You can go up to as expensive sushi as possible but recently I found Sushi Chojiro, although it is a

kaiten sushi, has the best value and fun for money including atmosphere and level of service perhaps I would go here five times before going to a more expensive authentic place

寿司 Sushi



すし岩 Sushiiwa 10 min walk from Kyoto st. Open 12-14 (LO), 17-22 (LO) Close on Mondays



彦八 Hikohachi 10 min walk from Gion祇園 Open 11:45-14:00 (LO) 17:00-22:30(LO) Close on Mondays



魚心 Uoshin 550 m from Kawaramachi st. Open 11:30-22:30 (LO) 22:00 (LE) 7 days



にぎり長次郎 Nigiri Chojiro 4 locations in Kyoto relatively in suburb Open 11 - 15, 17-23 (7days)

I'm sure you know many more from Michelin and other sources but these are waht I like also

from its quite location. Shimogamo-saryo is just next to Shimogamo-jinja shrine (World Adobe Heritage site). Shinsen-en Heihachi is in a magnificent ancient Japanese garden, and so on...



懐石料理, 京料理 Kaiseki ryori & Kyo ryori



Shimogamo-saryo Next to Shimogamo-jinja shrine, 600 m from Demachi-yanagi st.



神泉苑平八 Shinsen-en Heihachi 650 m from Nijo station Open 11 - 20 (LO)



光琳 Korin 650 m from Kawaramachi st. Open 17:30 - 21:40 (LO) Close on Sundays



枝魯枝魯ひとしな (くずし割烹) **Guiloguilo Hitoshina** (casual Kyoto) 800 m from Kawaramachi st.

牛肉 **Beef**



モリタ屋 Moritaya Shijo-Inokuma四条猪熊, Kiyamachi 木屋町, JR Kyoto 京都駅,



京の焼肉処 弘 Yakiniku Hiro 10 branches incl. Gion 祇園 Yasaka 八坂, Ponto-cho 先斗 町, and Kyoto station



市場小路 Ichiba-koji Kitaoji st. 北大路駅, Teramach street寺町通, Shijo Karasuma 四条烏丸, and JR Kyoto 京都駅



There are severals ways to enjoy beef from michelin starred ones to high-ends (e.g. Hiro and

Moritaya), casual restaurants (e.g. Ichiba-koji), izakayas specializing beef (e.g. Hokuto), and family

かごの屋 Kgonoya (shabushabu, Japanese) 4 branches incl. 北野白梅町 KItano Hakubai-cho & Shijo-Karasuma 四条烏丸

Nagata-san has been doing chicken over 50 years now. Since I first came here, I haven't felt like

going to other yakitori / chicken restaurants. Torisei at Fushimi, a former sake celler, is also



すき焼き炭火居酒屋 北斗 Hokuto (sukiyaki izakaya) 550 m from Kyoto station Open 17:00- 23:00 (LO) (7days)

鶏,焼き鳥 Chicken, Yakitori



鳥せい本店Torisei Honten 550 m from Momoyamagoryomae st. 桃山御陵前 Open 11:30 - 23:00 (Tu-Su)



上七軒 鶏料理 なが田 Nagata @Kamishichiken 200 m from Kitanotenmangu shrine 北野天満宮 17:00-22:30, Close on Thu



Adobe recommended for the variety of yakitori and sake.

とりと Torito 3 branches in downtown (川端丸太町,四条烏丸, 河原町三条) 17:30-23:00 (LO)



馬耳東風 Bajitoufu 1 min from Shijo 四条 st. 18-23:30 (LO), close on Sun





おばんざい

Obanzai (traditional Kyoto home made dishes)



Menami 200 m from Sanjo 三条 st. 17:00 - 23:00 Close on Sundays



よし田 Yoshida 600 m from Shijo 四条 st. 18 - 23, close on Sun/Mon (run by sister of CEO of Yoshida Sauce)



飯 いしかわ Okazuya Ishikawa 350 m from Shijo 四条 st. 17:30 - 24:00 (23:00 on Sun)



Ingredents include local "Kyo-yasai" vegetable, beans and seaweed, fish, and less frequently meats.

PDF 🕒 Obanzai is a traditional Kuoto home made cuisine acommpanied with rice. Japan's staple food.

