1 Chapter

Now, let's visit the castle with sparkling golden dolphins!

Nagoya Castle Course

Journey from the rapidly changing Nagoya Station to Nagoya Castle, a place where you can enjoy an ancient atmosphere. Let's start our 400-year journey!

Start
Meitetu, Kintetsu, Subway
JR, Nagoya Station, Sakura-dori Exit

⇩11-min. walk

1 Guchikiki Jizoson (Keihoin)

⇩9-min. walk

2 Endo-ji Shopping Mall

⇩7-min. walk

3 Street of Shikemichi

⇩7-min. walk

4 Gojobashi Bridge

⇩9-min. walk

5 Nagoya Tosho-gu Shrine, Nagoya Shrine

⇩4-min. walk

6 The Remains of Magistrate's Office, Honmachi Ote Gate, Feudal Lord's Alley

⇩10-min. walk

Goal
7 Nagoya Castle (Main Gate)

Nearest Bus Stop: Me-guru Bus Stop "**Nagoya Castle**"
Nearest Station: Subway Meijo Line "**Shiyakusho**" Station, Exit 7

〈Total travel time: approx. 57min.〉
〈Total travel distance: approx. 5km〉
※Total travel distance provided is just for reference.

1 Guchikiki Jizoson (Keihoin)

Located in a corner of the city, Guchikiki Jizoson are Jizo statues which will listen to the complaints of visitors.

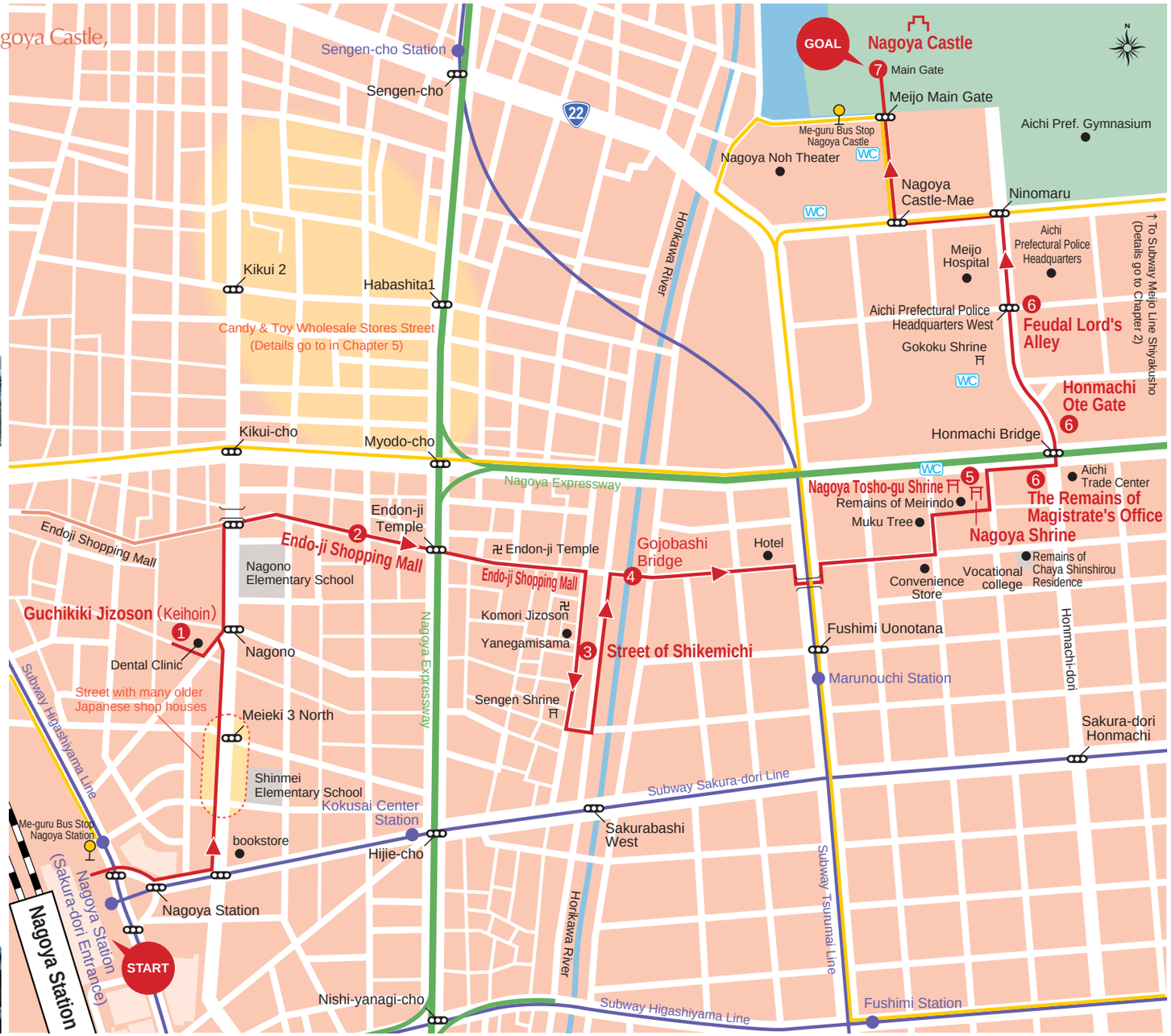
2 Endo-ji Shopping Mall

The oldest shopping mall in Nagoya. The mall's name is derived from Endon-ji Temple, which was built in 1654.

3 Street of Shikemichi

Experience the Edo Period atmosphere of this former trading town. A townscape preservation district of Nagoya City.

Yanegamisama



4 Gojobashi Bridge

Originally spanning the Gojo River at the foot of Kiyosu Castle, the bridge was transferred during the move from Kiyosu to Nagoya.

※Move from Kiyosu…Kiyosu was the center of the Owari area in ancient times. In 1610, the entire town of Kiyosu was transferred to Nagoya in conjunction with the construction of Nagoya Castle as ordered by Tokugawa Ieyasu.

5 Nagoya Tosho-gu Shrine

Built in Nagoya Castle Sannomaru in 1619 by clan ancestor Yoshinao. Transferred to its current location in 1876.

Nagoya Shrine

Built in 911. Although it originally existed within the grounds of Nagoya Castle, it was transferred to its present location in 1876.

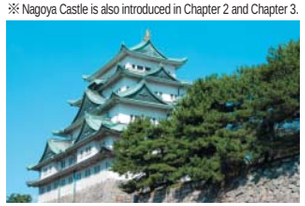
6 The Remains of Magistrate's Office, Honmachi Ote Gate, Feudal Lord's Alley

The remains of the Magistrate's Office are located in the current location of the Aichi Trade Center Wes Building・Cross the dry moat to reach the Honmachi Ote Gate. Headquarters for upper-ranking samurai were located along the street to the castle.

Neighborhood of the Edo Period feudal lord s alley
(Tokugawa Rinseishi Research Institute)

7 Nagoya Castle

Constructed in 1610 by Tokugawa Ieyasu. This castle for the feudal lord contains 620 thousand koku of rice which were brought to this castle for the feudal lord. The donjon is topped by a pair of golden dolphins.

O 9:00-16:30 (Entrance to the donjon is open until 16:00)
C Dec.29-Jan.1 F Adult:500yen; free for junior high school students and younger

〈Nagoya Castle Guide Volunteers〉
●Schedule on Saturdays, Sundays & Holidays:
1) 9:30 2) 11:00 3) 13:30
Place of Meeting / Departure: Main Gate & East Gate
T Time of Tour: Approx. 60 minutes
※Nagoya Castle is also introduced in Chapter 2 and Chapter 3.