

Popular tourist spots in Tokyo

Tokyo Sightseeing

Accessibility Guide

2023

ALL 35 courses



Introducing thirty five courses that link sightseeing spots in Tokyo.

We offer complete easy-to-understand course routes,
accessibility information at tourist spots,
as well as travel time information.

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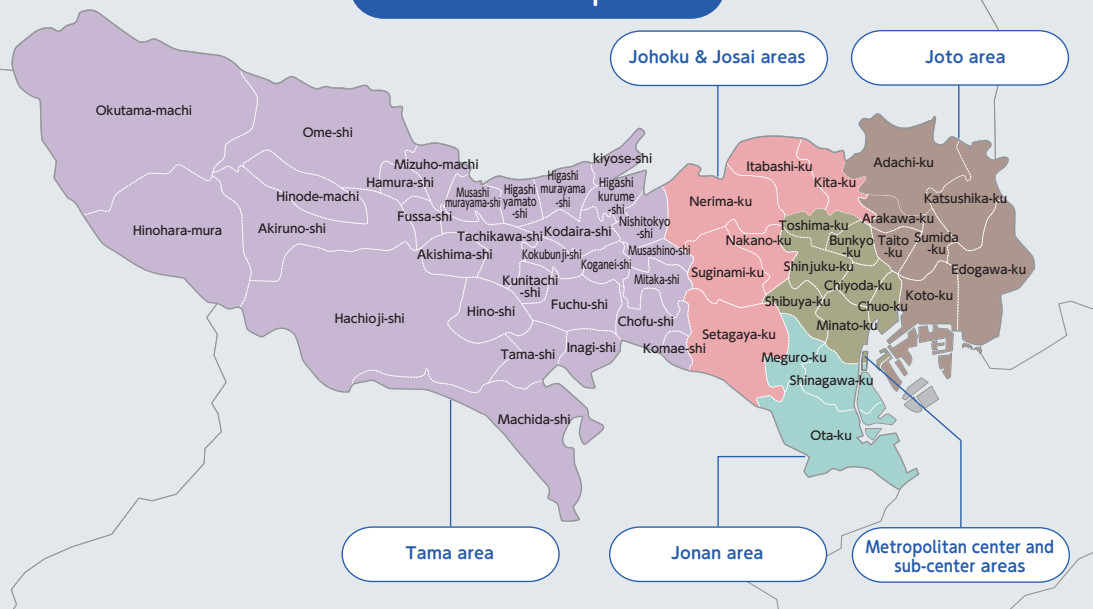
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About this guide

The Tokyo metropolis welcomes high numbers of visitors from elsewhere in Japan and around the world. This Tokyo Sightseeing Accessibility Guide has been published to help elderly travelers and those with impairment have a pleasant, stress-free sightseeing experience. This guide consists of thirty five courses linking popular Tokyo sightseeing spots and provides accessibility information along each travel route as well as tips for a more enjoyable experience. The aim of the guide is to let users apply this information in their own choices and decisions while they enjoy exploring Tokyo.

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Five themes

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Shopping

Downtown

Amusement

Nature

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A Uni-Voice navigation code is printed next to the name of each course in this guide.
Scan the code using the Uni-Voice app on your smartphone to display the route on a map in the app.

Select from thirty five Tokyo sightseeing courses by area and theme!

This guide introduces thirty five courses that connect sightseeing spots in Tokyo. In addition to sightseeing highlights and accessibility at each location, the maps also clearly indicate information such as accessibility along the travel route and tips. The guide also provides information on sightseeing spots located in close proximity to each course so that users are free to alter the course depending on their physical condition, available time, personal preferences, etc.

* Travelers are free to alter their course or shorten it depending on their physical condition, available time, or personal preferences.

How to Use the Guide



Wheelchair-accessible restroom
(located within the ticket gates at train and subway stations unless noted otherwise)



Elevator for wheelchair users available



Ostomate-friendly facility



Gradual slope: a slope that inexperienced manual wheelchair users can navigate on their own with little need for caregiver assistance (incline below about 3 degrees)



Nursing area
(with diaper-changing table, unless noted otherwise)



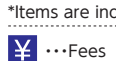
Steep slope: a slope that will be difficult for manual wheelchair users to navigate or brake on without significant physical strength or skill and that will place a heavy strain on caregivers (incline of about 3 degrees or more)



Written communication possible through communication boards or paper



Explanations, etc.
available through tactile maps or in Braille



*Items are indicated in dark blue if applicable and gray if not.



...Fees



...Closed days



...Hours



Travel route
(on foot)



Travel route (subway, bus, monorail, water bus, etc.)

Koganji Temple (Togenuki Jizoson)

About
10 min.

Koganji Temple is fondly known as "Togenuki Jizoson." "Togenuki" (needle removal) comes from an Edo period tale in which a needle accidentally swallowed by a woman came out of a Jizo after she drank a good luck charm. The "Arai-Kannon" on the grounds is also popular.

There are no steps or inclinations at the entrance or on the grounds so moving about is easy. There is a ramp (13 degrees) at the side of the main temple building to allow wheelchair access (assistance required). Exercise caution on temple fair days (days with a 4 in the date) as it becomes very crowded.

Tel 03-3917-8221

¥ Free admission

☑ Gates open: 6:00 - 17:00 (20:00 on the 4th, 14th and 24th)

☒ None



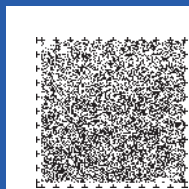
Additional Notes

* This document has been created based on information as of January 2023. * The travelling time for the routes is estimated at 60 meters per minute. * It is recommended that you make preliminary confirmations of the information listed here by phone before your outing as there may be changes in the data. * Please note that we cannot be held responsible for any loss or injury that may be incurred due to this information. * Consumption tax is included in all listed fees as a general rule. Fees such as admission fees are those for adults unless stated otherwise. * It is recommended that visitors with physical disabilities make preliminary inquiries at facilities that they wish to visit such as through their websites. They might be offered discounts or exemptions from fees for the disabled, although the conditions for the presentation of physical impairment certificates may differ. * As a general rule, holiday seasons such as the year-end and New Year's holidays, the Obon holiday break, and Golden Week are not listed. * As a general rule, the hours listed here are the opening and closing hours. Please note that the final time for admission listed here is generally from 30 minutes to 1 hour before closing time. * Please make confirmations with the transit agency you are travelling with before your outing as traffic information may change due to natural disasters or depending on the season. * Map information is the result of investigation from September 2022 to January 2023. * Uni-Voice navigation codes provide route guidance using the GPS function of your smartphone. The positioning accuracy of GPS varies, as reception may be impaired by the surrounding environment and weather. Due to the effects of COVID-19, business hours and closed days may differ from those listed. Please check with each facility and store for details.

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1 Toranomon, Hibiya, Nagatacho

Walk around the seat of government



Wheelchair users can visit Atago-jinja Shrine, known for the steep 86 step "Staircase of Promotion", via the elevator installed at the side. View the House of Councillors, The National Diet of Japan, and the center of Japanese politics in the area surrounding Nagatacho.

Route

Toei Subway Onarimon Sta. [Exit A6]	11 min. on foot 630 m	Atago-jinja Shrine	2 min. on foot 100 m	NHK Museum of Broadcasting	10 min. on foot 600 m
Toei Subway Onarimon Sta. [Exit A6]	1 min. 1st stop	Toei Subway Uchisaiwaicho Sta. [Exit A8]	6 min. on foot 360 m	Chiyoda City's Hibiya Library & Museum	
On foot		Hibiya Park	5 min. on foot 280 m	Tokyo Metro Kasumigaseki Sta. [Exit A1]	1 min. 1st stop
Tokyo Metro Kokkai-gijidomae Sta. [Exit 2]	7 min. on foot 380 m	House of Councillors, The National Diet of Japan	7 min. on foot 380 m	Tokyo Metro Kokkai-gijidomae Sta. [Exit 2]	

Notes

Atago-jinja Shrine and the NHK Museum of Broadcasting atop Mt. Atago can be accessed by elevator. The hill in front of the House of Councillors, The National Diet of Japan, can be avoided by going 1 stop from Kasumigaseki Station.



Atago-jinja Shrine

About
15min.

At 26 meters, Mt. Atago is the highest topographical feature in the Tokyo municipality and is home to a Deity of Fire Protection. It was built in 1603 at the behest of Tokugawa Ieyasu. Nowadays, working people come here to take a break. *From February 2023, the precincts will be under construction (approximately 1 year construction period).



The shrine is accessible, the elevator makes access easier, so please visit any time.

TEL 03-3431-0327

- ¥ Free entry to grounds
- ☑ 9:00 - 16:00 (Shrine office hours)
10:00 - 15:00 (Prayer hours)
- ✕ Free entry to grounds



Use the elevator at Mt. Atago to gain access to the grounds. The Staircase of Promotion can be seen from the grounds. Written communication is available at the shrine office.

NHK Museum of Broadcasting

About
45min.



This was opened in 1956 as the world's first museum specializing in broadcasting. Anybody can come and view the public program library and enjoy the Atagoyama 8K theater. Some exhibits may not be available due to COVID-19 infection control measures.

View posters or panels from drama series, the Taiga dramas or images from historical broadcasts, and try being a news reader or weather forecaster in the experience area. Written request boards are on loan from the 1st floor reception. Ask at reception to use the nursing room.

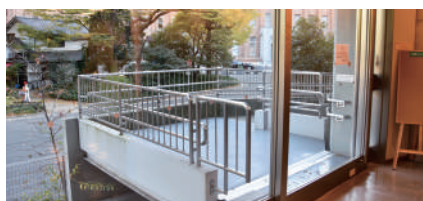
TEL 03-5400-6900

- ¥ Free
- ☑ 9:30 - 16:30
- ✕ Mondays (if Monday is a national holiday or substitute holiday, museum will be open and closed the following Tuesday)

Chiyoda City's Hibiya Library & Museum

About
45min.

The book floor and permanent exhibition of the history of Chiyoda City are a familiar rest place for local residents. Hibiya College is a place of exchange, hosting lectures, seminars and workshops and currently has exhibitions on Edo/ Tokyo, Books and Art.



The 1st floor special exhibition hall exhibits cultural assets to artworks 3 to 4 times a year. You can look at documents classified by theme on the 2nd and 3rd book floors. Written request boards can be borrowed from the reception desks on the 1st and 2nd floors. Ask to use the slope or elevator via the intercom. There is a nursing room on the 4th floor.

TEL 03-3502-3340 (Supervisor) 03-3502-3343 (Book counter)

- ¥ Free
- ☑ Opening times 10:00 - 22:00 (Monday - Friday) 10:00 - 19:00 (Saturdays)
10:00 - 17:00 (Sundays, national holidays)
- ✕ 3rd Monday each month, Special sorting period

Hibiya Park

About
20min.

This modern Western-style Park celebrates in 2023 its 120th anniversary. As a place of original culture, the park has played a major role, especially the Western-style outside music stage, restaurants and flowers. Various flowers can be enjoyed in the park throughout the four seasons, which helps many people relax despite its location in the heart of the city. The large symbolic fountain operates from 8:00 to 21:00 and is lit up at night.

Wheelchair-accessible restrooms with an audio assistance system are located in front of the public hall, Next to Kasumi Gate and behind the music hall.



TEL 03-3501-6428

- ¥ Free entry (Some facilities have entrance fees)
- ☑ Always open (Ask the service center for opening times of each facility)
- ✕ None

House of Councillors, The National Diet of Japan

About
1 hr.

The House of Councillors, The National Diet of Japan, is the center of Japanese politics. It was completed in 1936, after 17 years of work. The visitor's lobby has a display showing the history and structure of the Diet, as well as member's badges and a 15 cm long budget form. The 3rd floor of the main building has a room in which the Emperor can rest, which was built using cutting-edge technology for the time and is worth visiting.

There is a tactile map of the main building in the visitor's lobby. Wheelchair users can also get a feeling for sitting in parliament. There are guided tours of the House of Councillors. Ask in advance for tours using sign language.



TEL 03-5521-7445

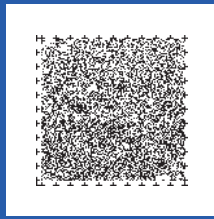
- ¥ Free
- ☑ 9:00 - 16:00 (May close without notice)
- ✕ Saturdays, Sundays, national holidays

Sightseeing Spots Nearby

●Facility	●Description	●Accessibility information	●Telephone number
Japan Sake & Shochu Information Center	This facility promotes the charm of Sake, Honkaku Shochu, and Awamori to people from around the world. As well as the exhibition, you can enjoy tasting about 100 items of Sake, Honkaku Shochu, and Awamori for a reasonable price.	The interior floor is flat, so wheelchair users can enjoy their visit. There is a slope at the entrance opposite the Sotobori-dori entrance.	03-3519-2091
Parliamentary Museum House of Representatives	As well as introducing the structure and operations of the National Diet, there is a permanent display and exhibitions explaining parliamentary democracy.	The entrance on the second floor (for visiting the exhibition rooms) is accessible via ramps. All the exhibition rooms are located on the second floor, but can be accessed from the first floor using the elevator. Wheelchair users can also get a feeling for sitting in the parliament.	03-3581-1651
Garden (North Garden/South Garden) (The front park of the Diet Building)	Boasting a wide variety of cherry blossoms in spring, this is a perfect place for a stroll and a popular photo spot.	There are places with steps and steep slopes (max. 12 degrees) in the gardens, so wheelchair users must be accompanied. There is one wheelchair-accessible restroom in the south area.	03-3581-1651 (Parliamentary Museum)
Vegetation and Water College Municipal Midori Library Tokyo Green Archives	As well as old photographs, diagrams and picture postcards relating to parks and greenery, there are around 200,000 books and magazines relating to greenery.	There are steps to the main entrance, but upper floors can be reached by taking the slope to the 1st floor café, "SPORTS STATION & CAFE," and then riding the elevator at the rear. There are no steps on each floor so wheelchair users can browse freely.	03-5532-1306

② Hanzomon, Kudanshita

Experiencing the history of the Kitanomaru of Edo Castle



A course from Hanzomon Station to Chidorigafuchi, and through Kitanomaru Garden. Visit locations including the Science Museum, which was designed to widely diffuse and promote science technology and industrial technology of modern times and the near future, and SHOWA-KAN, which depicts the wartime and post-war days of the Showa era.

Route

Tokyo Metro Hanzomon Sta. [Exit 6]	5 min. on foot 300 m	Chidorigafuchi Park	15 min. on foot 870 m
Science Museum	12 min. on foot 670 m	Kitanomaru Garden, Tayasumon Gate	5 min. on foot 300 m
SHOWA-KAN	2 min. on foot 100 m	Toei Subway, Tokyo Metro Kudanshita Sta. [Exit 6]	

Notes

The route starts at Hanzomon Station and goes down Kudanzaka. Those in manual wheelchairs require a helper in some areas as there are steep slopes and lengthy downward hills.



Chidorigafuchi Park

About
10 min.

Chidorigafuchi is a moat made by blocking the Tsubonezawa River with earthen bridges at Hanzomon Gate and Tayasumon Gate during the expansion of Edo Castle. It used to be a long moat, but now it is divided into Hanzo Moat and Daikancho Street. The park is located between Hanzo Moat and the British Embassy, and has about 170 cherry trees such as the Someiyoshino and Yamazakura cherry trees with flowers that blossom beautifully in the spring. It is also a popular spot for strolling.



Those in wheelchairs can use the walking path. However, those in wheelchairs are asked to be careful at the entrance of the park near the Chidorigafuchi Intersection on the northern side because there is a long downward slope. There are no steps at the entrance by the Hanzomon intersection on the south side.



TEL 03-5211-4243 (Road Park Division Chiyoda City)

¥ Free

Kitanomaru Garden

to include a visit to the Tayasumon Gate About
40 min.

The location where the Kitanomaru of Edo Castle was located during the Edo period. It is a relaxation spot with many people who come to enjoy activities such as nature observation and walking. It is a rare type of moss that can usually be found only in places such as high-altitude caves. Access is closed but photos are available on the website.



TEL 03-3211-7878 ¥ Free



Some areas in the park have stairs, steps, and slopes, but there is also a route that can be taken by those in wheelchairs. Parking Areas 1, 2, and 3 at Kitanomaru Garden have exclusive spaces for customers with impairments. If you would like to rent a wheelchair or use a written communication board, please come to the 1st parking lot (8:30-16:30) or the Kitanomaru Garden Office (weekdays 8:30-16:30).

Tayasumon Gate

This is the entrance to Kitanomaru Garden and the only remains left from 1636 when the outermost enclosure of Edo Castle was completed. It is a square-shaped "masugatamon-style" gate and consists of a "koraimon-style" gate at the front and a "yaguramon-style" gate at the right side at the back. Inside the gate were magistrate's residences, a cloister for women who served at the inner palace, and the residences of people such as Princess Sen, Kasuganotsubone, and Tokugawa Ieyasu's second wife and Mito Yorifusa's adoptive mother, Eishoin.



Visitors can touch the actual stone walls of Tayasumon Gate and Edo Castle. Those traveling along Yasukuni Street are asked to be careful as it is a downhill trip with a steep slope.

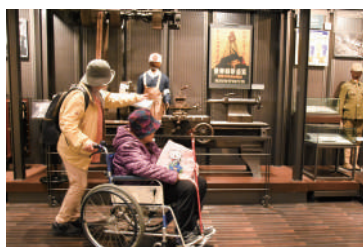
¥ Free



SHOWA-KAN

About
1 hr.

A national facility built for the purpose of conveying to future generations the hardships that citizens faced in daily life during wartime and post-war days. In the permanent exhibition rooms on the 6th and 7th floors, there are around 500 items related to the daily lives of the people from about 1935 to 1955. In addition, you can view mainly photographs and videos of how people lived during wartime and post-war days, as well as sounds from 78 rpm records in the audio-visual room. On the 4th Saturday of odd months, storytellers perform picture-story shows in the collection. In addition, the first Sunday of every Month, takes place a regular talk event called "Story-tellers for the next generation".



TEL 03-3222-2577

¥ [Charged only on 6th and 7th floors] (free for junior high school students and younger) 10:00 - 17:30 (admission until 17:00)
❑ Mondays (the following day if Monday is a national holiday)



The Museum features news reels from a long time ago and in the permanent exhibition's rooms visitors can have experiences like go into an air raid shelter and try to draw water from a well. Wheelchairs are lent out at the general information counter on the 1st floor. There is a nursing room on the 1st floor. There are no seats for changing diapers.

Science Museum

About
1 hr.

The wonders of science themed on familiar things and various technology leading to the near future are introduced centering on hands-on exhibits. Be exposed to things that you find absolutely amazing and things that you never knew about not by just looking at the exhibits, but also touching and moving them around. Projections shown on a Synra Dome with a diameter of 10 meters are popular with both adults and children.



Visitors can see, touch, and feel for themselves various forms of science and technology. Those in wheelchairs can access each floor by elevator but are asked to notify the staff when doing so. Please go to the reception counter on the 1st floor or the staff counter on the 5th floor if you would like to use a communication board.



Please feel free to visit the interactive facilities that many visitors find interesting.

TEL 03-3212-8544

¥ ¥950 (Discounts are available for physically challenged persons with disability certificate and one accompanying person.) 9:30 - 16:50 (admission until 16:00)

❑ Please check the Official Website. <https://www.jsf.or.jp/en/>

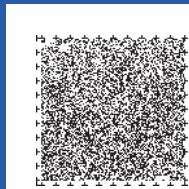


Sightseeing Spots Nearby

● Facility	● Description	● Accessibility information	● Telephone number
National Archives of Japan	A treasure house of historical public records and archives received from governmental agencies in Japan, where they are preserved and made available for public access. They hold permanent exhibits, special exhibits, and featured exhibits. There is also a reading room where visitors can view archival materials.	There are no steps or slopes at the entrance or inside, and displays in the 1st floor exhibition hall are set low so as to be easily viewed by wheelchair users. Visitors can view the archival materials from its holdings for their research in the 2nd floor reading room. Wheelchair users can take the elevator to the 2nd floor. There are dedicated parking spaces for customers with impairments.	03-3214-0621 (main)
Chidorigafuchi Pedestrian Path	A walking path along Chidorigafuchi on the west side of the Imperial Palace surrounded by greenery and a moat. It is a 700 meter-long path from the entrance of the National Cemetery for War Dead to Yasukuni Street.	There are no steps on the walking path so wheelchair users can enjoy the scenery comfortably while following the path.	03-3234-1948 (boat ground) 03-5211-4243 (Road Park Division Chiyoda City)
JCII Camera Museum	See the development of cameras in Japan before photos could be taken easily with smartphones like today.	Reception is on the B1 floor so those in wheelchairs must first go to the Japan Camera Industry Institute in the adjacent building. A staff member will take you via elevator to the exhibition room on the B1 floor. Cameras stored by the museum can be searched for and viewed with a touch-screen search system. The floors in the building are level and the displays are at heights that make them easy to see.	03-3263-7110

③ Yushima, Ochanomizu

Find famed sites of learning



Visit famed sites of learning dating back to the Edo period, sacred places such as shrines and churches, and groups of universities in the educational zone, which dot the area from Yushima to Ochanomizu. This is a course that is perfect for knowing the present by learning about the past.

Route

Toei Subway Hongo-sanchome Sta. [Exit 5]	11 min. on foot 650 m	Yushima Tenmangu Shrine (Yushima Tenjin)	11 min. on foot 630 m	International Origami Center
8 min. on foot 450 m	Kanda-jinja Shrine (Kanda Myojin)	10 min. on foot 600 m	Holy Resurrection Cathedral, Tokyo (Nikolai-do)	
6 min. on foot 350 m	Meiji University Museum	5 min. on foot 300 m	Tokyo Metro Ochanomizu Sta. [Exit 1, Exit 2]	

Notes

There is a steep slope between Yushima Tenmangu Shrine and Kanda-jinja Shrine. Manual wheelchair users will need assistance from a caregiver.



Yushima Tenmangu Shrine (Yushima Tenjin)

About
20 min.

A shrine dedicated to Sugawara Michizane, revered as the god of learning. Picturesque votive tablets are offered on the grounds to pray for passing entrance exams, family safety, protection from danger, etc. The plum garden is also a famous spot for viewing plum blossoms.



It is located on a steep hill, but visitors can avoid the steep incline by taking the route from Hongo. A wheelchair-accessible restroom is available outside the grounds. Caution will be required because the road in front of the restroom has an inclination of about 6 degrees.



TEL 03-3836-0753

¥ Free entry to grounds ☑ 8:30 - 19:30 (gate open: 6:00 - 20:00)
✕ None

Kanda-jinja Shrine (Kanda Myojin)

About
20 min.

Edo's guardian deity enshrined at the former outer gate of Edo Castle. The shrine was highly revered by both the Edo Shogunate and the common people. The Kanda Festival is famous as one of the three great festivals of Edo as well as Japan. Enshrining the god of prosperity in business, it looks after Japan's central business areas of Kanda, Nihombashi, Akihabara, Otemachi, Marunouchi, etc. Visitors may eat/drink and buy souvenirs in the Cultural Exchange Hall.



The entrance and grounds have no steps or slopes, making it easy to navigate even by visitors in wheelchairs. A wheelchair-accessible restroom is available on the 1st floor of the Cultural Exchange Hall. Both sides of the shrine pavilion have slopes (8 to 10 degrees inclinations).



TEL 03-3254-0753

¥ Free ☑ 9:00-17:00 (gate open: 24 hours) ✕ Free entry to grounds

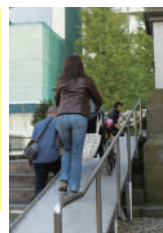
Holy Resurrection Cathedral, Tokyo (Nikolai-do)

About
20 min.

A cathedral of the Orthodox Church in Japan. It is commonly known as St. Nikolai Church, named after the Russian saint who introduced the Orthodox faith to Japan.



There is a slope for wheelchairs along the side of the church. Please contact the cathedral office or staff at the entrance when using it. Messages can be conveyed but visitors are asked to bring their own boards or paper to write on.



TEL 03-3295-6879

¥ ¥300 donation (suggested) (Discounts available for those with impairments and their caregivers. Inquire for details.)
☑ Admission inside the church: 13:00 - 16:00 (until 15:30 from October to March)
✕ Mondays

Meiji University Museum

About
1 hr.

A museum divided into three departments: Commodity Department, Criminal Materials Department, and Archaeology Department.



Visitors in wheelchairs can also enjoy the facilities with no problem.



TEL 03-3296-4448 ¥ Free admission ☑ Monday to Friday: 10:00 - 17:00 (admission until 16:30); Saturday: 10:00 - 16:00 (admission until 15:30)
✕ Sundays, national holidays

There are also exhibits that cannot be found anywhere else. Regular exhibits can be enjoyed for free.

International Origami Center

About
30 min.

Here, visitors can casually enjoy traditional washi (Japanese paper) culture. The shop on the 3rd floor offers a wide array of origami and washi paper.



The gallery on the M2 floor can only be accessed by a stairway. Visitors in wheelchairs can access the shop on the 3rd floor and workshop on the 4th floor by taking the elevator and stair lift.

TEL 03-3811-4025

¥ Admission is free but fees are charged for event participation
☑ 9:30 - 16:30
✕ Sundays, national holidays

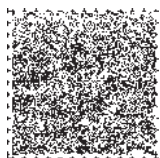
The workshop where washi paper is dyed can also be observed from 10:00 to 16:30 when the door is open. Exhibitions, lectures, and hands-on classes are held as well.

Sightseeing Spots Nearby

● Facility	● Description	● Accessibility information	● Telephone number
TOKYO WATERWORKS HISTORICAL MUSEUM	A presentation of the history of waterworks, starting with the establishment of Edo's water supply over 400 years ago and continuing down to the present.		Audio guidance (Japanese, English, Korean, Chinese) available.
Ochanomizu Sola City	Consists of two squares: a ground-level square where visitors can relax among greenery and an underground square surrounded by shops.		Wheelchair-accessible restroom available in Sola City Plaza, B1 floor.
maACh ecute KANDAMANSEIBASHI	A commercial space created by renovating the railroad remains of the former Manseibashi Station, which opened in 1912. There are shops and cafes with high tastes and hobbies.		The passageways on the 2nd floor deck and the open-air deck along the Kanda River are somewhat narrow (110 centimeters wide).

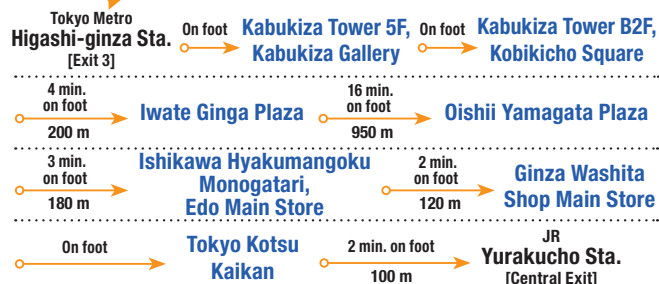
4 Ginza, Yurakucho

Make the round of antenna shops



After casually enjoying Kabuki culture and the Edo atmosphere, experience the flavors and crafts of various regions of Japan at antenna shops found around the Ginza/Yurakucho area. Department stores and other buildings provide good universal design facilities. Enjoy a worry-free stroll around Ginza.