都野菜 賀茂 Miyako-yasai Kamo Shijo-karasuma 四条烏丸 Kawaramachi 河原町 Kyoto station 京都駅前



茉莉花(薬膳おばんざい) Jusmin (medical herb) 450 m from Uji st. 宇治駅 11:30-15:30, 18-21:30 (Fr-Su), 11:30-15:30 (We-Th)

和食全般

Washoku/Japanese all combined



がんこ高瀬川二条苑 Ganko TakasegawaNijo-en 350 m from 京都市役所前 Kyoto-shiyakushomae st. Kaiseki, suishi, beef, crab



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If you cannot decide what kinds of Japanese, your group members have different preferences, and/or you want to try a little bit of everything, below are the list of places you could visit



和食NOWジョイ Washoku NOW Joy Two in the city including the one near Kinkakuji 金閣寺 11:00 - 23:00



ごはんや蜃気楼 Gohan-ya Shinkiro @宮川町 900 m from Kawaramachi st. 河原町駅 11:30-14:30, 17:30-23 木休



ラーメン/拉麺

Ramen



京都五行 Kyoto Gogyo 550 m from Shijo-Karasuma 四条烏丸 11:30 - 14:30. 17:00 - 22:30 burnt broth of miso or soy sauce fravor



麺家いろはMen-ya Iroha @Ramen-koji 拉麺小路 on 10F of Isetan 伊勢丹 Kyoto st. Open 11:00 - 22:00 Soy-sauce and fish based



Tenten-yu and Tenka Ippin soups are what Kyoto people typically love, whereas Iroha, Shinpuku-Saikan, and Murasaki are what I like for its simple soy sauce flavor. TowZen for it's gentle soup, Monsen for it's fusion with sake lees, Gogyo for its burnt soups are great invention.



新福菜館本店 Shinpuku Saikan Honten 500m from Kyoto station Open 9 - 22, Close on Wed Soy-sauce based



天天有 Tenten-yu In downtown, 四条烏丸 Shijokarasuma (- 22:30) and 祇園 Gion (- 4 am), chicken based, potage like



天下一品総本店 Tenka Ippin (HQ) 900 m from 一乗寺 Ichijoji st. 11 - 3 am. close on Thu chicken based, potage like



豆乳ラーメン豆禅TowZen (Vegan Soymilk ramen) 1.3 km from 一乗寺 Ichijoji st. 11:30 - 14:30, 18:00 - 21:30, Close on Thursdays



門扇 伏見酒蔵店 Monsen (sake lees flavor) 600 m from Momoyamagoryomae 桃山御陵前 st. 11:30 - 23:00, close on Tue



京都千丸しゃかりき Kvoto Senmaru Shakariki Murasaki @Kyoto Tower SANDO Food Hall (B1F) 11 - 22:30, soy sauce based



京都拉麵小路 Kyoto Ramen Koji 10F of Isetan 伊勢丹 Kyoto st. Open 11:00 - 22:00 9 ramens around Japan

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日常・庶民の日本食 (1000円以下) Daily, easy, healthy, and <1000 yen Japanese



やよい軒 Yayoi-ken 7 locations in donwtown 24 hrs (四条烏丸, 二条, 三条) 5 - 2 am (烏丸御池, 京都駅)

7 - 23 (other places)



街かど屋 Machikado-ya Kawaramachi-Sanio and Karasuma-Gojo 河原町三条 & 烏丸五条 24 hours



When you stay in Japan for several days, you don't want to eat sushi, tempra, sukiyaki, kaiseki, and ramen everyday - local people don't do that either. Here' are what they eat daily even at Adobe home. You stay very healthy while remain on budget during your stay in Japan!



大戸屋 Oto-ya

Nishiki-koji 錦小路

(11:00 - 22:00)

& Sanjo-Kamogawa 三条鴨川

(11:00 - 23:00)





あぶり<u>杬之蔵</u> Aburi Motonokura 190 m from Shijo st. 四条駅 7:00 - 10:00, 11:30 - 14:30, 17:00 - 22:30

PDF \ Yoshinoya, Matsuya, and Nakau are know for don-mono (bowl of rice with food on top) but also

serve typical Japanese breakfast. MOS BURGER is Japan originated (rice burger, yakiniku



迅速・低価格な日本食(500円前後) Quick and low-cost Japanese (≒500 yen)



吉野屋 Yoshinoya (breakfast menu available) 3 locations in downtown 5 more in a wider area

8:00 - 23:00 or 24 hr



松屋 Matsuya (breakfast menu available) 3 locations in downtown 6 more in a wider area

Mostly open 4 hours



なか卵 Nakau

(breakfast menu available) 10 locations in downtown 10 more in a wider area Mostly open 24 hours



MOS BURGER (rice/yakiniku/tempra burger + regular ones) 5 locations in downtown 5 more in a wider area Typically 7:00 - 23:00



Eat-in at convenience stores Some Seven Eleven, Family Mart, and Lawson stores offer eat-in space

日本酒など Sake and others



京都洒蔵館 Kyoto Shuzo-kan 250 m from Shijo 四条 st. 12:00 - 22:00 (LO)



伏見酒蔵小路 **Fushimi Sake Village** 600 m from Momoyamagoryomae 桃山御陵前 st. 11:30 - 23:00, close on Tue



There are places where you can try 15-20 sakes without drunken too much - the first two places offer this kiki-zake or sake tasting at reasonable cost. At the beer garden at Kamishichiken, you can drink and talk with geiko and maiko without spending too much.



