”

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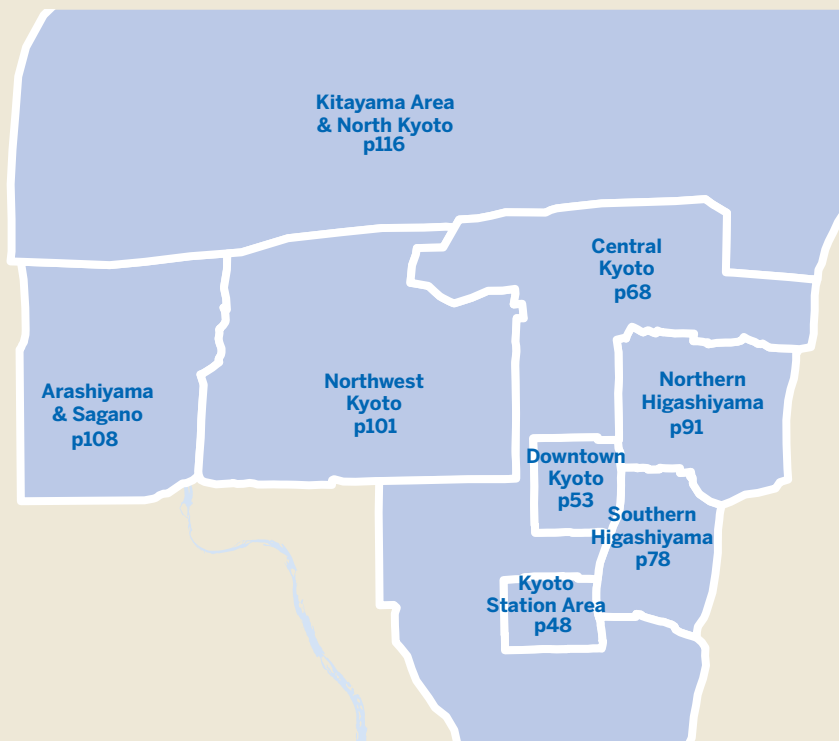
(Left) **Ponto-chō p56**
Spot geisha on this
atmospheric street.

(Above) **Tea ceremony
p173** Take part in an
age-old ritual.

(Right) **Nishiki Market
p55** See an amazing
array of local delicacies.



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Top Itineraries

Day One

Southern Higashiyama (p78)



Start your Kyoto experience by heading to the city's most important (and popular) sightseeing district: Southern Higashiyama. This area contains the thickest concentration of worthwhile sights in Kyoto.



Lunch Sobadokoro Shibazaki (p87); filling noodles and a lacquerware gallery.

Northern Higashiyama (p91)



If you have the energy after lunch, continue heading north along the base of the Higashiyama mountains. Start at **Nanzen-ji** and follow the **Path of Philosophy (Tetsugaku-no-Michi)** all the way to **Ginkaku-ji**, stopping at **Hōnen-in** along the way.



Dinner Omen (p99); brilliant udon and more within minutes of Ginkaku-ji.

Downtown Kyoto (p53)



After dinner, head back to your lodgings (which may very well be located in Downtown Kyoto). You'll probably be pretty walked out if you've done both Southern and Northern Higashiyama in one day, so a short amble around the streets of Downtown Kyoto will probably be sufficient to round out this day.

Day Two

Arashiyama & Sagano (p108)



After exploring the Higashiyama area, you'll want to head west to the Arashiyama and Sagano district, which has a dense concentration of first-rate sights. Start at **Tenryū-ji** and work your way north to **Giō-ji** or **Adashino Nembutsu-ji**.



Lunch Buddhist vegetarian fare at Shigetsu (p115).

Northwest Kyoto (p101)



It makes sense to stay on the west side of town in the afternoon of this day. Take a taxi from the end of the morning's route to **Kinkaku-ji** and/or **Ryōan-ji**. If you still have energy to burn, you can check out **Myōshin-ji** late in the afternoon.



Dinner Delicious eel in retro surroundings at Kyōgoku Kane-yo (p60).

Downtown Kyoto (p53)



This is a pretty big day, with a fair bit of transport, so you probably won't feel like doing too much walking on this evening. We recommend some strolling around Downtown Kyoto. The atmospheric lane of **Ponto-chō** is a great place to wander, as is **Kiyamachi-dōri**, particularly the stretch between Shijō-dōri and Gojō-dōri.



Ponto-chō (p56)

Day Three

Southeast Kyoto (p75)

 You'll probably be feeling like a break from the crowds about now. For this reason we suggest heading to Southeast Kyoto. Here, you'll find two absolutely stunning attractions: **Tōfuku-ji** (don't forget to enter the Hōjō Garden) and **Fushimi Inari-Taisha**, Kyoto's mind-blowing Shintō sanctuary.



Lunch Sushi at Tsukiji Sushisei (p60) downtown after the morning's touring.