Route



Notes

Weekdays are good for visiting antenna shops. Weekend afternoons are good for enjoying Ginza-dori Avenue as it is closed to automobile traffic.

Kabukiza Gallery

About 20 min.

A place where you can discover the appeal of kabuki and interact closely with it. The contents of the exhibitions and business hours are subject to change. Please check the website, etc. A rooftop garden can be found on the 5th floor where the gallery is also located, and the "Goemon Stairs," which connect the 4th and 5th floors, and the corridor on the 4th floor have exhibits such as panels, and the building models of the past Kabukiza Theatres.



The Kabukiza Tower, completed in 2013, is directly connected to Higashi-ginza Station. Take an escalator and large exclusive elevator to the gallery on the 5th floor.



TEL 03-3545-6800

¥ free access to some areas ※areas with charge are closed
 ☑ 10:30 - 18:00 ☒ Irregular holidays



Kobikicho Square

About
50 min.

A plaza with a giant symbolic lantern. It is lined with shops that offer kabuki goods and gifts as well as stalls that sell local specialties. It also has a restaurant.



Direct access from Exit 3 of Higashi-ginza Station. The floor is flat with wide pathways, and is easy to pass through. It is not crowded and particularly easy to use during the hours after the performances begin.

TEL 03-3545-6551

☑ 9:30 - 18:30 (varies by shop) ☒ Irregular holidays

Iwate Ginga Plaza

About
20 min.

Enjoy delicacies from the waters and mountains of spacious Iwate Prefecture. The Koikai soft-serve ice cream that can be enjoyed on the spot is popular year-round.



When coming from Higashi-ginza Station, elevators are available at Exit 3 and Exit A1 of the Kabukiza Theatre. There is a ramp at the entrance of the shop.

TEL 03-3524-8282

☑ 10:30 - 19:00 (17:00 at the end of every month) ☒ None

Oishii Yamagata Plaza

About
20 min.

Delicious vegetables from Yamagata are a strong appeal of this shop. It offers plenty of delicacies from Yamagata including processed agricultural products such as pickles and jam, and famous sweets.



The 1st floor shopping area can be entered from the road in front without worrying about steps. The heights of shelves and checkout counters are lowered.



TEL 03-5250-1752

☑ 10:00 - 20:00 ☒ None

Ishikawa Hyakumangoku Monogatari, Edo Main Store

About
20 min.

Sells alcohol, delicacies, fresh and processed goods, crafts and more. The 2nd floor has a tourism concierge desk (to ask about sightseeing) and an event space.



Use the elevator to go between the three floors.

TEL 03-5579-5890

☑ 10:30 - 19:00 ☒ None



Ginza Washita Shop Main Store

About
20 min.

Enjoy Okinawan music and the bright smiles of the staff, and immerse yourself in the Okinawan atmosphere of this shop. Here, you will find many types of Awamori liquor, Okinawan vegetables, tropical fruits, and more.(From February 2023, relocated to TOKYO KOTSU KAIKAN)



There is a wheelchair-accessible restroom on the B1 floor and baby beds on the 2nd floor. Please visit the information desk on the 1st floor for details.

TEL 03-6701-8220

☑ 10:00-20:00 ☒ None

TOKYO KOTSU KAIKAN

About
1 hr.

Here you will find famous local products from all across the country! It is lined with antenna shops and travel information desks from Hokkaido in the north to Okinawa in the south, offering delicious foods and traditional crafts. It's also a great place to visit before you make the trip.



There is a wheelchair-accessible restroom on the B1 floor and baby beds on the 2nd floor. Please visit the information desk on the 1st floor for details.

TEL Varies by shop

☑ ☒ Varies by shop

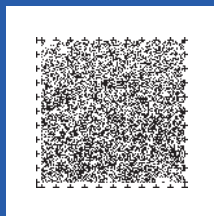


Sightseeing Spots Nearby

●Facility	●Description	●Accessibility information	●Telephone number
Ginza-dori Ave.	Ginza's main street. The street is closed to traffic on Saturday and Sunday afternoons, making it easy to stroll around the area. For details, please visit the Ginza Official website at http://www.ginza.jp/en/ . Ginza's first barrier-free map in English "ALL-ACCESS GINZA Your guide to accessible, barrier-free Ginza" is now available.	Varies by shop.	Varies by shop
GINZA MITSUKOSHI	A department store at the Ginza 4-chome intersection, the heart of Ginza. Has a kids' restroom, nursing room, and more.	Support services for impaired customers (reservations required) and interpretation services in English, Chinese, and Korean are available.	03-3562-1111 (large representative)
MATSUYA GINZA	A well-established department store that first opened its doors in 1869. It also holds events in facilities such as its gallery.	It is convenient to use the elevator next to Mitsukoshi when coming from the subway.	03-3567-1211

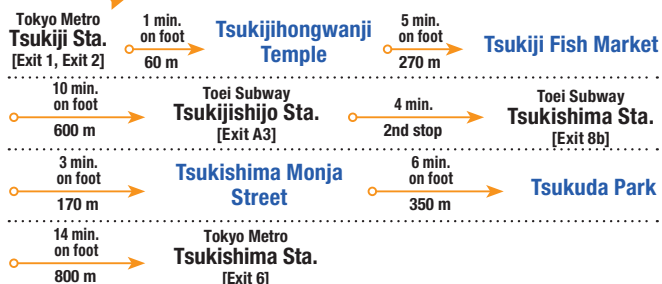
5 Tsukiji, Tsukishima

Walk around enjoying the cuisine in the small streets



Taste the local cuisine including Tsukishima monja and tsukuda cooking. This course lets you learn about the Edo period by visiting the historic Tsukijihongwanji Temple or the Ishikawajima lighthouse rebuilt in Tsukuda park while you enjoy the local cuisine.

Route



Notes

Be careful as the vicinity around Tsukiji Nippon Fish Port Market is crowded with sightseers. This course is mostly flat, however there is a steep slope in the section between Irie and Tsukuda Park.

Tsukijihongwanji Temple

About 30 min.

Tsukijihongwanji Temple, a temple belonging to the Jodo Shinshu Hongwanji-ha school of Buddhism (head temple: Nishi Hongwanji in Kyoto), has around 400 years of history. The main temple was rebuilt in 1934 after being burnt down in the Great Kanto Earthquake. The design is by Ito Chuta, an architectural historian and lecturer at Tokyo Imperial University. The exterior imitates ancient Buddhist buildings of India and other Asian countries while the inside is built in the traditions of the Shinshu temple, and the striking design is popular among foreign visitors.

There is a restroom with ostomate facilities and nursing room in the information center. Take the elevator to the surface exit from the Hibiya line, Nakameguro side (Exit 1 ticket gate), and use the slope into the grounds. Use the slope or elevator to the 2nd floor temple for worship.

Tel. 0120-792-048 (9:00 - 17:00)

- ☒ Free
- ☒ Main temple worship hours 6:00 - 16:00 (until after the end of evening service)
- ☒ None



Tsukiji Fish Market

About
1 hr. 10 min.

The Tsukiji Fish Market was built to keep the vibrancy and bustle of Tsukiji into the future. Divided into the Odawara-Bashi wing and the Kaiko-Bashi wing, the 1st floor houses over 60 stores selling seafood and vegetables. The 2nd floor houses the offices and warehouse. The 3rd floor of the Odawara-Bashi wing satisfies hungry visitors with a food court-style cafeteria and kitchen studio. Information on food is given in the "Tsukiwaza Seminars" hosted here. You can receive training from professionals on preparing and handling food.



There are no stairs and the routes are flat so wheelchair users can enjoy shopping here. Use the elevators to access the Odawara wing 3rd floor cafeteria and the market in each wing.



TEL Varies by shop

- ¥ Free
- 🕒 5:00 - 15:00 (opening times), 7:00 - 14:00 (All stores business hours)
- 📅 Sundays, national holidays, and designated Wednesdays

Tsukishima Monja Street

About
15 min.

Even with around 80 monja-yaki stores in Tsukishima, the main street has particularly many stores. The pre-war mom-and-pop candy stores had a hot plate at the back on which a thin flour paste was cooked with soy sauce or honey and given to the local children as a snack. This snack became the modern day monja-yaki. Upon entering the street, you will be greeted by a fragrant aroma. Be sure to try the popular menu items in each store.



Be careful of the crowded sidewalks during weekdays, however weekends are a pedestrian heaven for enjoying eating and shopping.



TEL 03-3532-1990 (Tsukishima Monja Promotion cooperative association)

¥ 🕒 📅 Varies by shop

Tsukuda Park

About
20 min.

This park is between the Tsukuda-ohashi Bridge and Chuo-ohashi Bridge on the Sumida River. The Tsukuda-bori in the park is a remnant of the local atmosphere yet the contrasting backdrop of high-rise buildings creates a mysterious charm to the view. We recommend relaxing on the riverside terrace. Patrons walk their dogs, go jogging or simply enjoy a walk.



There are places in the park that have stairs replaced with slopes for accessibility.

TEL 03-3546-5435

¥ 🕒 📅 Free

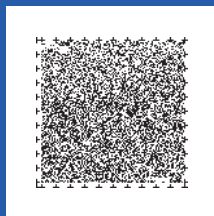


Sightseeing Spots Nearby

● Facility	● Description	● Accessibility information	● Telephone number
Kachidoki Bridge Museum	A museum in a refurbished electric substation that used to be used to open and close the Kachidoki Bridge.	There is a slope for entering the museum. There are no steps and it is flat so wheelchair users can view the exhibits, but access to the 2nd floor exhibition is only via stairs.	03-3543-5672
Tsukuda Machikado Museum	The Sengan-Mikoshi, that injured many people in succession due to its weight, and other cultural items from Tsukuda are on display.	The exhibition can be viewed freely through the glass from the street (the museum cannot be entered).	03-3546-5346 (Cultural Affairs and Lifelong Learning Section Chuo City)
Sumida River Terrace	The waterside terrace on both banks of the Sumida River is a popular riverside photo spot.	The well-maintained terrace allows wheelchair users to enjoy a stroll along the river.	03-5320-5413 (Low-lying Land Measures Team, Planning Section, River Division, Bureau of Construction, Tokyo Metropolitan Government)
Ishikawajima Museum	Tells of the history of Ishikawajima, the birthplace of modern shipbuilding, and the transition to heavy industry.	The floor is flat and the exhibits are at a height that wheelchair users can easily view them.	03-5548-2571
Ishikawajima Park	This park is on the Sumida River next to the Chuo-ohashi Bridge. You can also see the Tokyo Skytree®.	There are long slopes on paths in the park, so wheelchair users must be accompanied.	03-3546-5435

⑥ Ningyocho, Kodemmacho

Experience the traditional handicrafts



Experience the living traditional handicrafts in the vicinity of Ningyocho and Kodemmacho in which the mood of O-Edo Nihombashi still remains. Enjoy walking through the streets of Amazake-yokocho and see techniques continued from the Edo period in the "Edo-ya's collection of traditional natural-fiber handmade brushes", "Ozu Museum" or the Chuo City accredited "Chuo City Machikado Museum".

Route



Notes

This is a mostly flat course. O-dori and Amazake-yokocho have sidewalks and there is little traffic on streets without sidewalks, so you can enjoy walking without worrying about cars.

Amazake-yokocho

About
20 min.

The 400-meter-long street of Amazake-yokocho runs from the "Amazake yokocho" intersection to Meijiza. Derived from the Amazake store at the entrance to Yokocho at the beginning of the Meiji period, the street is still lined with Sake stores and Japanese sweet stores. There are many tasty treats to choose from, such as hand-made tofu, roasted green tea, rice crackers and egg rolls. The Kimono and Japanese accessory stores are also popular. Please enjoy walking around the vibrant local streets.



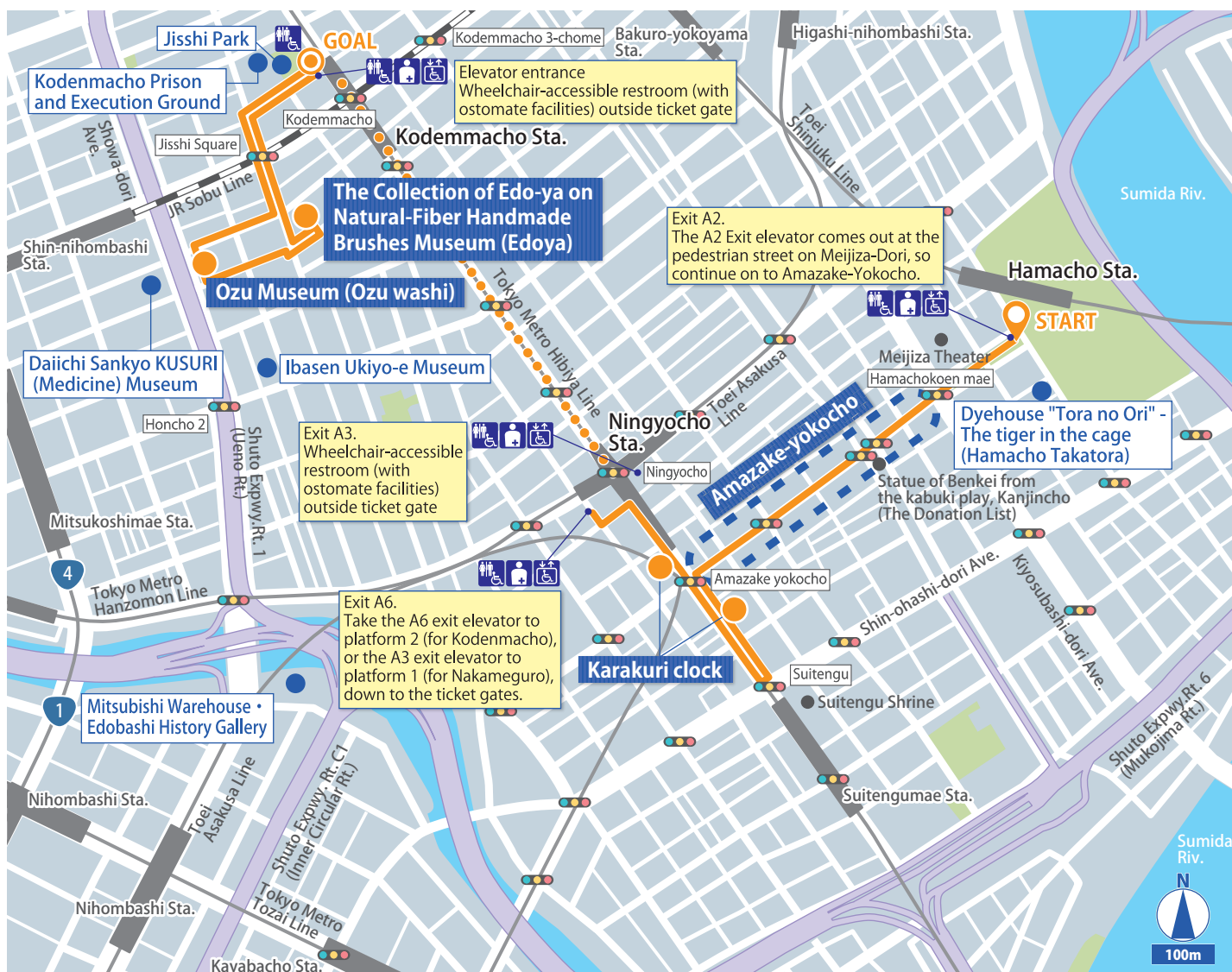
There are no steps so wheelchair users can move freely. Be careful when moving through crowds at weekends or on national holidays.



There are many long-established and famous old-fashioned stores. Walk through this new, yet strangely familiar rich and vibrant atmosphere.

TEL 03-3666-7662

¥ ☑ ☒ Varies by shop



Karakuri clock

About
10 min.

On the Ningyocho shopping street, the Karakuri clock remains as a trace of the Edo period. There is a 6.5-meter-tall Edo Rakugo themed tower towards Suitengu Shrine and a 7.55-meter-tall fire fighting theme tower towards the Ningyocho intersection. Between 11:00 and 19:00 everyday, there is a 2 - 3 minute clockwork display on the hour. Pedestrians can enjoy the Edo-style performance.



The Karakuri clock and towers are installed on the sidewalk, so be careful of pedestrians and bicycles.



Please visit both towers.

¥ Free 11:00 - 19:00 None

The Collection of Edo-ya on Natural-Fiber Handmade Brushes Museum(Edoya)

About
15 min.

A long-established store, appointed as the brush maker to the shogunate during the rule of Tokugawa Ietsugu, the 7th Shogun. Then in the Edo period after getting its name from the Shogunate, it continued as a traditional brush maker. Each and every brush is made to an exacting standard under the motto "made from the user's viewpoint." There are many brushes to meet one's requirements including clothes brushes, shoe brushes, hair brushes, toothbrushes and many others. The traditional techniques used to make the brushes give them a luxurious feel that only their users can understand, which is why they remain popular.



There are stairs into the store and the inside is narrow, but browsing is possible.

TEL 03-3664-5671

¥ Free
9:00 - 17:00
Saturdays, Sundays, national holidays



Please come and look at our range of traditional specialist brushes from the Edo period.



Ozu Museum (Ozu washi)

About
1 hr. 30 min.

In November 2014, the traditional paper making techniques of Hon-minoshi, Sekishu-Banshi and Hosokawa-shi were registered as UNESCO Intangible Cultural Heritage. This handmade paper manufacturing technique has a 1400 year history and is highly valued around the world. Ozu Japanese paper, which is widely used for artwork, calligraphy, sculptures, interiors, etc., is central to the handmade paper techniques of Japan. Items that are not familiar to the general public, like paper for cultural asset restoration, backing paper or paper for coverings, are on sale, and they provide consultation on framing and mounting. In the store, there is the Ozu Museum that hosts exhibitions, regardless of genre, as well as the Ozu Cultural Classes and Ozu Museum. The Ozu Museum displays the historical relationship of Ozu and paper that has enriched peoples' lives since the start of operations in 1653. The 1000 historic documents registered as Tokyo Chou-ku privately owned Tangible Cultural Properties are masterpieces. The Ozu Culture Classes offer over 80 classes ranging from calligraphy, watercolors and collages, to pressed flowers.



There are 3 steps to the main entrance, but there is also a slope at the north entrance. A slope was installed to eliminate the steps in front of the elevator on the 1st floor, allowing wheelchair users to shop in the store. Use the elevator to access the 2nd and 3rd floors.



Experience making and processing handmade paper in this workshop. Take the paper you made home with you on the same day. Feel free to drop by at any time.



TEL 03-3662-1184

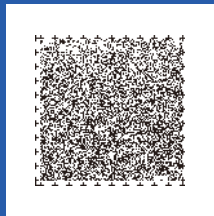
¥ Make 1 sheet of A4 handmade paper for ¥500 (Requires 1 hour)
*be there 5 minutes before the scheduled start time.
10:00 - 18:00
Sundays

Sightseeing Spots Nearby

●Facility	●Description	●Accessibility information	●Telephone number
Kodemmacho Prison and Execution Ground	This display is a model recreating the interior of the Tenmacho prison.		03-3546-5346 (Cultural Affairs and Lifelong Learning Section Chuo City)
Jisshi Park	This park is a memorial to the end of the Tokugawa shogunate with engravings of poems by Yoshida Shoin and is on the site of the Tenmacho Prison.		03-3546-5435
Daiichi Sankyo KUSURI (Medicine) Museum	Enjoy learning about medicine in the museum through displays that spark intellectual curiosity on the relationship between medicine and the body and how medicine works.		03-6225-1133
Ibasen Ukiyo-e Museum	Ibasen has a proud of 400 year history as a popular long-established maker of fans and folding fans imprinted with Ukiyo-e designs.		03-3664-9261
Dyehouse "Tora no Ori" -The tiger in the cage (Hamacho Takatora)	Sample booklets and diagrams of curtains, towels and coats that were loved by the people of Edo are on display.		03-3666-5562
Mitsubishi Warehouse · Edobashi History Gallery	Introduces the history of Edobashi and the Mitsubishi Logistics Corporation as well as the background of the area around Nihonbashi.		03-3278-6611

7 Korakuen

A celebrated Japanese garden and a city of entertainment



The Bunkyo Civic Center Sky View Lounge commands a magnificent view across the skyscrapers of Shinjuku and even Mount Fuji. Enjoy Tokyo Dome City Attractions and the Koishikawa Korakuen Gardens, after which the area is named.

Route

Tokyo Metro Korakuen Sta. [Exit 5]	On foot	Bunkyo Civic Center Sky View Lounge	7 min. on foot 400 m
The Baseball Hall of Fame and Museum	On foot	TOKYO DOME CITY ATTRACTIONS	14 min. on foot 820 m
Koishikawa Korakuen Gardens	4 min. on foot 230 m	Toei Subway Iidabashi Sta. [Exits C2]	

Notes

This course is mostly along flat ground. The "Big O" Ferris wheel at TOKYO DOME CITY ATTRACTIONS has gondolas that are wheelchair-accessible.

Bunkyo Civic Center Sky View Lounge

About 20 min.

The Bunkyo Civic Center is a complex facility that consists of the Bunkyo City Office, large halls, small halls, and more. A view from about 105 meters above the ground can be enjoyed from Sky View Lounge on the 25th floor. The glass windows are inclined so that visitors can enjoy a panoramic view of an urban landscape that includes Tokyo Skytree® and the Shinjuku subcenter as well as natural sights like Mt. Fuji and Mt. Tsukuba far away. It offers one of the best views in the heart of the city as well as a beautiful night view.

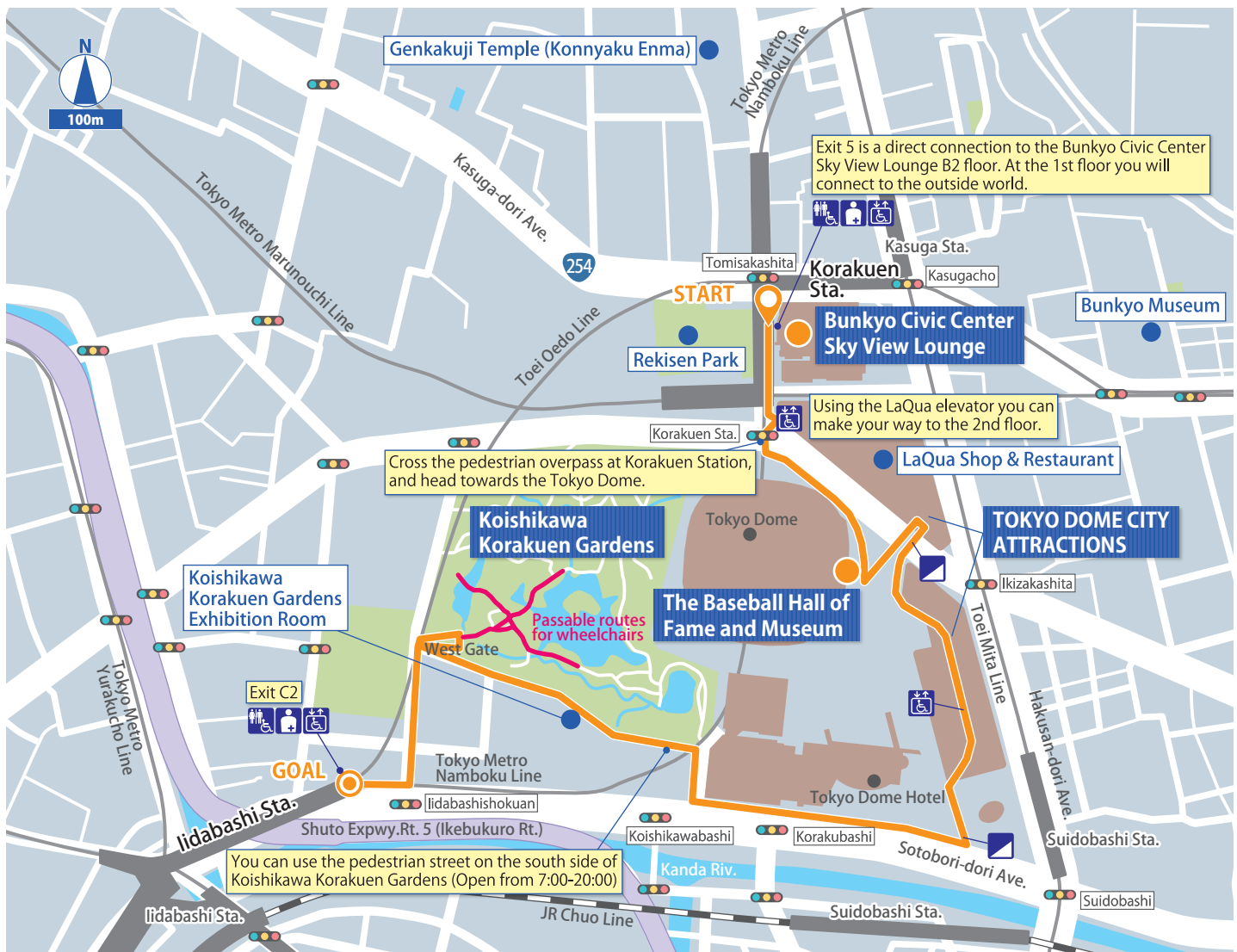
*At the moment (April 2023), temporary closed. Reopening date undecided.



Those in wheelchairs can also enjoy a beautiful view from the observation lounge. The height to the glass window is about 1 meter. Mobility-impaired parking is located on the B1 and B2 floors of the Civic Center, rental wheelchairs and communication boards are available at the general reception counter on the 1st floor, a nursing area is located on the 2nd floor, and ostomate facilities are available on the B2, 1st, 2nd and 3rd floors.

Tel. 03-3812-7111 (main)

¥ Free 9:00 - 20:30 3rd Sunday of May



The Baseball Hall of Fame and Museum

About
30 min.

A museum operated by NPB and Japanese amateur baseball communities. The museum introduces the history and present day of baseball and is suitable for visitors of all ages, from adults to children. The permanent exhibition has introduced professional baseball, amateur baseball, and the history of baseball, etc. There are Special exhibitions in the Event Hall and the Special Exhibition Hall. There is also a library with about 50,000 materials. (Advance reservation required). The Baseball Hall of Fame honors those who have contributed to the development of baseball in Japan, and as of 2022, 212 people have been inducted into the Hall of Fame.



The floor of the museum is flat, so wheelchair users can freely view the exhibits. Ask at reception to borrow one of the 2 wheelchairs available.

- ※Limited number of handicapped parking space
- ※Vehicle over 2 meters of height cannot enter

TEL 03-3811-3600

¥600 (Discounts available for seniors, people with impairments)

☑ 13:00 - 17:00 (Weekdays) 10:00 - 17:00 (Saturdays, Sundays and national holidays) Closes at 18:00 when baseball games are held at the Tokyo Dome *Admission is until 30 minutes before closing time.

☒ Mondays (open on national holidays, days when baseball games are held at the Tokyo Dome, and during the spring and summer holidays)



TOKYO DOME CITY ATTRACTIONS

About
1 hr.

