# "FUMA Ninja Training Experience in Odawara"



Try on authentic costume and learn the spirit and moral principles of Japanese ninja!

Odawara Tourism Association is holding the "FUMA Ninja Training Experience" event on February 17, 2018. A professional Japanese ninja master will teach you how to deal with a traditional Japanese sword, you will ride a horse in ninja attire in the Odawara Castle Park. This event will enhance your understanding of the history of the Fuma ninja and the Hojo clan.

#### **Event Highlights:**

- The training will start with the courtesy of ninja meditation "Kuji-kiri".
- Hands-on training by the experienced Japanese ninja master about basic walking of Japanese martial arts, sword fighting "Tate", Japanese archery "Kabura-ya", and horse-riding experience.
- Guided tour in English at Odawara Castle Tower.

#### **Inclusive of:**

- Hands-on lesson / Guided tour in English.
- Ninja costume / training equipment rental.
- Ninja headband as a present.
- Completion certificate of ninja training program.

#### **Event Overview:**

Date:	February 17 (SAT), 2018
Time:	1:00PM to 5:00PM
Meeting Place:	Umadashi-Gate in the Odawara Castle Park

Subject:Person from international countries. Those who live in Japan is applicable.Participation Fee:Free of charge. The participants will be selected by lottery.

### Notes:

- 1. Transportation fee between your home and Odawara is on your own expense.
- 2. The training is group lesson for about 10 people. If kids (ages under 14) take the lesson, an adult must join together.
- 3. The event may be canceled due to the weather conditions.
- 4. Program content is subject to change depending on the number of participants and/or conditions without prior notice.

## **Application:**

Pease send us your e-mail to Naoya Asao (inf@odawara-kankou.com) of Odawara Tourism Association. Please make sure to include the following information in your e-mail. E-mail in English is no problem. Application deadline is February 12 (MON). For any questions, please feel free to contact Naoya Asao in either e-mail or phone 0465-22-5002.

- The number of participants
- Participant's name
- Gender
- Age
- Weight (need for horse riding)
- Current resident address
- Telephone number for contact

#### **About FUMA Ninja:**

Odawara is known for the ninja clan led by Fuma Kotaro who served the Hojo clan, governing the Kanto region during the Sengoku era of feudal Japan. The Fuma clan was famed for their horseback warfare.









