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Niigata Prefectural Botanical Garden

A story that begins with greenery.

Niigata Prefectural Botanical Garden opened in December 1998. This expansive garden, 19.8 hectares in area, is home to more than 100,000 plants of brilliant color in all four seasons, and is a popular spot for the prefecture’s residents to relax. Akiha Ward, Niigata City, in which the Botanical Garden is located, is one of Japan’s most renowned production areas for potted trees and shrubs. With approximately 3,000 species of plants growing here naturally, Niigata Prefecture is justly proud of its rich natural blessings. Taking advantage of these attributes, the garden has developed the following areas of business.

- Collection and display of plants
 - Potted azaleas
 - Endangered plant species
 - Horticultural cultivars of peonies, camellias, and more
- Study and research
 - Flowering and fruiting research
 - Research on origins and lineages of rhododendron cultivars
 - Collection and conservation of endangered plants
 - Research on the history of horticulture in Niigata Prefecture
- Education
 - Establishment of greenery consultation corner
 - Holding flowers and greenery classes
 - Dispatch of lecturers
 - Support for educational activities at schools, etc.

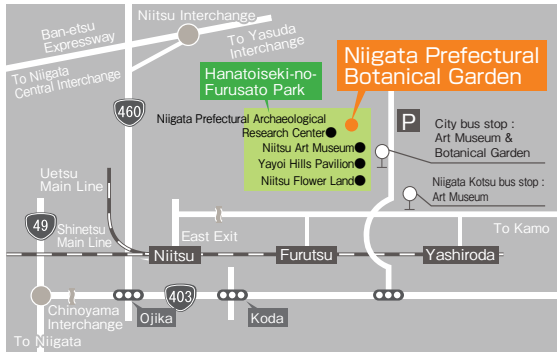
●Visitor’s Guide to Greenhouse
Hours●9:30 am to 4:30 pm (last admission 4 pm)
Closed●Mondays (if Monday is a national holiday, then the following day) & New Year holidays
*Exhibitions are subject to temporary closure

●Admission

	Single entry	Groups of 20+	Ticket book (5 tickets)	Season pass (6-month)
Adult	600yen	480yen	2,500yen	1,200yen
Silver (age 65+)	500yen			
High school / college student	300yen	300yen	_____	
Elementary / junior high school student	100yen	100yen	_____	

- Elementary and junior high school students admitted free on weekends and public holidays
- To gain Silver admission, please present ID proving your date of birth
- High school and college students must present student ID to enter
- Holders of a physical disability certificate, mental health and welfare certificate, or rehabilitation certificate admitted free of charge (depending on level, one caregiver may also be admitted free of charge)
- Children and students admitted free of charge for educational activities for elementary or junior high schools in Niigata Prefecture
- When used for events by childcare centers and other groups in Niigata Prefecture, group leaders are admitted free of charge
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Viewing outside the greenhouse is free of charge.



Transport access *Free parking (300-car capacity)
Expressway : 15 minutes from Niitsu IC on the Ban-etsu Expressway along National Route 403 toward Sanjo/Kamo
Public roads (from Niigata area) : About 20 minutes from Chinoyama IC on National Route 49, along National Route 403
JR : About 25 minutes on foot from Furutsu Station, Shinetsu Line
City bus : From East Exit of Niitsu Station, take the Niitsu Station West Exit bus, get off at "Art Museum/Botanical Garden" stop and walk 1 minute
Niigata Kotsu bus : From East Exit of Niitsu Station, take the "Shirane/Katahigashi Sales Office" via Yashiroda" bus
About 10 minutes on foot from the "Niitsu Art Museum" stop

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Gardens information

Peony Conservation Garden

● Early to mid-May
Enjoy more than 1,000 peony plants in 150 varieties from the collection of the late Kazuei Egawa, one of Japan's leading experts in peony cultivation and variety appraisal.

Camellia Garden

● November-April
More than 500 camellia trees grow here, including both horticultural and wild species.



Flower & Greenery Information Center
Home to flower and greenery consultation corner, book corner, training room, and the manager's office.
Parking available for visitors with disabilities (4 spaces).

Perennial Flower Bed ● April-October
Home to about 200 types of flowering trees and perennials well suited to the climate of Niigata. This flower bed changes expressions with the turning of the seasons.

Azalea Garden ● April-June
50 species from the one of the world's top collections of azalea species are planted here in accordance with their classifications and distributions.

Niigata Nature Garden ● April-June (flowers, fresh greenery), September-November (fruits, autumn foliage)
Showcasing the rare and colorfully unique flora of Niigata Prefecture.

Waterside Flower Garden ● July-September
Wetland plants flourish here, including endangered species such as prickly water lilies and pickerelweed.

Rhododendron Garden ● Late April to mid-May
Ranging from 4 to 6 meters in height, 150 rhododendrons in about 30 varieties bloom magnificently here.



