



Tōrō Lantern Scavenger Hunt

More than 1,000 years ago, traditional lanterns made of stone, wood or metal were adopted from China into Japanese culture. Huge stone Toro lanterns were often used to line the entrance path of Buddhist temples. Over time they were introduced into Japanese tea gardens and then private gardens as popular ornamental features. The largest lantern is the only one not found in the Taniguchi Japanese Garden.

Pagoda Lantern



Kasuga-dōrō



Kaku-dōrō



Oribe-gata



Kasuga-dōrō



Yukimi-dōrō



Oki-dōrō



Kodai Maru Yukimi



Rankei-gata



Ikekomi-gata



Nozura-dōrō