Downtown Kyoto (p53)

 After exploring Southeast Kyoto in the morning and eating lunch downtown, it makes sense to spend the afternoon exploring Downtown Kyoto and perhaps doing some shopping. Be sure to take a pass through the wonderful **Nishi-ki Market**, then visit one of the awesome *depachika* (department store food floors) at nearby **Daimaru** or **Takashimaya** department stores. Then, walk through the **Teramachi Shopping Arcade**. When the covered section runs out, keep following Teramachi as far as **Marutamachi-dōri**



Dinner Sublime tempura at Yoshikawa (p62).

(the last few blocks contain some of Kyoto's best traditional shops).

Gion (p82)

 This day involves less walking than the preceding two, so it's ideal for

Day Four

Kitayama Area (p116)

 Today's the day to step off the beaten track and immerse yourself in some greenery. Heading north into the Kitayama (Northern Mountains) is the perfect way to relax after three days of urban sightseeing. Heading to **Kurama** and hiking over the hill and down to **Kibune** is our favourite day trip out of the city. Other options include **Ōhara** or **Takao**.



Lunch Noodles by the temple steps at Yoshiji (p123) in Kurama.

Central Kyoto (p68)

 If you spend the morning in the Kitayama, you will probably return to Kyoto city in the early afternoon. If this is your last day in the city, you might want to spend the remainder of the day shopping for souvenirs in Downtown Kyoto. But, if you still have the energy for sightseeing, you might consider visiting the enclosed Zen world of **Daitoku-ji**. Other options



Dinner Try *kaiseki* (Japanese haute cuisine) at Kiyamachi Sakuragawa (62).

include **Nijō-jō** or a stroll in the **Kyoto Imperial Palace Park**.

Downtown Kyoto or Gion (p82)

 If you haven't done it yet, take a stroll through the Gion district and consider a stop in **Bar Main Higashiyama**. If you have, consider instead a stroll

Kyoto Maps

Sights

- Beach
- Bird Sanctuary
- Buddhist
- Castle/Palace
- Christian
- Confucian
- Hindu
- Islamic
- Jain
- Jewish
- Monument
- Museum/Gallery/Historic Building
- Ruin
- Shinto
- Sikh
- Taoist
- Winery/Vineyard
- Zoo/Wildlife Sanctuary
- Other Sight

Activities, Courses & Tours

- Bodysurfing
- Diving
- Canoeing/Kayaking
- Course/Tour
- Sento Hot Baths/Onsen
- Skiing
- Snorkelling
- Surfing
- Swimming/Pool
- Walking
- Windsurfing
- Other Activity

Sleeping

- Sleeping
- Camping

Eating

- Eating

Drinking & Nightlife

- Drinking & Nightlife
- Cafe

Entertainment

- Entertainment

Shopping

- Shopping

Information

- Bank
- Embassy/Consulate
- Hospital/Medical
- Internet
- Police
- Post Office
- Telephone
- Toilet
- Tourist Information
- Other Information

Geographic

- Beach
- Hut/Shelter
- Lighthouse
- Lookout
- Mountain/Volcano
- Oasis
- Park
- Pass
- Picnic Area
- Waterfall

Population

- Capital (National)
- Capital (State/Province)
- City/Large Town
- Town/Village

Transport

- Airport
- Border crossing
- Bus
- Cable car/Funicular
- Cycling
- Ferry
- Metro/MTR/MRT station
- Monorail
- Parking
- Petrol station
- Skytrain/Subway station
- Taxi
- Train station/Railway
- Tram
- Underground station
- Other Transport

Routes

- Tollway
- Freeway
- Primary
- Secondary
- Tertiary
- Lane
- Unsealed road
- Road under construction
- Plaza/Mall
- Steps
- Tunnel
- Pedestrian overpass
- Walking Tour
- Walking Tour detour
- Path/Walking Trail

Boundaries

- International
- State/Province
- Disputed
- Regional/Suburb
- Marine Park
- Cliff
- Wall

