

Lose track of time and unwind. Go with “island time.”

# Ainoshima

## AINOSHIMA

Ainoshima lies about 7.5 km to the northwest of Shingu Fishing Port, and is reached by a short 20-minute ride on a town-run ferry. This historic island was mentioned in classic collections of Japanese poetry: Manyoshu and Shokukokin Wakashu. Formed in the shape of a heart, the island has precious relics, shrines, and spots that offer an expansive view of the formative art of Mother Nature. The island is also perfect for hiking and bird watching.



### Shingu-Town-run ferry Shingu

For easy access for disabled passengers, the ferry has eliminated almost all differences in level on each floor. If you take a seat on the second floor, you can enjoy breezes blowing over the Genkai Sea.

Nautical distance ▶ 7.5 km

Duration ▶ About 20 minutes

Fare ▶ Aged 13 or older: 480 yen each way  
Aged 12 or younger: 240 yen each way

Capacity ▶ 150 passengers

For details  
on ferry  
operation



■ Shingu Ferry Terminal Tel: 092-962-0482  
■ Ainoshima Ferry Terminal Tel: 092-963-0304



### ◀ Access to the ferry pier to Ainoshima ▶

#### ▶ By community bus:

From Nishitetsu Shingu Sta., Nishitetsu Kaizuka Line: About 20 minutes on Airando Line (route 2), 100 yen/ride  
From Fukkodai-mae Sta., JR Kagoshima Main Line: About 15 minutes on Airando Line (route 1), 100 yen/ride  
From Shingu-Chuo Sta., JR Kagoshima Main Line: About 40 minutes on Airando Line (route 1), 100 yen/ride  
See the back cover for details on the Airando Line of Marinkusu community bus.

#### ▶ By car:

Shingu Fishing Port Parking Lot Parking fees: 300 yen for up to 12 hours, 500 yen for over 12 and up to 24 hours

NOTE: The ferry does not accept reservations. It is everyday transportation and gives priority to islanders.

