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Mio Shrine – Main Sanctuary

Important Cultural Property

[A.D.1426]

The Main Sanctuary of Mio Shrine is a building with a nagare-zukuri style gabled roof made using many layers of bark from Japanese cypress trees, and is considered to be relatively large in comparison to other shrine buildings. The nagare-zukuri style is a type of Japanese architecture which is characterized by an asymmetrical gabled roof. The main sanctuary was constructed in 1426, and received thorough renovations in 1609. The building is unique in its thick columns and simple decorations.