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Mt. Fuji and Lake Ashi

Detailed
MAP
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- Hakone's Various Rides
- Breathtaking Views of Mt. Fuji

- Area Maps & Main Spots

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Plane

An essential tool for making marquetry is the plane. Here you'll see up close how products are made with it.

HAKONE MARQUETRY



Hakone Maruyama Bussan

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Hakone, known for its natural beauty that changes expressions with the seasons, is full of charms -- hot springs, museums and art galleries, historical buildings, leisure facilities, fantastic food and glorious view of Mt. Fuji, the world's cultural heritage site.

Please visit Hakone that made tourists of the world a captive, and make lots of memories there.

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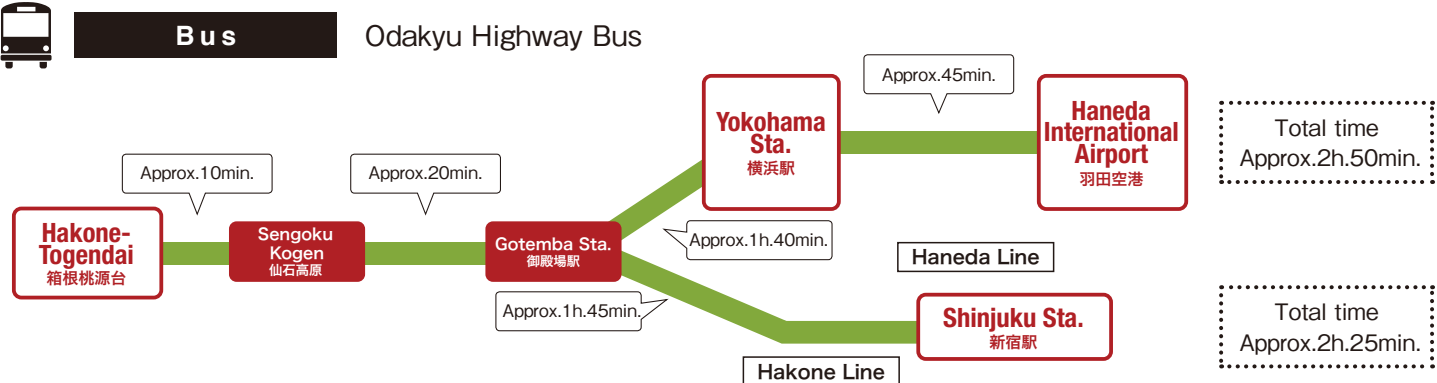
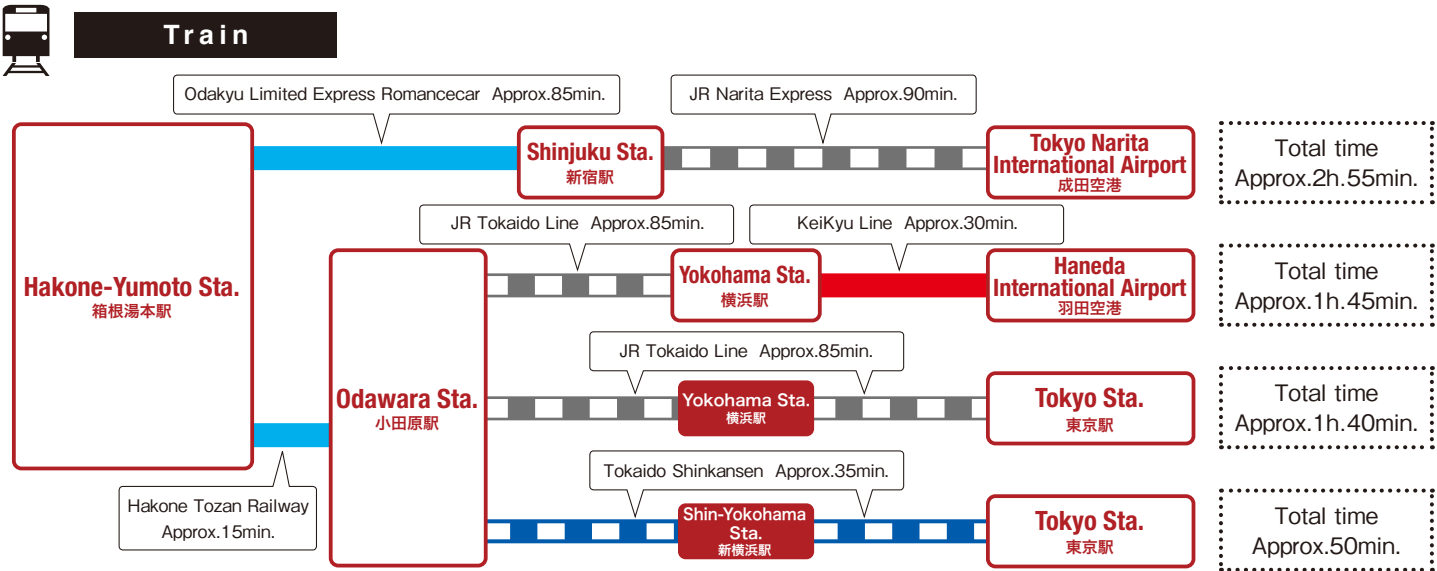
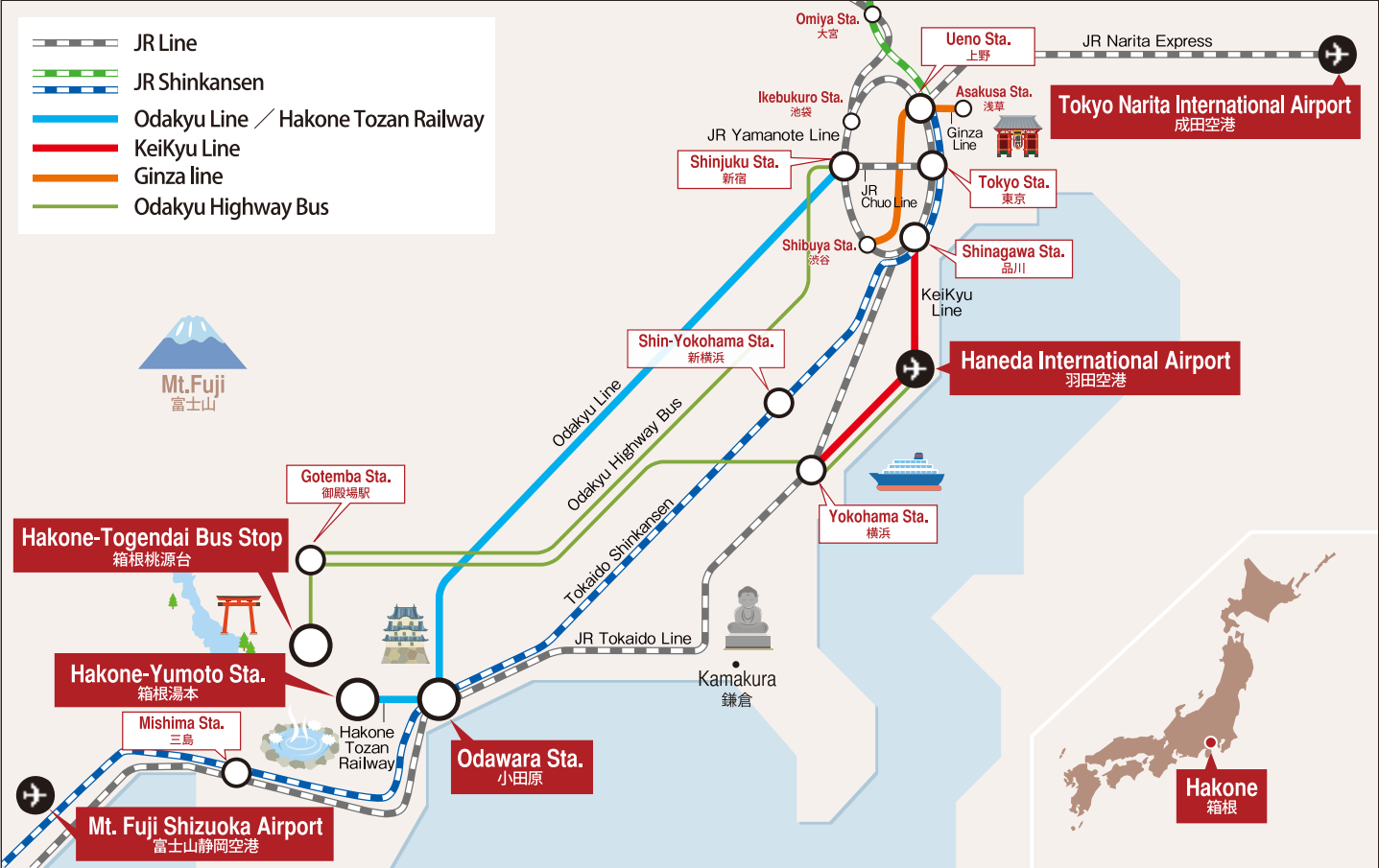
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Getting to Hakone



*It is an example. Estimated time is subject to change depending on operation and road condition.

Let's Enjoy Hakone's Various Rides!

Whether cruising through the sky, crossing a lake, ascending or descending mountain trails on wheels or ropeway, Hakone boasts exciting ways to go and a chance to experience magnificent nature.



Hakone Tozan Cable Car

Travels at approximately 1.2km to connect Gora and Sounzan stations in 10 minutes.