An entertainment facility of attractions adjacent to the Tokyo Dome with free admission. The roughly 20 types of attractions that can be enjoyed here by both adults and children includes the "Big O" which is the world's first centerless Ferris wheel with a diameter of 60 meters, the "Venus Lagoon", an aquatic carousel with a variety of animal types to ride on, or the "Pixie Cups", manually operated and able to change the direction and velocity of spin.



The "Big O" Ferris wheel has gondolas that are wheelchair-accessible. If you have questions about the use of attractions, please ask at the ticket counter or to the staff around it.

- ※Limited number of handicapped parking space
- ※Vehicle over 2 meters high cannot enter

TEL 03-3817-6001

¥ Varies according to attraction (1-day passports for unlimited rides available)

☑ 10:00 - 21:00 (business hours and operating hours of the attractions vary according to season, day, event, etc.) ☒ None

Koishikawa Korakuen Gardens

About
40 min.

Specified as a special historic spot as well as a special place of scenic beauty in 1952 under the Cultural Assets Preservation Act. It was built during the early Edo period as an Edo residence garden by Tokugawa Yorifusa, who was an ancestor of the Mito Tokugawa family, and completed by the second domain lord, Tokugawa Mitsunari. It is a strolling garden with miniature ponds and hills, and the landscaping was inspired by Zhu Zhiyu, who was a Confucianist of the Ming dynasty. The term "Korakuen" is derived from the Chinese saying, "Worry before all worries in the world, and enjoy after all enjoyments in the world," and scenery based on famous Chinese spots can be seen throughout the garden.



There is a pamphlet with a guide for the route for wheelchairs on the grounds.

Landeez wheelchairs for traveling on gravel roads as well as standard wheelchairs are lent out at the reception counter. There is a wheelchair-accessible restroom at Kantoku-tei on the left side of the entrance. The East Gate Restroom for Everyone is ostomate compatible.

There are pamphlets in English, French, Korean, Chinese (2 types), and Spanish for visitors from abroad.



It is difficult to modify gardens that are cultural assets to make them barrier-free, but efforts are being made in improving intangible features with the help of volunteers so that those with impairments can enjoy the facilities as much as possible.

TEL 03-3811-3015

¥ ¥300 (Discounts available for seniors, people with impairments and caregivers; inquire for details.)

☑ 9:00 - 17:00 (admission until 16:30)

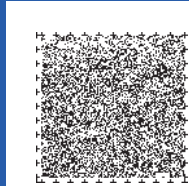
☒ None

Sightseeing Spots Nearby

●Facility	●Description	●Accessibility information	●Telephone number
Bunkyo Museum	Opened in 1991 so that people of all ages can see the history and cultural assets of Bunkyo City while deepening their feelings of attachment and interest in the local areas.	The floors in the building are flat so those in wheelchairs can look around without any difficulty. The exhibition room on the 2nd floor can be accessed via elevator. Reading glasses are lent out at the reception counter.	03-3818-7221
Genkakuji Temple (Konnyaku Enma)	Enshrines the "Konnyaku Enma", which appears in works of literature by writers such as Natsume Soseki and Higuchi Ichiyo.	The path from the temple gate to the main hall is stone-paved, but those in wheelchairs can easily go to worship as the path is quite flat and the grooves between the stones are shallow.	03-3811-4482
LaQua Shop & Restaurant	Located adjacent to the Tokyo Dome, it offers shopping for the latest items as well as dining.	Wheelchair-accessible restrooms are located on the 1st and 2nd floors, and a nursing room at the end of the information counter on the 2nd floor. Please go to the information counter on the 2nd floor if you would like to use a communication board. Please use the elevator when going from floor to floor. ※limited number of handicapped parking available ※Vehicles over 2 meters high cannot enter	03-5800-9999
Koishikawa Korakuen Gardens Exhibition Room	Items such as materials of historical value found at Korakuen Gardens are on display for the public to see here.	The floor of the exhibition room is flat and easy to move about on, and the displays are at low heights so that those in wheelchairs can view them easily.	—
Rekisen Park	A park located on the eastern edge of the Koishikawa Plateau. Its symbol is a 10 meter-high cascade.	The park can be accessed directly from 4b exit at Korakuen Station on the Tokyo Metro Marunouchi Subway Line. There is a wheelchair-accessible restroom with ostomate facilities in the park.	03-5803-1252 (Greenery and Park Division Bunkyo City)

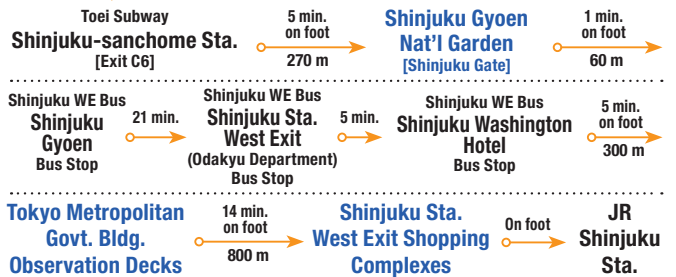
8 Shinjuku

Enjoy Shinjuku sub-center



This city sub-center is one of Japan's busiest shopping and entertainment districts. On weekends, it is packed with shoppers and diners. From the beautiful greenery of Shinjuku Gyoen National Garden to the towering skyscraper district to the west of the station, many different sides of Tokyo are on display here.

Route



Notes

Take the Shinjuku WE Bus from Shinjuku Gyoen National Garden to the Tokyo Metropolitan Government Building. Along the way, you can enjoy sights like the Shinjuku Station East Exit shopping complexes and West Exit skyscraper district from the windows of the bus.

Shinjuku Gyoen National Garden



About 2 hrs.

This garden was built on the former site of the Tokyo residence of the Naito Clan, rulers of the Takato Domain. It was built as a garden for the Imperial family, but became a national garden after the World War II. It is the most famous example of a modern Western-style garden from the Meiji era. There are about 10,000 trees in the garden, and about 70 varieties and 900 cherry trees are a major attraction in spring.

Wheelchair rentals and maps showing accessible routes are available. Accessible restrooms are located throughout the grounds.

Tel 03-3350-0151

General: ¥500, 65 years old and older/students (high school students and above): ¥250 *ID required, children (junior high school students and younger)/Disability handbook holders and one caregiver: free *Disability handbook required. October 1 - March 14: 9:00 - 16:30; Last Entry 16:00 (May vary depending on season.)

Mondays (the following day if Monday is a national holiday), Year-end and New Year holidays (December 29-January 3)

Tokyo Metropolitan Government Building Observatories



About 60 min.

Situated at a height of 202 meters, the Tokyo Metropolitan Government Building's observation decks are free and open to the public. Both decks offer sweeping, spectacular views of Japan's capital.

Diaper-changing stations (adult changing tables) are available. A nursing area and wheelchair-accessible restroom (with ostomate facilities) can be found in the basement of the Tomin Hiroba (Citizens' Plaza).

Tel 03-5320-7890 (weekdays: 10:00 - 17:00)

Free 9:30-22:00; Last admission is 30 min. prior to closing. Please check the official website. URL: <https://www.yokoso.metro.tokyo.lg.jp/en/tenbou/>

Shinjuku Station West Exit Shopping Complexes

About 2 hrs.

Although Shinjuku Station is surrounded by famous department stores, the stretch from the West Exit to the South Exit in particular is a highly competitive area for department stores. Enjoy some leisurely shopping after seeing the sights.



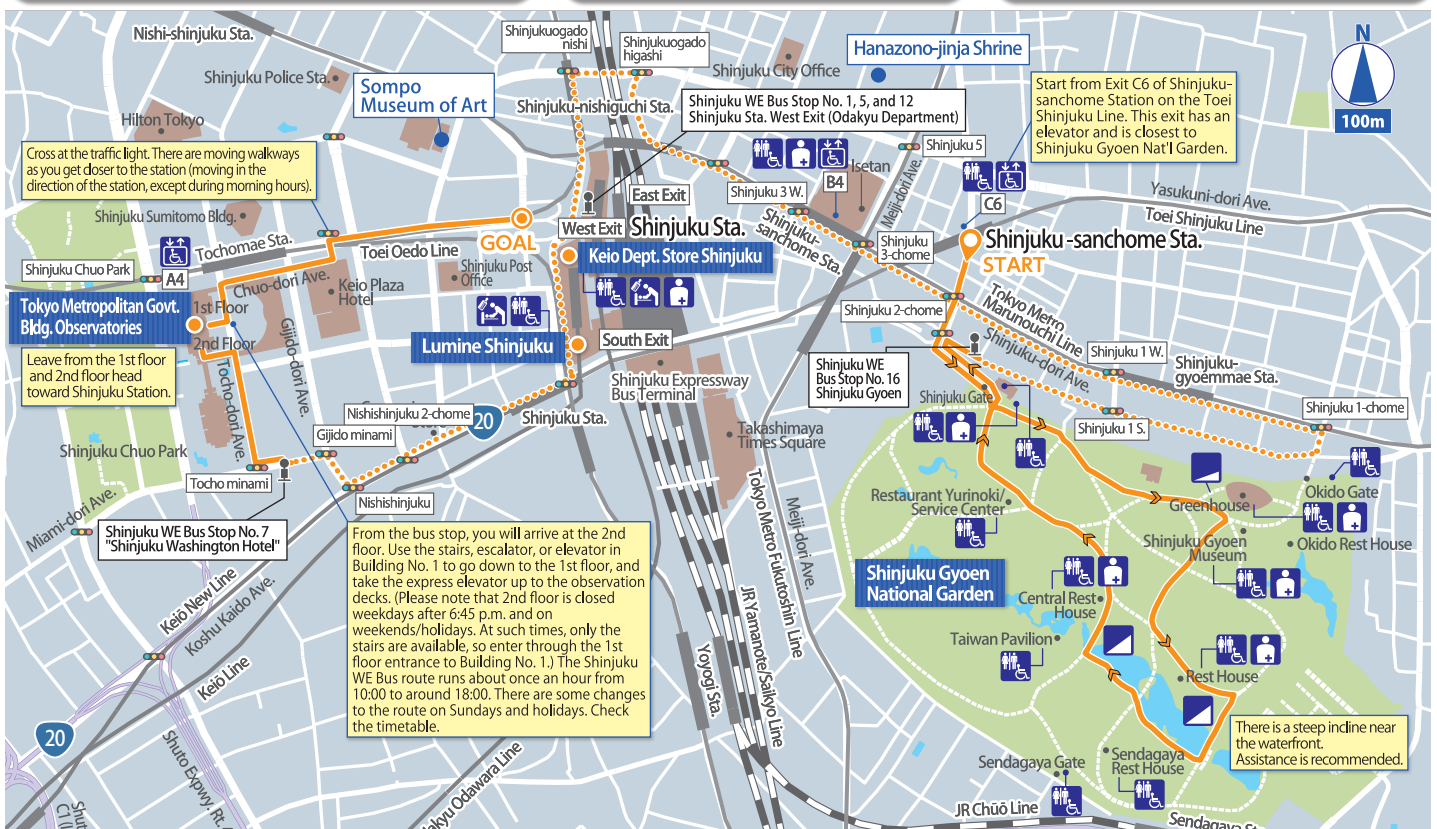
Keio Department Store, Shinjuku Tel 0570-022-810 (navi dial)

10:00-20:00 (may vary by season/floor) Irregular holidays

Lumine Shinjuku Tel 03-3348-5211 Weekdays: 11:00-21:30

Saturdays/Sundays: 10:30-21:30 Restaurants: 11:00-22:30

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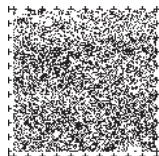


Sightseeing Spots Nearby

●Facility	●Description	●Accessibility information	●Telephone number
Sompo Museum of Art	This museum is the only place in Asia where you can see Van Gogh's "Sunflowers." In the front garden, you can find a replica of Van Gogh's "Sunflowers" made with ceramic tiles and touch it's indented surface.	The museum is accessible, including exhibition rooms. Wheelchair-accessible restrooms are located on the 2nd and 5th floors.	050-5541-8600 (Hello Dial operator service: Art Museum Information)
Hanazono-jinja Shrine	Since before the Edo period, this has been known as the main shrine for Shinjuku's guardian deities. It is famous for its Tori-no-ichi Festival in November.	Restrooms are open during crowded periods such as the Tori-no-ichi Festival and year-end/New Year's holidays. A slope goes up close to the main shrine building, but the offertory box is only accessible via stairs.	03-3209-5265

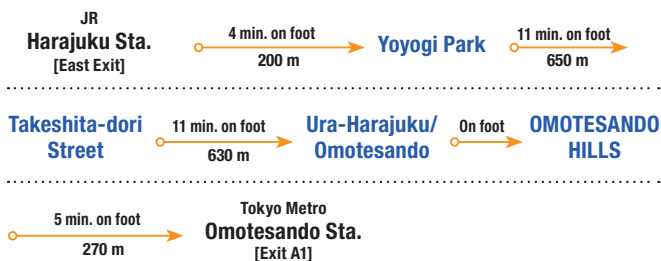
9 Harajuku

Urban greenery and fashion



Yoyogi Park, Meiji Jingu Shrine, and several large stadiums and athletic fields are located on the west side of Harajuku Station. The Omotesando area, which stretches from the east side of the station to Aoyama-dori Avenue, is famous as a shopping district.

Route



Notes

This area contains many slopes, but you can choose a route that avoids the steeper ones. Manual wheelchair users may need assistance on the gradual but long incline of Omotesando.

Yoyogi Park

About 1 hr.

The site was once a former army barracks, but after the war it became Washington Heights, a dormitory for the U.S. military, and then the athletes' village for the Tokyo Olympics before becoming Yoyogi Park. Today, the park and the trees of the adjacent Meiji Shrine form a thick green forest. The park also has sport facilities such as an athletic field (known as Oda Field) and ball games fields (soccer, hockey and rugby).



The park has many benches. The paths are wide and mostly flat. The wheelchair-accessible restroom directly inside the Harajuku Gate has audio assistance.

TEL 03-3469-6081
(Yoyogi Park Service Center)

Free

Takeshita-dori Street

About 1 hr.

Crammed with fashion boutiques popular among teens, this street extends for about 350 meters from Harajuku Station toward Meiji-dori Avenue. It becomes packed with visitors on weekends and holidays.



The entrance to Takeshita-dori Street by the Takeshita Exit of JR Harajuku Station is a steep slope, so entering from the Meiji-dori Avenue side is recommended. Watch out for crowds on weekends and holidays.

Free

Ura-Harajuku/Omotesando

About 1 hr.

Trendy youth-oriented shops line "Cat Street" and other smaller backstreets. Meanwhile, many luxury brands have stores along Omotesando, the main approach to Meiji Jingu Shrine.



Watch out for vehicle traffic in some parts of Ura-Harajuku on weekdays. There are some steep inclines, like the slope from Ura-Harajuku to Omotesando. Wheelchair users will need to be careful.

Free

OMOTESANDO HILLS

About 1 hr.

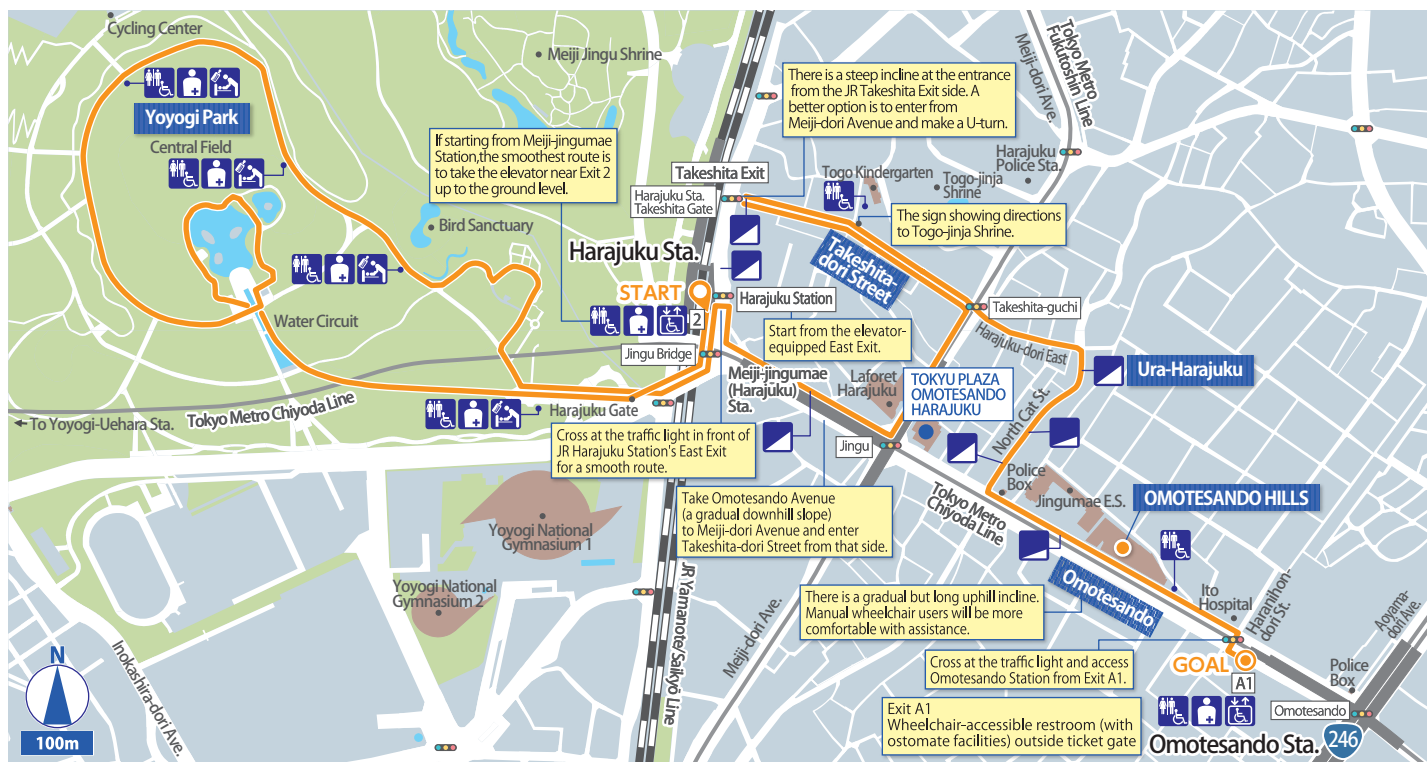
This shopping complex stretches for approximately 250 meters along Omotesando Avenue. Japanese and international brand-name stores occupy the B3 level to the 3rd floor. The 4th floor and above is residential space.



The passageway inside the building is a spiral slope at the same grade as Omotesando Avenue. Areas to rest such as benches are available along the passageway and on the B1 level.

TEL 03-3497-0310 (11:00-18:00)

Restaurants close 23:00 (close 22:00 on Sundays); Cafes close 21:00 (close 20:00 Sundays) *Varies for some stores. Irregular holidays

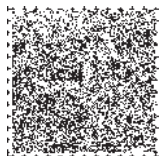


Sightseeing Spots Nearby

Facility	Description	Accessibility information	Telephone number
TOKYU PLAZA OMOTESANDO HARAJUKU	This commercial complex popular with young shoppers stands at the corner of Omotesando and Meiji-dori Avenue.	One priority elevator is available. The wheelchair-accessible restroom on the 5th floor contains a diaper-changing station (adult changing table).	03-3497-0418

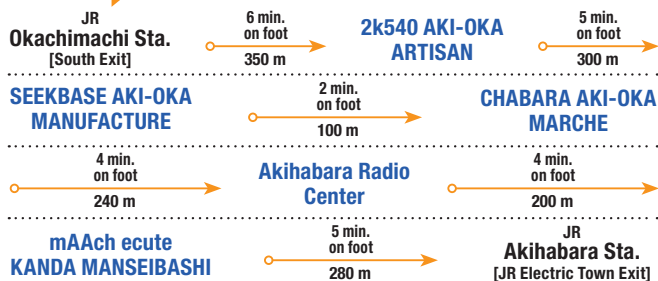
10 Okachimachi, Akihabara

See the varied handicrafts



The Underpass is special space utilization in Tokyo. Post-war electronics stores and recently renovated shopping facilities are expanding. See the varied handicrafts such as arts and crafts, subculture and cuisine.

Route



Notes

The floor of recently developed underpass shopping facilities is flat which allows for smooth movement of wheelchairs and can be used without concern even when it rains.

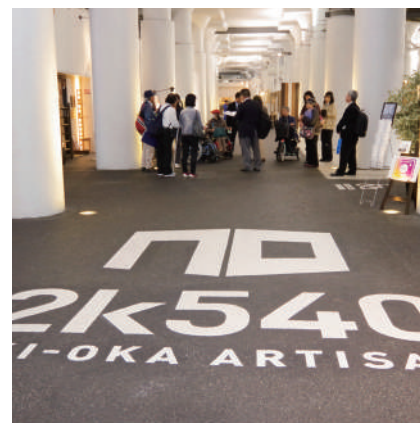
2k540 AKI-OKA ARTISAN

About 30 min.

A new area themed around handiwork developed during the JR East Japan city development. In railroad terminology, this facility is named "2k540m" to show its distance from Tokyo Station. Okachimachi, once teeming with artisans of traditional Edo crafts, is starting a movement of a new style of handicraft.



There are no steps on the west side, but there are 3 steps at the east entrance, so be careful when moving. Within the Multi-purpose toilet there is a diaper-changing table.



Various unique stores effectively use the JR underpass, such as stores that are both a shop and a workshop, stores selling unique items, or workshops where one can try a craft.

TEL 03-6806-0254

¥ Free

11:00 - 19:00 (Opening times may vary)
10:00 - 20:00 (Center road opening times)

× Wednesdays (Closed days may vary if Wednesday is a national holiday)



The north east entrance of 2k540 AKI-OKA ARTISAN has steps, so wheelchair users should use the north west entrance.

The Electric Town Exit of Akihabara Station is a large open space, however be careful of tourists and other pedestrians depending on the day and time.

SEEKBASE AKI-OKA MANUFACTURE

About
20 min.

AKI-OKA is a new facility opened in December 2019 and created using the space under the train rails between the stations of Akihabara and Okachimachi. This is a "street" where you can enjoy a combination of sales shops, craft studios and food. In the shops you can find many different articles, like old cameras, toys or hobbies related items for collectors, second-hand LP, CD and cassettes, musical instruments and more.



Wheelchair users please access from the Northwest entrance, the nearest to Okachimachi Station, after crossing the Aki-Okka Gourmet space. Within the Multi-purpose toilet there is a diaper-changing table.



¥ Free ☑ 11:00 - 20:00 (Varies by shop) ☒ Varies by shop

CHABARA AKI-OKA MARCHE

About
30 min.

An excellent market where great Japanese products are gathered, and on the site of the once bustling Kanda fruit market. As well as being able to obtain tasty goods, this is a place to connect producers and consumers and to feel the traditions and lore of the rich cuisine. In addition to the Nippon Department Store Shokuhinkan, the Yanaka Coffee shop, which sells around 30 types of coffee beans obtained from the producers, and other stores are located here.



Wheelchair users can enter the store via the slope on the Okachimachi entrance. Although wheelchairs can maneuver in the store, take care as it may be crowded with shoppers. The toilet with wheelchair access is near the wooden barrel display.



TEL 03-3258-0051 ¥ Free
☑ 11:00 - 20:00
☒ The first Wednesday in June and November

Chabara is a portmanteau of "Yachaba" and "Akihabara." Also, the traditions and depths of the cuisine can be seen here.



Akihabara Radio Center

About
5 min.

In the postwar period, electrical radio engineers would gather at the underpass to sell parts for radios, which was the only entertainment at the time. Close to 40 stores stock their own highly specialized parts. Akihabara flourished as an electronics town with the change in popularity of audio, home electronics and computers recently and many specialists from around the world visit Akihabara Radio Center.



Be careful when moving with a wheelchair as the center is usually crowded with tourists and shoppers.



TEL 03-3251-0614 ¥ ☑ ☒ Varies by shop

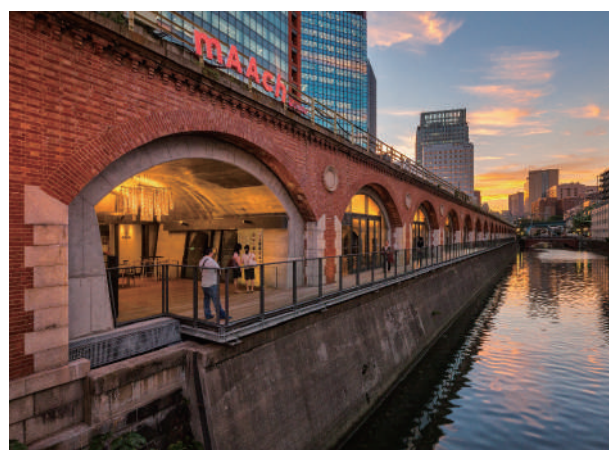
mAACH ecute KANDA MANSEIBASHI

About
30 min.

There was another station between Kanda and Ochanomizu on the Chuo Line, the Manseibashi Station. The station operated between 1912 and 1943, and now a commercial space called mAACH ecute has been created using their original structure. The old stairs, walls and platforms are kept like once, and the new facility includes charming boutique stores and cafes.



The passageways on the 2nd floor deck and the open-air deck along the Kanda River are somewhat narrow (110 centimeters wide).



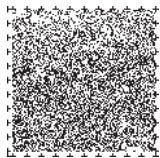
¥ Varies by shop
☑ 11:00 - 23:00 (until 21:00 on Sundays and national holidays);
*Hours is varies by shop. Please see the official website.
☒ Irregular holidays

Sightseeing Spots Nearby

●Facility	●Description	●Accessibility information	●Telephone number
AMEYOKO PLAZA	A shopping mall below the central guard of Ueno Ameyoko Shopping Street. There are many cheap, good-quality stores here.		03-3836-1800 (AMEYOKO PLAZA Mall Cooperative Office)
Akihabara UDX	This is a multi-purpose complex facility featuring conference or event spaces, restaurants and theaters around the concept of "exchange between people" and "accumulation of information and technology" as a symbol of Akihabara, the town at the cusp of cultural information dissemination.		03-3252-5091

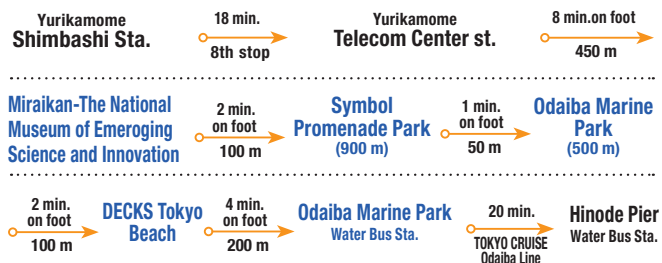
11 Odaiba

Tokyo Bay area



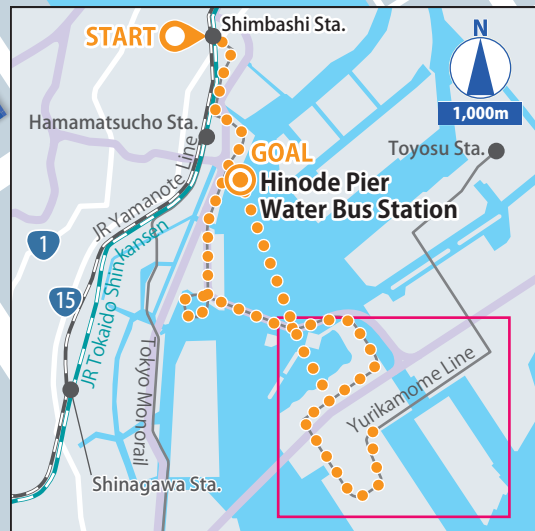
A tour around the Odaiba area, a relatively new tourist spot in Tokyo. Experience Tokyo's bay area from a different perspective: from the Yurikamome line, a water-bus that plays Tokyo Bay, and seaside parks.

