

Objective

Miyazaki is blessed with a warm climate and beautiful natural surroundings, making it one of the best surfing areas in Japan. To all those visiting Miyazaki for a surfing trip, here are some guidelines to ensure that you enjoy surfing safely and securely.

1 **We urge all surfers, regardless of experience, to make use of surf shops and guides in the area.**

This is to prevent accidents and avoid problems, as the rules may differ between surfing spots. These may include parking rules, water entry points, shortboard priority areas, etc.

Taking surfing lessons will greatly improve your skills. Additionally, surfing guides will help you find the best surfing spots on a given day, and those best suited your level.

2 **Please respect international surfing rules.**

- ⦿ Give way to surfers closest to the peak.
- ⦿ Do not drop in.
- ⦿ Do not paddle directly behind other surfers.
- ⦿ Maintain distance from riding surfers.
- ⦿ If you are about to collide with a surfer during their takeoff, paddle in the opposite direction of the surfer.
- ⦿ If you happen to break any of these rules, apologize swiftly.

3 Some surfing spots in Miyazaki are public, equipped with car parks and showers. Others may be accessed through local surfing federation activities, or with the understanding of residents. Some areas have very little parking, so please be mindful and communicative with the local population.

Most people in Miyazaki are kind and easygoing. Please remain respectful of them as you enjoy your surfing.

《 List of surf shops and surfing guides in Miyazaki city 》

→<https://surfculturemiyazaki.com/member-store/>