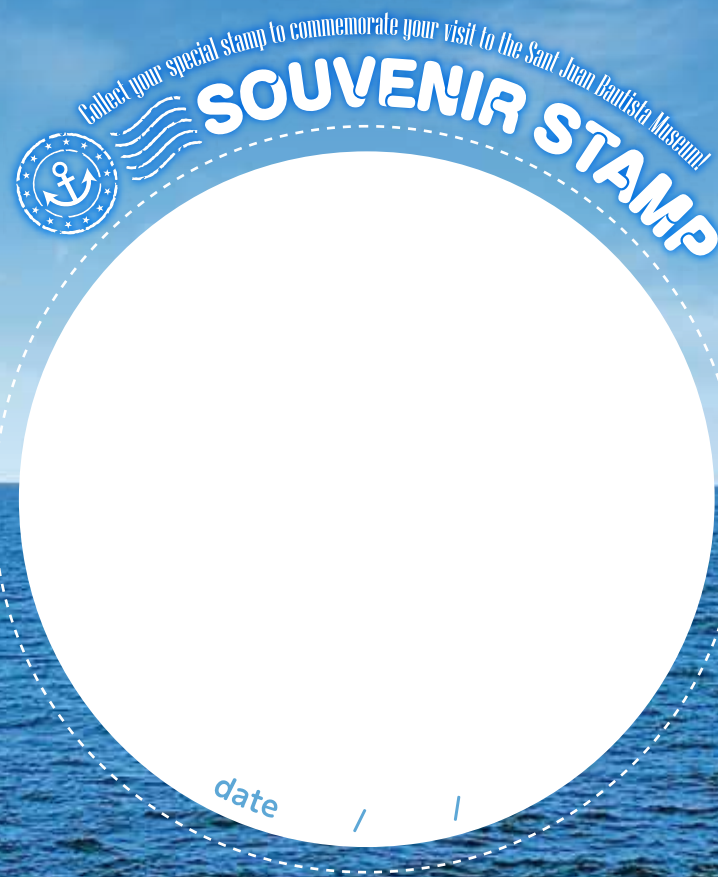


Dreaming big, crossing the oceans,
and opening up the world...

Approximately 400 years ago, a wooden
Western-style sailing ship known as the 'Sant Juan
Bautista' set sail from here in Ishinomaki.

Onboard were the Keicho Diplomatic Mission
headed for Europe, led by HASEKURA Tsunenaga.
The Miyagi Sant Juan Bautista Museum introduces
the history of their challenging journey, and sailing
culture. Let's take a glimpse into their journey
through boundless oceans and turbulent times.



Museum Information

Hours 9:30AM-4:30PM

Last admission 30 minutes before closing.
Open until 5:30PM in August.

Closed **Tuesdays** (Except when Tuesday is a holiday.)
New Year Period (December 28 - January 4)

Admission Fee

General Admission Fee: **¥500**

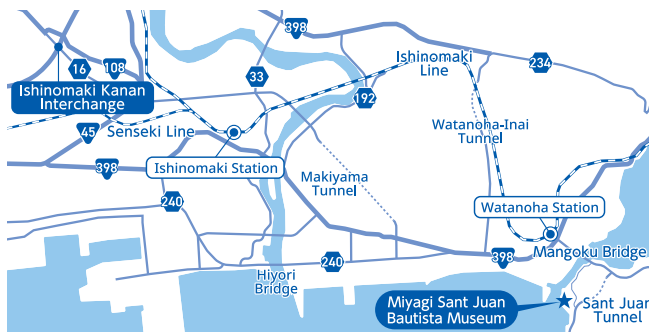
Group Admission Fee:
(for groups of 20 or more) **¥400**

Admission free for Under 15s
and junior or senior high school students

- Please do not touch the exhibits
- Please use pencils when taking notes in the exhibition rooms
- Photography is not allowed for exhibits with a No Photography sign
- Eating and drinking are not allowed except in designated areas
- Smoking is not allowed

How to find us

- Take the Ishinomaki Line from Ishinomaki Station to Watanoha Station
Museum is located a 5 minute taxi ride/25 minute walk from Watanoha Station
- 25 mins from Ishinomaki Kanan Interchange on Sanriku Expressway, via Makiyama Tunnel
- Parking available (300 vehicle capacity)
*Maximum Height 2.1m
*Parking available for buses & bikes