Hakone Tozan Railway

Travel from Odawara to Gora stations while enjoying surrounding wilderness and breathtaking views from railroad bridges.

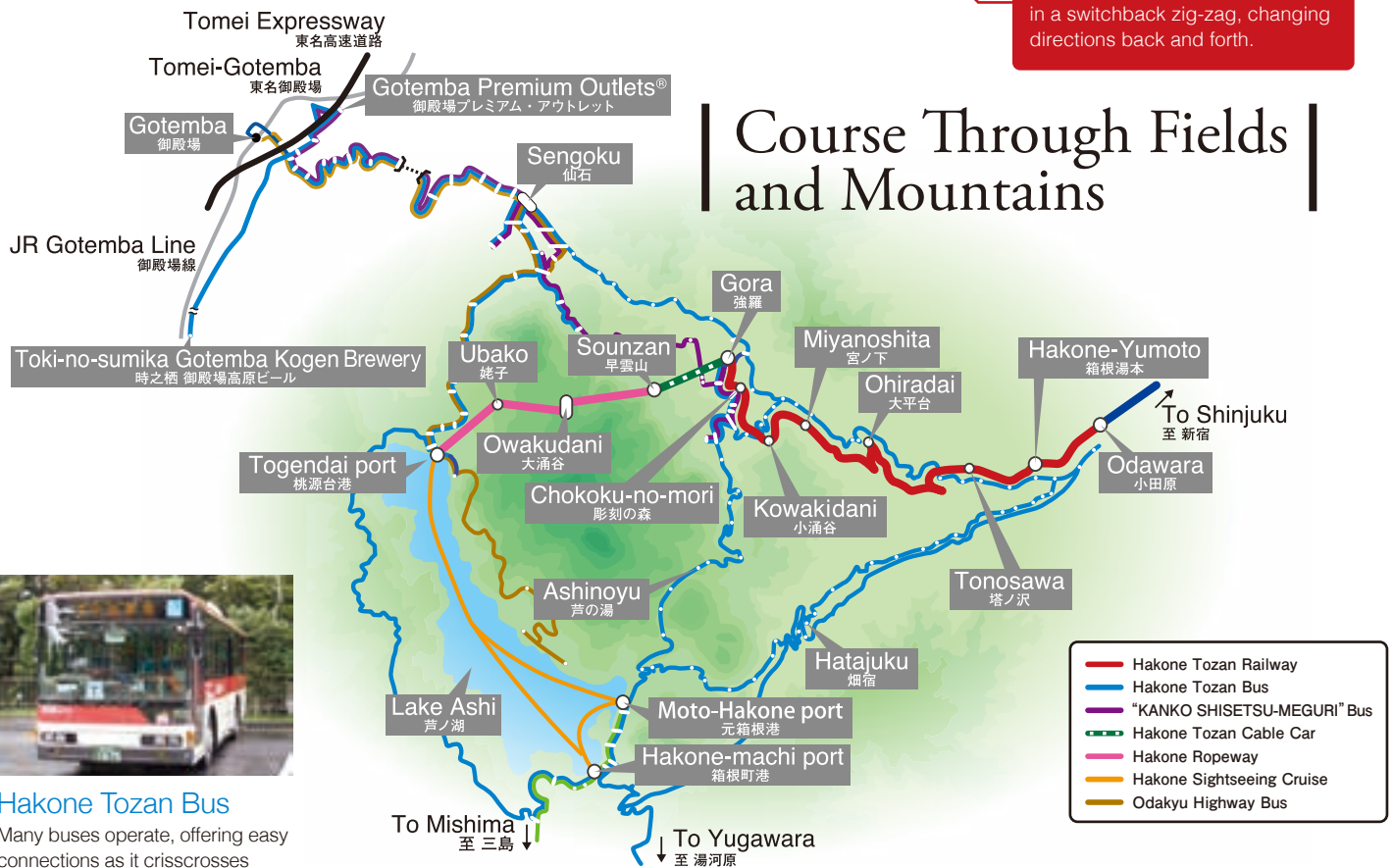


● Steepest pitch in Japan

Between Hakone-Yumoto and Kowakidani stations is an 80/1000 gradient, the steepest in Japan for an adhesion railway.

● Switchback

The railcar climbs the steep incline in a switchback zig-zag, changing directions back and forth.



Hakone Tozan Bus

Many buses operate, offering easy connections as it crisscrosses Hakone's fascinating mountain roads.

Hakone Ropeway

Enjoy the views during a 30-minute ride across four kilometers between Sounzan and Togendai stations, including the amazing Owakudani volcanic valley, Lake Ashi, and magnificent Mt. Fuji.



Hakone Sightseeing Cruise

operates between Hakone-machi, Moto-Hakone and Togendai on Lake Ashi. Enjoy the excellent hakone skyline and a panoramic view of Mt. Fuji.



Odakyu Highway Bus

Offers direct transit from Shinjuku, Tokyo, Haneda Airport and Yokohama to Hakone and Gotemba.



"KANKO SHISETSU-MEGURI" Bus

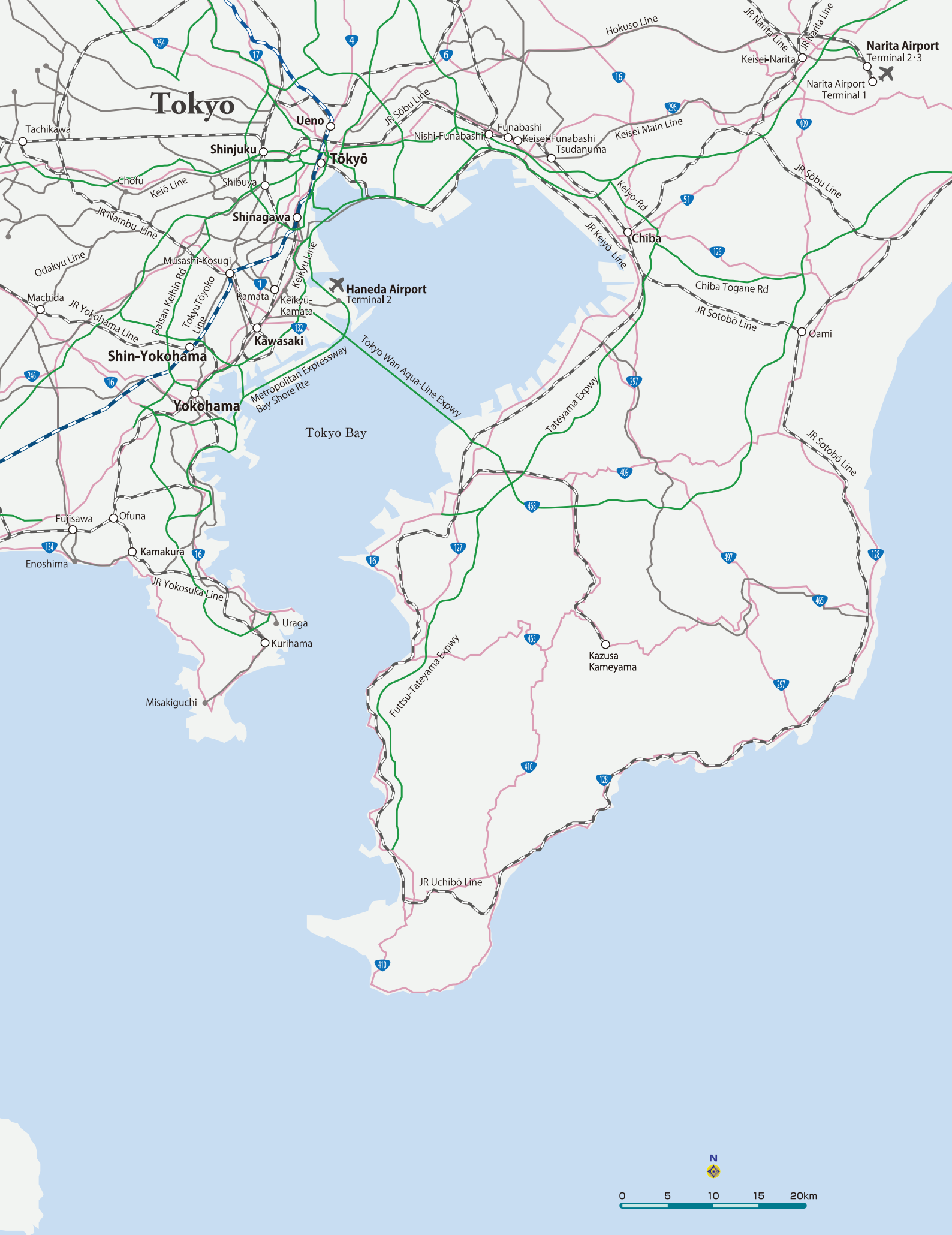
(Tourist Attraction Sightseeing Bus/ Hakone Tozan Bus)

This comfy way to go sports a fancy, retro-looking design as it circles tour locations like museums, with skylight windows for breathtaking views of sky and trees.

Wide Area

広域







Sengokuhara Pampas Grass Fields

仙石原スキ草原

Experience the sensual feel of pampas grass fields at the foot of Mt. Daigatake, renowned for showing Hakone autumn at its best. These golden fields, swaying as one in the fall breeze, are wonderful to see and touch.



Owakudani 大涌谷

Created roughly 3 millennia ago by steam explosions, "Great Boiling Valley" is an active volcanic zone sourcing Hakone hot springs and a hot tourist spot for Mt. Fuji views. Feel the volcanic power amid natural beauty.



