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Hiyoshi Taisha Shrine – Main Hall of the Western  
Main Shrine

National Treasure

[A.D.1586]

The main hall is a hie-zukuri style constructed building with a cypress bark roof. The hiyoshi-zukuri is a special style of architecture found only within the grounds of Hiyoshi Taisha Shrine, and is characterized by the usage of roof eaves on the front and sides of a building. The current main hall was constructed in 1586, and renovated in 1597. It was designated a National Treasure in 1961.