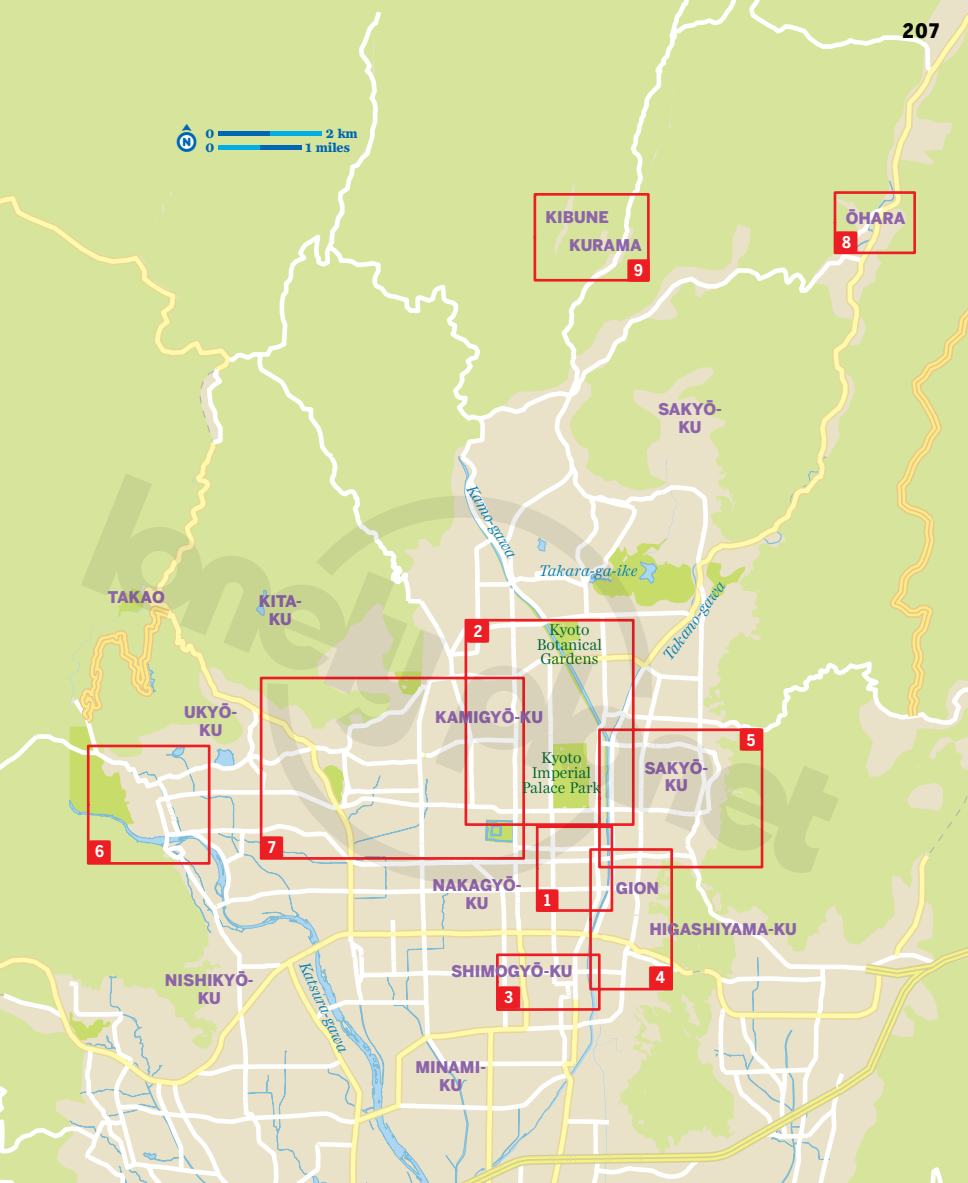
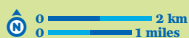
Hydrography

- River, Creek
- Intermittent River
- Canal
- Water
- Dry/Salt/Intermittent Lake
- Reef

Areas

- Airport/Runway
- Beach/Desert