Route



Notes

A course that goes only through promenades exclusively for pedestrians and parks. Symbol Promenade Park to Odaiba Marine Park and DECKS Tokyo Beach can be accessed by ramps and elevators.



Symbol Promenade Park

This large park in the center of Odaiba is 4 km long, linking various facilities in the waterfront area. On clear days, visitors can see Mt. Fuji from Yume-no-ohashi Bridge.



Proceed down the broad promenade without having to worry about cars. The park has nine locations with wheelchair-accessible restrooms, two of which have ostomate-friendly facilities.



TEL 03-5531-0852 ¥ Free

Miraikan-The National Museum of Emerging Science and Innovation

About
2 hr.

Miraikan is a science museum with exhibits and interactive dialogues where visitors can think, discuss, and experience various, advanced science and technology that will create the future..., everything from familiar science to the latest technologies.



The wheelchair-accessible restrooms on the 1st and 7th floors have multi-purpose seats (available for adults). Wheelchairs and strollers are available on loan. There is a nursing room and a prayer room.



TEL 03-3570-9151

¥ ¥630 (free of charge for those with impairments and one caregiver)
*Please check the Official Website.

☑ 10:00-17:00 (Ticket sales stop 30 minutes prior to closing.)

☒ Tuesdays (The Museum is open some National Holidays and vacation periods)

Odaiba Marine Park

About
30 min.

Located next to Odaiba Park (Daisan Daiba), this park surrounds a quiet inlet. Enjoy watching the ships coming and going, the cityscape on the shore beyond the Rainbow Bridge, and the beautiful sunsets.



Visitors can enjoy a pleasant stroll along the beach even in a wheelchair. A ramp links it to the Symbol Promenade Park. It can also be accessed from DECKS Tokyo Beach by crossing the deck and using the elevator.



TEL 03-5531-0852 ¥ Free

DECKS Tokyo Beach

About
1 hr.

A symbolic location in Odaiba that has a wide range of indoor entertainment facilities. There is also a rest space overlooking Tokyo Bay and the Rainbow Bridge.



Visitors can directly access the facility from Odaiba-kaihinkoen Station. There is a dedicated wheelchair entranceway/exit on the south side of the 1st floor.

TEL 03-3599-6500

¥ Varies by shop ☑ Varies depend on the store. * Please see the official website. ☒ Irregular holidays

TOKYO CRUISE

About
20 min.

Cruising boats connect the bay area with the Sumida River, Asakusa, and more. The 6 routes offer incredible views of the Tokyo megalopolis from sea level.



The Himiko, Hotaluna, and Emeraldas water buses have wheelchair-accessible restrooms (the Hotaluna water bus has a diaper-changing table). Wheelchair-accessible restrooms are also available at the boat boarding areas at Odaiba Marine Park and Hinode Pier.



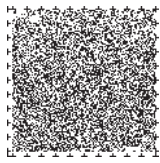
¥ Odaiba Seaside Park ⇄ Hinode Pier: ¥520 (Discounts available for people with impairments and caregivers. Inquire for details) Hotaluna ¥860
☑ Odaiba Marine Park departure: 11:25-18:10 (weekends only, with exceptions)
☒ Inclement weather conditions, etc.

Sightseeing Spots Nearby Odaiba

● Facility	● Description	● Accessibility information	● Telephone number
TOKYO WATER SCIENCE MUSEUM	At this hands-on museum, visitors learn about the wonders and importance of water.		Wheelchair users can use the parking lot for large buses located in front of the Museum. 03-3528-2366
Tokyo Sewerage Museum "Rainbow"	At this hands-on museum, visitors can enjoy learning about the role of sewage systems and the water environment.		Visitors can tour the museum in a wheelchair without any problem. 03-5564-2458
AQUA CITY ODAIBA	One of Japan's largest entertainment shopping malls, overlooking Rainbow Bridge and Tokyo Bay.		Odaiba Station is linked to the 3rd floor via Symbol Promenade Park. There are restrooms for children on the 1st and 4th floors. 03-3599-4700
Panasonic Center TOKYO	Panasonic Center Tokyo is a show room for the initiatives of Panasonic Group. At the 1st Floor displays the activities to solve the problems of global warming and in the 2nd and 3rd Floor is located AkeruE, a museum that gives form to inspiration and works in support of children's creative activities (reservation and admission fee required).		A slope has been installed next to the stairs at the east entrance (Rinkai Line Kokusai-Tenjijo Station side). Please note that the entrance may be temporarily closed for operational reasons. There are no steps at the South Entrance (on the Big Sight side), so you can enter with wheelchairs. 03-3599-2600

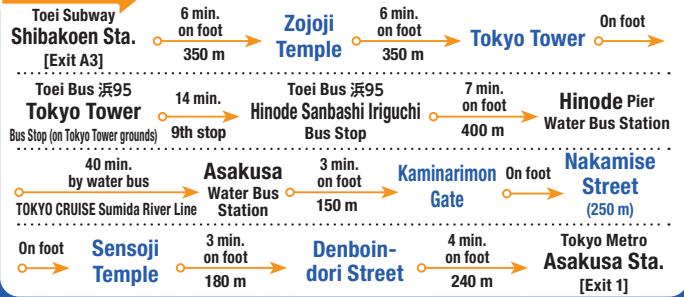
12 Hamamatsucho, Asakusa

Visit Asakusa on a water bus



Stroll through the grounds of Zojoji Temple and Kyu-Shiba-rikyu Gardens, located in an area that served as the nerve center of old Edo, the former name of Tokyo. Afterwards, take a water bus up the Sumida River to Asakusa, historically a district for commoners. Enjoy touring some of Tokyo's most famous sightseeing spots such as Tokyo Tower and Sensoji Temple.

Route



Notes

There is a steep slope near the entrance to Tokyo Tower. Manual wheelchair users may need assistance from a caregiver. Take note of bus schedules, as buses to Hinode Pier do not run frequently.

Zojoji Temple

About 30 min.

One of the seven head temples of the Jodo-shu Pure Land Sect of Buddhism and the main seminary for the Jodo sect in the Kanto (greater Tokyo) region. The Daiden (Main Hall) was rebuilt in 1974, while the Ankokuden hall was reconstructed in 2010.



Staff at Zojoji Kaikan (the temple office) will guide you to the accessible route. Wheelchair users can use the Zojoji Kaikan elevator to access the Daiden (Main Hall) from the 2nd floor.



Tel. 03-3432-1431

¥ ¥ Free entry to grounds (fee required to enter some areas; inquire for details on fees, hours, holidays, etc.) ☑ 9:00 - 17:00

Tokyo Tower

About 2 hrs.

A beloved Tokyo symbol since its opening in 1958. At 333 meters in height, the view from its observatories is a must-see. The 250-meter high Special Observatory has been newly opened as the "Top Deck." You can enjoy the two observation decks by participating in the "Top Deck Tour," an interactive observation tour that must be reserved in advance.



Extensive infant-friendly facilities. The attraction is well-staffed.

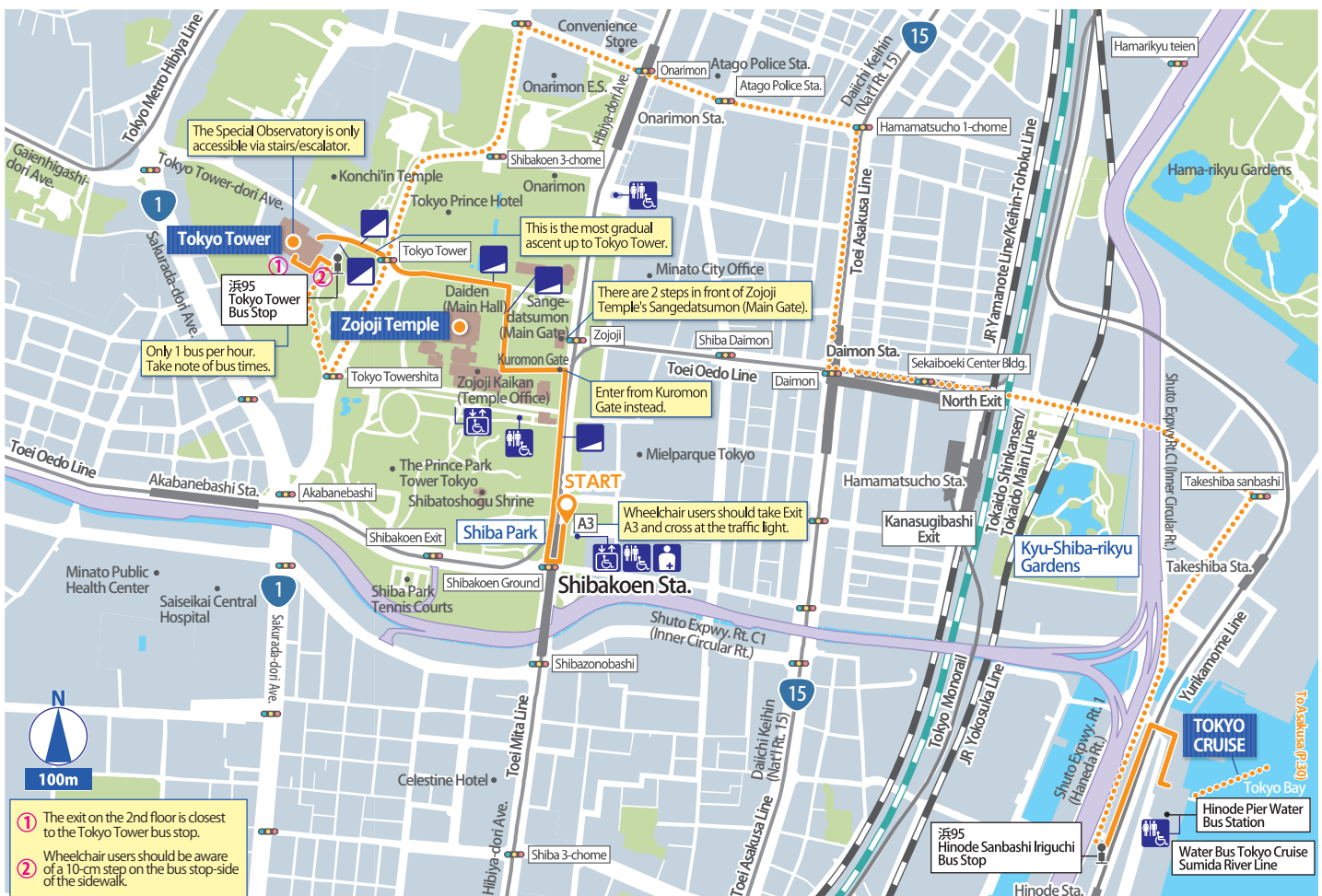
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¥ MAIN DECK: ¥1,200 Tokyo Tower Top Deck Tour: ¥3,000 (same day purchase), ¥2,800 (advance purchase) both have discounts for the disabled please refer to HP ☑ Observatories open 9:00 - 23:00 (Last entry times vary by facility.)

× None



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TOKYO CRUISE

About
40 min.

Comfortable boats operating on 6 water bus lines link Odaiba and other parts of the Tokyo Bay area with the Sumida River, Asakusa, and more. Enjoy views of the Tokyo Metropolis from the water.



The Himiko, Hotaluna, and Emeraldas water buses are barrier free and equipped with wheelchair-accessible restrooms (diaper changing tables available only on the Hotaluna water bus).

¥ ¥860 between Hinode Pier and Asakusa (discounts may be available for customers with impairments; inquire for details.) Hotaluna ¥1,200 ☑ Departs from Hinode Pier 10:35 - 16:00 for Asakusa ☒ May not operate in bad weather, etc.



Kaminarimon Gate

About
10 min.

Measuring 11.7 meters tall and 11.4 meters across, this gate that has become a symbol of Asakusa is famous for the giant paper lantern that hangs from it. Its name means "Thunder Gate." It burned down during the Edo period but was reconstructed in 1960.



Although the area in front of the gate may be heavily crowded with people taking pictures, etc., wheelchair users can pass around the side of the gate. A wheelchair-accessible restroom is available across the street at the Asakusa Culture Tourist Information Center.

TEL 03-3842-0181 (Sensoji Temple) ☑ ☒ Free

Nakamise Street

About
10 min.

Stretching about 250 meters between the Kaminarimon and Hozomon gates, this street is the main approach to the temple and contains about 90 shops. Traditional Japanese street food like ningyo-yaki (sponge cake filled with red bean paste) and colorful Asakusa souvenirs are sold.



Move with caution as the street may be packed with people. The paths behind the shops on either side of the street are less crowded, making it easier for wheelchair users to pass. Communication via writing differs according to some shops.

☑ ☒ Varies by shop

See P30 for Asakusa map.

Sensoji Temple

About
15 min.

Said to have been founded in 628, and said to be Tokyo's oldest temple is also one of Japan's top sightseeing spots, visited by tourists from around the world. The Hozomon Gate, from which a massive 450-kg paper lantern hangs, has a formidable presence, while the five-storied pagoda houses a relic of Buddha on its uppermost level. The grounds are illuminated from sundown to around 11 p.m., creating an enchanting atmosphere. All the structures that make up this splendid temple complex are vermilion-lacquered and majestic, including the Main Hall, which has a dramatically sloped roof covered with 89,000 titanium tiles.



Wheelchair users can take the elevator to the left of the Main Hall. The pathways on the grounds are very wide and wheelchair users can get around easily, and go all the way up to the offertory box.



TEL 03-3842-0181 ☑ Free entry to grounds
☑ Main Hall hours: 6:00-17:00 (Oct-Mar, 6:30-17:00) ☒ Free entry to grounds

Denboin Street

About
15 min.

This thoroughfare intersects with Nakamise Street and measures about 200 meters from beginning to end. The street is named for Denboin Temple, which serves as the monks' quarters for Sensoji Temple. It is packed with shops that exude the atmosphere of old Tokyo, selling traditional items like kimono fabrics and Edo Kiriko cut glassware.



The street is wide and offers easy access to wheelchair users. Along the street, a wheelchair-accessible restroom is available at Asakusa Public Hall across from Denboin Temple.

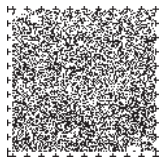
☑ ☒ Free

Sightseeing Spots Nearby

● Facility	● Description	● Accessibility information	● Telephone number
Shiba Park	This lush metropolitan park built around Zojoji Temple opened in 1873.		03-3431-4359 (Service Center)
Kyu-Shiba-rikyu Gardens	This daimyo garden was built in the early Edo period. The arrangement of land and beautiful placement of rocks in the garden, centered on a pond, are breathtaking.		03-3434-4029 (Service Center)
Asakusa Culture Tourist Information Center	A tourist information center located in front of Kaminarimon Gate. The view from the observation deck on the 8th floor is spectacular.		03-3842-5566
Shin-Nakamise Street	121 shops line this street, which traverses Asakusa east to west. The covered arcade keeps shoppers dry on rainy days.		Varies by shop

13 Yanaka, Nezu, Sendagi

Strolling through Yanesen



The Yanesen area is popular among foreign visitors who like to take strolls throughout the streets. In addition to quaint temple towns, shopping areas, historic sites that can be found all around, and sundry shops, you can also stop by establishments such as restaurants.

Route

JR, Keisei Line, Nippori-Toneri Line Nippori Sta. [East Exit]	3 min. on foot 150 m	Shimogoinde Bridge (Train Museum)	15 min. on foot 900 m
Kannonji Temple, Roofed Mud Wall	2 min. on foot 120 m	Yanaka Cemetery (300 m)	13 min. on foot 780 m
On foot → Yanaka Ginza & Yuyake Dandan (round-trip 350 m)	3 min. on foot 170 m	Toei Bus 上58 Sendagisancho Bus Stop	4 min. 3rd stop
Toei Bus 上58 Nezu-jinja-iriguchi Bus Stop	4 min. on foot 200 m	Nezu-jinja Shrine (240 m)	15 min. on foot 900 m
			Tokyo Metro Sendagi Sta. [Elevator entrance and exit]

Notes

Although this area has many slopes and level differences, this course sets a route descending from Nippori Station, located on high ground, to Nezu-jinja Shrine. Be careful of cars because there are many narrow streets.

Shimogoinde Bridge (Train Museum)

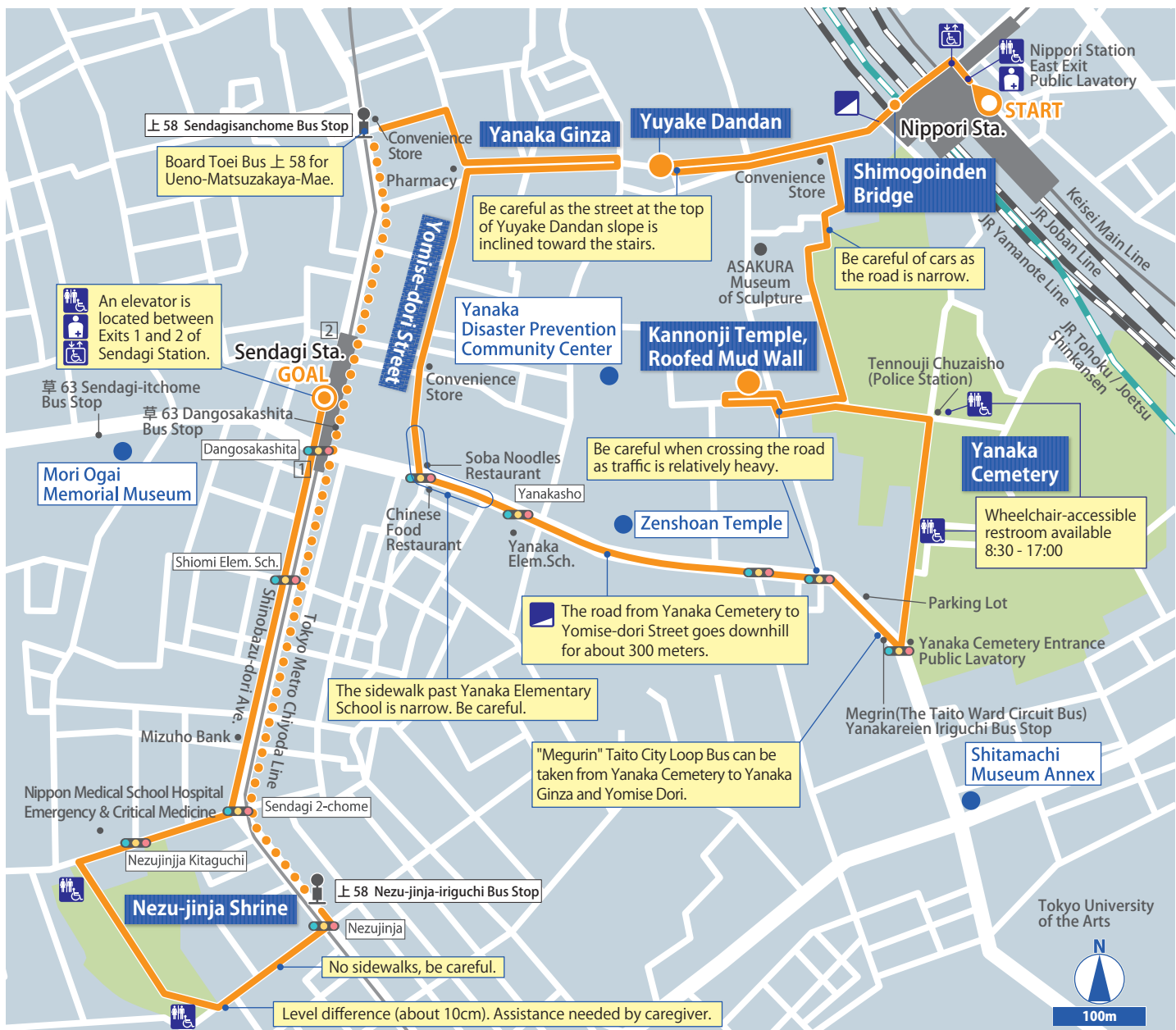
About
5 min.

A balcony called the "Train Museum" is installed near in the middle of the bridge, from which you can see many trains passing by, including JR Shinkansen and limited express trains as well as Keisei Line trains, etc.



There's a space near the middle of bridge to watch trains.

¥ ☎ ☒ Free



Kannonji Temple, Roofed Mud Wall

About
5 min.

An earthen wall made by alternately stacking roof tiles and soil, with a tiled roof. It imparts the atmosphere of temple town Yanaka that has endured from the Edo period.



Traffic is light on the road in front of the wall of Kannonji Temple so it can be enjoyed comfortably.

¥ ☎ ☎ Free

Yanaka Cemetery

About
30 min.

The cemetery has the graves of many famous people like Hasegawa Kazuo and Yokoyama Taikan. Also famous for its cherry blossoms, but no blossom viewing banquets are allowed.



Only some roads have sidewalks, but there is little car traffic. The path to Tokugawa Yoshinobu's tomb is paved with stone and has steps, which will make it difficult to navigate by wheelchair.



TEL 03-3821-4456
(Yanaka Cemetery Management Office)

¥ Free to walk around cemetery
☎ 8:30 - 17:30. Free to walk around cemetery
☎ Free to walk around cemetery

Yomise-dori Street

About
15 min.

In the past, this was a street bustling with night stores. Yomise Dori means "Night Shops Street." With new shops increasing, it has become a popular spot.



No sidewalks, so be careful. "Megurin" Taito City Loop Bus can be taken from Yanaka Cemetery to Yanaka Ginza and Yomise Dori.

☎ ☎ Varies by shop



Yanaka Ginza & Yuyake Dandan

About
30 min.

About 70 shops in a shopping district with a retro atmosphere where you can savor the vitality and warmth of Tokyo's Shitamachi area. Yuyake Dandan is the name of the steps located between Gotenzaka and Yanaka Ginza. Yanaka is famous for its cats that take the form of artistic objects or character goods in Yanaka Ginza. You might also meet real cats here.



Bustles with many tourists on weekends and holidays. Be careful in walking or moving about.



☎ ☎ Varies by shop

Nezu-jinja Shrine

About
20 min.

An old shrine said to have been founded by Yamato Takeru no Mikoto about 1,900 years ago. On the grounds are the Wishing Kaya Tree, Otome Inari Shrine, Senbon Torii, etc., famous for matchmaking. Renowned for its azaleas, 3,000 azalea shrubs come into full bloom during the Bunkyo Azalea Festival from mid April to early May.



Wooden thresholds at the Karamon Gate and West Gate leading to the shrine are 20cm and 15cm high, respectively. There are wheelchair-accessible restrooms at the two entrances to the grounds.

TEL 03-3822-0753

¥ ☎ ☎ Free entry to grounds



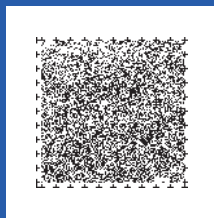
Sightseeing Spots Nearby

●Facility	●Description	●Accessibility information	●Telephone number
Yanaka Disaster Prevention Community Center	The facility has an information center called Yanaka Sanpo Kichi on the 3rd floor.	Has a wheelchair-accessible restroom with ostomate facilities and a nursing room. (Open 8:30-22:00, Saturdays/Sundays/holidays 9:00-22:00. Closed 2nd Sunday.)	03-3828-9291 (Seibu Residents' Office Yanaka Annex)
Shitamachi Museum Annex (Old Yoshidaya Liquor Store)	A Meiji-era liquor store, which was relocated here, exhibits equipment used in alcohol sales, etc.	Half of the threshold at the building's entrance was removed, to allow the entry of wheelchairs.	03-3823-4408
Zenshoan Temple	The cemetery has the graves of many famous people like Yamaoka Tesshu and Sanyutei Encho, famous for stories about human warmth.	Path is stone paved but with flat stones and shallow grooves, posing no large obstacle to wheelchairs.	03-3821-4715
Mori Ogai Memorial Museum	Memorial hall built on the former site of Kanchoro, the residence of Meiji-era writer Mori Ogai, which exhibits items related to Mori Ogai.	The building gives consideration to barrier-free design, but to reach it from Shinobazu Dori, visitors must climb the steep slope of Dango Zaka. Can be accessed by taking the Toei Bus (■63 to Ikebukuro Station East Exit) from Dango Saka Shita bus stop to Sendagi 1 chome bus stop.	03-3824-5511
Taito City Tourism Volunteer Group	Free guide for groups of 2 or more participants, if requested by 10 days in advance. Official website: http://www.taitouboragai.com/	A Taito-ku certified guide gives an easy-to-understand explanation of Yanaka's history, culture, etc.	03-3842-5599 Weekdays, 10:00 - 16:00 (accepting telephone calls)



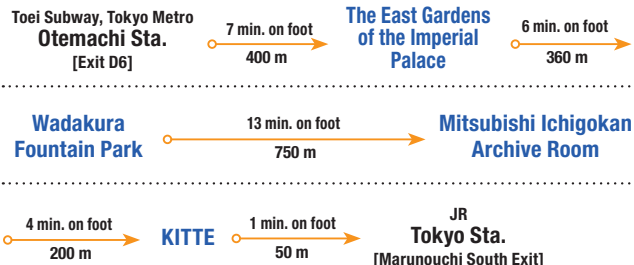
14 Tokyo

The Imperial Palace & Marunouchi



The Imperial Palace where Japan's Emperor and Empress reside, the streets of Marunouchi lined with office buildings and fashionable high-rises, the facade of Tokyo Station standing restored to its historic glory... Welcome to the true heart of modern Tokyo.

Route



Notes

Watch out for large numbers of runners around the moat on holidays, etc. The Marunouchi shopping complexes are easily accessible from Tokyo Station via underground routes during rain, etc.

The East Gardens of the Imperial Palace

About 2 hrs.

The Imperial Family's gardens. Efforts have been taken to allow visitors to commune with nature in the heart of the city. These include features such as placards clearly identifying the names of the vegetation and the Ninomaru Garden, where wheelchair users can experience the seasons.



The portion of the slope toward the Honmaru (inner keep) next to the Obansho Guardhouse is relatively gradual. The Ninomaru Garden has many smooth paths.



TEL 03-3213-1111 Free 9:00 - 18:00 (closes at 17:00 March - April 14 and September, 16:30 in October, and 16:00 November - February) Mondays and Fridays (the following day if Monday is a national holiday)

Wadakura Fountain Park

About 30 min.