Moto-Hakone, Hakone-Machi

元箱根・箱根町

Hakone Shrine

箱根神社

Established amid the Nara period, this shrine was dedicated to all the local gods of Kanto and now is known for obtaining fortune, protection against evil, wish fulfillment, and safe road travel.



Hakone Sekisho

(Check-point)

箱根関所

Feel the past come alive at this historic checkpoint for foot and vehicle traffic along the Tokaido Road, linking Edo (now Tokyo) and Kyoto in the Edo period. Inspection and tax collection were held in the Edo-style building.



Sengokuhara

仙石原

Miyanoshita, Gora

宮ノ下・強羅

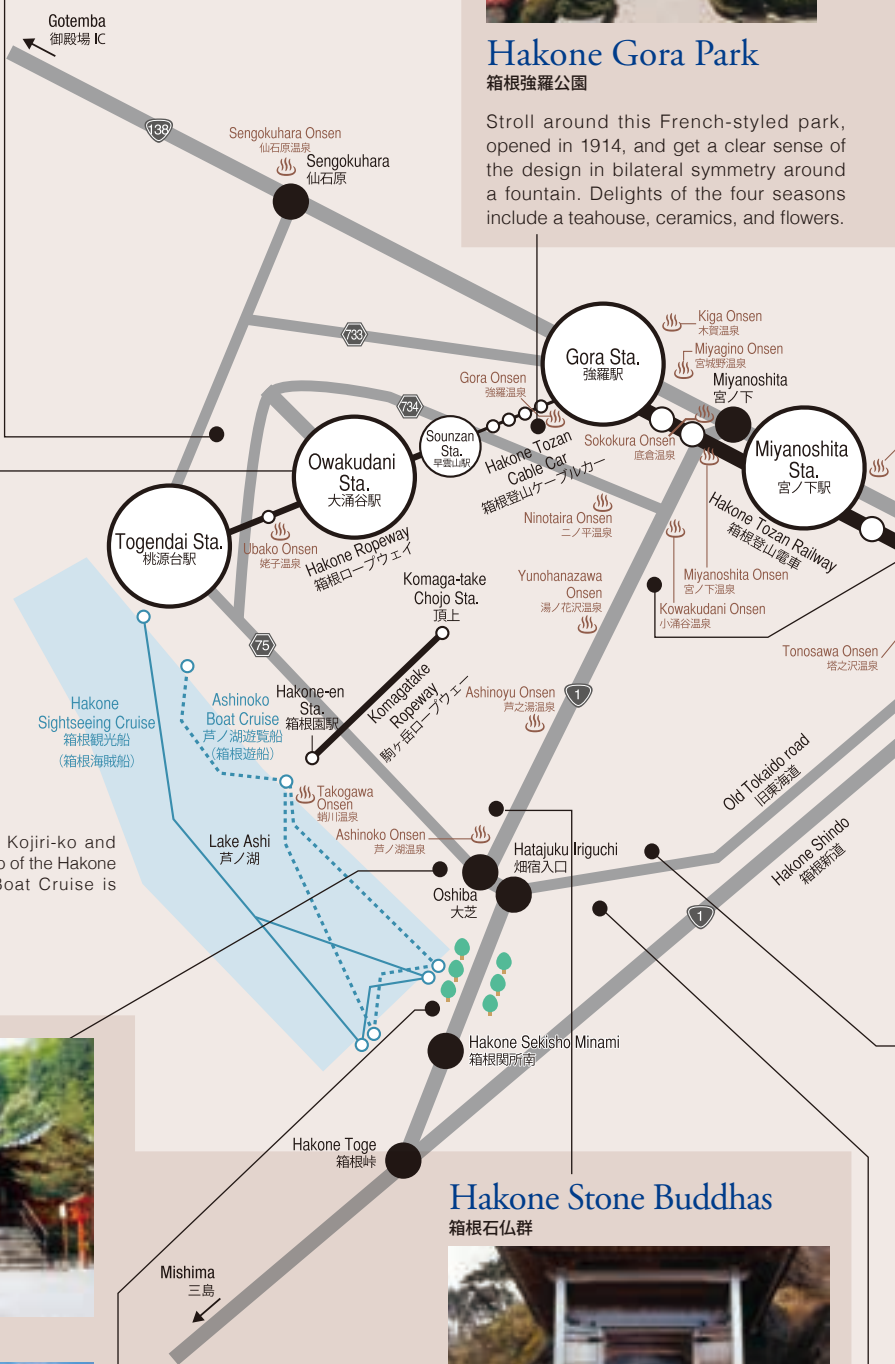
Must



Hakone Gora Park

箱根強羅公園

Stroll around this French-styled park, opened in 1914, and get a clear sense of the design in bilateral symmetry around a fountain. Delights of the four seasons include a teahouse, ceramics, and flowers.



Hakone Stone Buddhas

箱根石仏群



Surrounding Shojin Pond is a stately gathering of Buddha sculptures and stone monuments going back 7 centuries. Among these sacred figures sits the contemplative Rokudo-jizo, carved out of rock and said to be Kanto's largest Buddha figure.

See in Hakone



Chisuji falls

千条の滝

Note how this waterfall, 3 meters high and 25 meters wide, flows quietly and hangs like a reed screen over moss-covered rocks in the upper reaches of Jakotsu River. Enjoy seasonal changes like summer's glowing fireflies and autumn's fiery leaves.



Odawara Castle

小田原城

No trip to Odawara will be complete without visiting this castle built by Omori Yoriharu, regional lord of Nishi-sagami during the Muromachi period (1337-1573). The Hojo Clan, entombed at Soun-ji, succeeded him in ruling from this historic fortress, said to have been the largest in Japan during the Warring States period.



Hotoku Ninomiya Shrine

報徳二宮神社

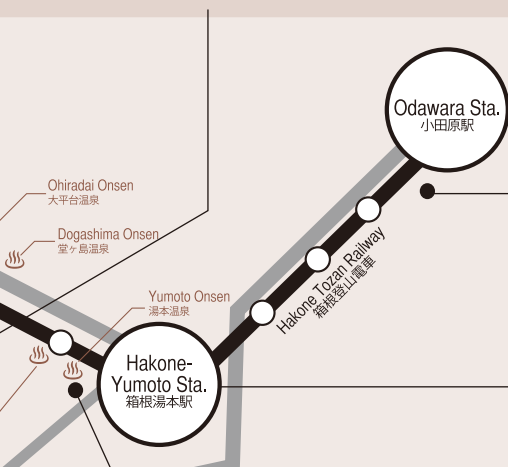
Established in 1894, next to Odawara Castle, the shrine has since been famous for the divine figure of Ninomiya Sontoku, well-known agriculturalist and philosopher.



Odawara Fishing port

小田原漁港

In addition to offering soothing sounds of harbor waters, this port serves up a rich sea harvest including horse mackerel and sardine. And being seaside, naturally the harbor has plenty of places to dine on the freshest seafood, possibly lunching on a catch hauled from the ocean by fishermen at dawn.



Hakone Old Tokaido Road

箱根旧街道



Amasake Chaya

甘酒茶屋



Historic teahouse open for business early in the Edo period sits perched on the Hakone stretch of the Tokaido Road, a portion legendary for being the most perilous on the old highway. Don't miss the tangy taste of sweet sake, yet another minor legend dating back to the start of the teahouse as well as naming it.



Ishidatami

石畳

This stone-paved road was built at the beginning of the Edo period to make travel smooth and easy for royals as well as commoners. Present-day travelers can sense the passage of time as they look out on scenery as beautiful and captivating as it was for Edo pilgrims, priest, poets and others.

Hakone-Yumoto

箱根湯本



Hakone-Yumoto

箱根湯本

Arguably the most vibrant and lively hot spring district in all Hakone, Yumoto will soon convince you of its superior features, like hot springs for day trips, firmly established inns offering traditional hospitality, and streets around the station chock-a-block with restaurants and souvenirs shops.



Yumoto-Kenban

湯本見番

Though it may be hard to believe geisha are not born but made, the daily training here of Yumoto geisha includes dancing, singing, reciting poetry, gracefully pouring drinks without spilling a drop, and more. In addition, seasonal events are held to demonstrate their accomplishments.

Fifty-Three Stations of the Tokaido : Walked by Samurai



Fifty-Three Stations?

After winning the Battle of Sekigahara, a decisive battle in Japanese history, Tokugawa Ieyasu began his campaign to unify the country in 1601. One of the projects was the Five Highways, which started at Nihonbashi, in Edo (now Tokyo).

The Tokaido road linked Edo to Kyoto, with 53 post stations along its 492-km route. Mileposts were positioned every *ri* (about 4 km), and stations staffed with horses and servants for travelers to move on to the next station. It became a key transportation route supporting the travel of feudal lords for their alternating attendance or residence in Edo. It also served commerce and became a route for common people to visit shrines and take hot spring cures.

Utagawa Hiroshige's colorful woodblock print series, titled *Fifty-Three Stations of the Tokaido*, powerfully present this image today. They're not just pictures of famous places, but a potent wide-format *nishiki-e* (colored woodblock prints) depicting how people lived, the changing seasons, and even the harsh conditions of the journey. The work has become a huge hit.

Although the scenery Hiroshige configured has changed significantly, many places in the terrain and along the route still retain the appearance he captured. Many travelers now walk along this road, as they had done in the past.