- Cemetery (Christian)
- Cemetery (Other)
- Glacier
- Mudflat
- Park/Forest
- Sight (Building)
- Sportsground
- Swamp/Mangrove

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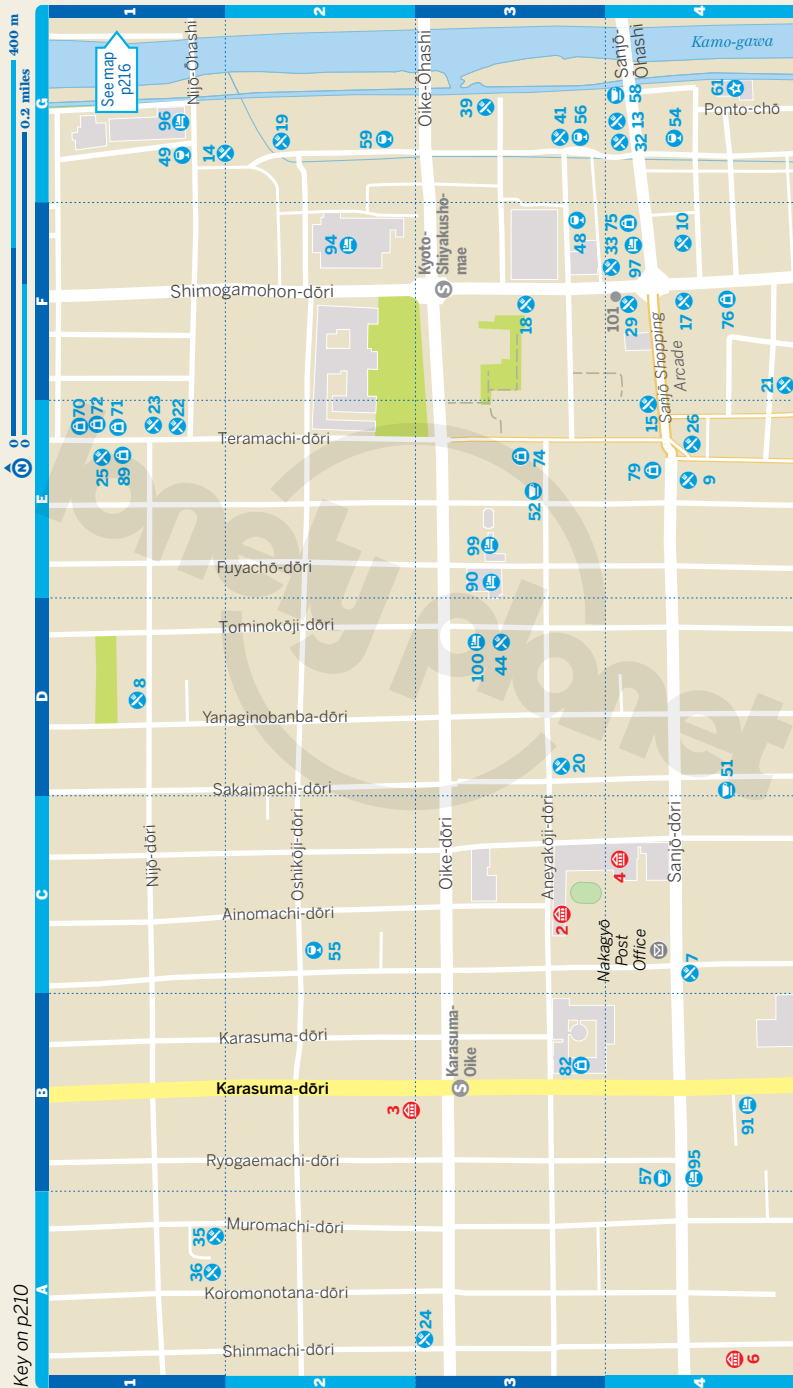