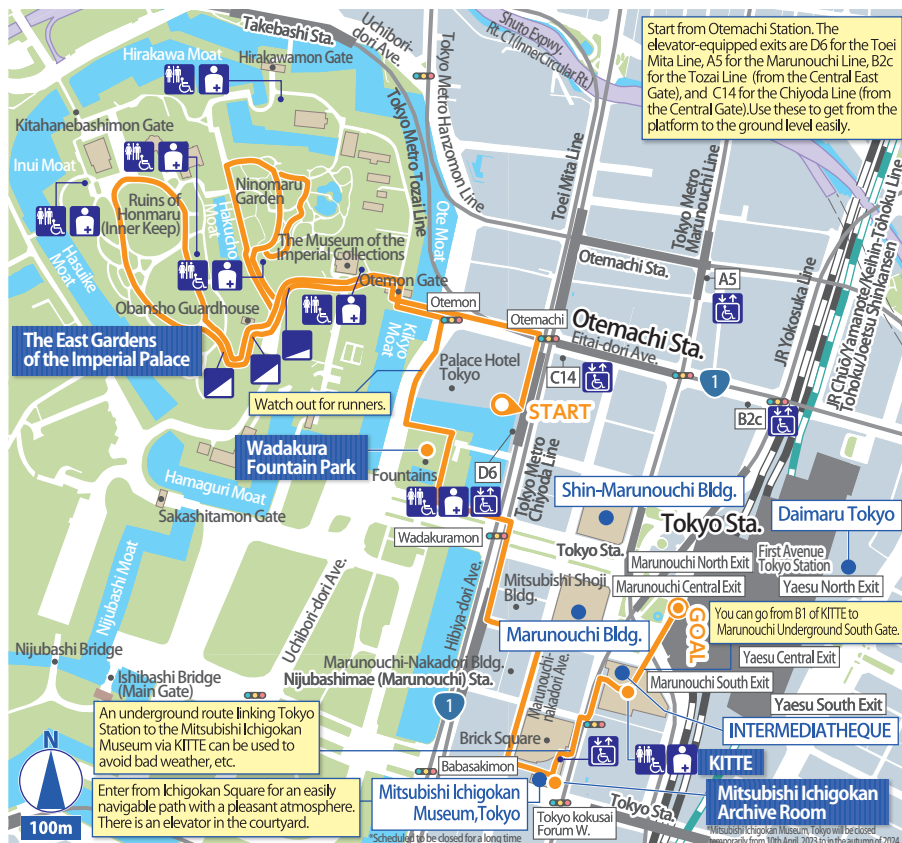
This beautiful park with a group of large fountains at its center was built in 1961 to commemorate the royal wedding of the Emperor Emeritus and Empress Emerita. It contains inscriptions of poetry composed by His Majesty, a coffee shop, and more.



Wheelchair users can go up to the water's edge. A free rest area is available, and visitors can also communicate in writing.

TEL 03-3213-0095 (Kokyogaien Management Office)

Free Free rest area open 9:00-17:00; coffee shop open 9:00-21:00 * For inquiries to the coffee shop: 03-6273-4844 Free rest area open year-round. The coffee shop is closed irregularly. Fountain park is free to walk around.



Mitsubishi Ichigokan Archive Room

About 30 min.

This facility details the restoration of the Mitsubishi Ichigokan building originally constructed by Mitsubishi in 1894 as well as the history of the Marunouchi area.



An accessible route is available from the rear courtyard. The archive room occupies one floor. The building is linked to Tokyo Station via an underground passage. Wheelchair rental may be cancelled.

TEL 050-5541-8600 (Hello Dial operator service) Free

10:00 - 8:00 (admission until 17:30) Mondays, (some temporary closing days), *Mitsubishi Ichigokan Museum, Tokyo will be closed temporarily from 10th April, 2023 to in the autumn of 2024.

KITTE

About 1 hr.

Part of the former Tokyo Central Post Office building has been preserved and redeveloped as this commercial facility. Various unique shops occupying the B1 level to the 6th floor.



Accessible features of the facility include tactile paving, Braille guidance inside the elevators, and wheelchair-accessible restrooms. A terrace and benches can be found on the 6th floor.

TEL 03-3216-2811 (10:00 - 19:00) KITTE Information Center

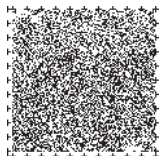
Varies by shop [Shops] Monday - Saturday, 11:00 - 21:00 / Sundays & national holidays, 11:00 - 20:00 [Restaurants] Monday - Saturday, 11:00 - 23:00 / Sundays & national holidays, 11:00 - 22:00 *Varies by shop. Mandatory building inspection days

Sightseeing Spots Nearby

●Facility	●Description	●Accessibility information	●Telephone number
Shin-Marunouchi Building	A large commercial facility featuring a collection of shops full of character, including shops exuding a sense of luxury, restaurants, and more. The building is directly connected to Tokyo Station underground.	Wheelchair-accessible restrooms are located on the 1st basement floor and 2nd to 7th floors. Baby corners and wheelchair-accessible restrooms on the 4th and 5th floors also have diaper changing tables.	03-5218-5100 (Marunouchi Call Center)
Marunouchi Building	A commercial and office complex that presents the unique "Marunouchi Style" with shops offering food, fashion, miscellaneous goods, and more.	The building is connected to Tokyo Station via an underground passage. Wheelchair-accessible restrooms are located on the B1, 2nd, 5th, and 35th floors. A nursing area can be found on the 3rd floor.	03-5218-5100 (Marunouchi Call Center)
INTERMEDIATEQUE	This museum jointly operated by Japan Post and the University of Tokyo exhibits the collections of the university.	Within the museum, the upper and lower floors are only accessible by stairs, but visitors can use the elevators in KITTE to move between floors.	050-5541-8600 (Hello Dial operator service)
Mitsubishi Ichigokan Museum, Tokyo	A museum in Marunouchi that holds exhibits mainly devoted to modern art. The red-brick museum building is a reconstruction of the Mitsubishi Ichigokan (designed by Josiah Conder) built by Mitsubishi in 1894.	Detailed directions on how to access the museum using an underground route to and from Tokyo Station and other barrier-free features are provided on the museum's website. Wheelchair rental may be cancelled. *Scheduled to be closed for a long time.	050-5541-8600 (Hello Dial operator service)
Daimaru Tokyo	In addition to clothing, this department store next to Tokyo Station also offers an extensive selection of sweets and bento box lunches.	The wheelchair-accessible restrooms on the 2nd and 12th floors contain diaper-changing stations (can be used by adults). The Baby Lounges are open to men as well as women with infants.	03-3212-8011

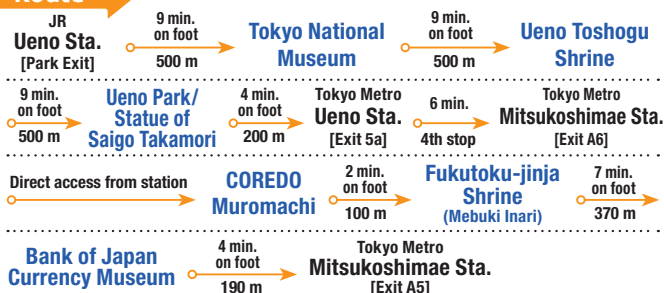
15 Ueno, Nihonbashi

Exploring the culture of old Edo



Dotted with museums and historical spots, Ueno Park is also famous for its cherry blossoms. Take a leisurely stroll through the park and immerse yourself in greenery. A short distance away, stately streetscapes stretch out before you in the Nihonbashi district, once the heart of Tokyo.

Route



Notes

When heading toward the museums in Ueno Park, the route from JR Ueno Station's Park Exit is recommended as it is flatter. The shopping complexes in the Nihonbashi-Muromachi area are accessible facilities.

Tokyo National Museum

About 2 hrs.

Founded in 1872, Japan's oldest museum houses a collection of more than about 120,000 items including 89 designated National Treasures.

Accessibility information is posted on the museum's website. There is a steep slope up to the entrance of the Main Building, but museum staff can provide assistance.

Tel 050-5541-8600 (Hello Dial operator service)

¥1,000, university students ¥500 (free of charge for those with impairments)

9:00 - 17:00 Mondays(the following day if Monday is a national holiday)

Ueno Toshogu Shrine

About 30 min.

This shrine dedicated to the first shogun Tokugawa Ieyasu was built in 1627 and still retains features of Edo period architecture. It is also famous for its cherry blossoms.

There is an alternate approach to the shrine that lets wheelchair users get close to the main shrine pavilion. English signage provides an explanation. The area inside the Sukibei Wall is inaccessible to wheelchair users due to gravel, steps, etc.

Tel 03-3822-3455 ¥ Free (area inside Sukibei Wall: ¥500) Winter (October to February): 9:00 - 16:30 Summer (March to September): 9:00 - 17:30 (Area inside Sukibei Wall closes 30 minutes before closing.)

None

Ueno Park

About 1 hr.

Formerly part of the sprawling grounds of Kan'eiji Temple during the Edo period, this lush green park is filled with cultural landmarks and historical buildings.

The main pathway is mostly flat. The locations of wheelchair-accessible restrooms and accessible routes are shown on maps in the park.

Tel 03-3828-5644 (Ueno Park Office) ¥ Free

Statue of Saigo Takamori

About 15 min.

This bronze statue built in 1877 commemorates the devoted samurai and military leader from Satsuma domain who played an influential role in the fall of the Shogunate and reinstatement of the Emperor at Edo Castle, as well as the subsequent Boshin War fought between the Shogunate and forces loyal to the imperial court.

The area around the statue is flat and visitors can get a close-up look. Use the elevators in the shopping complex near the statue (in operation 10:00 - 23:00) to go down toward the Hirokoji Gate.

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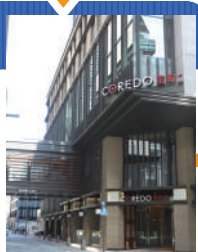
COREDO Muromachi

About 1 hr.

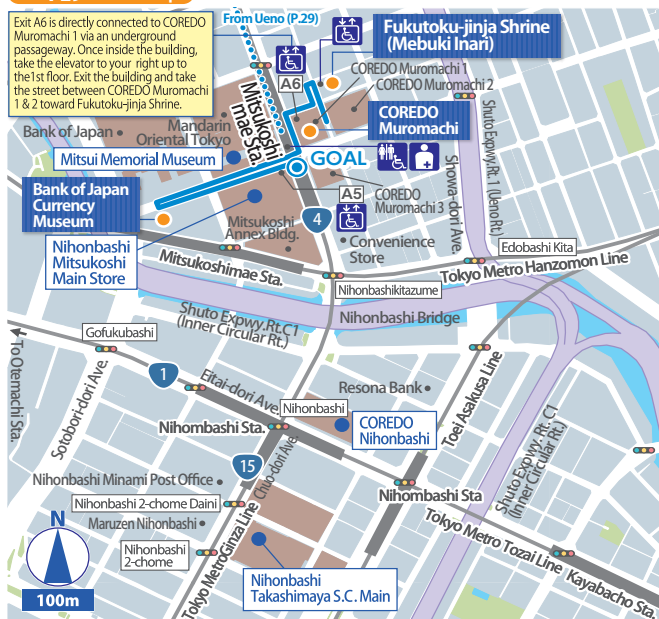
This four-building shopping complex is filled with trendy shops and restaurants. The Nihonbashi Tourist Information Center is located on the B1 level of COREDO Muromachi 1.

The facility consists of four buildings (1, 2, 3, and Terrace), each with direct underground access to Tokyo Metro Mitsukoshimae Station. A tactile map and intercom are available at the entrance.

Varies by shop



See P29 for Ueno map.



Fukutoku-jinja Shrine (Mebuki Inari)

About 10 min.

Said to have been founded during the Jogan era (859-876), this shrine had a strong following among military commanders and was even visited many times by the first shogun Tokugawa Ieyasu.

There is an elevator that goes up to the main shrine. The area around the main shrine is mostly smooth and easily accessible to wheelchairs.

Tel 03-3276-3550 ¥ Free

Bank of Japan Currency Museum

About 1 hr.

The museum of the Bank of Japan's Institute of Monetary and Economic Studies collects and preserves currency and currency-related materials. Its permanent collection includes large and small oval gold coins once used as currency in Japan.

The exhibition space is flat and consists of a single floor. The exhibits are at a height of about 75 cm, making them easily visible to wheelchair users. There are also many hands-on exhibits.

Tel 03-3277-3037 ¥ Free 9:30 - 16:30 Mondays (open if Monday is a national holiday)

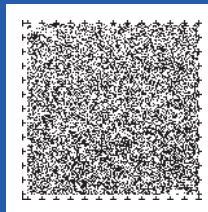


Sightseeing Spots Nearby

● Facility	● Description	● Accessibility information	● Telephone number
Nihonbashi Mitsukoshi Main Store	The main building of this long-established Japanese department store is designated as a Nationally Important Cultural Property.	Wheelchair-accessible restrooms (with ostomate facilities) available in the Main Building and Annex Building. Check the floor guide for details.	03-3241-3311
Mitsui Memorial Museum	This museum houses Japanese and Asian artworks collected over the 350-year history of the Mitsui family	When wheelchair users use the stairs at the entrance on the 1st floor, please use the level difference machine. The nursing room is in the art salon next to the shop.	050-5541-8600 (Hello Dial operator service)
COREDO Nihonbashi	The upper floors of this complex are leased as office space, while the lower floors house commercial tenants.	An information center is located on the basement level. The facility is directly connected to Tokyo Metro Nihonbashi Station.	
Nihonbashi Takashimaya Shopping Center Main	A historic structure whose main building was the first department store to be designated an important cultural property by the Japanese government.	In addition to wheelchair-accessible restrooms (1st to 8th floors), there are facilities for ostomates and diaper-changing stations (adults are welcome). Please check the floor guide for details.	03-3211-4111

16 Ueno

A cultural oasis



With beautiful vistas that change with the seasons, Ueno Park is a cultural oasis, which is home to many museums. The Ueno Zoological Gardens are another one of Tokyo's top destinations. It is also a great place to simply enjoy a leisurely stroll when the weather is nice.

Route



Notes

Although Ueno Park has some sloping terrain, you can choose a route that is relatively flat.

National Museum of Nature and Science

The Japan Gallery features the natural environment and life-forms of the Japanese archipelago, while the Global Gallery has extensive exhibits on the living organisms and history of the Earth. The special exhibitions held from time to time are also a must-see. There are also hands-on exhibits for visitors to enjoy.



About 2 hrs.

Extensive facilities include tactile maps of the museum (with explanations in Braille for some exhibits), wheelchair-accessible restrooms. Free wheelchair rentals and written communication boards are also available.

Tel 050-5541-8600 (Hello Dial operator service) Permanent Exhibition: ¥630 (free of charge for those with impairments; inquire for details.) 9:00 - 17:00 Mondays (the following day if Monday is a national holiday), during fumigation around late June

Ueno Zoological Gardens

First opened in 1882, Japan's oldest zoo is divided into an East Garden and West Garden. It houses animals from around the world, including giant pandas.



Use the Aesop Bridge elevator to avoid uneven surfaces between the East Garden and West Garden.



About 2 hrs.

Tel 03-3828-5171

Entry: ¥600 (free of charge for those with impairments; inquire for details.) 9:30 - 17:00 (admission until 16:00) Mondays (the following day if Monday is a national holiday or Tokyo Citizen's Day (October 1))

Shinobazu Pond

Benten Island lies at the center of this pond, a famous site depicted in many ukiyo-e prints from the Edo period. It is divided into a lotus pond, cormorant pond, and boat pond where visitors can enjoy boating.

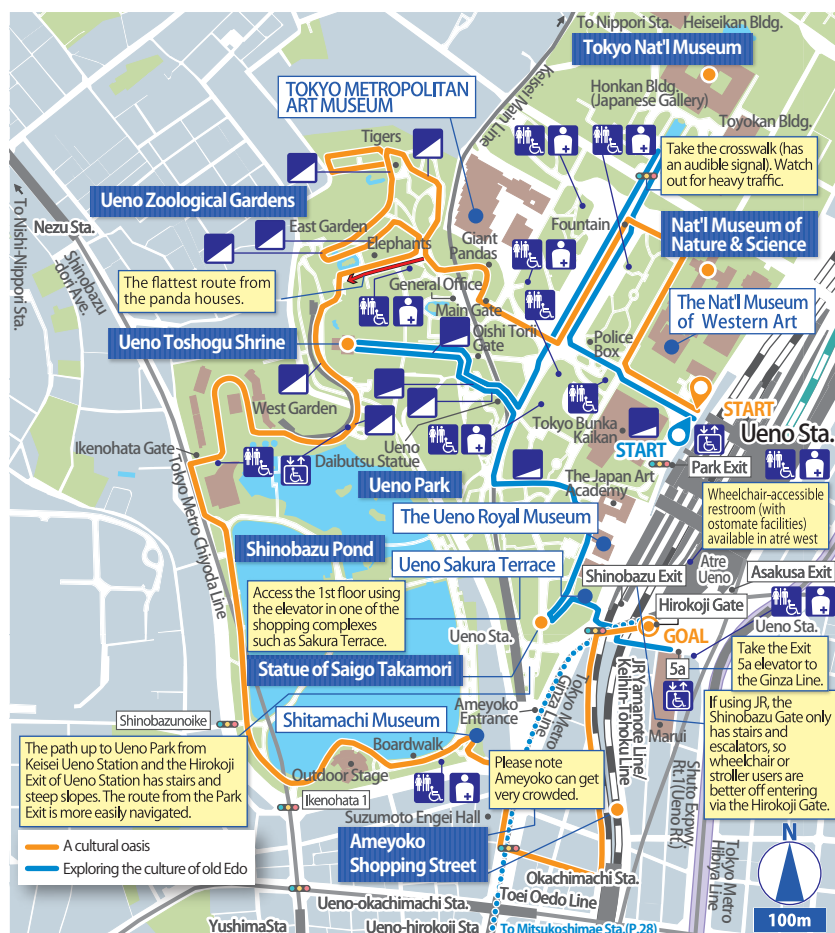


The pond is circled by a smooth, almost completely level path. The pedestrian deck lets wheelchair users view the pond up-close.



Tel 03-3828-5644 (Ueno Park Office)

¥ ☎ ☒ Free



Ameyoko Shopping Street

The bustling shopping street stretches for approximately 500 meters, mostly underneath the section of elevated railway tracks that runs between JR Ueno and Okachimachi stations. It is crammed with over 400 shops selling everything from fresh fish to clothing, dried goods, cosmetics, jewelry, imports, and more, and cheerful voices echo through the area.

Since it is a shopping street, accommodations vary by shop. The street is flat and goods are visible from the road. Move with caution as the street can get very crowded at times, especially on weekends and holidays.

☎ ☒ ☒ Varies by shop



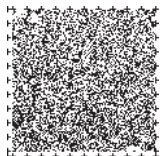
Sightseeing Spots Nearby

●Facility	●Description	●Accessibility information	●Telephone number
TOKYO METROPOLITAN ART MUSEUM	Intriguing feature exhibitions are held on a regular basis. The restaurant and shop are also popular.	Wheelchairs and strollers can be rented for free, and a breastfeeding room is also available.	03-3823-6921
The National Museum of Western Art	This museum has an extensive collection of European paintings from the Middle Ages onward, as well as works by Rodin and other modern French sculptors.	Attendants are stationed throughout the facility to provide assistance when moving. Wheelchair users can also use the elevators to move around the exhibition rooms. If you wish to use the nursing area, please ask the attendant.	050-5541-8600 (Hello Dial operator service)
The Ueno Royal Museum	Although there is no permanent collection, the museum regularly hosts unique feature exhibitions that attract attention.	Wheelchair-accessible restrooms have a diaper-changing station. Museum staff will assist wheelchair users when moving to the 2nd floor.	03-3833-4191
Ueno Sakura Terrace	19 restaurants surround a bright, open atrium. An ideal place to take a break.	The elevator near the bronze statue of Saigo Takamori goes down to the 1st floor for access to Ueno Station's Hirokoji Gate (elevator in operation 10:00 - 23:00).	Varies by shop
Shitamachi Museum	This museum replicates the daily life and culture of the common people in Tokyo and the Shitamachi district, a way of life whose vestiges were lost in the Great Kanto Earthquake and the war.	The exhibitions are installed at a low height to improve visibility for wheelchair users and children. Some exhibits can be touched.	03-3823-7451
Suzumoto Entertainment Hall	Built in a storytelling hall established in 1857, it is Japan's oldest extant entertainment hall for arts such as comedic storytelling.	An elevator goes up to the hall. There is a step into the restrooms, but wheelchair users may ask for assistance.	03-3834-5906

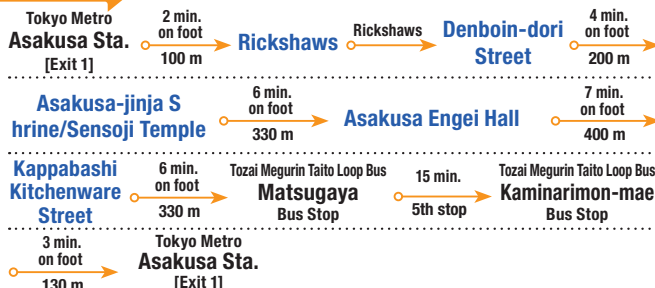
17 Asakusa

Enjoy the atmosphere of old Tokyo

This neighborhood surrounding Sensoji Temple was the city's most bustling district during the Edo period. From the Meiji era onward, it became Japan's entertainment center with rows of theaters and cinemas. The atmosphere of old Tokyo remains strong here to this day.



Route



Notes

Tokyo Metro Ginza Line trains arriving at Track 2 offer a smooth route to the exit.

Rickshaws

Starting at about 10 min.

Explore Asakusa as the driver introduces the area. The height of the rickshaw lets you see the scenery from a fresh perspective.

A special ramp (Rickshaw Carry Station), which assists wheelchair users in boarding the rickshaw, is available with a prior reservation. (Separate fee required.) Courtesy of Jidaiya.



TEL 03-3843-0890 (Jidaiya)

¥ Sightseeing rickshaw: Starting at ¥4,000 (including tax)/10 min. per person; Barrier-free rickshaw station: Starting at ¥8,800 (including tax) *When using the barrier-free rickshaw station, rickshaw rides must be 30 minutes or more. ☑ 10:45 - 16:30 ☒ None

Denbain Street

See P24 for details.

The street is wide and offers easy access to wheelchair users. Along the street, a wheelchair-accessible restroom is available at Asakusa Public Hall across from Denbain Temple.

Asakusa-jinja Shrine

About 30 min.

Famous for its annual Sanja Matsuri festival, this historic shrine was established around 700 years ago. The current shrine building was reconstructed and donated by the shogun Tokugawa Iemitsu. It is built in the gongen-zukuri architectural style typical of the Edo period and has been designated an Important Cultural Property by the Japanese government.



There is an approximately 10-cm storm drain near the entrance on the torii gate side, but wheelchair users proceeding carefully should have no issues. The shrine grounds are paved and easy to navigate.

TEL 03-3844-1575

☑ Weekdays: 9:00-16:00 / Saturdays, Sundays and Holidays: 9:00-16:30 ☒ Free entry to grounds

Sensoji Temple

See P24 for details.

Wheelchair users can take the elevator to the left of the Main Hall. The pathways on the grounds are very wide and wheelchair users can get around easily.

Asakusa Engei Hall

About 1 hr. 30 min.

At this theater, visitors can enjoy a variety of performances that rotate every 10 days, including traditional Japanese comedic arts like rakugo and manzai (two-person stand-up), comic storytelling, sketch comedy, magic, impersonations, and more.



Theater staff are available to assist with personal accommodations. Space for wheelchairs is located on the 1st floor, which has a theater-style layout and a slight incline.



TEL 03-3841-6545

¥ Starting at ¥3,000 (discounts may be available for customers with impairments; inquire for details.) ☑ Matinee 11:40 - 16:30; evening performance 16:40-21:00 ☒ None

Kappabashi Kitchenware Street

About 30 min.

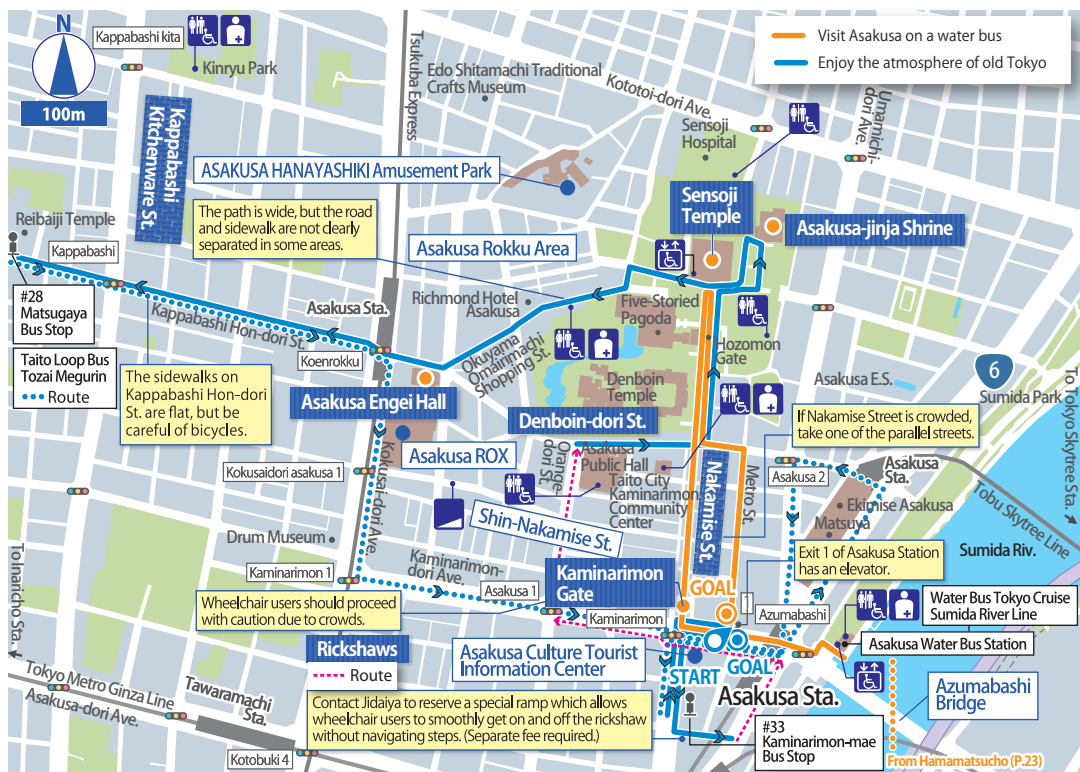
Over 160 shops line this approximately 800-meter street, selling everything from professional-grade cooking utensils to handy kitchenware for household use. Even just window-shopping is fun.



Tokyo Metro Tawaramachi Station is within walking distance. A bus stop is also located nearby for easy access to Ueno and Asakusa Stations. The street is a covered arcade and is relatively flat.