Hakone Hachiri: Japan Heritage Site Linking Odawara, Hakone, and Mishima

The Hakone Hachiri covers a stretch of the old Tokaido highway from Odawara to Hakone and Mishima, crossing Mount Hakone from east to west. It flourished as a major road during the Edo period (1603-1867), laid with the most magnificent stone paving in Japan at the time to support the bustling traffic.

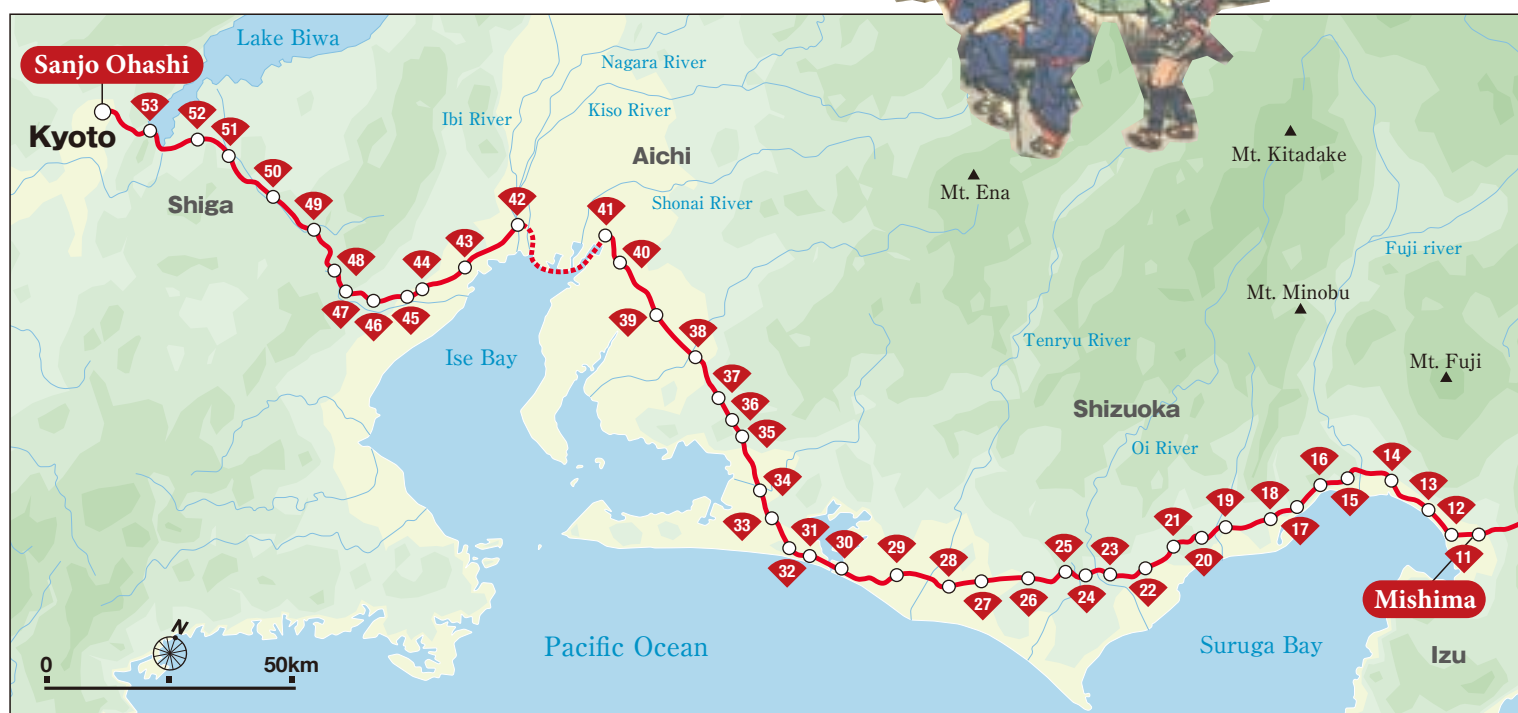
Walk along it and you'll see the same scenes as in the past—with teahouses, checkpoints, rows of trees, and mileposts. In this way, you're time travelling on the road of the Edo period.

- 01 Cobblestone road
- 02 Amasake Chaya (teahouse), standing now as it was in the Edo period (1603-1867)



01

02



Historic Road Built Under a Shogun,



Hakone Kosuizu (*The Lake at Hakone*), by Utagawa Hiroshige



11 Mishima

Having flourished as *monzenmachi* (town built around a temple or shrine) for Mishima Taisha Shrine, Mishima was where people celebrated their safe passage over the Hakone mountains. Even today, the underground waters of Mt. Fuji flow throughout the town, providing comfort to travelers as a “city of water.”



10 Hakone

The mountain road runs with an elevation variance of about 800 meters. It played an important role as a line of defense, being the closest checkpoint to Edo. Many remnants of the time, such as the cobblestone road, can be enjoyed around Hatajuku, a town known for its fine craft of marquetry.



9 Odawara

With choke points to the east and west, Odawara was a post town with many travelers staying overnight—one of the largest on the Tokaido. Its specialties, like *kamaboko* (fish cake) and Odawara lanterns, have been widely known, and today the happy visitor may see many long-established shops from the Edo period.



1. Shinagawa
2. Kawasaki
3. Kanagawa
4. Hodogaya
5. Totsuka
6. Fujisawa
7. Hiratsuka
8. Oiso
9. Odawara
10. Hakone
11. Mishima
12. Numazu
13. Hara
14. Yoshiwara
15. Kambara
16. Yui
17. Okitsu
18. Ejiri
19. Fuchu
20. Mariko
21. Okabe
22. Fujieda
23. Shimada
24. Kanaya
25. Nissaka
26. Kakegawa
27. Fukuroi
28. Mitsukeyama
29. Hamamatsu
30. Maisaka
31. Arai
32. Shirasaka
33. Futagawa
34. Yoshida
35. Goyu
36. Akasaka
37. Fujikawa
38. Okazaki
39. Chiryu
40. Narumi
41. Miya
42. Kuwana
43. Yokkaichi
44. Ishiyakushi
45. Shono
46. Kameyama
47. Seki
48. Sakashita
49. Tsuchiyama
50. Minakuchi
51. Ishibe
52. Kusatsu
53. Otsu

Discover the Meaning & Source of **Hakone Yosegi Zaiku**?

Hakone Yosegi Zaiku was born in Hatajuku, a post town in Hakone where travelers passed through late in the Edo period (1603–1867). It is said to have started when people took particular note of the wide variety of trees in the Hakone mountains and made trays and boxes by combining

various woods with different colors and grains. The technique has been passed down to the present day, and in Japan the marquetry is made only in Hakone Town and Odawara City in Kanagawa Prefecture.

1 Skilled artisanal technique

Taneita (original or source plates) are made by combining various types of wood to create patterns. There are two techniques: (1) *zuku-bari*, in which the plates are thinly shaved to 0.15–0.2 mm thickness and applied to the outside of wooden products, such as small boxes; and (2) *muku-zukuri*, in which the original plates themselves are carved out and processed. Many years of experience and skill are required for cutting the wood at precise angles, measuring the dimensions accurately, and adeptly doing the adhesion stage.



3 Traditional patterns born from various woods

With some basic 60 traditional patterns used in Hakone marquetry, there are known to be as many as 100–200 different arrays by changing color and arrangement. By varying the type of combined woods and the affixed angle of cut materials, an appealing multitude of patterns is created.



Hexagonal hemp leaf



Waves



Tortoise shell



Manji-tsunagi
(key fret pattern)

2 The natural colors of wood

Since the mountains of Hakone became a national park, various types of wood from Japan and abroad have been used. The colors derive from each type of wood, and no additional coloring is done at all. Since the grain and texture of each wood variety differ, there happily are no identical products.



Let's try!

What's the Trick in a Trick Box?

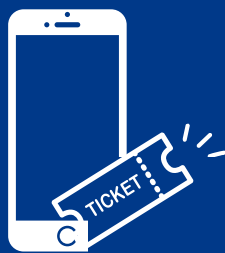


TRICK
BOXES

Trick boxes incorporate a puzzle element that can be opened by moving the sides of the box in a set order. Simple ones can be opened by moving the trick mechanism four times, while complex ones can be opened by moving them as many as 72 times. They have existed since the Edo period and are said to have been used to hide valuables from thieves. Trick boxes, which combine practicality with a sense of fun, are popular among the many souvenirs that make your visit a memorable one.



Hakone Freepass



Hakone Freepass gives you unlimited rides on 8 transportation networks and discounts at affiliated facilities in the Hakone area with just one ticket!

Round-trip Ticket
A discounted round-trip on the Odakyu Lines



Unlimited rides on 8 transportation networks in Hakone



Locations perks and discounts

Fares

2 Days

3 Days

	Adults	Children	Adults	Children
From Shinjuku	6,100 yen	1,100 yen	6,500 yen	1,350 yen

Buy online



*Please note that the prices of the Hakone Freepass will be revised for purchases made on or after October 1, 2025.



1 2 The hearty Japanese Black Beef Yakiniku Bento (¥1,980). Simply pull the string extending horizontally from the *bento* box side and wait five to six minutes for your lunch box to get warm.
3 Tai-meshi (¥980), a signature product popularly enjoyed since the Meiji period (1868-1912).