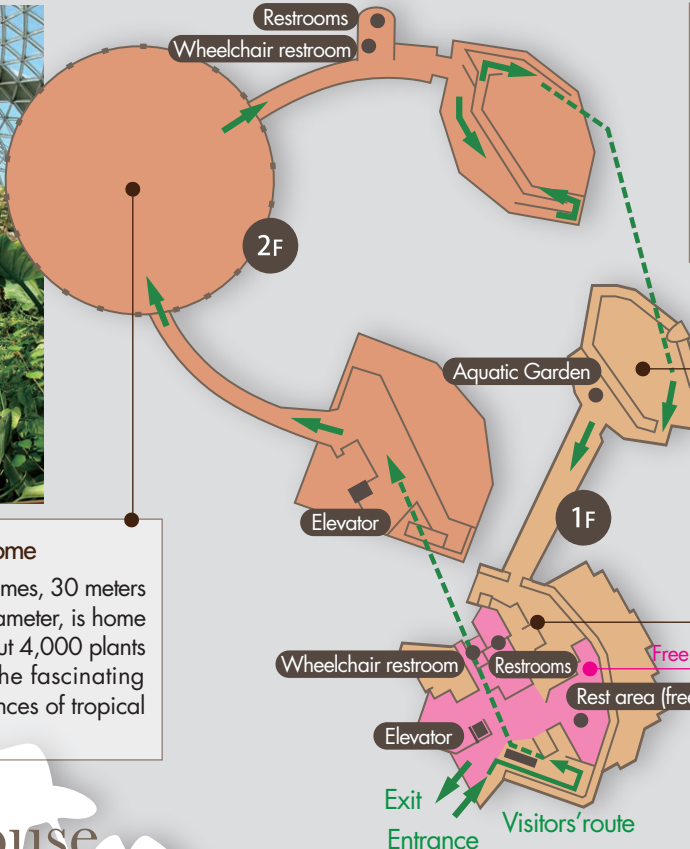
Request

Please do not allow animals, such as pets, to enter the garden.
Riding of bicycles and motorcycles is prohibited.
Please take all your trash and empty cans away.
Use of fire, such as bonfires or fireworks, is prohibited.



Room 1 Tropical Plant Dome

One of Japan's largest domes, 30 meters high and 42 meters in diameter, is home to a diverse array of about 4,000 plants of 550 species. Enjoy the fascinating colors, sizes, and fragrances of tropical plants in all their diversity.

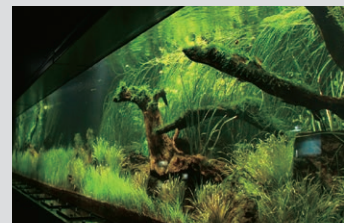


Room 2 Flower and Greenery Stage

Throughout the year, scheduled exhibitions are held here on set themes from various perspectives, including Niigata's horticultural culture, industry, history, and botany. In the Aquatic Garden, various aquatic plants from Japan and the world are on display.

Room 3 Flower and Greenery Atrium

Featuring home gardening ideas using plants with a seasonal feel, exhibiting works by groups engaged in flower and greenery-related activities, and introducing the Garden's own study and research.



Greenhouse information



FLOWER CALENDAR

Gardens

Oldham Azalea
Rhododendron oldhamii
(Azalea Garden)



Sir Robert Peel Rhododendron
Rhododendron 'Sir Robert Peel'
(Rhododendron Garden)

Juzukake Cherry
Prunus lannesiana 'Juzukake'
(Cherry Blossom Hill)



Sayonara Magnolia
Magnolia 'Sayonara'
(Perennial Flower Bed)

Tsurugi-no-mai Hydrangea
Hydrangea serrata 'Tsurugi-no-mai'
(Perennial Flower Bed)



Gironde Lily
Lilium 'Gironde'
(Near the Herb Garden)

Water Lily
Nymphaea cv.
(Pond)



Summer & Summer Crape Myrtle
Lagerstroemia 'Summer & Summer'
(Perennial Flower Bed)

Edoshibori Japanese Clover
Lespedeza 'Edoshibori'
(Perennial Flower Bed)



Charity Mahonia
Mahonia x media 'Charity'
(Entrance Square)

The Giant Autumn Crocus
Colchicum 'The Giant'
(Perennial Flower Bed)



Burning Bush
Euonymus alatus
(Niigata Nature Garden)

Jade Vine
Strongylodon macrobotrys



Mickey Mouse Plant
Ochna serrulata

Chenille Plant
Acalypha hispida



Laetum Rhododendron
Rhododendron laetum

Sausage Tree
Kigelia pinnata



Santa Cruz Water Lily
Victoria cruziana

Hanging Lobster Claw
Heliconia rostrata



Blue Ginger
Dichorandra thyrsiflora

Hi Duong Camellia
Camellia amplexicaulis



Banana
Musa acuminata

Tropical Pitcher Plant
Nepenthes spp.



Calabash Tree
Crescentia cujete

FLOWER CALENDAR

Tropical Plant Dome

Spring
March-May

Summer
June-August

Fall/Winter
September-February

Summer
June-August

Fall/Winter
September-February

Year-round