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FLOOR MAP

Observation Building



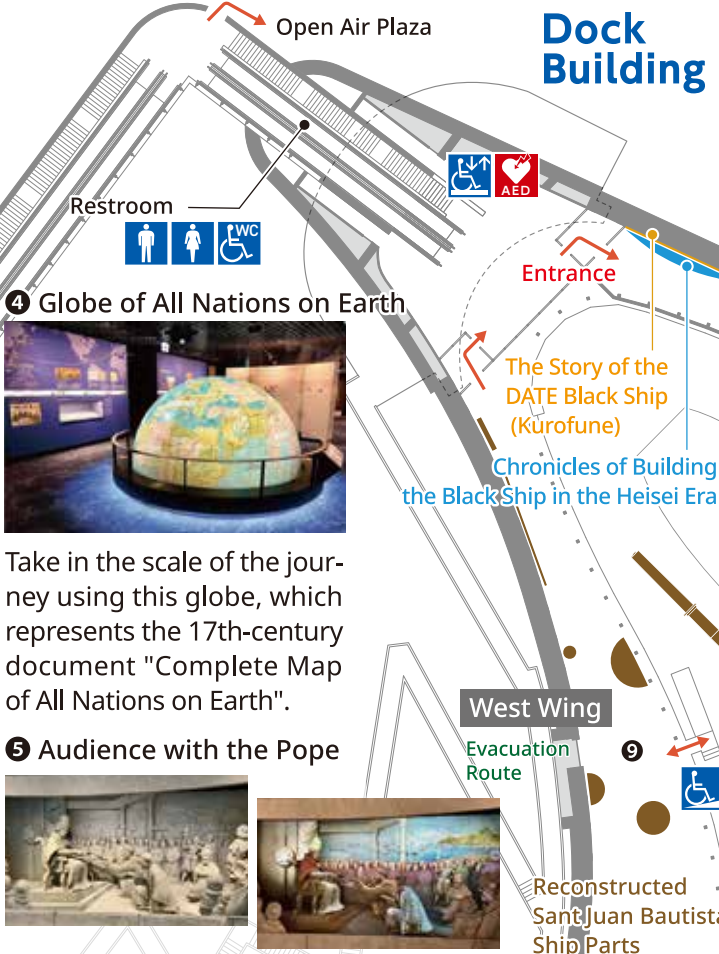
2 Setting Sail



Experience the moment that the San Juan Bautista set sail from Tsukinoura through detailed reliefs and immersive visuals!



Visualize the Keicho Envoy's journey as you view this large-scale display of artist Akira Yamaguchi's artwork.



Take in the scale of the journey using this globe, which represents the 17th-century document "Complete Map of All Nations on Earth".

5 Audience with the Pope



Experience the splendid atmosphere of the envoy's audience with the Pope, recreated using detailed reliefs and colorful images!

6 Film Theatre - "Yume-Utsutsu"

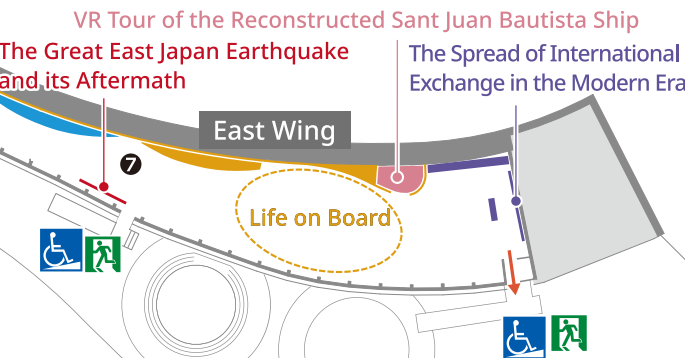


Visit the theatre to experience Date Masamune and Hasekura Tsunenaga's emotions at the time of the Keicho Mission on the big screen! (approx. 20 minutes)

7 East Wing



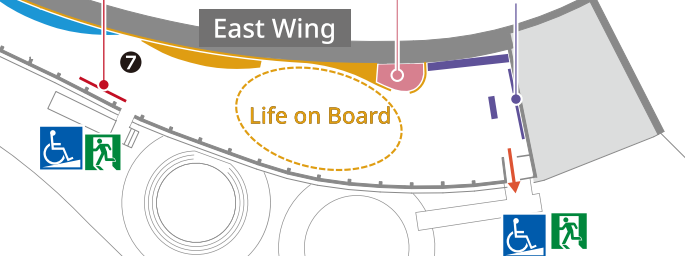
Learn about building sailing ships, life on deck, and navigation technologies. Explore the interior of the ship at our VR corner!



VR Tour of the Reconstructed San Juan Bautista Ship

The Great East Japan Earthquake and its Aftermath

The Spread of International Exchange in the Modern Era



8 Replica Ship "San Juan Bautista" (1/4 scale)

See the wooden replica ship built in 1993 faithfully reproduced in 1/4 scale using fiber-reinforced plastic. Use AR to see the ship with its sails raised!

9 West Wing



See wooden ship parts up close, such as the impressive dragon figurehead and the kuyomon crest!