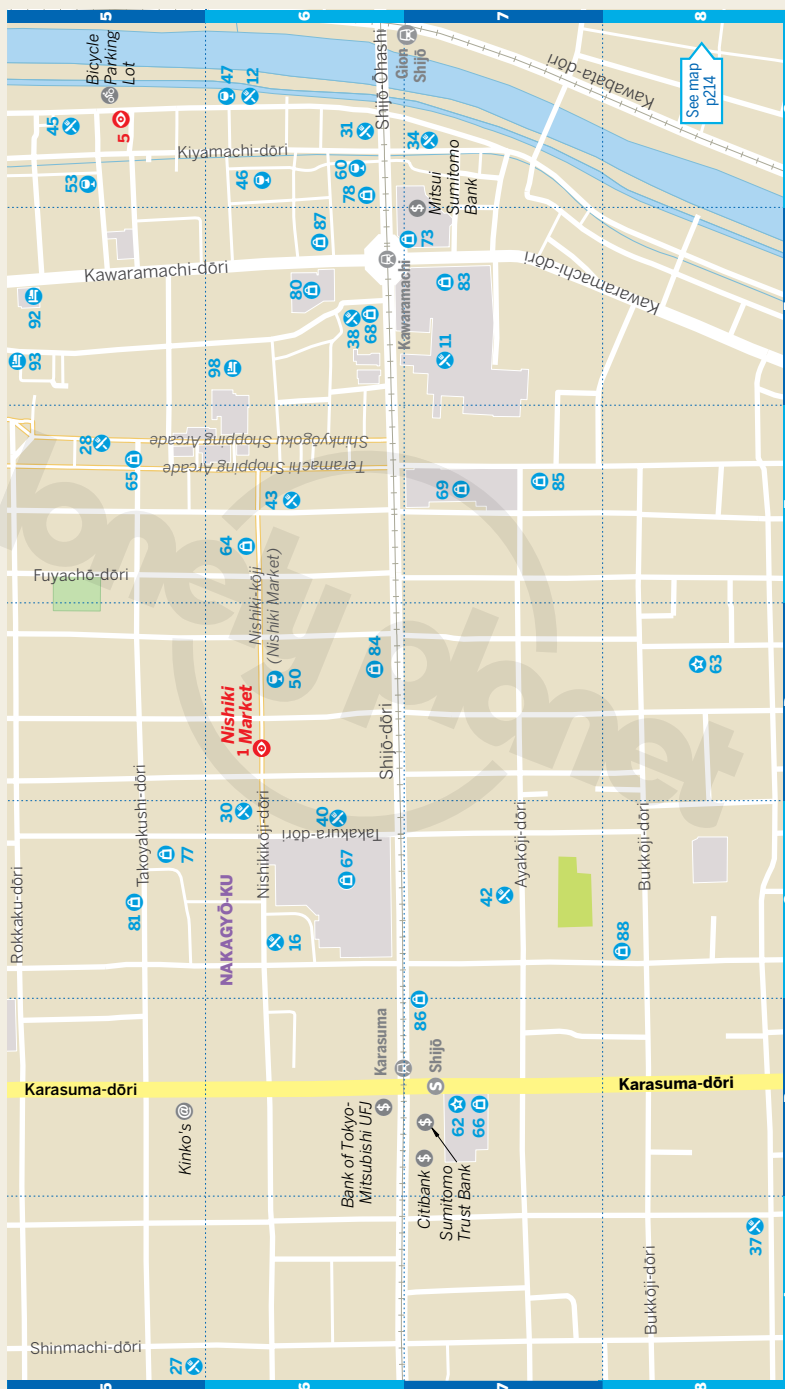
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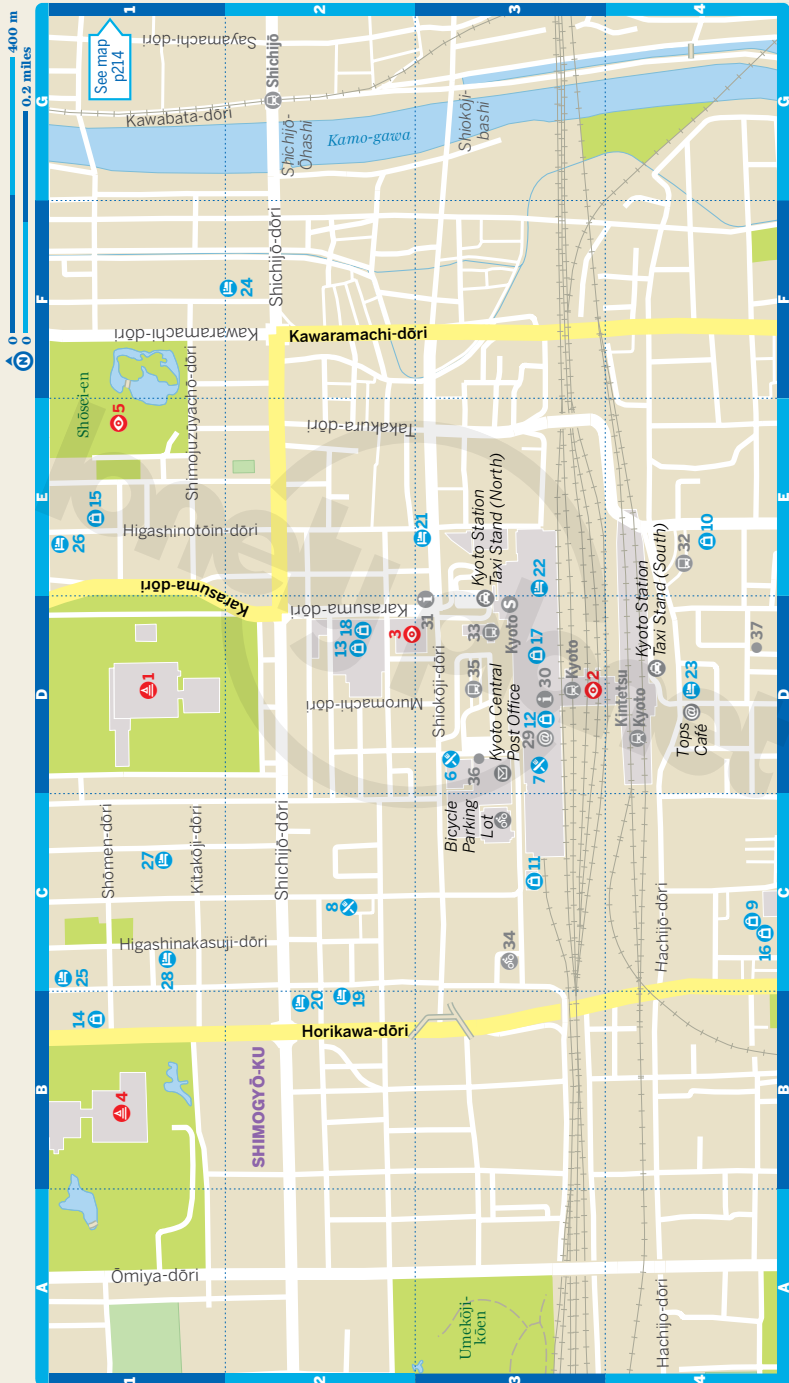
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7 Biotei.....C4		52 Park Café.....E3	74 Kyūkyō-dō.....E3	96 Ritz-Carlton Kyoto.....G1	
8 Café Bibliotec Hello!.....D1		53 Rocking Bar ING.....G5	75 Meidi-ya.....F4	97 Royal Park Hotel The Kyoto.....F4	
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 3 Daitoku-ji... A1
 4 Kōtō-in... A2
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KYOTO STATION AREA

