

# 盆栽 Bonsai



**【 The Omiya Bonsai Art Museum 】**  
The world's first public bonsai museum was established in Saitama City. This museum is adjacent to the Bonsai Village and displays various kinds of bonsai, pots, stones, and paintings for the public's viewing pleasure.

● **Season**  
Year-round



## Japan's Best Bonsai Skill and Pride

Bonsai cultivators have honed their skills and techniques in Saitama Prefecture, Japan's largest bonsai production area, for over 90 years. Today, Saitama promotes bonsai culture through the Omiya Bonsai Village, a renowned bonsai nursery area, and exports bonsai to the EU and other regions around the world.

## Perfect for a Day Trip from Tokyo

Conveniently located near Tokyo, Saitama Prefecture is easy to visit. Anyone can enjoy the many agricultural attractions and seasonal activities that this prefecture has to offer.

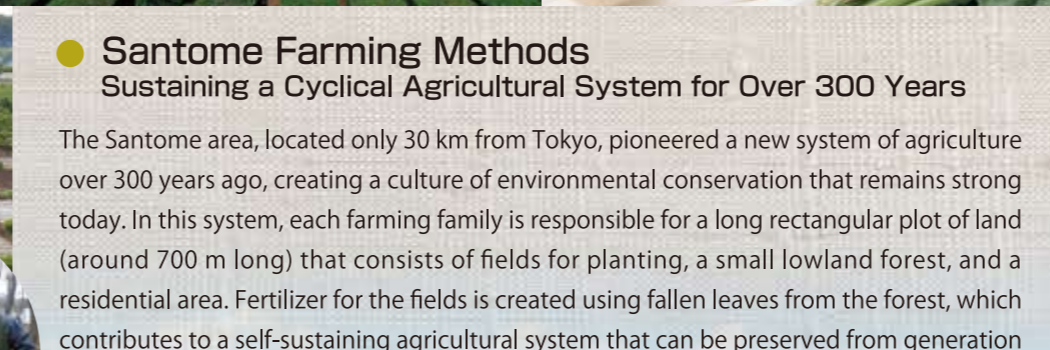


## A Wide Variety of Exceptional Agricultural Produce

In addition to Fukaya Negi, Saigyoku Pears, Sayama-cha, and Bonsai, Saitama Prefecture produces many other kinds of agricultural produce. Some areas of Saitama also continue unique farming methods particular to this region.



● SANTOME



### ● Santome Farming Methods Sustaining a Cyclical Agricultural System for Over 300 Years

The Santome area, located only 30 km from Tokyo, pioneered a new system of agriculture over 300 years ago, creating a culture of environmental conservation that remains strong today. In this system, each farming family is responsible for a long rectangular plot of land (around 700 m long) that consists of fields for planting, a small lowland forest, and a residential area. Fertilizer for the fields is created using fallen leaves from the forest, which contributes to a self-sustaining agricultural system that can be preserved from generation to generation.



## Produce from Saitama – Loved in Tokyo and Across Japan

## 埼玉の 農産物

**Agricultural Production in Saitama**  
Saitama, located just north of Tokyo, has the perfect balance of urban and rural landscapes. Many different types of agricultural products are produced here and enjoyed in Tokyo and throughout Japan.



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