A Taste of Japanese Culture: Ekiben

Bento is a portable lunch box for one, a signature staple of Japanese food culture. *Ekiben* is the abbreviated Japanese for “*bento* sold at stations,” which incorporates savory local ingredients. The Japanese Black Beef Yakiniku Bento from Toukaken, a long-established restaurant in Odawara, is a dish made to suit modern tastes, allowing full enjoyment of the *umami* of Japanese black beef. There also is *tai-meshi* (rice with sea bream), a historic *ekiben* made via traditional methods and loved for many years. Try the two and enjoy the inviting flavors of *ekiben*.

 **Toukaken Odawara East Exit Shop**
 東華軒 小田原駅東口売店

☎0465-47-1186 (Order Center)  **P28-A**

▪ 1-2-1 Sakaecho, Odawara-shi, Kanagawa
 ▪ 8:30~18:00



Local regulars and tourists come to shop at the Odawara Station East Exit Shop.



- ❶ Kanazawa Hyakumangoku Nigiri (¥1,560) offers a different topping daily.
- ❷ The chef wholeheartedly and carefully makes each sushi serving.
- ❸ Try Local Sake Tasting (¥1,650) with Firefly Squid Okizuke, a tasty Hokuriku specialty (¥460).

Seafood Bounty from the Sea of Japan: Hakone's Only Conveyor-Belt Sushi Restaurant

Amid natural surroundings of the Hakone mountains, you'll savor fresh seafood from the Hokuriku region, delivered straight from the Kanazawa fishing port. To enjoy sushi at leisure with your small group, we recommend our counter seats, where skilled chefs may be watched up close. At booth seats, fresh-made sushi arrives via conveyor belt, assuring a genuine Japanese experience to entertain family and friends. English support is available.

 **Kanazawa Maimon Sushi Hakone Gora**
金沢まいもん寿司 箱根強羅

☎ 0460-87-1144  P30-C

- 621-2 Miyagino, Hakone-machi, Ashigarashimo-gun, Kanagawa
- 11:00~23:00 (last order 22:30)
- Parking available



A relaxing space with a Japanese atmosphere.

- 1 The museum's classic Japanese garden, a Registered Monument of Japan, has one of the country's finest and most diverse moss gardens.
- 2 Savor *matcha* tea with seasonal sweets in a garden-viewing teahouse.
- 3 Mysteriously shaped rocks and azaleas of Sekiraku-en Garden.



Japanese Aesthetics and Beauty Amid the Savory Four Seasons

Aesthetic pleasures await you in Hakone's oldest art museum. Stroll a Japanese garden after viewing *tsubo* jars from the Kamakura and Muromachi periods (12th-14th centuries) and pottery from the Momoyama period (16th-17th centuries). Or relax from a seated garden view in a teahouse serving *matcha* tea with seasonal sweets. Bring this issue and enjoy entry-free discounts for adults (¥110) and for students (¥50).

Hakone Museum of Art 箱根美術館

☎ 0460-82-2623  P30-C

- 1300 Gora, Hakone-machi, Ashigarashimo-gun, Kanagawa
- Apr.–Nov.: 9:30-16:30 / Dec.–Mar.: 9:30-16:00 (last admission 30 mins. before closing)
- Closed Thur. (open if a holiday / Nov.: open daily)
- Entry fees: adults, ¥1430; high school and university students, ¥660; junior high school students and younger, free
- A minute's walk from Koenkami Station (Hakone Tozan Cable Car)



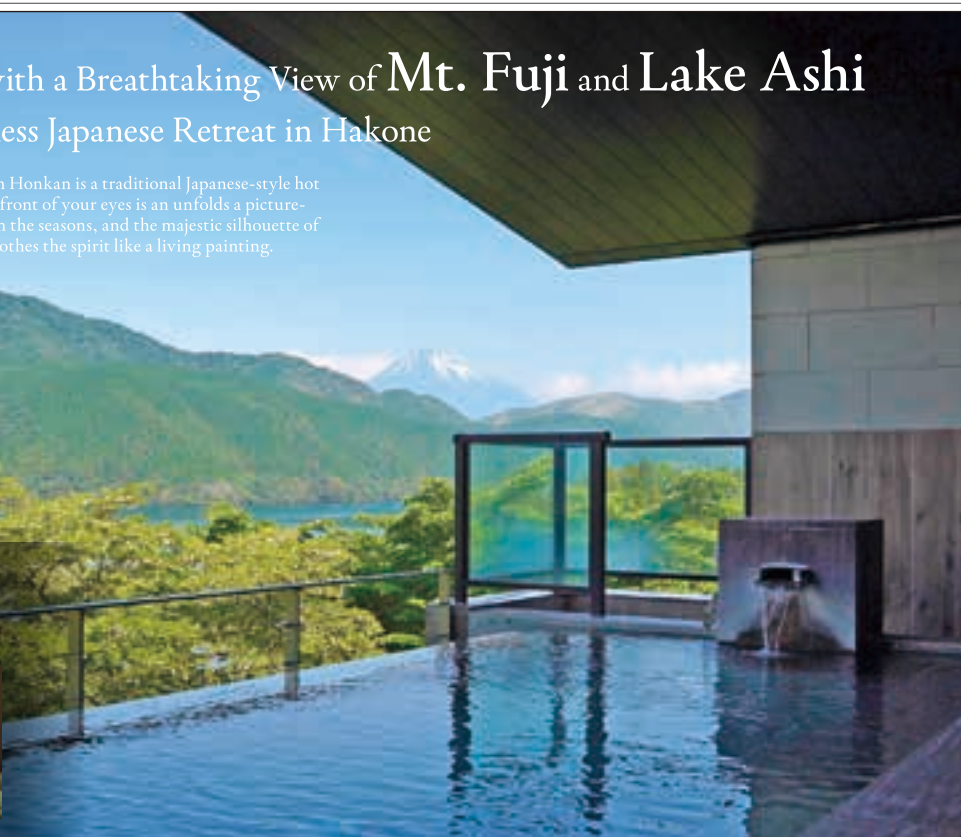
Day Trip Hot Spring with a Breathtaking View of Mt. Fuji and Lake Ashi Ryuguden Honkan – A Timeless Japanese Retreat in Hakone

Nestled on the shores of Lake Ashi in Hakone, Ryuguden Honkan is a traditional Japanese-style hot spring facility that exudes classic charm and elegance. In front of your eyes is an unfolds a picture-perfect view: the calm waters of Lake Ashi changing with the seasons, and the majestic silhouette of Mt. FUJI rising in the distance. This stunning scenery soothes the spirit like a living painting.



This facility is a Registered Tangible Cultural Property with historical significance.

The rest area "Juraku" is a free, shared lounge. ※Private rooms are also available for rent within the facility for a fee.



Day-trip Onsen Ryuguden Main Building

139 Motohakone, Hakone-machi, Ashigarashimo-gun, Kanagawa, Japan

Opening Hours: Weekdays: 9:00 A.M. – 7:00 P.M. (Facility closes at 8:00 P.M.)
Weekends & Holidays: 8:00 A.M. – 7:00 P.M. (Facility closes at 8:00 P.M.)

Admission Fee: Adults (including junior high and high school students)
Weekdays: ¥2,200
Weekends & Holidays: ¥2,500 ※Rental towel not included

Restaurant Hours: 11:30 A.M. – 3:30 P.M. (Last order at 3:00 P.M.)



- 1** 2 days/1 night with meals from ¥13,350 per person. Day trip including bathing fees (11:00-15:00): Adults ¥1,000, Children ¥700
- 2** From the deluxe suite you can have a superb view of the Hakone mountain range to yourself.
- 3** In spring, the garden azaleas look magnificent.



Inn Featuring a Superb View of Mt. Fuji and Two Types of Hot Springs

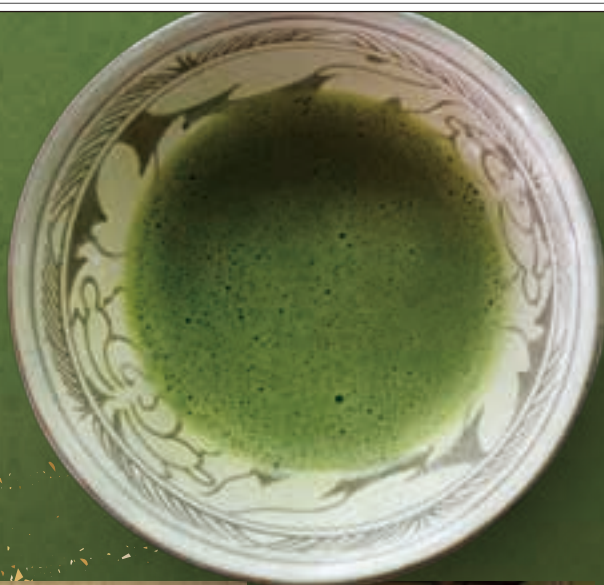
Our guest rooms have large windows: on the garden side, they look out over Mt. Fuji and the Hakone mountain range; on the mountain side, they look out over vibrant green trees. We have two types of hot springs: simple and sulfur. In addition to a large bathhouse for our simple hot spring, there are four sulfur-spring baths that you can reserve without charge. For dinner, try our Japanese-and-Western dinner tray to savor both cuisines.



Hotel Kagetsuen
ホテル花月園

☎ 0460-84-8621 MAP P31-E

- 1244-2 Sengokuhara, Hakone-machi, Ashigarashimo-gun, Kanagawa
- 40 minutes by bus from Hakone-Yumoto Station (Hakone Tozan Railway)



Enjoy matcha in a historic tea garden

Enjoy traditional Japanese culture at the historic tea garden of Hakuundo Cha-en, a registered tangible cultural property built in the 1910s.



