

Roppongi Course

A course experiencing arts

Time required **6.1** hours Travel time **55** minutes Total travel distance **3.6** km

01 Roppongi Hills

A Tokyo landmark

Centered around the 54-story tall Mori Tower, Roppongi Hill is home to a variety of facilities including shops, restaurants, offices, hotels, movie theaters, art museums, private residences and even a TV station (TV Asahi). Tokyo City View, a 360-degree glass-encased observation deck located 250 m above sea level on the 52nd floor of Mori Tower, offers views of the entire city.

☎03-6406-6000 (Roppongi Hills general information center)



Duration **40** minutes



02 Mori Art Museum

World-class contemporary art museum open till late

An international contemporary art museum located on the 53rd floor of Roppongi Hills Mori Tower, introducing and showcasing a wide variety of creative, artistic activities.

☎050-5541-8600 (Hello Dial)
 10:00-22:00 (Tuesday 10:00-17:00)
 Admission: Entry Fee depends on exhibitions



Duration **60** minutes

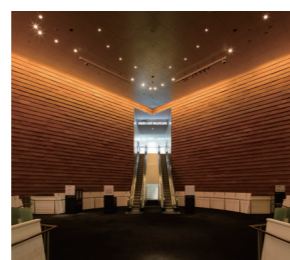


photo courtesy: Mori Art Museum

03 Mohri Garden

A luxurious garden reminiscent of a historic daimyo's estate

Mohri Garden occupies a sprawling 4,300 m². Its current layout dates back to the opening of Roppongi Hills in 2003. This traditional Japanese garden is reminiscent of an Edo period daimyo's estate, with ponds, brooklets and trees that change with the seasons. Excellent for strolling.

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Duration **10** minutes

04 The National Art Center, Tokyo

A world-famous center of art in Japan

The National Art Center, Tokyo opened in 2007 as Japan's fifth national art museum. The center features a unique undulating glass exterior. A new type of museum, the center serves as a nexus and houses no permanent collection.

☎050-5541-8600 (Hello Dial)
 10:00-18:00 (last entry 17:30) *10:00-20:00 (last entry 19:30) on Fridays and Saturdays during special exhibits.
 Closed: Tuesday (or the following weekday if Tuesday is a holiday).
 Admission: General admission is free, individual exhibits may vary.



POINT!
 There is a steep uphill when you enter the West Gate of the National Art Center, Tokyo.