☑ Free



Sightseeing Spots Nearby

● Facility	● Description	● Accessibility information	● Telephone number
ASAKUSA HANAYASHIKI Amusement Park	Opened in 1853, Japan's oldest amusement park features a variety of rides.	Wheelchair users who are able to transfer from their wheelchairs can enjoy some of the rides.	03-3842-8780 (Japanese only)
Asakusa Rokku Area	Since the Meiji era, cinemas and theaters have concentrated in this district, where revitalization planning is currently underway.	There are no guardrails, but the street is wide and flat and normally does not have much vehicle traffic. A wheelchair-accessible restroom is available at Asakusa ROX.	Varies by shop
Asakusa ROX	This four-building commercial complex contains shops, restaurants, athletic facilities, and more.	Asakusa ROX is barrier free and offers a nursing area and wheelchair-accessible restroom. A tactile map can be found at the entrance.	03-3836-7700

Former Yasuda Garden

About
30 min.

Thought to have been developed during the Genroku era (1688-1703), this large garden for strolling has a tidal pond at its center.



There are many uneven surfaces, etc., however, the path from the entrance to the area around the pond is wheelchair-accessible and offers a view of the whole garden.

TEL 03-5608-6661 (Sumida-ku Roads and Parks Department Planning Coordination Section)

¥ Free 9:00-19:30 (open until 18:00 October through March) ❌ December 29th - January 1st



Sumida Park

About
30 min.

Stretching along the east bank of the Sumida River, this park opened in 1931 on the former site of the gardens of the Mito Tokugawa clan's Tokyo residence. Since the Edo period, the area has been well-known for its cherry trees along the river.



The plaza on the south side of the Japanese garden is wheelchair accessible. Some dirt-paved paths may become muddy on rainy days.

TEL 03-5608-6661 (Sumida-ku Roads and Parks Department Planning Coordination Section)

¥ Free



Ushijima-jinja Shrine

About
20 min.

This historic shrine is thought to have been constructed in 860 by the Buddhist priest Jikaku. Built entirely from Japanese cypress in the *gongen-zukuri* style of Shinto architecture, it is famous for its Nadeushi cow statue. Touch the part of the cow's body where you yourself suffer from an ailment, and it is said that the statue will heal you.



The shrine grounds are flat and paved, making them easily wheelchair-accessible. The Nadeushi (healing cow statue) is on a base, so wheelchair users may not be able to touch it directly. There are steps up to the Main Hall and the ritual handwashing trough.

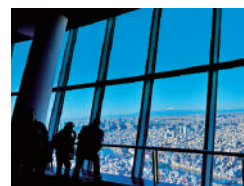
TEL 03-3622-0973 ¥ Free entry to grounds



TOKYO SKYTREE

About
1 hr.

TOKYO SKYTREE is the world's tallest free-standing broadcasting tower with a height of 634 meters. Visitors can ascend to the TEMBO DECK at 350 meters and even further to the TEMBO GALLERIA, a skywalk located at a height of 450 meters, giving you the feeling of walking in the air. The views are breathtaking.



The entire facility is barrier-free. Wheelchair-accessible restrooms with diaper-changing stations (adult changing table) can be found near the Group ticket counter on the first floor and ticket counter on the fourth floor *For mobility-impaired parking, use the TOKYO SKYTREE TOWN parking area.



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TEL TOKYO SKYTREE Call Center: 0570-55-0634 (11:00 - 19:00)

¥ Same-day adult tickets for the TEMBO DECK: ¥2,100 (holidays: ¥2,300); fixed date/ticket sold in advance: ¥1,800 (holidays: ¥2,000). Combo tickets for the TEMBO DECK and TEMBO GALLERIA are available. Discounts are available for visitors with impairments. Inquire for details. 10:00 - 21:00 (admission to TEMBO DECK until 20:00) ❌ None

TOKYO Solamachi

About
1 hr.

There is a large shopping complex at the base of TOKYO SKYTREE. It contains over 300 establishments including restaurants, fashion boutiques, and shops selling miscellaneous goods.



Priority elevators for wheelchair users are available. The visitor-friendly facility has tactile paving and maps, and easy-to-understand signage. There are also many benches near the escalators and on the terrace.








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TEL 0570-55-0102 (TOKYO Solamachi Call Center) (11:00 - 19:00)

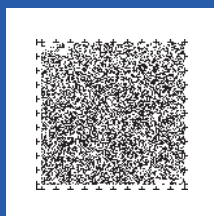
Entire building open 10:00 - 21:00 (restaurants on the 6th-7th and 30th-31st floors are open 11:00 - 23:00); differs for some stores ❌ Irregular holidays

Sightseeing Spots Nearby

●Facility	●Description	●Accessibility information	●Telephone number
Sumo Museum	Changed six times a year, the exhibits here consist of precious artifacts relating to sumo wrestling, including woodblock prints, rankings lists, and <i>kesho-mawashi</i> , the embroidered ceremonial aprons worn by wrestlers in the uppermost divisions.	 The exhibition space consists of one room with a flat floor. The exhibits are at a height easily visible to wheelchair users. One free rental wheelchair is available.	03-3622-0366
Yokoamicho Park	Historic structures and precious documents are preserved in this park that commemorates the victims of natural disasters and war.	 The entrances to the Ireido (Hall of Repose) and Reconstruction Memorial Hall are sloped. There is a nursing room in the Reconstruction Memorial Hall. Contact the park in advance to use a parking space for visitors with impairments, etc.	03-3622-1208 (Yokoamicho Park Office)
Sumida Heritage Museum	This museum displays artifacts and materials related to the history and folklore of Sumida City, which developed around the Sumida River.	 Elevators offer access to exhibition rooms on the 1st through 3rd floors. The corridors are wide and the exhibits are at a height easily visible to wheelchair users. One rental wheelchair is available.	03-5619-7034
Mimeguri-jinja Shrine	Built in the early Heian period, this shrine was established as the guardian shrine of Tokyo by the Mitsui Family during the Edo period.	 The stone monument in the rear is not accessible to wheelchair users, but visitors can enjoy the peaceful atmosphere around the main shrine. Written requests may not be supported if there are too many worshippers.	03-3622-2672
SUMIDA AQUARIUM	This aquarium designed around the concept of "the closer you get, the more you like it" is home to approximately 7,000 aquatic lifeforms from 260 different species.	 The wheelchair-accessible restrooms in the aquarium contain diaper-changing stations (adult changing table). The exhibits are designed for visitors to enjoy close-up views.	03-5619-1821

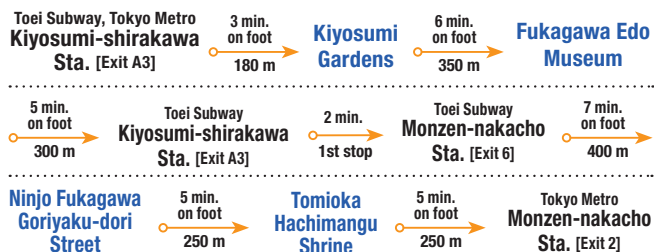
19 Fukagawa

A sophisticated and warm temple town



Enjoy historic temples, shrines, and gardens as well as an old Edo atmosphere while taking in the crisscrossing canals and rivers. This is a course where you can fully enjoy the history and atmosphere of Oedo Fukagawa.

Route



Notes

A generally level course. The Kiyosumi Gardens has routes for visitors in wheelchairs. Ramps are available on the grounds and outer shrine of Tomioka Hachimangu Shrine.



Kiyosumi Gardens

About
30 min.

Created by Iwasaki Yataro, this strolling garden is a classic example of a Meiji period garden and features garden ponds, artificial hills, and dry landscapes. Visitors can enjoy the garden's appearance season by season, including exquisite stones from across the country that have been arranged around the pond.



There is a route available for wheelchair users with little level differences. Rental suspension wheel-type wheelchairs (which cut down on vibration) are available.



TEL 03-3641-5892 (Tokyo Metropolitan Park Association)

¥150 (Discounts available for seniors, people with impairments and caregivers. Inquire for details) ☑ 9:00 - 17:00 (admission until 16:30) ☒ None

Fukagawa Edo Museum

About
1 hr.

This museum replicates the town of Fukagawa-Sagacho during the late Edo period. A day in the lives of the people of that time is presented with sound effects (vendors selling their goods, "beware of fire" warnings, etc.) and lighting effects.



Notify the staff if you wish to use the elevator to go to the exhibit on the basement floor.



TEL 03-3630-8625

¥400 (Discounts available for people with impairments and caregivers. Inquire for details) ☑ 9:30 - 17:00 (admission until 16:30) ☒ 2nd and 4th Mondays (open when the Monday is a national holiday)

Ninjo Fukagawa Goriyaku-dori Street

About
20 min.

The approach to the Fukagawa Fudo Temple stretches some 150 meters from Eitai-dori. The temple area shopping street is typically lively, with some 40 establishments including restaurants as well as shops offering Japanese sweets and Edo-style accessories.



The road leading to the temple has no inclination or steps, making wheelchair use easy. Exercise caution on the 1st, 15th, and 28th of the month (temple fair days), as it tends to be crowded.

☑ ☒ Varies by shop



Tomioka Hachimangu Shrine

About
20 min.

This shrine is well-known for the Fukagawa Hachiman Festival, which is regarded as one of the three great festivals of Edo. As the birthplace of sumo as athletic entertainment, it has a deep connection to the sport, with Yokozuna and Ozeki monuments on the grounds



There are ramps available next to the stairs on the grounds as well as on both sides of the outer shrine (at approximately eight degrees). Be cautious on the path leading to the Yokozuna monument to the side of the outer shrine as it slopes ten degrees. Though there is no dedicated nursing room, you may ask the administrative office for assistance if you require nursing facilities.



There are ramps installed on the grounds and at the front shrine.

TEL 03-3642-1315

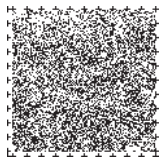
¥ ☑ ☒ Free entry to grounds

Sightseeing Spots Nearby

● Facility	● Description	● Accessibility information	● Telephone number
Koto City Morishita Culture Center	TAGAWA Suiho · Norakuro Museum introduces the achievements of manga artist Tagawa Suiho (author of the comic "Norakuro"), who grew up in this area. The Takumi-no-yakata Hall exhibits crafts created by holders of intangible cultural properties designated by the city.	Tactile blocks lead to the 1st floor office window. The facility can be toured by wheelchair users without any problem.	03-5600-8666
Takabashi Noraku-Road	This shopping street is known for Norakuro, the comic by manga artist Tagawa Suiho. The street is closed to vehicles on Sundays and holidays.	There are tactile blocks near intersections, and level differences have been removed.	Varies by shop
Kiyosu Bridge	This bridge, which spans the Sumida River, has been designated an Important Cultural Property. It is modeled after a bridge over the Rhine River in Cologne, Germany, which was said to be the most beautiful in the world.	There is an observation point from which one can view the Kiyosu Bridge near the confluence of the Sumida and Onagi Rivers.	—
Reiganji Temple	A historic temple with one of the six bronze Jizo statues of Edo and numerous graves of daimyo lords including Matsudaira Sadanobu of the Kansei reforms.	An absence of level differences and inclines at the entrance/exit and on the grounds enables smooth wheelchair movement. However, the ground in front of the Jizo statue is covered in gravel.	03-3641-1523
Fukagawa Tokyo Modan Kan	This facility was built as a cafeteria operated by the city of Tokyo in 1932. Serving as a tourism and cultural center, it is used as a base for touring around the Monzen-nakacho area.	The front of the building (east entrance) has a ramp, enabling smooth entry by wheelchair users.	03-5639-1776

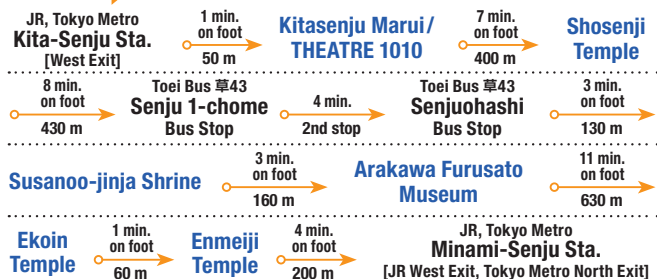
20 Kita-senju, Minami-senju

Follow the old road to Nikko



Matsuo Basho left on his "Oku-no-Hosomichi" from Oosenju. Senju, North East of Edo, was the first rest area on the road to Nikko. View the vestiges of this rest point town while following the temples, shrines and remnants of the Edo period dotted along the old road to Nikko.

Route



Notes

This course follows the old nikko road South. The road on the north side of Sumida River is a quiet one-way street heading South. There is no pavement, so take care when walking.

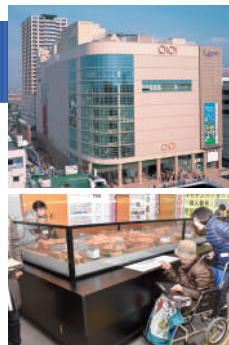
Kitasenju Marui / THEATRE1010

About 20 min.

There are large commercial facilities near the west exit of Kita-Senju Station. Enjoy shopping for accessories and cosmetics as well as men's, women's and children's clothing. Also, you can satisfy your gourmet needs with the 1st floor food court and the restaurants on the 9th floor. The THEATRE 1010 (senju), an Adachi Ward cultural facility, is on the 10th to 12th floors where various fun events and plays are held. There is also an exhibition with a model of the Senju-shuku and related panels where you can learn about life at the time.



Can be accessed directly from the pedestrian deck at the west exit of Kita-Senju Station. There is a dedicated elevator for wheelchair users or parents with strollers and each floor has wheelchair-accessible toilets.



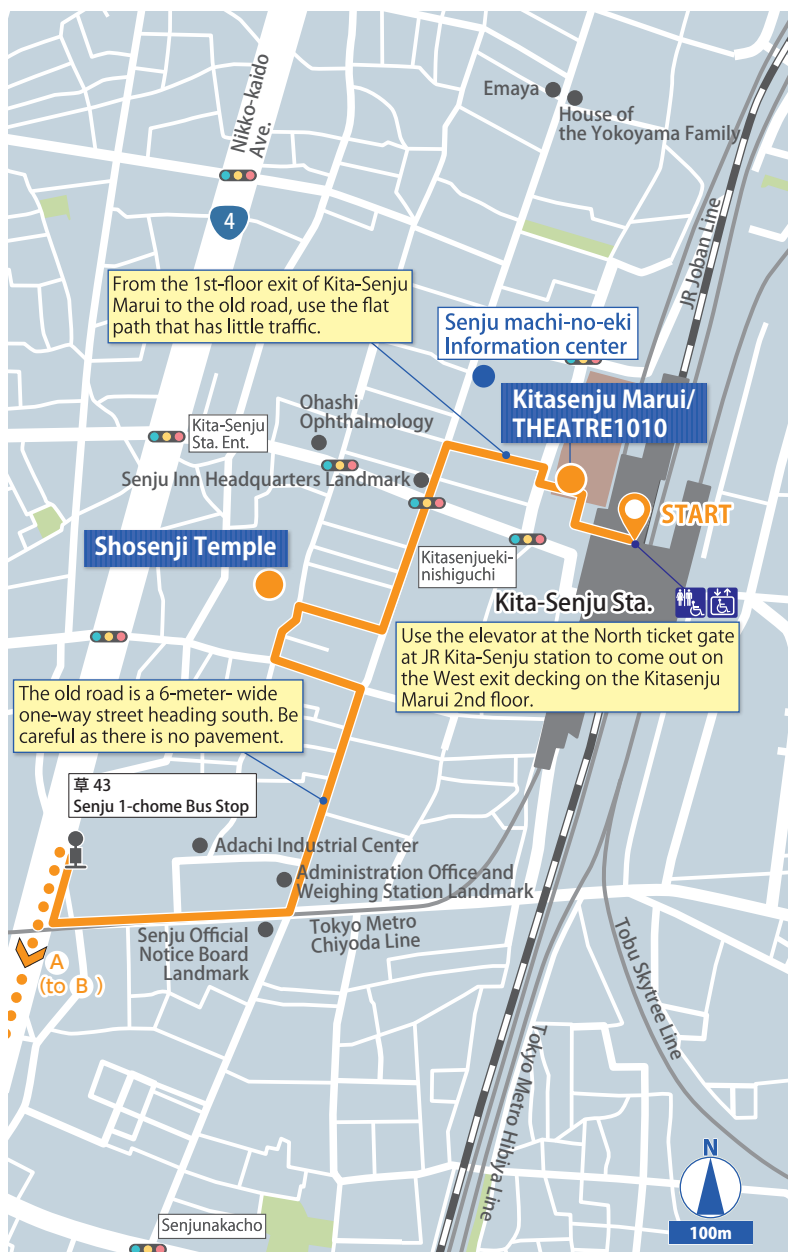
[Kitasenju Marui] Tel 03-5244-0101

- Varies by shop
- Irregular holidays

[THEATRE 1010] Tel 03-5244-1010

- Varies by facility
- Please check the Official Website.

<https://www.t1010.jp/>
[Contact for the model of Senju-shuku and panels (ADACHI CITY MUSEUM)] Tel 03-3620-9393



Shosenji Temple

About
15 min.

Arai Hyoubu Masakatsu is said to have founded this Jodo Sect temple in 1260. The wooden Senju Kannon statue in Shosenji Temple is the origin of the place name, Senju. Locals call it the Red Gate Temple because the gate is vermilion-lacquered. In the Edo period (1603-1868), when the Nikko route was developed, the Tokugawa family built a palace here and put it in use. It is also known to have been one of the bases of Senju-juku. In January and July, when Enmadou is open to the public, many street vendors line up to sell their goods.



Wheelchair users can enter through the parking lot entrance to the left of the front side of the Red Gate.

TEL 03-3881-2358

¥ Free entry to grounds ☑ 9:00 - 17:00
☒ Free entry to grounds

Susanoo-jinja Shrine

About
15 min.

A historic shrine founded in the Heian period by Kokuchin, a high-ranking disciple of the founder of Shugendo. It is dedicated to the heroic deity Susanoo, who is the younger brother of the Sun Goddess Amaterasu and who killed the giant eight-headed serpent Yamata-no-Orochi, as well as the deity Asuka, who has the wisdom to judge between good and evil with a single word.

There is a slope with handrails on both sides of the main shrine. The approach is cobbled but passable by wheelchair users, enabling them to visit the shrine. An indoor wheelchair is available for visitors who wish to pray inside the shrine.



TEL 03-3891-8281

¥ Free entry to grounds
☑ Worship hours: 6:00 - 17:00
*See the shrine's website for times to request prayers.
☒ Free entry to grounds

Arakawa Furusato Museum

About
40 min.

The museum opened in May 1998, as a place to pursue learning while enjoying the local culture and history. There is a permanent exhibition of items excavated from the remains of Arakawa-ku, medieval monuments as well as reconstructions of life in early modern towns and farms, scenes of minting old coins, houses from circa 1666, and materials related to "The Narrow Road to the Deep North" (a chronicle by the poet Matsuo Basho, published in 1702). There are exhibits that change three times a year in addition to exhibits of materials stored at the museum. The free Arakawa Traditional Arts Gallery displays works from local artisans. It adjoins the Minami Senju Library.



TEL 03-3807-9234

¥ ¥100 (Free for Arakawa Ward residents under junior high school age and over 65 years old. Persons with disabilities and their caregivers including non-residents are free of charge.)
☑ 9:00 - 17:00 (admission until 16:30)
☒ Mondays (the following day if Monday is a national holiday), every 2nd Thursday of the month (cleaning day)



There are wheelchair-accessible restrooms on the 1st and 2nd floors. There is parking for customers with impairments. Inquire at the library counter on the second floor if you would like to use the nursing room.



Ekoin Temple

About
10 min.



A temple of the Jodo Sect, Ekoin opened around 360 years ago. It was built in remembrance of the people who perished in the great fire of the Meireki era in Edo. The temple teaches that all living beings, human or animal, receive the mercy of Buddha.

The grounds are cobbled but the stones are flat, so wheelchair users can also pay their respects at the graves.

TEL 03-3801-6962

¥ Free entry to grounds ☑ 9:00 - 16:30
☒ Free entry to grounds

Enmeiji Temple

About
10 min.

A temple of the Jodo Sect that was opened separate from Ekoin Temple. Crucifixions and beheadings were carried out at the nearby Kozukappara prison until it was abolished. The 4-meter-high Kubikiri Jizo sits at the entrance to the prison and quietly watches over the souls of the executed.

There are no steps or slopes from the entrance, and the Kubikiri Jizo, located at the rear of the temple can be viewed from up close.



TEL 03-3807-0897

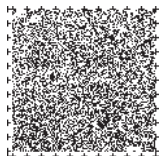
¥ ☑ ☒ Free entry to grounds

Sightseeing Spots Nearby

● Facility	● Description	● Accessibility information	● Telephone number
Ohashi Park	As this is the start of "Oku-no-Hosomichi" ("The Narrow Road to the Deep North"), there is a monument here engraved with Matsuo Basho's first poem.	There is 1 wheelchair-accessible restroom in the park. Be careful of the steps and slope (max. 10 degrees) at the park entrance.	03-3880-5010 (Road park maintenance room eastern road park Maintenance Division, Adachi City)
Senju-shuku, Petite Terrace of "Oku-no-Hosomichi (Narrow Road to the Deep North)"	Close to Senjushashi Station, one can learn about the history of Adachi-ku. There is a statue of Matsuo Basho, who left on his long road to the "Oku-no-Hosomichi" ("The Narrow Road to the Deep North") from here.	There is a terrace built into the side of the entrance to Adachi Market. The statue of Matsuo Basho is a landmark.	03-3880-5010 (Road park maintenance room eastern road park Maintenance Division, Adachi City)
Senju-machi-no-eki Information center	The first stop when walking around Senju town. Tourist maps and display panels are available.	There is a ramp at the entrance, please contact the staff if necessary.	080-6630-8037
Sekido Museum of Art	The exhibits are mainly for pottery from around the world, collected by industrialist, Sato Senju. The museum name is taken from Sato's pen name "Sekido".	There is a spiral slope (6 degrees) between the 1st and 2nd floor so attendants are required. There is no elevator. Wheelchair users can enjoy viewing pottery from around the world. There are point and line-like blocks from the road to the entrance.	03-3888-7520

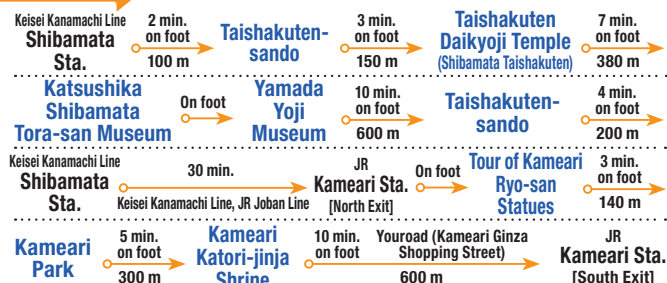
21 Shibamata, Kameari

The hometown of Tora-san and Ryo-san



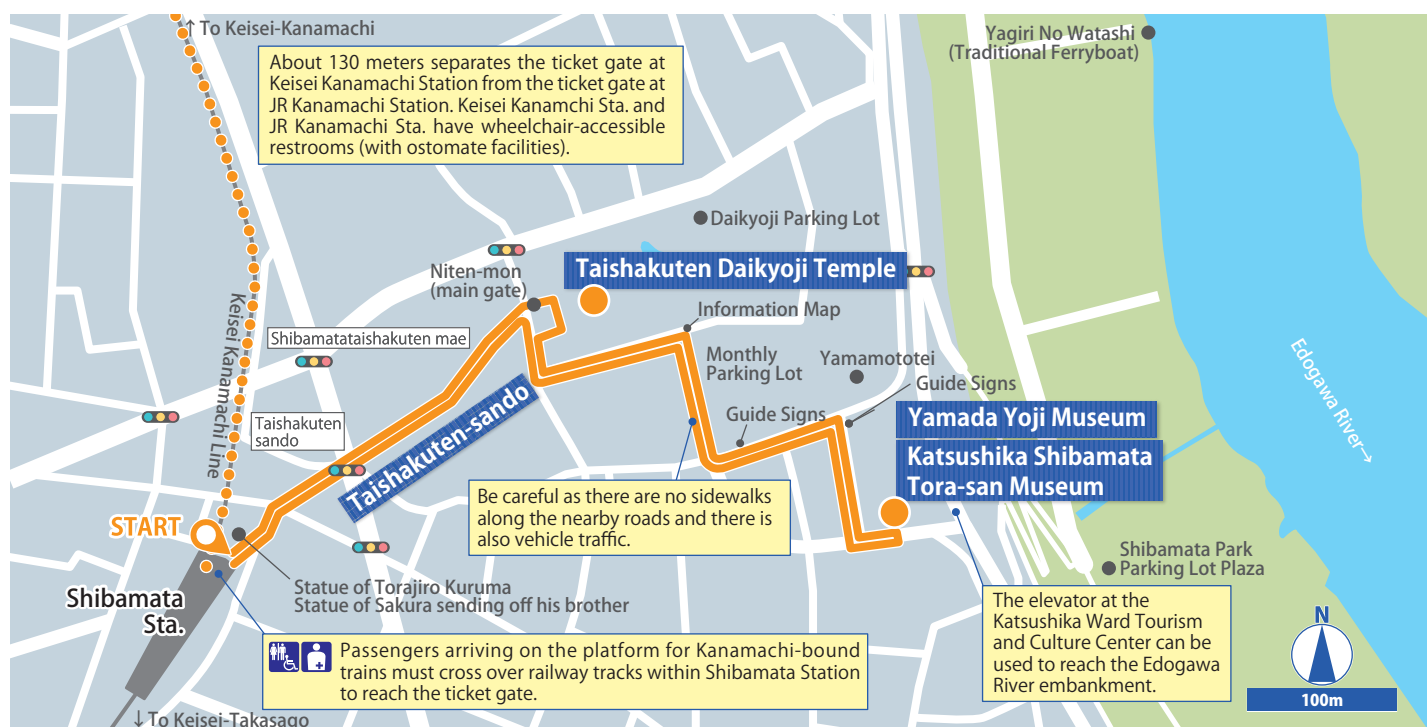
Shibamata, Katsushika-ku was featured as the hometown of Tora-san, the main character in the *Otoko wa Tsurai yo* movie series. Kameari served as the model for the town where the adventures of Ryo-san, a police officer, unfold in the manga series "Kochira Katsushika-ku Kameari Koen-mae Hashutsujo" ("Kochikame"). As you tour these locations, you can enjoy the many faces of the area, including the approach to the shrine and the warm shopping street in front of the station.

Route



Notes

You may wish to take the time to visit Shibamata and Kameari separately. It is recommended that you visit the restroom at the station before embarking on your tour.



Taishakuten-sando

About 20 min.



Start by taking commemorative photos with the statues of Kuruma Torajiro and Sakura, seeing him off against the backdrop of Shibamata Station. The approach to the temple retains the feeling of a downtown area in the Showa era. You can almost hear Tora-san greeting you as you walk along it. Be enticed by the aromas spilling forth from old established shops offering products such as dango, senbei, river fish, tsukudani, and pickles. Enjoy these delicacies after visiting Taishakuten Temple.

The road is paved with stone and mostly flat. Be careful as the road in front of the Niten-mon Gate of Daikyoji Temple is also used by cars. There is a wheelchair-accessible restroom in front of Niten-mon Gate.



TEL Varies by shop ☑ ☒ Varies by shop

Taishakuten Daikyoji Temple (Shibamata Taishakuten)

About 30 min.