Post on Instagram at
#gorapark_matcha
and receive
a small gift!

箱根 強羅公園
HAKONE GORA PARK 国登録記念物

Japan's first French formal garden opened to the public in 1914. Enjoy the 110-year-old Himalayan cedar, a symbolic tree, as well as a fountain pond and seasonal flowers.

1300 Gora, Hakone-machi, Ashigarashimo-gun, Kanagawa Pref.
0460-82-2825
5-minute walk from Gora Station (Hakone Tozan Railway)



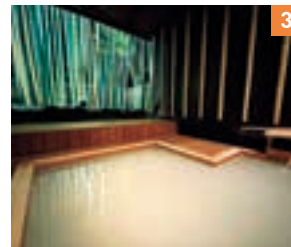
Hakone Sengokuhara: Hot spring resort amid

Sengokuhara is a hot spring resort at an altitude of 700 meters. It developed thanks to a supply of hot springs utilizing the volcanic activity of Owakudani. Even today you can enjoy the hot springs bubbling up from Owakudani (milky hot spring) and Ubako (clear hot spring).

Among places in Hakone, much attractive nature remains in Sengokuhara, beloved as a highland resort where beautiful scenery and art are as one.

Unique Hot Springs

Breathtaking View of Fuji



Superb Milky Hot Spring

Enter the delightful milky-white water drawn from Owakudani.

2 Hakone Hotel Kagetsuen

Reserved bath MAP 20

3 Mount View Hakone

Reserved open-air bath MAP 2

Daytrip to hot springs also available

Many inns in Sengokuhara Onsen are open for day-trip use, mainly before check-in.

A Variety of Hot Spring Inns

Attractive inns of rooms with open-air baths, hot springs flowing directly from the source, and baths with a wonderful view of Fuji are yours for delightful immersion.

1 HOTEL GREEN PLAZA HAKONE Open-air bath MAP 10

4 Yuya-Yamazakura Private sauna MAP 24

5 Sengokuhara Susukinohara Ichinoyu Indoor bath MAP 9



Café



Soba



Kaiseki



Many Gourmet Spots

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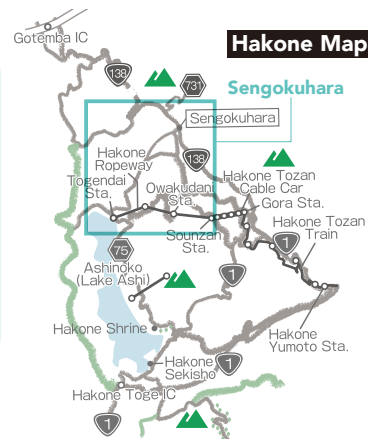
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rich nature!

-  About 30 minutes by bus from Hakone-Yumoto Station
-  About 30 minutes by bus from Gotemba Station
-  About 2 hours and 15 minutes by express bus (no transfers) from Shinjuku South Exit (Busta Shinjuku)

Note: Estimated time to the Hakone Sengoku Information Center bus stop



Seasonal Plants All in One Place

About 1,700 species of plants, including plants from Japan's wetlands and alpine plants, bloom in season.

Note: Closed from December 1 to March 19

 **7** Hakone Botanical Garden of Wetlands MAP A



Think of Sengoku-hara—This Is the Place to Be: Deep in Japanese Pampas Grass!

A highlight of Hakone in autumn is seeing Japanese pampas grass fields, an area of some 227,000 square meters. From late September to early November, the golden scenery is spectacular.

 **8** Sengoku-hara Pampas Grass Fields MAP B

Beautiful
Nature



9 Owakudani: Most Popular Tourist Spot in Hakone

Experience the power of the earth as steam rises from the bare ground. "Black eggs" are a must-try specialty that can only be purchased here.

 **10** Owakudani MAP C



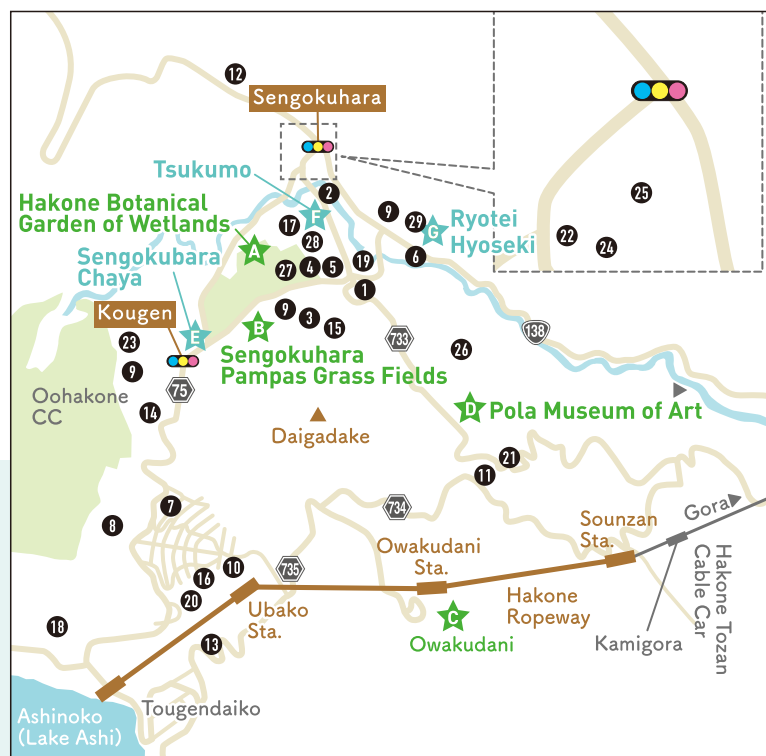
Easy access to areas where you can see Mt. Fuji



11 Art in Harmony with Nature

Unique art museums are located throughout the plateau, a pleasurable way to enjoy the harmony of nature and art.

 **11** Pola Museum of Art Forest Walkway Forest Walkway MAP D



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Harmony of Sculpture and Nature



Opened in 1969, the Hakone Open-Air Museum is the first open-air museum in Japan. Located in the mountains of Hakone, it spreads over 70,000 square meters and offers beautiful views of the surrounding mountains. Surrounded by nature, this art museum is perfect for taking a leisurely stroll while appreciating art.



THE HAKONE OPEN-AIR MUSEUM

彫刻の森美術館 0460-82-1161 MAP P30-C

*1121 Ninotaira, Hakone-machi, Ashigarashimo-gun, Kanagawa *9:00-17:00 (Last admission: 16:30) *365 days/year *adults ¥2,000 ; university and high school students ¥1,600 ; middle and elementary school students ¥800 *Hakone Tozan Railway to Chokoku-no-Mori Station, from which it is a 2-minute walk to the museum



Resonance in an Artful Forest



Set in the woods of Hakone, this art museum presents special exhibitions selected from a collection comprising a wide range of works, including those by Impressionists like Monet and Renoir, as well as by Picasso and Fujita, plus Japanese paintings and contemporary art. There is also a kilometer-long promenade to enjoy strolling through the enchanting, rich nature of the National Park.

POLA MUSEUM OF ART

ポーラ美術館

0460-84-2111 MAP P30-D

■1285 Kozukayama, Sengokuhara, Hakone-machi, Ashigarashimo-gun, Kanagawa ■9:00-17:00 (no admission after 16:30) ■Open daily (closed occasionally for display/exhibition change) ■Entry fees: adults, ¥2,200; university/high school students, ¥1,700; junior high school students and younger, free ■Parking available ■8 minutes by free shuttle bus from Gora Station on the Hakone Tozan Railway

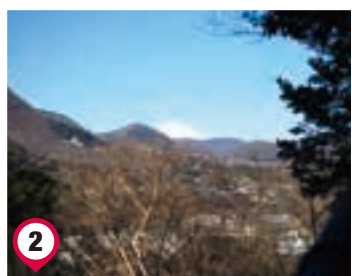


Breathtaking Views of Mt. Fuji

Mt. Fuji, symbolic home to Japanese people, became a World Cultural Heritage site by virtue of its beauty and being a source of spiritual as well as artistic inspiration. Experience all the joys of uniquely viewing Japan's sacred peak from Hakone and its environs.



from Owakudani



from Fujimidai



from Mt. Komagatake



from Jukukoku Toge



from Moto-hakone Port



Mt. Fuji is also featured on the MiSMO Hakone net. Find out more here!



Lake Kawaguchi Area

1 Lake Kawaguchi Sightseeing Boat Appare

10 min. by sightseeing bus (Red line) from Kawaguchiko Station on the Fujikyu Line.
2-min. walk from Sightseeing Boat/Ropeway Entrance bus stop



From this purely Japanese design of a ship from the Warring States period (15th-16th century), you'll have a matchless view of Mt. Fuji from the observation deck. The spacious interior is designed to resemble a tatami room.



2 ~Lake Kawaguchi~ Mt. Fuji Panorama Ropeway

10 min. by sightseeing bus (Red line) from Kawaguchiko Station on the Fujikyu Line.
2-min. walk from Sightseeing Boat/Ropeway Entrance bus stop



Just a mere three-minute ropeway ride connects Mt. Tenjo—legendary setting of *Kachikachiyama* folktale—with the shores of Lake Kawaguchi. From the observation deck at the summit station, you see all the way to the base of Mt. Fuji. In autumn, the tinted leaves are beautiful.