日本酒食堂しずく Nihonshushokudo Shizuku 500 m from Karasuma-oike 地下鉄烏丸御池 station Mon-Sat: 11-14, 16-24 Sun: 15-23



Bar SHINPI @miyagawacho 宮川町 900 m from Kawaramachi 阪急河原町 station 21:00 - 24:00, close on Sun



上七軒ビアガーデン Kamishichiken beer garden 17:30-21:30 (LO) Jul 1 to first week of Sep

ジビエ〜羊,猪,馬&ホルモン Jibie \sim lamb, wild boar, horse



アジェ松原本店 Aje (Matsubara HQ) 650 m from Kawaramachi st. 阪急河原町駅 Open 18:00 - 24:00



羊食堂 Hitsuji shokudo (lamb) 650 m from 四条烏丸駅 Shijo-Karasuma st. Open 17 - 23, close on Tue



ひごろっか(九州&馬肉) Higorokka (horse) 250 m from 阪急西院駅 Hankyu Saiin station Open 17:00 - 24:00



Many of my friends whether local or foreign may not be interested in these but I love these

those brave enough to eat grilled pork / beef innards in a smokey space...

meats and restaurants here... Recommend Hitsuji to anyone who are ok with lamb and Aje to

畑かく(猪肉) Hatakaku (wild boar) 230 m from Kuramaguchi st. 地下鉄鞍馬口駅 12:00 - 21:30 close on Mon





菜食主義、純粋菜食主義、&無麩質主義 Vegetarian, vegan, and gluten free



CHOICE(gulten free/vegan) In front of Sanjo station 地下鉄三条駅前 Open 8:30 - 15, 17- 20:30 8:30 - 20:30 (Sat/Sun)



Organic House Salute (vegetarian) 700 m from Kyoto station 11:30-14:30, 17:00-18:45 Close on Wed/Thu



Falafel Garden (cafe w/good view of river) 160 m from 京阪出町柳駅 Keihan Demachiyanagi st. 11:00 - 21:30



バイタルサイン Baitarusain (vegetarian) 400 mi from 阪急河原町駅 Hankyu Kawaramachi st. Open 18 - 23, close on Tue



It was a bit difficult to find vegetarian, vegan, or gulten free places a decade ago but now we can find a wide variety of restaurants and cafes throughout Kyoto. Even I with no food restriction, enjoyed Falafel Garden and TowZen - so yummy and great atomosphere!



豆乳ラーメン豆禅 TowZen Vegan Soymilk ramen 1.3 km from 一乗寺 Ichijoji st. 11:30 - 14:30, 18:00 - 21:30, Close on Thursdays



菜食光兔舎 (vegetarian) Saishoku Kousagisha 400 m from Ginkakuji-michi 銀閣寺道 bus stop 12 - 18, close on Mo/Tu



山食音 (vegen) Yamashoku-on 600 m from 京阪出町柳駅 Keihan Demachiyanagi st. 12-15, 18-20:30 CL Tu/We



mumokuteki cafe (vegetarian) 550 m from 阪急河原町駅 Hankyu Kawaramachi st. 11:30 - 20:00, close on Wed



外国料理 Foreign foods or Kyoto/Japan modifications



太陽カレー **Taiyo Curry** 100 m from 阪急西院駅南口 Hankyu Saiin st. South exit 11:00 - 14:30, close on Sun



カマル Camal (Indian) 350 m from 烏丸御池駅 subway Karasuma-Oike st. 11:30 - 15:00, 17:00 - 22:30 (7 days)



to try some Japan version of foreign foods. Some visit Kyoto from Tokyo just to eat at Taiho. Ryumon is full of Chinese. Taiyo Curry is ranked as my top 5 in the country.



大鵬 Taiho (Chinese) 350 m from JR/地下鉄二条駅 JR/subway Nijo station 11:30 - 14:30, 17:30 - 22:00 Close on Tuesdays



龍門本店 (四川Sichuan Chinese) Ryumon honten 270 m from 地下鉄東山駅 subway Higashiyama st. 17:00 - 5: 00 am (7 days)



ピニョ食堂 (Korean) Pinyo shokudo 5 min from Sanjo三条 st. 11:30-14, 17:30-21:30 (LO) Close on Thursdays



四条パクチー Shijo Pakuchi (Thai) 400 m from 四条烏丸交差点 Shijo-karasuma intersection 11:30 - 15:00, 18:00 - 22:30



イーサン E-san (Thai) 80 m from 地下鉄今出川駅 subway Imadegawa st. 11-14:30 (15 Sa/Su), 17-22 Close on Tuesdays



ピカポロンツァ Pikapolonca (Slovenia) 650 m from JR花園駅 Hanazono st. 12-15, 18-21, close on Mon