Duration **60** minutes

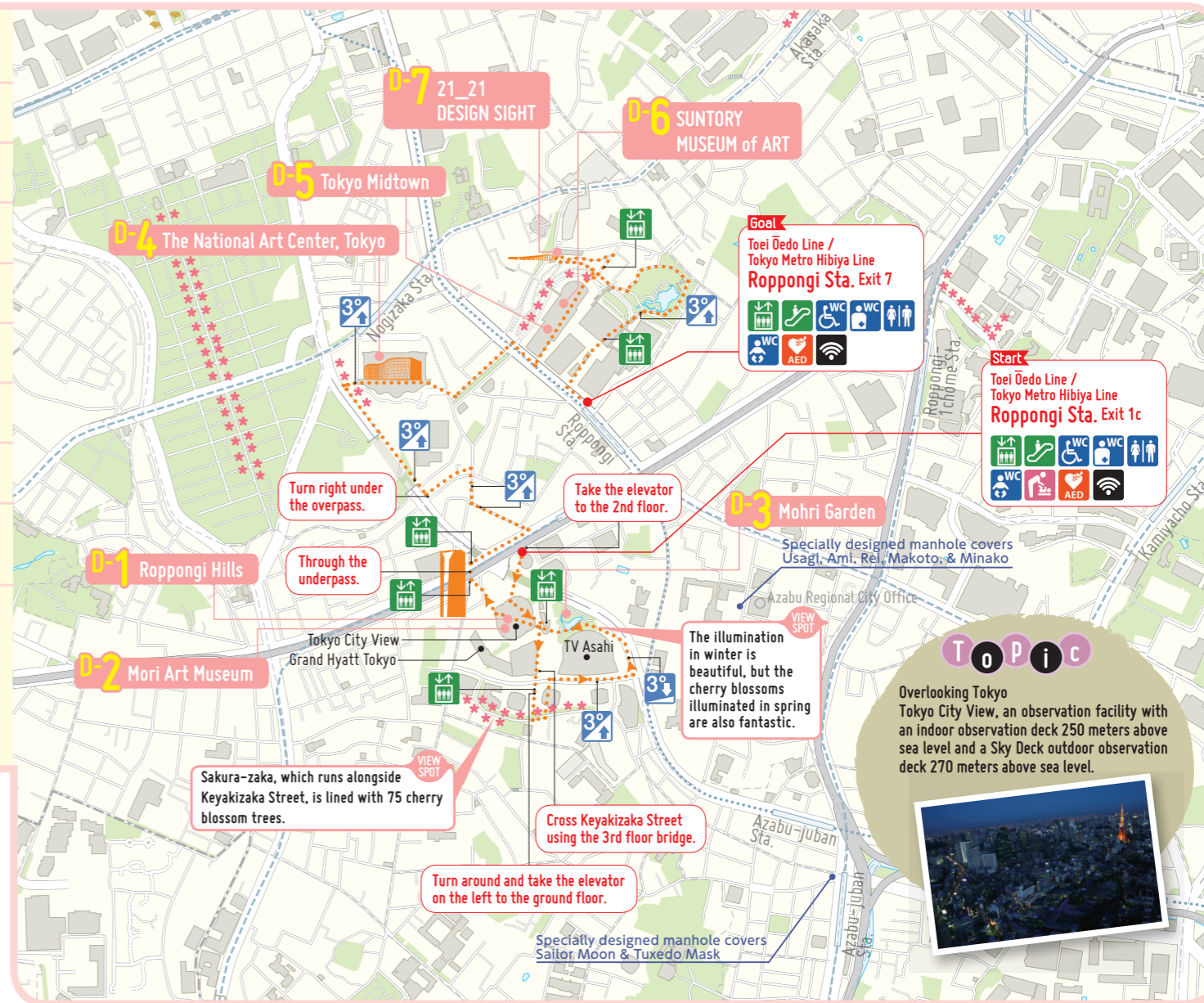
Break

You don't need to pay admission fees to enter the restaurants and cafes in the building. (You have to pay only for the actual costs of your food and drinks.)

- Route introduction**
- Start** Toei Ōedo Line / Tokyo metro Hibiya Line
Roppongi Sta. Exit 1c
 about 95m | ⌚about 2 minutes
 - 01 Roppongi Hills**
 about 50m | ⌚about 1 minutes
 - 02 Mori Art Museum**
 about 690m | ⌚about 12 minutes
 - 03 Mohri Garden**
 about 1040m | ⌚about 17 minutes
 - 04 The National Art Center, Tokyo**
 about 260m | ⌚about 4 minutes
 - 05 Tokyo Midtown**
 about 120m | ⌚about 2 minutes
 - 06 SUNTORY MUSEUM of ART**
 about 140m | ⌚about 2 minutes
 - 07 21_21 DESIGN SIGHT**
 about 860m | ⌚about 15 minutes
 - Goal** Toei Ōedo Line / Tokyo metro Hibiya Line
Roppongi Sta. Exit 7

Course Feature

There are several steep slopes. This is a course that includes several museum, so it will take time. Please check when the museum is closed.



Topic

Overlooking Tokyo
 Tokyo City View, an observation facility with an indoor observation deck 250 meters above sea level and a Sky Deck outdoor observation deck 270 meters above sea level.

05 Tokyo Midtown

One of the tallest building complexes in Tokyo

With 54 floors and 248 meters high, the Midtown Tower is one of the tallest skyscrapers not just in Tokyo but in all of Japan. Tokyo Midtown is comprised of a large green space and six buildings with a variety of facilities including stores, restaurants, offices, hotels, residences, and museums.

☎03-3475-3100



Duration **40** minutes

06 SUNTORY MUSEUM of ART

Exhibits with the basic philosophy of beauty in everyday life

This is an art museum located on the third floor of Tokyo Midtown Galleria that houses approximately 3,000 works, including national treasures and cultural assets. The museum holds exhibits on the spread and popularization of art, focusing on Japanese art. Visitors can patronize just the museum shop and café.

☎03-3479-8600 10:00-18:00 (open until 20:00 on Fridays) Closed: Tuesdays *May close when exhibits are being changed. Admission: General admission varies depending on the exhibit. Free admission for children of middle school age and younger. Disabled visitors and one caregiver enter free on presentation of disability certificate.



photo: Keizo Kioku

Duration **60** minutes

07 21_21 DESIGN SIGHT

See the world through design

This is a design exhibition facility founded by Issey Miyake and built by Tadao Ando. It holds special exhibitions and a variety of workshops about everyday life and familiar things.

☎03-3475-2121 10:00-19:00 (last entry 18:30) Closed: Tuesdays and when exhibits are being changed. Admission: Varies depending on the exhibition. Junior high school students and younger enter free of charge. Disabled visitors and one accompanying person can enter free of charge on presentation of their disability certificate. *There is a possibility that opening hours, entrance methods, and admission fees will change.

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