

## ようこそ Welcome

Mt. Haguro is for those seeking a traditional Japanese experience. *Dewa Sanzan*, comprised of Mt. Gassan, Mt. Haguro, and Mt. Yudono, is a trio of mountains representing the past, present, and future respectively.

Here you can experience a side of Japan that has hardly changed in the last 1,000 years. Start by climbing the *Ishi-Dan*, an ancient pilgrimage route among towering cedars. Along the way you will find the 600-year-old, Five-Story Pagoda. At the top stands one of the largest thatched buildings in Japan, the *Sanjin Gosaiden* 

shrine. Gaze at its reflection in *Kagami-Ike*, a pond once filled with mirrors. Mt. Haguro is a world apart from the bustle of Tokyo or Kyoto.

Come experience the Michelin Green Guide star-winning beautiful nature and feel a part of the traditional tenets of admiration of natural beauty and *Shinbut-su-Shugo*, a mix of Buddhism and Shintoism found only in Japan.

No matter what your religious beliefs are, you are always welcome at *Dewa Sanzan*.