

Hayashibara Museum of Art 60th Anniversary Exhibition

- The exhibition will be held from **April 2024 to March 2025**.
- The museum is closed on Mondays (or the following day if Monday is a national holiday).
New Year Season and during preparation for new exhibition.
- The museum is closed except for the exhibition dates.
- The exhibition schedule and materials are subject to change.

60th Anniversary Exhibition ① “Noh Play Passed Down in the Daimyo Family”

Dates: April 13 (Sat.) - June 16, 2024 (Sun.) 57 days

Open every day during the GW period April 27 (Sat.) - May 6 (Mon.)

Noh masks, costumes, and other materials related to Noh drama will be exhibited. In conjunction with the exhibition, related events and collaborative projects with Noh performers are planned.

60th Anniversary Exhibition ② “The Tale of Heike”

Dates: PART I June 29 (Sat.) - August 4, 2024 (Sun.) 32 days

PART II August 10 (Sat.) - September 16, 2024 (Mon.) 33 days

The picture scrolls of “Heike Monogatari (The Tale of Heike)” depict the rise and fall of the Heike clan. The 36 scrolls of “Heike Monogatari” in our collection is the only complete set in existence, and this exhibition will present representative scenes from each of these scrolls in two parts: the first part (PART I) and the second part (PART II).

60th Anniversary Exhibition ③

“Everyone's Choice: Masterpieces of the Hayashibara Museum of Art”

Dates: October 1 (Tue.) - December 15, 2024 (Sun.) 66 days

The Hayashibara Museum of Art opened in 1964. Through the exhibition of the museum's collection, many people have enjoyed the museum's art works. In this exhibition, we ask you all to vote for your favorite works in the museum collection, and based on the results, we will introduce them as "masterpieces" chosen by you. (Main exhibits: Japanese swords, armors, Japanese paintings, calligraphy, ceramics, lacquerware, Noh masks, Noh costumes)

60th Anniversary Exhibition ④

“Signs of the Lord —Items of the Ikeda Family and Lords of the Domain—”

Dates: January 11 (Sat.) - March 23, 2025 (Sun.) 62 days

The Hayashibara Museum of Art has held exhibitions related to successive lords of the Okayama domain. This exhibition introduces items from the domain lords' personal effects, such as signature and seal to calligraphy and paintings in their own handwriting, as well as armor and armors decorated with their family crests.