3 Fuji-Q Highland

Just a short walk from Fuji-Q Highland Station on the Fujikyu Line



Fun for all waits in the closest amusement park to Mt. Fuji, with world-class thrill rides. Enjoy a panoramic view of Mt. Fuji from the 55-meter-high observation deck of Fujiyama Tower.



4 Arakurayama Sengen Park & Chureito Pagoda

25-min. walk from Shimo-Yoshida Station on the Fujikyu Line



Located halfway up the foot of Mt. Arakura, Sengen Park is known around the world as a spot to take photos of Mt. Fuji, the five-story Chureito pagoda, and cherry blossoms in spring—all at once.

5 Fuji Motosuko Resort

50 min. by local bus (Shin-Fuji Station line) from Kawaguchiko Station on the Fujikyu Line.
Just a short walk from the venue of the Rainbow Flower Festival (or Fuji Shibazakura Festival).
Note: Only stops during the festivals



On a 6,000-square-meter site overlooking Mt. Fuji, take delight as nine floral varieties—including yellow, red, pink, and orange zinnia in profusion—are in full bloom.



Enjoy the Rainbow Flower Festival (August 30-October 13).



Spring over to Fuji Shibazakura Festival (mid-April to late May).



Get a savory souvenir: Fujiyama cookies, in the shape of Mt. Fuji.



6 Narusawa Ice Cave

30 min. by sightseeing bus (Blue line) from Kawaguchiko Station on the Fujikyu Line.
7-min. walk from Hyoketsu (Ice Cave) bus stop



Born over 1,150 years ago, this historic cave has been designated a national natural monument. With average annual temperature of 3°C, the cave offers fantastic sights of ice pillars & ice walls.

and Hakone Travel!

Enjoy the area around Lake Kawaguchi and Hakone where you see Mt. Fuji!
Note our recommended spots for experiencing all things Fuji.



Hakone Area

7 Hakone Yusen SORAKAZE

60 min. by bus from Odawara Station (JR and Odakyu lines) to Hakone Sekisho-ato Port, Moto-Hakone Port, or Hakone-en Port



If you come to Hakone, you must take a Lake Ashi cruise. Sightseeing boat **SORAKAZE** is like a park, with ivy entwined around the stern, a natural grass deck, and swing-like benches. Enjoy a cruise on the lake from various seats on the boat.



8 Hakone Shrine

30 min. by Izu Hakone Bus from Hakone-Yumoto Station on the Hakone Tozan Railway.
10-min. walk from Motohakone bus stop



The grounds of this monumental shrine, established in 757, include Kuzuryu Shrine Shingu and Treasure Hall, which enshrines Kuzuryu Okami. The underwater torii gate is one of the most popular Instagrammable spots in Hakone.

Sightseeing bus from Kawaguchiko Station is quite convenient for eager travelers!



9 Hakone Jukkoku Toge

25 min. by Izu Hakone Bus from Motohakone bus stop.
4-min. walk from Jukkoku-toge-noboriguchi bus stop

Take the cable car to the top of 770-meter-high Jukkoku Toge pass. From the top, you can enjoy a spectacular 360-degree view of Mt. Fuji and more. Churros shaped in the Chinese character of *toge* (pass) are recommended as a snack.



Note: Travel times are estimated and subject to change.

Spring

Summer



Horaien



Camp & spa Yamanone

\Enjoy Nature Hakone Kowakien

Relax amid leisurely activities at Hakone
various pleasures, and

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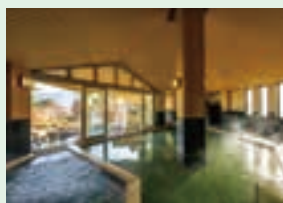


Beginner Course

Hike Chisuji Falls

A two-hour hiking course to Hakone Kowakien's nationally registered tangible cultural properties and Horaien Garden, as well as Chisuji Falls. Afterwards, enjoy *matcha* tea at Mikawayu Ryokan.

Time: 10:00–12:00 Fee: ¥1,500 per person



Yukata Rental and Historical Stroll

Visit Three Shrines in Hakone Kowakien

1. Yukata rental

Rent a wearer-friendly two-piece *yukata* and stroll the grounds of Hakone Kowakien. Fine photo spots are introduced as well.

Fee: ¥2,000 per person



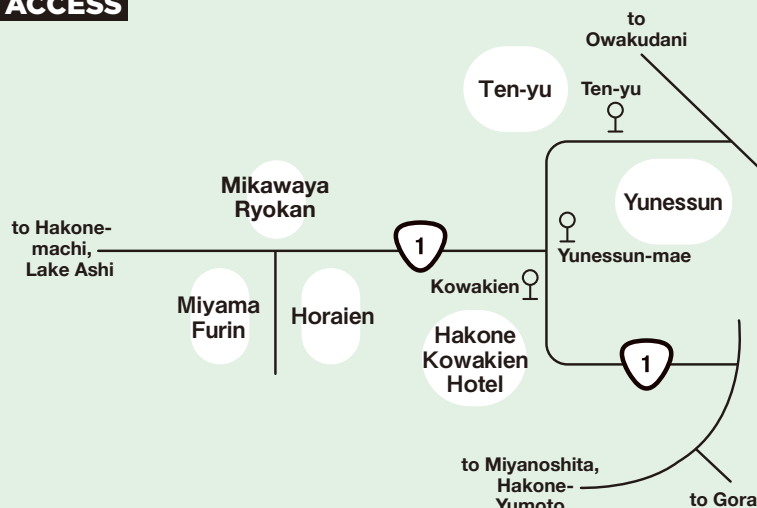
2. Yukata rental, dining, and hot springs

In addition to renting a two-piece *yukata* and strolling Hakone Kowakien, this fulfilling course lets you enjoy authentic soba noodles at Kihinkan and hot springs at Mori no Yu.

Fee: ¥5,500 per person



ACCESS



and Culture! /

Activity Base

Kowakien, a resort where hot springs, dining, accommodation are all in one!

♀ = Bus stop



Autumn

Winter



Mikawayu cafe



Mori no Yu



Intermediate Course

Trek Mt. Asama & Chisuji Falls (Includes bathing at Mori no Yu)

A course of about 3.5 hours offers the pleasures of nature on a trekking course to Mt. Asama (802 m) and Chisuji Falls. Refresh yourself after the hike in Mori no Yu's inviting hot spring.

Time: 9:00-12:30 Fee: ¥3,000 per person



Private Bath

Motoyu Mori no Yu "Bettei Yasuragi"

A private hot spring like a hideaway surrounded by nature. Relax and unwind in your own private space.

Time: 11:00-20:00

Note: Advance reservation required

Fee: ¥7,000-¥11,000



By train

About 90 min. from Shinjuku Station to Hakone-Yumoto Station by Odakyu Romancecar
About 20 min. from Hakone-Yumoto Station by Hakone Tozan Bus or Izu Hakone Bus, or
About 45 min. from Hakone-Yumoto Station to Gora Station by Hakone Tozan Railway

By car

(From Tokyo area)

Tomei Expressway → Atsugi I.C. → Odawara Atsugi Road → Hakoneguchi I.C.
→ National Route 1 → Hakone Kowakien (about 60 min. from Atsugi I.C.)

(From Shizuoka/Gotemba area)

Tomei Expressway → Gotemba I.C. → National Route 138 → Turn right at the
Miyanoshiba flashing light → National Route 1 → Hakone Kowakien (about 40 min. from
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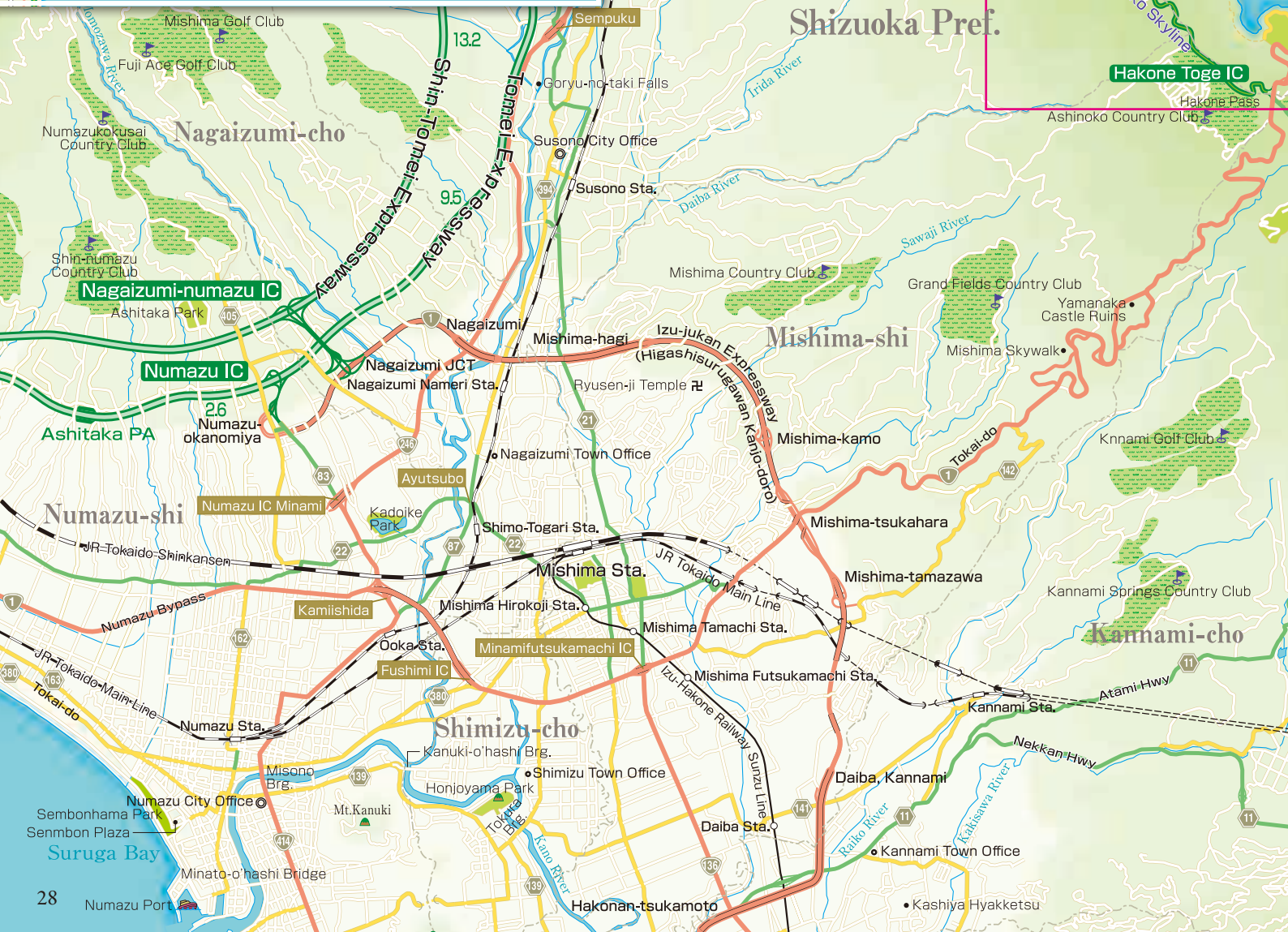