Sights

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5 Shōseien	E1		
12 Isetan Department Store	D3		28 Tour Club C1
13 Kojitsu Sansō	D2		
14 Kungyoku-dō	B1		
15 Kyōsen-dō	E1		
16 Popondetta Eon Mall Kyoto Shop	C4		
17 Porta Shopping Mall	D3		
18 Yodobashi Camera	D2		
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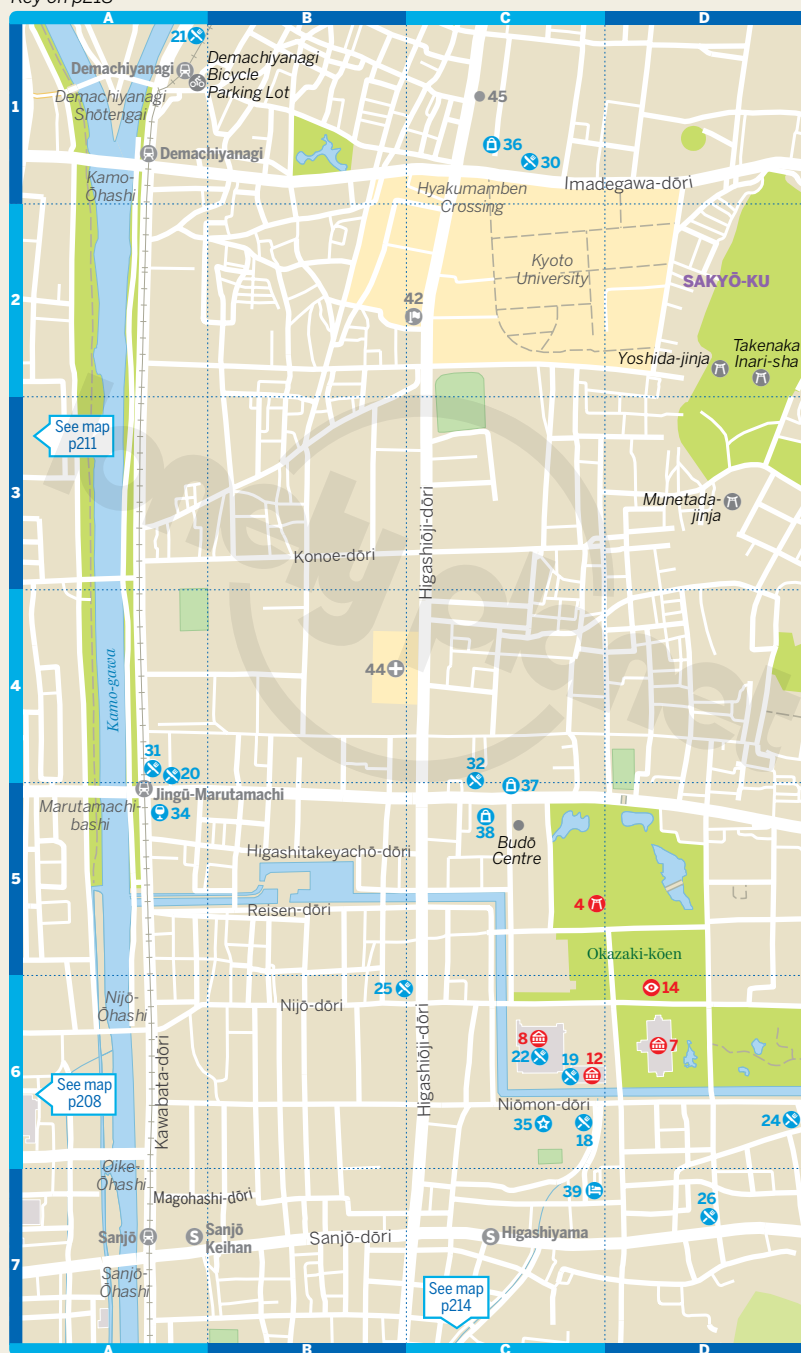


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- 1 Chion-in.....D2
 - 2 Gion.....D3
 - 3 Kiyomizu-dera.....D5
- 📍 Sights (p82)**
- 4 Kawai Kanjirō Memorial Hall.....B5
 - 5 Kennin-ji.....B3
 - 6 Kōdai-ji.....D3
 - 7 Kyoto National Museum.....B6
 - 8 Maruyama-kōen.....D2
 - 9 Ninen-zaka & Sannen-zaka.....D4
 - 10 Rokuharamitsu-ji.....B4
 - 11 Sanjūsangen-dō Temple.....B7
 - 12 Shōren-in.....D1
 - 13 Yasaka-jinja.....C3
 - 14 Yasui Konpira-gū.....B4
- 🍴 Eating (p86)**
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 - 16 Café 3032.....C4
 - 17 Gion Karyō.....B3
 - 18 Hisago.....C4
 - 19 Issen Yōshoku.....B2
 - 20 Kagizen Yoshifusa.....B2
 - 21 Kasagi-ya.....D4
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 - 25 Rakushō.....C3
 - 26 Rāmen Santōka.....B1
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 - 41 Kyoto Sanjō Takematsu.....B1
 - 42 Tessai-dō.....C3
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 - 49 Hyatt Regency Kyoto.....B7
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 - 51 Kyoto Yoshimizu.....D2
 - 52 Motonago.....C3
 - 53 Ryokan Uemura.....C4
 - 54 Sakara Kyoto.....C1
 - 55 Seikōrō.....A5
 - 56 Shiraume Ryokan.....B2

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NORTHERN HIGASHIYAMA





NORTHERN HIGASHIYAMA *Map on p216*

📍 Top Sights

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- 1 Ginkaku-ji G2
2 Nanzen-ji F6

📍 Sights

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- 3 Eikan-dō F5
4 Heian-jingū C5
5 Hōnen-in G3
6 Konchi-in E7
7 Kyoto Municipal Museum of Art D6
8 Miyako Messe & Fureai-Kan Kyoto
Museum of Traditional Crafts C6
9 Murin-an E6
10 Nanzen-in F7
11 Nanzen-ji Oku-no-in G7
12 National Museum of Modern Art C6
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21 Falafel Garden A1
22 Goya C6
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24 Hyōtei D6
25 Karako B6
26 Kiraku D7
27 Okariba E5

