

This town has rich natural resources and a convenient urban environment. Let's take a walk in Wako where you can meet the wonderful scenery and history!

Wako is located at the eastern Musashino plateau of southern Saitama prefecture and adjacent to Tokyo. Within 15-20km from downtown Tokyo, at such a close distance, you still can find rich natural resources, like spring water, just away from the busy streets around the station. Moreover, you can discover the Shirako posting station with artifacts from the Edo period. Feeling that the history is alive is also one of attractions of Wako.

Spot 1 Niikura Old Farmhouse Park

新倉ふるさと民家園

Staying in this old farmhouse would take you back in time, like the experience of time travel.

🕒 9:00AM-5:00PM(Apr.-Sep.)

10:00-16:30(Oct.-Mar.)

🚫Wed. [MAP-B2](#)



Spot 2 Jurin Park

県営和光樹林公園

This park is well-known for the cherry blossoms and picnics. It is a good place for recreation and interaction.

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Spot 3 Spring Water and Shirako Posting Station

湧き水と白子宿

This area was flourished as a posting station and spring water still remains today. "Shirako posting station with clear spring water" and "stone spring water course" have been found in the literature from the Edo period. [MAP-B3](#)



Spot 4 Nihonium Street

ニホニウム通り

As the town where discovered Nihonium by RIKEN, Wako placed the plates with atomic numbers, from 1 to 118, throughout a trail and also created this monument at the end. [MAP-B2](#)



A national historic site

午玉山遺跡

The Goboyama ruins of Yayoi period were excavated in Wako and designed as the historically cultural property. [MAP-B2](#)