Hakone Kowakien Digital MAP

Scan the QR code for
information of each facility.



Note: All quoted fees include tax.





- A** Odawara 小田原
- B** Hakone-Yumoto 箱根湯本
- C** Miyanoshita / Kowakidani / Gora
宮ノ下・小涌谷・強羅
- D** Sengokuhara 仙石原
- E** Ashinoko (Lake Ashi) 芦ノ湖

Hakone/ Odawara

箱根・小田原

B Hakone-Yumoto | 箱根湯本



Hakone Tourist Information Center



Obtain here the latest information of the whole Hakone area, such as sample trip plans and the best spots of the season. English-speaking staffers are available to help plan your trip around Hakone.

Hakone Tourist Information Center

Open hours 9:00~17:45 (open every day)

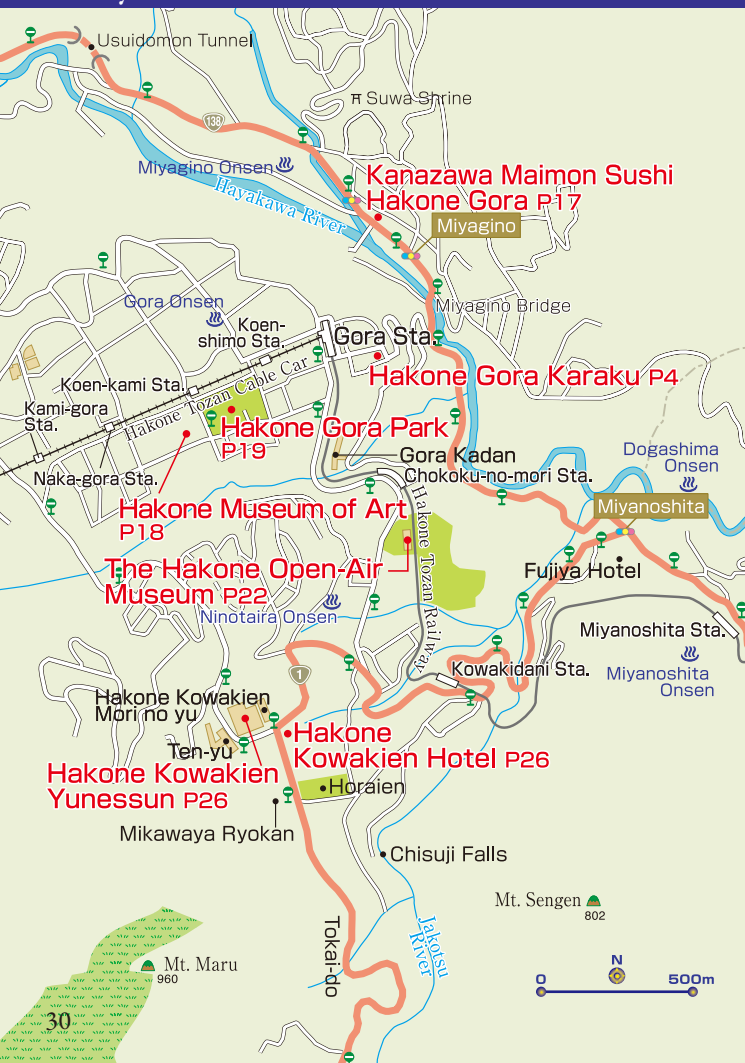
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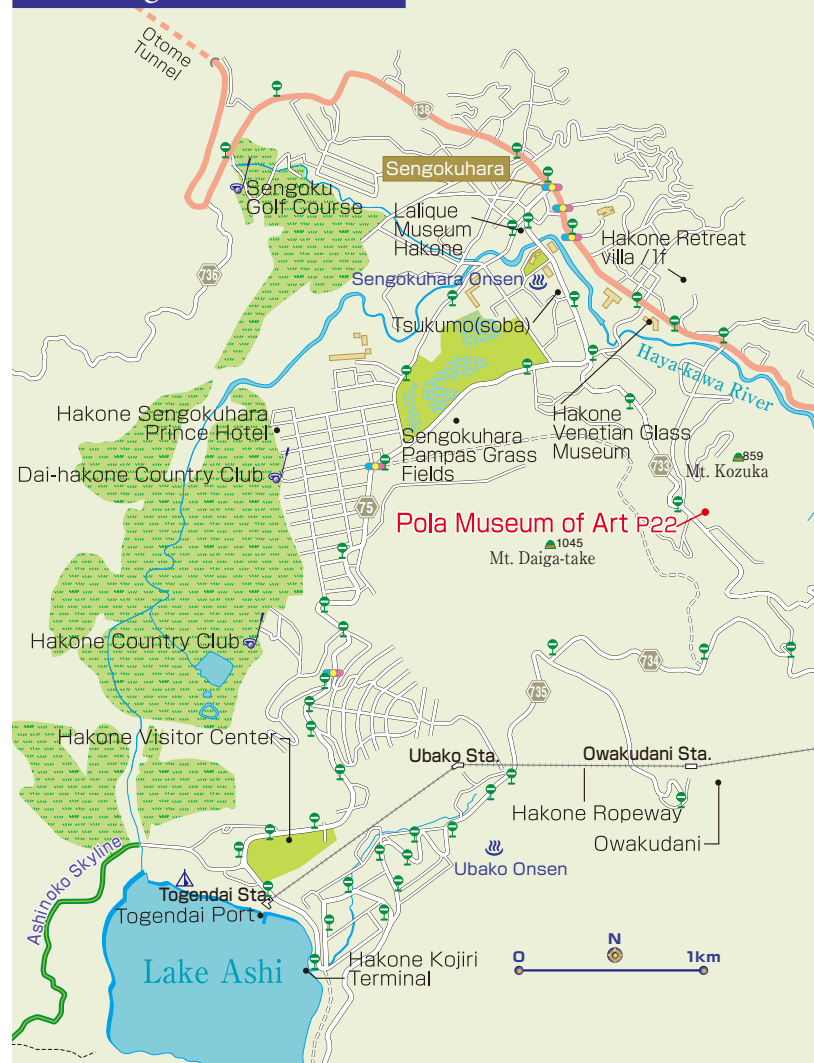
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A souvenir shop to enjoy Japanese culture and Mt. Fuji

Hakone Sekisho Tabimonogatari-kan

Lake Ashi is an area to experience rich nature and Mt. Fuji, as well as Hakone history. Hakone Sekisho Tabimonogatari-kan, our area's largest souvenir shop, offers sake tasting with a special server, including an array of Hakone souvenirs, assuring marvelous travel memories.



SAKE

Even as a souvenir!



Pour cold sake into this mysterious cup and watch it change color to cherry blossoms and Mt. Fuji!

Fine Sake-Tasting Experience

"Kiki-zake" is a marvelous taste of traditional Japanese culture. This fine sake is to be savored with all five senses and its quality affirmed. At the sake-tasting corner in Tabimonogatari-kan, you'll sample small servings of 30 kinds of sake carefully selected from all over Japan. English descriptions are available. After the tasting, purchase the sake you found delightfully savory.



The largest souvenir shop in the Lake Ashi area is designed with an Edo-period (1603-1867) look and feel. In this vivacious atmosphere, enjoy shopping among a wide array of souvenirs, including Hakone specialties and folk crafts. There also are two restaurants, one specializing in tasty soba noodle dishes.



Lake Ashi Area MAP



SOUVENIRS

Hakone Sekisho Tabimonogatari-kan

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