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🍷 Drinking & Nightlife

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- 33 Kick Up E7
34 Metro A5

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- 35 Kyoto Kanze Kaikan Nō Theatre C6

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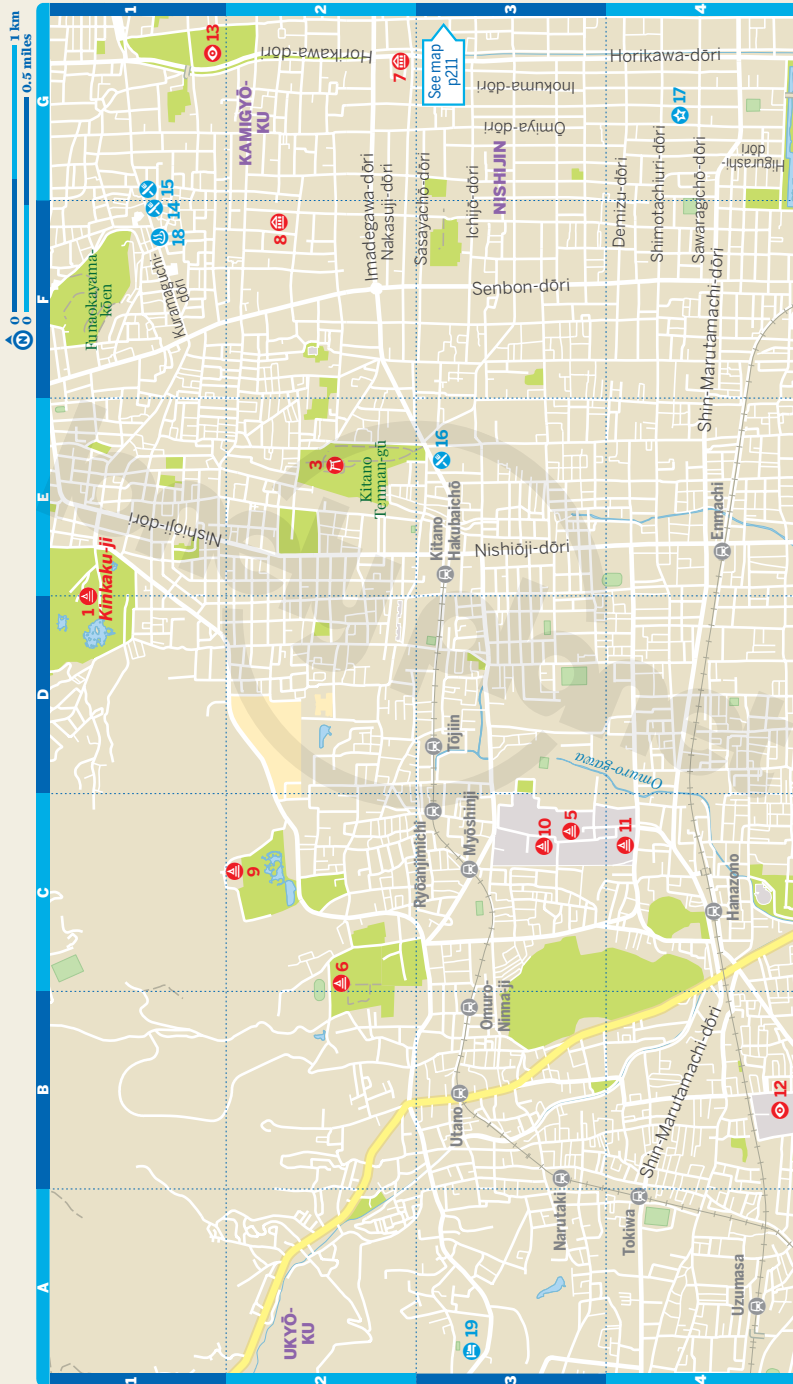