Kyoei-zan Daikyoji Temple, as it is formally named, is a Nichiren Sect Buddhist Temple. The temple is dedicated to an image of Taishakuten carved in wood by the founder of the Nichiren Sect. Starting in the Edo period, the temple became known to the people by the name Taishakuten. It also appears in every installment of the *Otoko wa Tsurai yo* movie series. The sacred water of Taishakuten was used to give Tora-san, the movie's main character, his first bath as a baby. This temple is especially lively with activity on Koshin Mairi days, the 57th day of the sexagenary cycle.



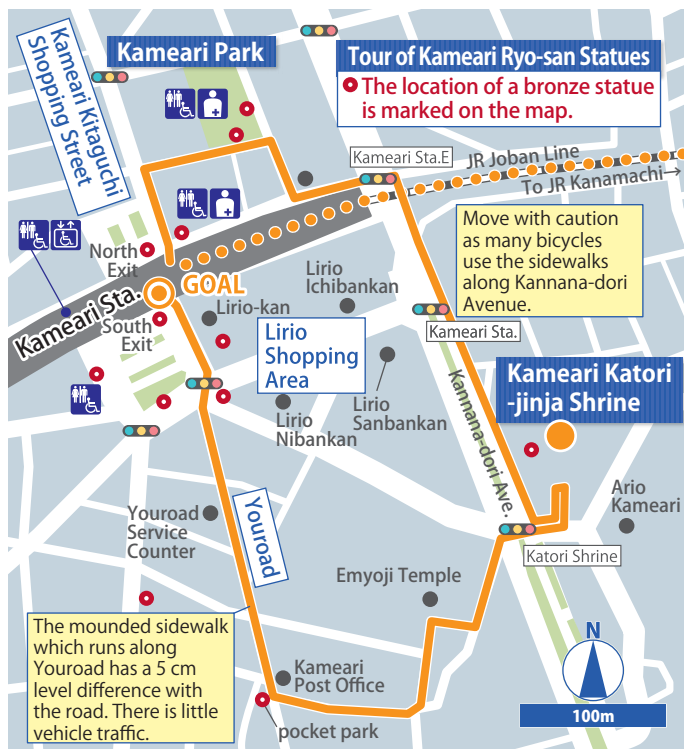
Since there are no restrooms for general temple visitors, you should use the public restrooms located in front of Niten-mon Gate. Due to the large number of steps leading up to the main hall and Taishaku-do it is not possible to enter these areas using a wheelchair.

TEL 03-3657-2886

¥ Free entry to grounds. Admission to the sculpture gallery and Suikeien garden is ¥400.

☑ Temple open: 9:00 - 18:00; Sculpture gallery and Suikeien garden open: 9:00 - 16:00 ☒ None





Katsushika Shibamata Tora-san Museum

About
1 hr.

The world of the famed Tora-san movies, *Otoko wa tsurai yo*, has been recreated by relocating the set of the restaurant, "Kurumaya." This is a must-visit place for fans where they can take a commemorative photo with Tora-san. Also on display is a miniature model of the Taishakuten-sando road during the Showa era, as well as a diorama of the Kanamachi Line when it was a human-powered line, featuring the railway car used then. Audio, visual and other types of displays will immerse visitors in the nostalgic world of Shibamata. In a corner that recreates the seats on a train, visitors can watch scenes from Tora-san films related to the railway and street vendor sales pitches. Please enjoy the world of the movie together with the TORAsan cafe.



Wheelchairs borrowed here can be used around the Taishakuten-sando area. The museum also lends out Braille guides.



Katsushika Shibamata Tora san Museum /Yamada Yoji Museum
provided by Shochiku ©

TEL 03-3657-3455

¥500 (Admission to Yamada Yoji Museum included. People with impairments are free. Inquire for details)
9:00 - 17:00 (last admission 30 min. before closing)
3rd Tuesday; 3rd Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday in December

Sightseeing Spots Nearby

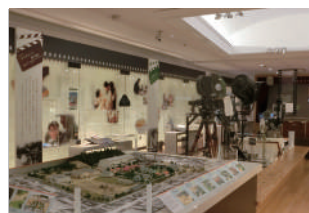
● Facility	● Description	● Accessibility information	● Telephone number
Kameari Kitaguchi Shopping Street	In front of the North Exit of Kameari Station is the police box that manga series "Kochira Katsushika-ku Kameari Koen-mae Hashutsujo" ("KochiKame") is modeled after.		Varies by shop
Youroad (Kameari Ginza Shopping Street)	In the Pocket Park, you will find a statue of the young Ryo-san. Snake hands with the statue if you like.		Varies by shop
Lirio Shopping Area	A statue of Reiko, one of the "KochiKame" manga series main characters, greets visitors with a smile at the entrance to the Kameari district center on the 7th floor of the Lirio-kan.		Varies by shop

Yamada Yoji Museum

About
30 min.

This museum introduces the cinematic world of one of Japan's leading filmmakers, director Yamada Yoji, through exhibitions and videos from his debut work to his latest. In the popular "Shibamata Kinema" corner, you can freely watch the trailers to all of his films.

In addition, a wide variety of activities beyond directing films, such as screenplays for TV dramas, scripts for new rakugo traditional comic stories, and stage play productions, are also introduced in the "Director's Room." In addition to nostalgic projectors and filming equipment, a diorama of "Shochiku Ofuna Studio" where Director Yamada spent a lot of time is also on display, creating a spectacular space.



Wheelchairs borrowed here can be used around the Taishakuten-sando area. The museum also lends out Braille guides.

TEL 03-3657-3455

¥500 (includes admission to the Tora-san Museum, people with impairments are free.) 9:00 - 17:00 (last admission 30 min. before closing) 3rd Tuesday; 3rd Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday in December

Tour of Kameari Ryo-san Statues

About
1 hr.

Statues of Ryo-san and the other characters from the popular manga, "Kochira Katsushika-ku Kameari Koen-mae Hashutsujo" ("KochiKame") which ran for 40 years until 2016, can be found at 15 locations around Kameari Station. Start by obtaining a map from the KochiKame guide rack in front of the Kameari Station ticket gate.



Wheelchair-accessible restrooms are located in the Lirio-kan.

Wheelchair-accessible restrooms are located at the North Exit of Kameari Station. Wheelchair-accessible restrooms (with ostomate facilities) are available in Kameari Park and Kameari Lirio Park. If you use Kannana-dori Avenue, be careful as many bicyclists use the sidewalk.

TEL 03-5680-8685 (Youroad Service Counter)

¥ Free



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Kameari Park

About
10 min.

Make your way to this park after visiting the statues of Ryo-san and Reiko from the manga series "Kochira Katsushika-ku Kameari Koen-mae Hashutsujo" ("KochiKame"), located at the North Exit of Kameari Station. Here you will find the small "Double peace sign Ryo-san" statue and the almost life-sized "Ryo-san taking a rest" statue sitting on a bench.



The ramp leading to the restroom has a gentle slope, making it easy for wheelchair users to access. As the park has been prepared to serve as Katsushika's disaster management hub in the event of a disaster, there is an accessible restroom that anyone can use.

¥ Free



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Kameari Katori-jinja Shrine

About
10 min.

Regarded as the local guardian Shinto deity for Kameari, the deity enshrined here is revered as a god of "good luck and protection against misfortune" and "healthy (i.e., strong) legs and lower back." There is a cafe on the grounds that can be used to take a rest when visiting the shrine.



All impediment removal work was completed in December 2018, making the grounds, main shrine building, and shrine office accessible.



TEL 03-3601-1418

¥ Free entry to grounds

Honsenji Temple

About
15 min.

This ancient temple was established by Kukai, founder of the Shingon Sect of Buddhism, over the Daido era (around 810). In front of the temple gates sits the first of six Jizo statues of Edo built to protect travelers on the road to and from Edo. The large temple bell is known because was taken abroad to Europe at the end of the Edo period and brought back after enduring many vicissitudes. In the grounds of the temple lies also the "Shinagawa Chaya", a cafe where you can take a rest.



There are no significant level differences from the old Tokaido road to the temple grounds. Though the paths on the temple grounds are slate-paved, there are three steps leading to the Main Hall, and a stairway leading to the Bell Tower. However, the Yakushi Hall (red ink stamps place) is accessible.

TEL 03-3474-3495

¥ Free entry to grounds

☑ Gate open 9:00 - 17:00 ☒ None



OTA CITY Tourist Information Center

About
15 min.

Ota-ku, home to Haneda Airport, is known as a lively and warm place where you can see the real Japan. At the Center, visitors can experience different aspects of Japanese culture such as wearing kimono and participating in a tea ceremony (note that the amount of time needed and the fees differ by the individual activity). Centering on introducing sightseeing spots in Ota-ku, there are also exhibits and corners selling local products such as gifts and handicrafts to send out information closely related to the area.



Services are tailored to the needs of visitors, and include voice guidance and information displays using tablets. Restrooms on the same ground floor of Wing Kitchen Keikyu Kamata can be used.



TEL 03-6424-7288

¥ Please note that some of the hands-on workshops available require a fee, inquire for details.

☑ 9:00 - 21:00 ☒ None



The Center is conveniently linked directly to the ticket gate floor of Keikyu Kamata Station. Though some events require advance registration, such as kimono wearing, other workshops, including monkiri traditional crest-shape cutting and origami paper folding, do not. Please feel free to drop by!

Haneda Airport Terminal 3

About
1 hr.

The airport is a huge entertainment space! EDO KOJI on the 4th floor looks like a town from the Edo Period with a number of leading, old established stores of Tokyo such as miscellaneous goods stores and restaurants. Connecting the 4th and 5th floors is the Haneda Nihonbashi Bridge made entirely of Japanese cypress. Of course, the view from the observation deck is simply spectacular.



The information counter has written communication boards. Assistance is given by concierge staff who are licensed service providers. There are also toilets for service dogs.



Firstly, proceed to the 3rd floor information counter, where you will be provided with information in accordance with your request. Tactile floor maps as well as remote sign language translation services are available.



TEL 03-5757-8111

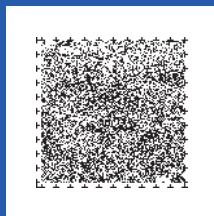
☑ Terminal: 24 hours (Varies by shop) ☒ None

Sightseeing Spots Nearby

● Facility	● Description	● Accessibility information	● Telephone number
Kitashinagawa Hondori Shopping Street	A shopping street at the former entrance to the old Tokaido Shinagawa-shuku post station, where the width of the road back then is retained.		To reach the old Tokaido road from the Kitashinagawa Station exit, you must cross the rail tracks. Please be careful.
Kitashinagawa Shopping Street	Stretching south to the Meguro River, there are numerous buildings along the old Tokaido road that retain the look of the Showa period.		Though the old Tokaido road is essentially flat, the sidewalk of the Shinagawa Bridge crossing the Meguro River has an incline of about 7 degrees.
Keikyu Shimbamba Shopping Street	Many established shops line this street around Shimbamba Station (north exit) and the approach to Shinagawa Shrine. It is an intimate part of the community.		The restrooms at Shinagawa Library and Shinagawa Health Center, located near Shimbamba Station, can be used.
Shinagawa Shukubadori Minamikai	This shopping area, stretching from the Meguro River to Jonan Elementary School, adds color to life in the community.		There are numerous temples and shrines on the west side of the old Tokaido road. Visit them by walking down a road one block to the west, which is almost completely flat.
Aomonoyokocho Shopping Street	Locals fondly call this large shopping area "Aoyoko." A "Welcome Book" in four languages is distributed for free at local hotels including Hotel Sunroute Shinagawa Seaside, Toyoko Inn Tokyo Shinagawa Aomonoyokocho-eki, and Super Hotel Shinagawa Aomonoyokocho.		Be cautious of trucks unloading cargo as well as the bicycles of shoppers that may be parked on the sidewalk.
Wing Kitchen Keikyu Kamata	Directly linked to Keikyu Kamata Station, this facility has about 20 establishments centered on restaurants and delicatessens, as well as convenience stores and shops offering miscellaneous goods, and more.		Directly connected to the station, this facility has elevators and escalators. Restaurants also have tables that can be used by people in wheelchairs.

23 Setagaya

Exploring the history of Setagaya area



The Setagaya line is one of the remaining trams in Tokyo. Ride this line to take a look through the history of Setagaya ruled by the Ii family. There are many places to visit such as the important registered cultural asset, Setagaya Daikan Yashiki, Gotokuji Temple where the Maneki-neko (lucky cat) originated and the Shoin-jinja Shrine dedicated to great people at the end of the Edo period.

Route

Setagaya Line Miyanosaka Sta.	6 min. on foot 330 m	Gotokuji Temple	6 min. on foot 330 m	Setagaya Line Miyanosaka Sta.	2 min. 1st stop
Setagaya Line Kamimachi Sta.	7 min. on foot 380 m	Setagaya DaikanYashiki	8 min. on foot 480 m	Setagaya Line Setagaya Sta.	1 min. 1st stop
Setagaya Line Shoin-jinja-mae Sta.	5 min. on foot 260 m	Shoin-jinja Shrine	5 min. on foot 260 m	Setagaya Line Shoin-jinja-mae Sta.	5 min. 3rd stop
Setagaya Line Sangen-jaya Sta.	On foot	Carrot Tower observation deck	2 min. on foot 100 m	Denentoshi Line Sangen-jaya Sta. [Sancha Patio Exit]	

Notes

Each station on the Setagaya line have slopes (about 6 degrees). Be careful as there are many roads and level crossings near the stations.

Tokyu Setagaya Line

This line transverses the regional community east of Setagaya-ku. There are 10 stations in the 5km between Sangen-jaya and Shimo-takaido. In Tokyo, the few remaining trams on the Toden Arakawa Line are loved by the locals and have a charming retro atmosphere. The route network is quite substantial, with the Denentoshi Line connecting with Sangen-jaya Station Yamashita Station connecting with the Odakyu Line and with Gotokuji Station and Shimo-takaido Station connecting with the Keio Line. Also, there are many famous places such as Gotokuji Temple and Shoin-jinja Shrine along the rail line.

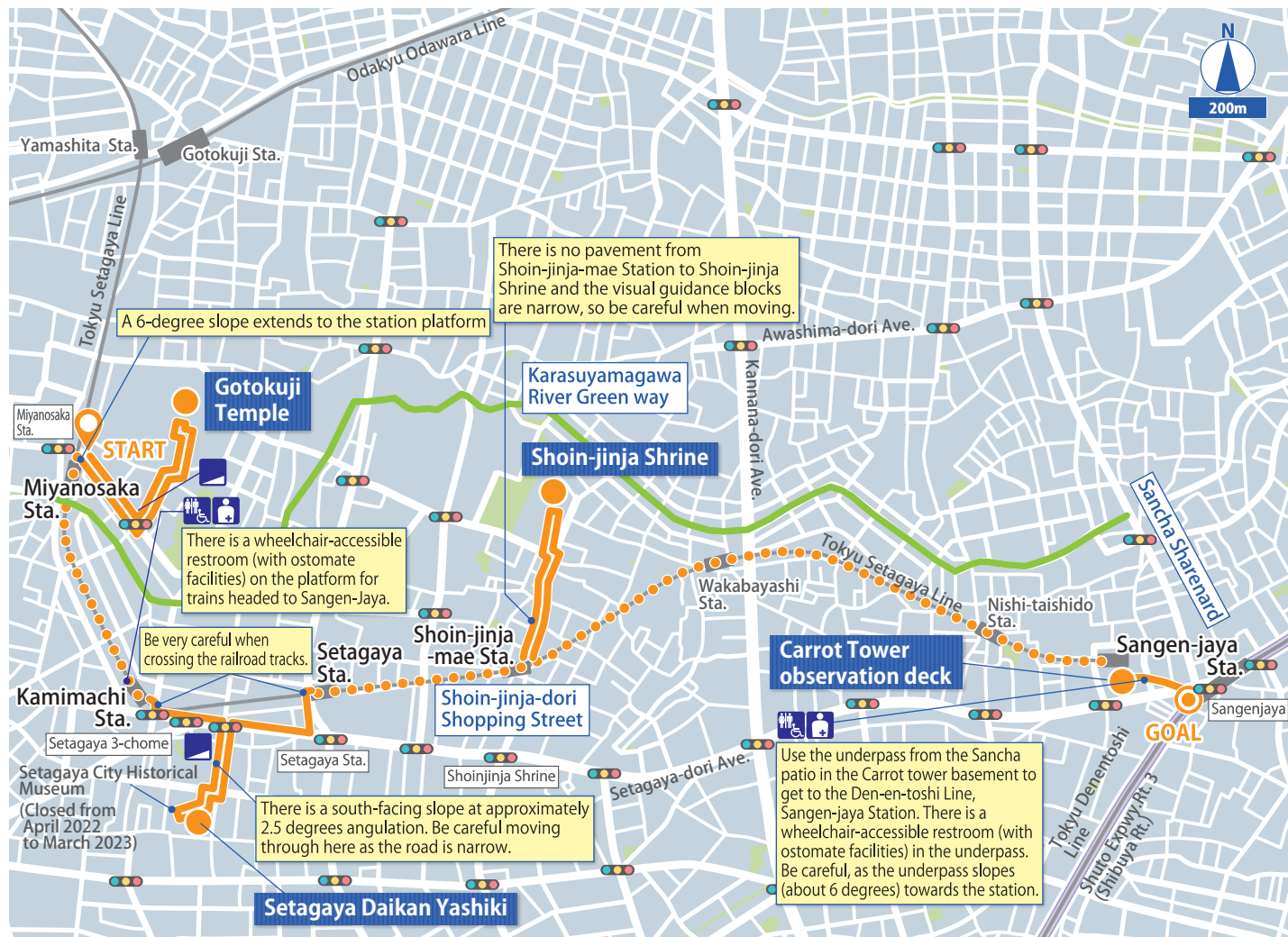
Only Kamimachi Station (up-train platform) has a toilet with wheelchair access and braille guidance. There are station attendants only at Shimo-takaido Station, and Sangen-jaya Station. All stations have slopes to the platform for ease of use by wheelchair users.



We're working hard to get service helper qualifications so we can provide smooth assistance for those who need help with walking and wheelchair operation. Our goal is to be a railroad that the elderly and those with impairments can use safely.

TEL 03-3477-0109 (Tokyu Corporation)

- ¥ Flat fare: Adults: ¥160
- ✓ First to last train
- ✗ None



Gotokuji Temple

About
30 min.

This temple was built by Kira Masatada, the lord of Setagaya Castle, as Kotokuin Temple of the Rinzaï sect for his deceased aunt. Then in 1633 the Ii clan took over as patrons and altered it to Gotokuji. Hikone Hanshu Ii-ke Bosho in the temple area is designated as a National Historic Site. The maneki-neko at the Shofuku-den is an adorable cat with its right paw raised to welcome good fortune.



Wheelchairs can traverse the cobbled ground. Also, guide and service dogs are allowed in the grounds, however pets are not. If entering, either carry them or put them in a carrier.

TEL 03-3426-1437

- ¥ Free entry to grounds
- ☑ Gates open; 6:00 - 18:00, Office hours; 8:00 - 17:00 (can vary with the season)
- ✕ None

Our temple is famous for its Lucky Cat and the Ii Clan's family tomb. Feel free to visit.



Shoin-jinja Shrine

About
20 min.

The Shoin-jinja Shrine is dedicated to Yoshida Shoin who was a famous loyalist and educator at the end of the Edo period. Today the deity of learning is revered here.



TEL 03-3421-4834

- ¥ Free entry to grounds
- ☑ Shrine opening times (Worship times) 7:00 - 17:00
- ✕ Please check the Official Website. <https://www.shoinjinja.org/>

Wheelchair users can move with in the grounds. There is a slope in front of the main shrine allowing wheelchair users to offer their prayers.

Carrot Tower observation deck

About
40 min.

Carrot Tower is a 26-storey skyscraper in Sangen-jaya. Mt. Fuji on the Shinagawa side or Tokyo Skytree® on the city side and other vistas can be enjoyed on a clear day. The adjoining restaurant is a popular date spot.



TEL 03-5430-1185

- ¥ Free
- ☑ Opening hours; 9:30 - 23:00 *See the Official Website for restaurant and café business hours. <https://okura-sky-carrot.com/>
- ✕ The 2nd Wednesday of each month.



Adjacent to Setagaya Line Sangen-jaya Station. Take the elevator to the 2nd floor and then change to the dedicated elevator to the observation deck.

Setagaya Daikan Yashiki

About
30 min.

Since the middle of the Edo period, the large houses inherited by the officers of the 20 villages of the Hikone clan in the Setagaya region have been known as Oba Daikan Yashiki. Officer housing under the Daimyo only existed in Tokyo, and due to that lineage they were designated as a capital historic site in 1952. Also, the existing Oba Clan housing and the Front Gate were the first houses to be designated as Important Cultural Properties in Tokyo in 1978.

There are steps inside the house so wheelchair users can only view it from the outside.



TEL 03-3426-5840 (Oba Magistrate Residence Preservation Association)

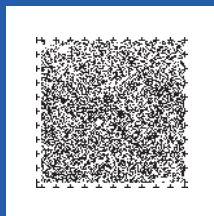
- ¥ Free
- ☑ 9:00 - 17:00 (admission until 16:30) *There are special cases. Inquire for details.
- ✕ Mondays, national holidays *There are special cases. Inquire for details.

Sightseeing Spots Nearby

● Facility	● Description	● Accessibility information	● Telephone number
Shoin-jinja-dori Shopping Street	A nostalgic commercial district lined with new youthful shops and long-established stores with over 50 years of history.	There are no steps so wheelchair users can move freely, however the sidewalks are narrow so be careful of other road users such as cars and cyclists.	03-3487-1641 (Shoin-jinja Shrine Dori Shoeikai Commercial District Promotion Association)
Sancha Sharenard	Also known as Sangen-jaya Ginza Shopping Street. This is a lively central exciting spot in the region. There is always an exciting discovery to be made in the stores here.	The elevator from the Denentoshi Line Sangen-jaya Station comes out in the shopping area, but be careful, as it is crowded with shoppers daily.	03-3412-6554
Karasuyamagawa River Green way	The Karasuyama River Greenway extends for about 7 kilometers. Along the greenway are Gotokuji Temple, Setagaya Castle Ruins Park, and Shinto shrines and Buddhist temples of historical significance such as Shoin Jinja Shrine and Taishido Ensenji Temple.	The flat path over the reclaimed Karasuyama River is wide and easy to walk along, giving a feeling of the period. However, there are places where you must cross the road, so be careful of traffic. *There are spots that are difficult to approach in a wheelchair and some spots where a detour into the street is necessary.	03-3412-7841 (Setagaya Park Management Office)

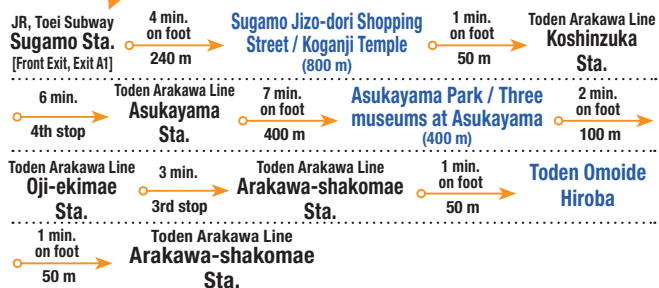
24 Sugamo, Oji, Arakawa

A casual stroll on a Toden streetcar



Tokyo Sakura Tram (Toden Arakawa Line) is the only Tokyo Metropolitan Government-operated streetcar line remaining in Tokyo today. Take a leisurely trip from Sugamo to Asukayama while enjoying the simple landscape along the line reminiscent of yesteryear.

Route



Notes

All cars on the Tokyo Sakura Tram (Toden Arakawa Line) have space for wheelchairs and can be entered through the exit door at the back. Asukayama Park has an incline elevator.

Sugamo Jizo-dori Shopping Street

About
30 min.

Known as "Grandma's Harajuku," the 800-meter-long Sugamo Jizo-dori shopping street is lined with lots of street stalls on 'Togenuki Jizo' fair day.



☑ ☒ Varies by shop

No level differences so even wheelchairs can move smoothly. Caution should be exercised on busy days such as weekends.



Koganji Temple (Togenuki Jizoson)

About
10 min.

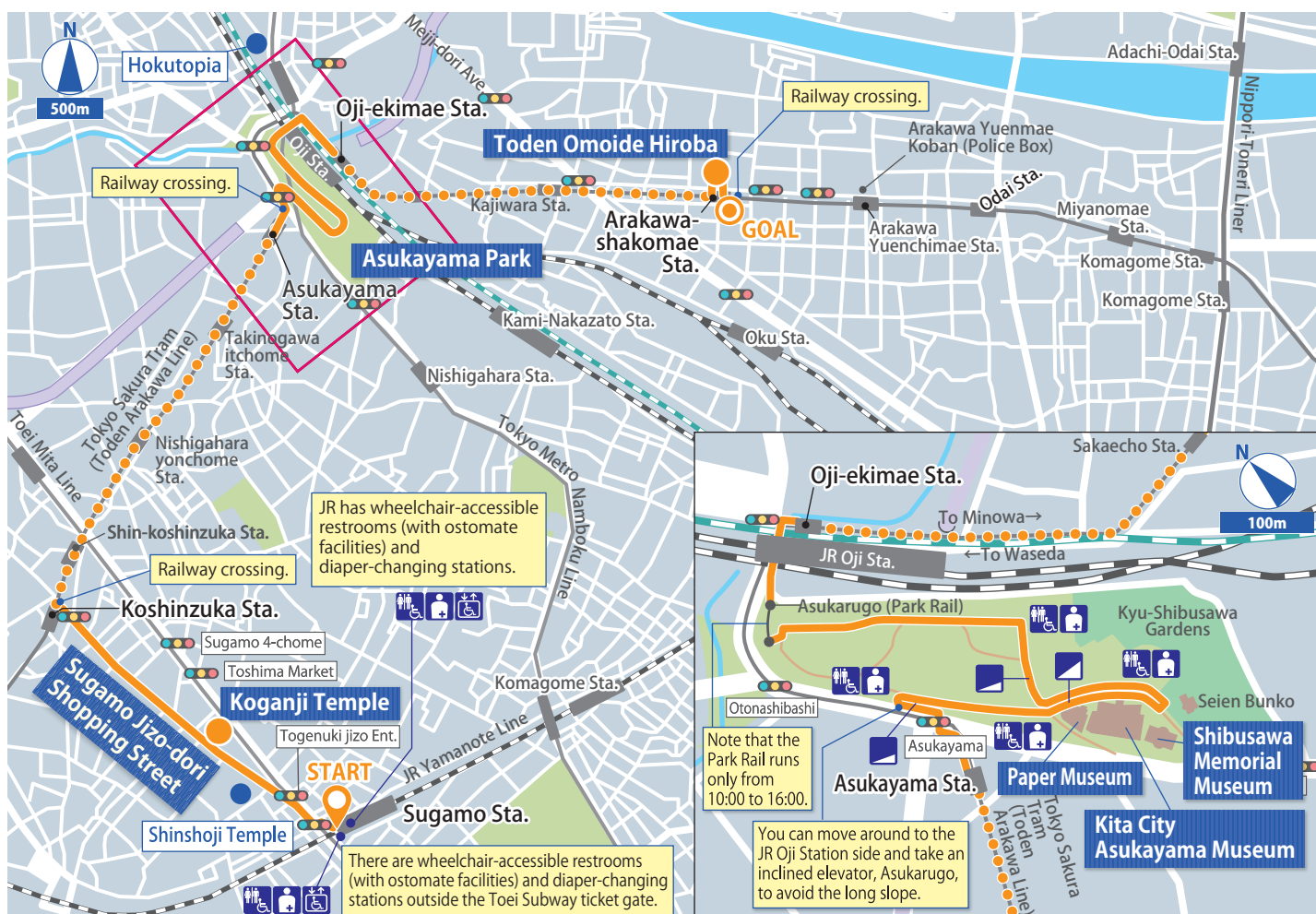
Koganji Temple is fondly known as "Togenuki Jizoson." "Togenuki" (needle removal) comes from an Edo period tale in which a needle accidentally swallowed by a woman came out of a Jizo after she drank a good luck charm. The "Arai-Kannon" on the grounds is also popular.



