

Mimasaka-no-Kuni Tourism Federation Inbound Bus Tour Grant



Eligible Parties

Please see the back page for how to apply!

- Travel agencies and other entities providing tours to foreign tourists

Grant Amount

Size	Amount
Bus: 20+ passengers per vehicle	¥60,000/vehicle per night
Bus: 10-19 passengers per vehicle	¥40,000/vehicle per night
Jumbo Taxi: 5+ passengers per vehicle	¥30,000/vehicle per night

*Maximum of 2 nights per tour and 2 vehicles per night.

Eligible Period

Stays between November 1st, 2023 – March 31st, 2024

Conditions

**Application forms and details
can be found here ⇒**



- A Proof of Lodging form must be obtained after staying at a valid facility within the Mimasaka-no-Kuni area.
- Tour participants must not be traveling as part of a group whose purpose is to conduct specific political or religious activities.
- In the case of buses, there must be 20 or more, or otherwise 10 or more tour participants per vehicle, and in the case of jumbo taxis there must be 5 or more participants per vehicle. (shown on the Proof of Lodging, not counting tour guides or other personnel)
- If you wish to receive the grant at a financial institution outside of Japan, the institution must have a SWIFT code.
- The application and other paperwork must be handled by someone who can use and understand Japanese.
- Tours already receiving the Mimasaka-no-Kuni Tourism Federation Bus Tour Grant (for domestic tourism) are ineligible.



Applications

663 Yamakita, Tsuyama City, Okayama Prefecture 〒708-8501
(within the Tsuyama City Tourism Promotion Division)
Mimasaka-no-Kuni Tourism Federation Office
(Open 8:30am – 5:15pm, closed weekends and holidays)
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Inquiries

Mimasaka-no-Kuni Tourism Federation Inbound Tourism
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Regional Development Promotion Division)
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*The Mimasaka-no-Kuni area refers to the 10 following municipalities located in the northern part of Okayama Prefecture (shown above): Tsuyama City, Maniwa City, Mimasaka City, Shinjo Village, Kagamino Town, Sho'o Town, Nagi Town, Nishiawakura Village, Kumenan Town, and Misaki Town.

Mimasaka-no-Kuni Tourism Federation Inbound Bus Tour Grant General Process from Application to Grant Payment



Tour Planning・Finalization



Grant Application Submission (email)

Forms to Submit	Documents to Attach	Submission Deadline
Grant Issuance Petition Form (form #1)	①Tour itinerary ②Tour guide/information	14 days before the start of the tour

*Applications must be submitted 2 weeks ahead of time, even if the tour has not been confirmed.



Review・Grant Issuance Decision (email)



H o l d i n g t h e T o u r



Grant Tour Report・Payment Request (email)

Forms to Submit	Documents to Attach	Submission Deadline
Grant Tour Report Form (form #4)	①Finalized tour itinerary ②Proof of Lodging (form #5) ③Survey	Within 14 days after the end of the tour
Grant Payment Request Form (form #6)	①Copy of bankbook or website screen	Within 14 days after the end of the tour

*Any fees required for transfers to financial institutions outside Japan are the applicant's responsibility. (The Tourism Federation Office will bear the transfer fees to financial institutions within Japan.)



R e v i e w ・ G r a n t P a y m e n t

*Grant is limited to 2 nights per tour and 2 vehicles per night.

*Grant applications will stop being accepted once the total budget for the grant has been paid out. (An announcement will be made on our home page)

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