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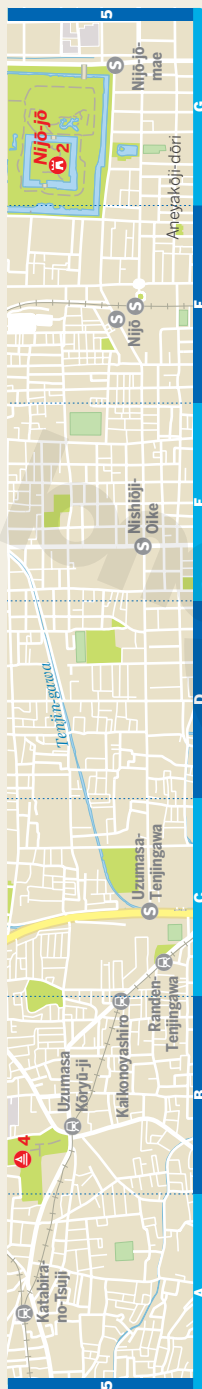
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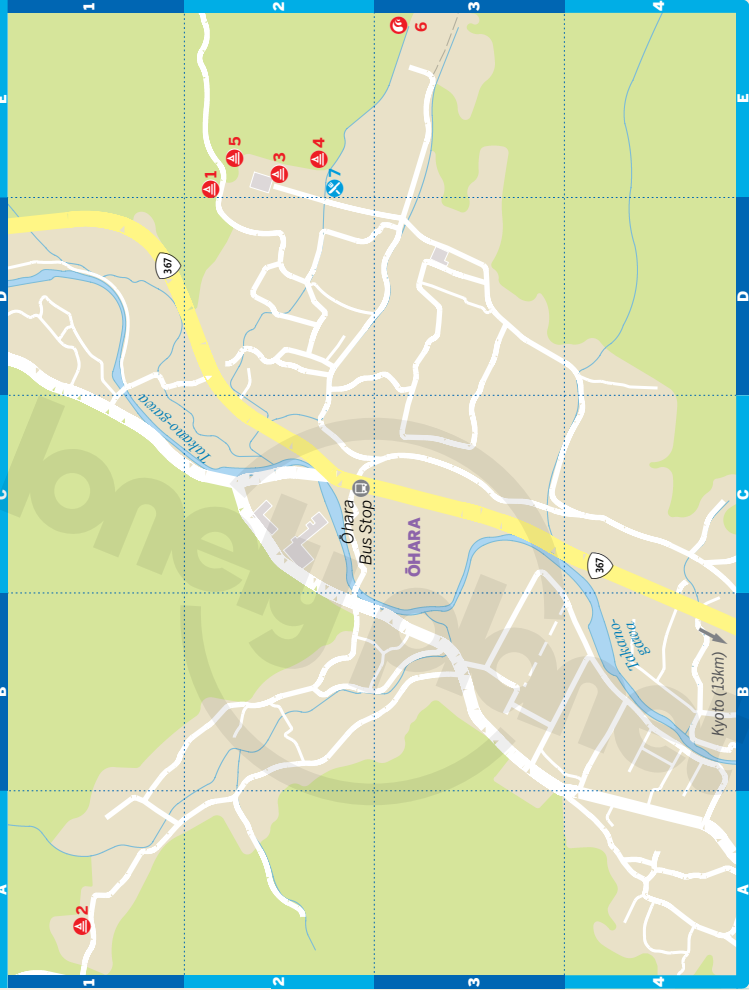
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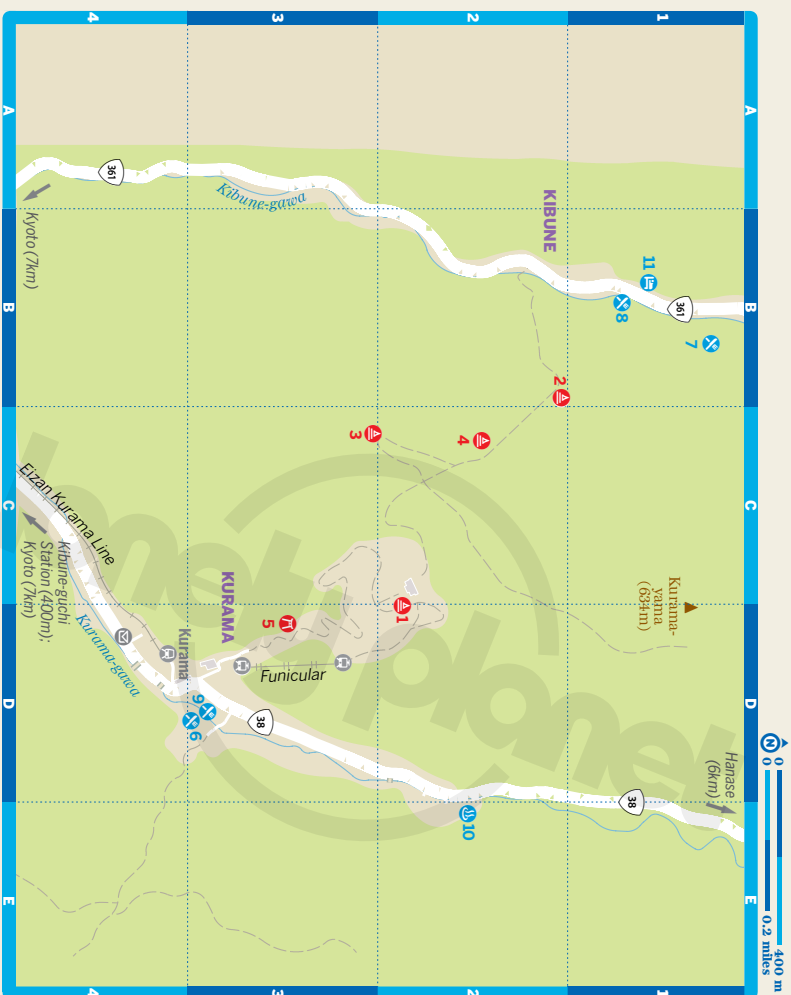
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