There are no steps or inclinations at the entrance or on the grounds so moving about is easy. There is a ramp (13 degrees) at the side of the main temple building to allow wheelchair access (assistance required). Exercise caution on temple fair days (days with a 4 in the date) as it becomes very crowded.

TEL 03-3917-8221

¥ Free admission
 ☑ Gates open: 6:00 - 17:00 (20:00 on the 4th, 14th and 24th)
 ☒ None



Asukayama Park

to include a visit to the 3 museums

About
2 hrs.



Tokugawa Yoshimune planted cherry trees and opened this park for the people of Edo to enjoy. Many visitors come to this famous site for viewing cherry blossoms. There are 3 museums on the park grounds.



There is an inclined elevator (Asukarugo) on the JR Oji Station side of the park, allowing access to the peak (operates between 10:00 and 16:00). Some paths are not paved, but pose no obstacles to wheelchairs. There are sections with a steep slope (max. inclination: 10 degrees).

TEL 03-3908-9275

(Asuka Sakura Park group; Designated nagement)

¥ Free (some sections are closed)



Kita City Asukayama Museum

The permanent display introduces the history of Kita-ku from antiquity to contemporary times, as well as its nature and culture, for visitors to experience the lifestyle of the people back then.



There are braille and tactile maps for guidance, and if bookings are made in advance a curator will accompany you and allow you to touch the exhibits (clay pots, etc.).

The exhibits can be handled if bookings are made in advance.

TEL 03-3916-1133

¥ ¥300 (Discounts available for seniors, people with impairments, and caregivers; inquire for details.)

10:00 - 17:00 (Ticket sales up to 16:30)

× Mondays (the following day if Monday is a national holiday)



Shibusawa Memorial Museum

This is a museum on the life and achievements of Shibusawa Eiichi. Aside from the main exhibition hall, part of his old estate, the Bankoro tea house and Seien Bunko library, which were built in the Taisho period, are open to the public.



People in wheelchairs can tour the main hall with no problems. An unpaved path must be passed to reach Seien Bunko, which also has a level difference at the entrance. Wheelchairs cannot be used in Bankoro.

TEL 03-3910-0005

¥ ¥300 (Caregivers discounts available, inquire for details) Main Hall, Bankoro, Seien Bunko: 10:00-17:00 (last entry: 16:30)

× Mondays (the following day if Monday is a national holiday), the day after a national holiday.* Please note that due to coronavirus infection, reservations may be required. Please check with us.



The life and achievements of Shibusawa Eiichi, who built the foundations of the recent economic society of Japan, are introduced here.



Paper Museum

The paper manufacturing process, history, types and applications, arts and crafts made from paper, as well as a model of the world's first paper making machine and materials on handmade Japanese washi paper are on display here.



Wheelchair users can tour the facility with no problems.

TEL 03-3916-2320

¥ ¥400 (Free for people with impairments, half price for caregivers. Inquire for details.)

10:00 - 17:00 (last entry: 16:30)

× Mondays (Tuesdays and Wednesdays if Monday is a national holiday), the day after a national holiday (Tuesdays if Saturday and Sunday), and temporary closures



Toden Omoide Hiroba (Toden Memorial Square)

About
20 min.

In this space built in the image of nostalgic tram stops, two historically valuable Toden streetcars are on display. A mock-up of a tram driver's seat and dioramas that show the area along the Tokyo Sakura Tram (Toden Arakawa Line).



There are two trams on display, and four steps must be climbed to enter a tram. The plaza has tactile paving.

TEL 03-3893-7451 (Arakawa Train Office)

¥ Free admission

× Saturdays and national holidays: 10:00 - 16:00

Be sure to visit the famous tram cars of the past from the heyday of the Toden era.

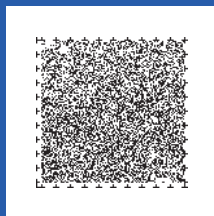


Sightseeing Spots Nearby

●Facility	●Description	●Accessibility information	●Telephone number
Shinshoji Temple	The Jizo on the grounds is the third of the six Jizo statues of Edo. Gofunai 88th Place, the 33rd temple Gofunai Enma main 44th place, 29th temple Enshrined statue of Stupa	An absence of level differences or inclines at the entrance/exit and on the grounds enables smooth wheelchair movement.	03-3918-4068
Hokutopia (observation lobby)	The observation lobby on the 17th floor has windows on three sides. This is Kita City's proud viewing site where you can take in sights from Asukayama Park to TOKYO SKYTREE®, Saitama Shintoshin, and the Chichibu mountains.	The view can be enjoyed from a wheelchair. There are no wheelchair-accessible restrooms in the 17th floor observation lobby, however they can be found in 12 places in Hokutopia.	03-5390-1100

25 Mitaka, Kichijoji

Nature and culture in Musashino



Part of the Tokyo suburb of Musashino City, the area between Mitaka and Kichijoji stations includes attractions such as Inokashira Park where Musashino's lush natural beauty is preserved, as well as several historical landmarks loved by literary figures. The area around Kichijoji Station is popular with the young, trendy crowd.

Route



Notes

The route from Mitaka Station to Kichijoji Station is mostly flat. Watch out for large numbers of pedestrians and vehicle/bike traffic around Kichijoji Station.

Kaze-no-sampomichi St.

About 20 min.

This walking path runs along the south side of the Tamagawa Josui Channel from Mitaka Station toward Inokashira Park. It is lined with abundant greenery and seasonal flowers.

The path is straight, smooth, and easily navigable. It is also equipped with tactile paving. The residential side is wider and easier for wheelchairs.



TEL 0422-45-1151 (Road Management Section Improvement Division Mitaka City)
☒ Free

Mitaka City Yuzo Yamamoto Memorial Museum

About 1 hr.

This is the Western-style house where the novelist Yamamoto Yuzo lived from 1936 to about 1946, and where he wrote masterpieces such as Robo no Ishi (A Stone by the Roadside).



The 2nd floor can only be accessed by stairs. A wheelchair-accessible restroom is located in the central courtyard. Writing communication boards are available. The facility has three parking spaces. However, there are no designated spaces for people with impairments only.



TEL 0422-42-6233 ¥300 (free of charge for those who bring a physical disability certificate and their attendants)
☒ 9:30 - 17:00 ☒ Mondays (the following two weekdays if Monday is a national holiday)

Inokashira Park Zoo (Main Park)

About 1 hr.

In addition to the Squirrel Trail exhibit, where visitors can get up close to squirrels, and an area that exhibits the endangered Tsumshina Leopard Cat, the Zoo also includes a sculpture museum and a small amusement park.



Diapers cannot be changed in the nursing room, but diaper-changing stations and children's toilets are available in the wheelchair-accessible restrooms.



TEL 0422-46-1100 (Inokashira Park Zoo)
 ¥400 (free of charge for those with impairments; inquire for details.) *Fee includes the Park Zoo and Aquatic Life Park
☒ 9:30 - 17:00 (admission until 16:00)
☒ Mondays (the following day if Monday is a national holiday)

Kichijoji Art Museum

About 1 hr.

This museum houses and displays about 2,500 oil paintings, woodblock prints, photographs, and other works, including traditional Japanese-style paintings by painter and print artist Noda Kyuho. In addition to its permanent galleries devoted to renowned printmakers Hamaguchi Yozo and Hagiwara Hideo, the museum also hosts special exhibitions.



All the galleries are located on the 7th floor of the shopping complex and the floors are flat surfaces. The facility is service dog-friendly.

TEL 0422-22-0385 ¥ [Rotating exhibitions] ¥300 [Regular exhibitions] ¥100 (free of charge for those with impairments; inquire for details.)
☒ 10:00 - 19:30 ☒ Last Wednesday of each month as well as some temporary closings

Kichijoji Station Area Shopping Streets

About 1 hr.

In addition to several large shopping complexes, the area around Kichijoji Station also has many shopping streets with everything from youth-oriented shops to back alleys seeped in an old-fashioned ambience. The covered arcades are convenient for shopping in bad weather.



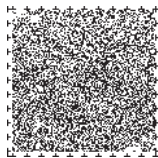
The streets are flat and many shops have made their entrances accessible. Some alleys are a tight fit for wheelchairs.

☒ Varies by shop

Sightseeing Spots Nearby

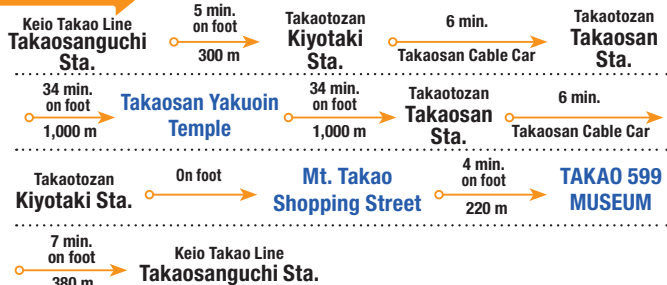
● Facility	● Description	● Accessibility information	● Telephone number
Hoshi Café	This café sells a selection of products made at a welfare facility for people with impairments. Customers can enjoy delicious baked sweets, coffee, and more.		0422-44-2255
Inokashira Park	A park surrounded by a thicket of trees. Enjoy boating in Inokashira Pond.		0422-47-6900 (Inokashira Park Information Center)
Inokashira Park Zoo (Aquatic Life Park)	This section of the zoo is home to birds, fish, amphibians, aquatic insects, and other wildlife native to Japan's rivers and ponds.		0422-46-1100 (Inokashira Park Zoo)

Exploring Tokyo's great outdoors



This picturesque area on the outskirts of Hachioji City runs along the border between Tokyo and Kanagawa Prefecture. Its main attraction, Mount Takao, is accessible via cable car and chairlift, making it popular with families, etc. Enjoy the great outdoors in Tokyo's Tama area.

Route



Notes

Although the Yakuoin Temple gate is reachable by wheelchair, past the Takaosan cable car station there are many inclines and manual wheelchair users will need assistance from a caregiver.

Mt. Takao Cable Car



This cable car links Kiyotaki Station at the base of the mountain with Takaosan Station, located at an elevation of 472 meters, in about 6 minutes. The car windows offer beautiful views of mountains tinted with the changing colors of the seasons.

TEL 042-661-4151 Between Kiyotaki Station and Takaosan Station: ¥490 one-way; ¥950 round-trip (discounts may be available for customers with impairments; inquire for details.) 8:00 - 18:00 (discounts may be available for customers with impairments; inquire for details.) None

Takaosan Yakuoin Temple

The temple situated half way up the mountain has drawn worshippers since ancient times. In recent years, it has gained fame as a power spot.

The Main Hall is only accessible via stairs. The regular restrooms are at the bottom of a steep hill. Wheelchair users will need assistance.

TEL 042-661-1115 Free of charge 9:00-16:00 open year-round

Mt. Takao Shopping Street

The main approach from Kiyotaki Station toward Takaosanguchi Station is lined with quaint shops selling treats like soba noodles, a local specialty, and senbei (rice crackers).

TEL 042-661-3881 Free

The sidewalk is wide and some of the eateries are wheelchair-accessible. Products are displayed at store entrances, making it easy for wheelchair users to shop.

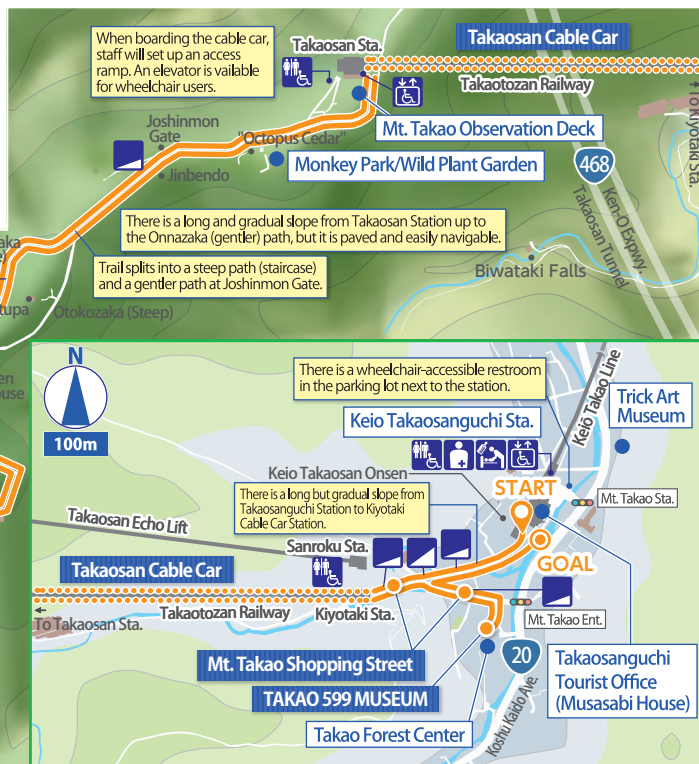
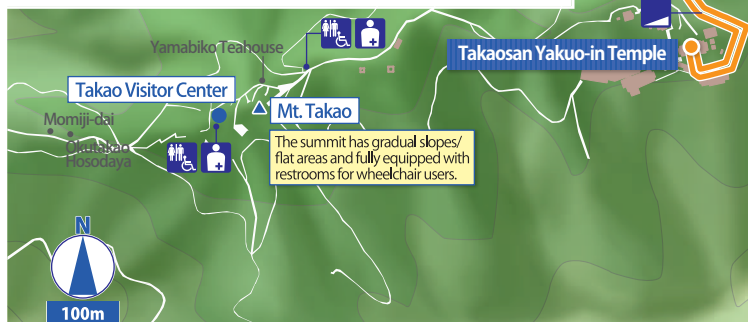
TAKAO 599 MUSEUM

This museum opened in August 2015. Enjoy fascinating explanations of the highlights of each course up to Mount Takao's summit, indigenous plants, and more.



The entrance is flat with tactile paving. This facility is a convenient place to get information on Mount Takao. A step stool is also available for looking at the exhibits. The museum has a cot for emergencies.

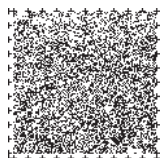
TEL 042-665-6688 Free 8:00 - 17:00 (closes 16:00 December-March) Admission until 30 minutes before closing None (occasional temporary closings for maintenance, etc.)



Sightseeing Spots Nearby

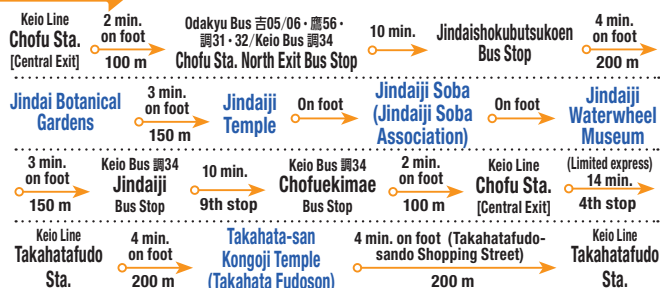
● Facility	● Description	● Accessibility information	● Telephone number
Keio Takaosanguchi Station	This is Mount Takao's tourism gateway. A facility offering information on the surrounding area and more can also be found inside the station.		042-357-6161 (Keio Customer Center)
Takaosanguchi Tourist Office (Musasabi House)	This facility is located inside Keio Takaosanguchi Station. It provides information on hiking and sightseeing around Mt. Takao as well as Hachioji and other nearby areas, so feel free to get in touch.		042-673-3461
Mt. Takao Observation Deck	On clear days, visitors can see all the way to the skyscrapers of Shinjuku. The gorgeous nighttime view from the observation deck is also famous.		042-661-4151 (Takaotozan Railway)
Monkey Park/Wild Plant Garden	Get up close with about 90 Japanese macaques as well as over 300 varieties of grasses and plants in the Wild Plant Garden.		042-661-2381
Takao Visitor Center	This facility presents information and interpretation on Mount Takao, including its history, ecosystem, and the relationship between humans and nature.		042-664-7872
Takao Forest Center	Learn about forests and forestry.		042-663-6689
Trick Art Museum	Visit this museum to experience the old art form of trick art. Museumgoers will be pleased to note that photography is permitted throughout the exhibits.		042-667-1081

27 Jindaiji, Takahatafudo

Towns of
Kitaro and the
Shinsengumi

Jindaiji Temple was adored by the creator of the "GeGeGe no Kitaro" manga series. Takahatafudo is associated with the vice-commander of the Shinsengumi group, Hijikata Toshizo. The grounds of both temples are beautiful in all four seasons, and both temples have excellent approaches lined with shops. Jindai Botanical Gardens can be enjoyed regardless of the season or weather.

Route



Notes

In addition to buses originating from Keio Chofu Station, buses bound for the Jindaiji Temple area also depart from Keio Tsutsujigaoka, JR Mitaka, and JR Kichijoji stations.

Jindai Botanical Gardens

About
1 hr.

This is a garden that engages all five senses: sight, sound, touch, smell, and taste. Opened in 1961, the garden currently cares for 100,000 plants and trees of 4,800 varieties, making it one of Japan's leading botanical gardens. Plants are divided into 30 blocks by variety, including roses, plums, and azaleas. Visitors can learn about plants while enjoying the scenery. The large greenhouse has some 1,300 species of tropical plants and difficult-to-cultivate varieties.

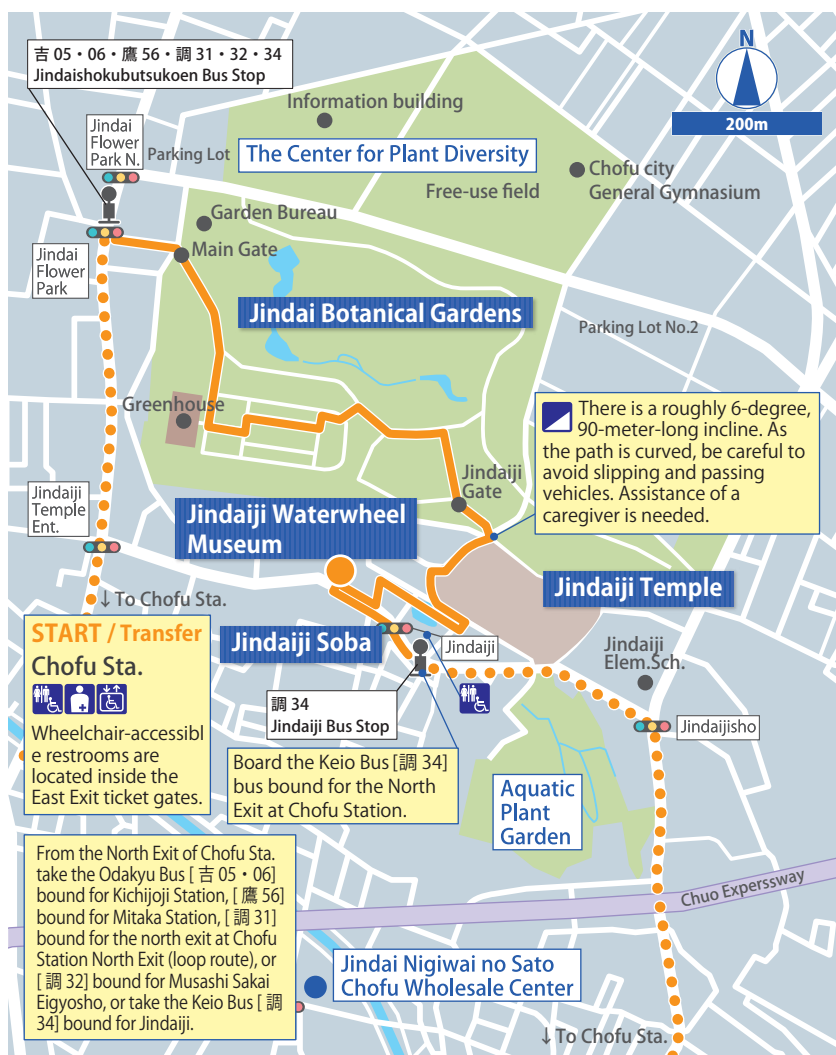


Paths in the garden are mostly flat, but there are some bumpy areas due to tree roots. Those who wish to borrow a wheelchair or stroller should inquire when entering the park. There are tactile maps that serve as Braille guides.



TEL 042-483-2300

¥500 (Free for people with impairments and caregivers, inquire for details)
9:30 - 17:00 (Enter the gardens by 16:00, greenhouse by 16:30)
Mondays (the following day if Monday is a national holiday)



Jindaiji Temple

About
30 min.

Shorakuin Jindaiji Temple is a special head temple of the Tendai sect. It was established in 733 to enshrine the water deity known as Jinja Daio. The seated Shaka Nyorai statue (Buddhist statue from the Hakuho era), which is an Important Cultural Property and was designated a National Treasure in 2017, is the oldest national treasure Buddhist statue in eastern Japan. The Daruma Market, which is held every year on March 3rd and 4th along with the Yakuyoke Ganzan Daishi Festival, is one of the three most famous Daruma markets in Japan.



There are stairs at the Main Gate, but ramps (about 8 degrees) at the South Gate and East Gate. There is a slope from the Main Hall to Ganzandaishi Hall. There is a level way from Ganzandaishi Hall to the Shaka Hall.



TEL 042-486-5511

¥ Free to worship
☑ 9:00 - 17:00 (Shaka Hall: 9:00 - 16:00) ☒ None

Jindaiji Waterwheel Museum

About
10 min.

Across a small bridge, in a garden you will find a water mill with a thatched roof where you can hear the sound of the wheel turning. This water mill was used from the latter half of the Meiji era until around 1955. The waterwheel museum was revived to convey the history of the waterwheel in Musashino, using the waterwheel as a symbol to connect "people," "water," and "greenery." A small exhibition gallery displays agricultural tools and panels introducing the history of water mills.



There are thresholds at various locations including the bridge at the entrance to the site as well as the entrance to the gallery. The site can be toured in a wheelchair with assistance.

TEL 042-482-7636

¥ Free
☑ 9:30 - 17:00 (16:00 November-March)
☒ Mondays

Takahata-san Kongoji Temple (Takahata Fudosen)

About
1 hr.

Takahata-san Kongoji Temple, a special head temple of the Chizan sect of Shingon Buddhism, known as Takahata Fudosen, is one of the Kanto region's three great temples devoted to Fudo Myoo (Acala). There are more than 20 spectacular temple structures in the area, including the Fudo-do hall, Nio-mon gate, Goju-no-to pagoda, and Dainichi-do hall. The overwhelming spectacle of the Goma fire rituals held several times daily is something to see. Many fans of the Shinsengumi, a special group formed to support the shogunate in the late 18th century, come to visit due to the temple's relationship with the vice commander of the group, Hijikata Toshizo.



Although Nio-mon Gate has a threshold, you can enter through the main gate located next to Nio-mon, which has no barriers. Stairs are the main form of access to each of the temple halls and other buildings, but ramps and alternate routes without steps have been set up to the Oku-den (inner sanctuary) and pagoda. There are two wheelchair-accessible restrooms, one with a door for left-handed individuals and one with a door for right-handed individuals.

TEL 042-591-0032

¥ Oku-den ¥300, Dainichi-do ¥200
☑ 9:00 - 16:00 Oku-den & Dainichi-do
☒ Mondays: Oku-den & Dainichi-do

If you are in a wheelchair and would like to participate in a Goma fire ritual, please ask an attendant. Brawny monks will help you enter the Fudo Hall. Tea will be served in the basement of the five-story pagoda.



Jindaiji Soba (Jindaiji Soba Association)

About
1 hr.

When referring to Jindaiji Soba, the Shinpen Musashi Fudo Kiko, a compilation from the Edo period, says that no other soba in Musashino can compare, and that its flavor is superb. Jindaiji Soba has also been loved by cultured people touring Musashino since the Edo period. Since the Jindai Botanical Gardens opened in 1961, the area has become well-known as an area to eat soba. After exploring Jindaiji Temple and Jindai Botanical Gardens, try some delicious soba.



Some soba shops have simple conversation guides to help foreign customers order. Each shop has different levels of barrier-free accommodations.



TEL Varies by shop

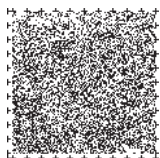
☑ ☒ Varies by shop

Sightseeing Spots Nearby

● Facility	● Description	● Accessibility information	● Telephone number
The Center for Plant Diversity	Learn about the environment and endangered plants in Tokyo.		042-485-1210
Aquatic Plant Garden	The Jindaiji Castle ruins in the garden are said to have been a castle rebuilt by the Ogigayatsu-Uesugi clan to prevent invasion by the Gohojo clan.		042-483-2300
Jindai Nigiwai no Sato Chofu Wholesale Center	In addition to a shop which sells agricultural products direct from the producer, there are a variety of specialty shops selling meat, fish, and other products. The center serves as the kitchen pantry for Chofu City residents.		Varies by shop
Takahatafudo Sando Association	A shopping street alongside the temple selling manju cakes, soba noodles, lucky charms, and other goods.		Varies by shop

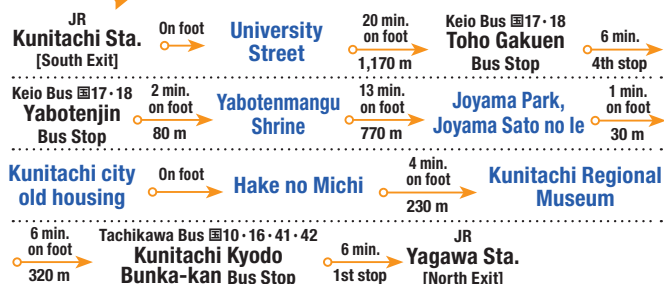
28 Kunitachi

Enjoy art and the seasons



Appreciate both the rural landscape and the academic city, overflowing with art and greenery of Kunitachi. When walking along University Street, visit Yabotenmangu Shrine, the oldest Tenmangu shrine in East Japan. Enjoy the nature of Yaho in Joyama park or Hake no Michi on this historical course.

Route



Notes

Since there is a difference in elevation due to the cliffs of Tama River in the Yaho area, the route is designed to go from North to South. Caregivers are essential if wheelchair users are to use the hill of Yabotenmangu Shrine.

University Street

About 20 min.

University Street is the main street in Kunitachi and has been selected as one of the 100 best New Tokyo scenes. There are many things to see throughout the year, including the rows of cherry blossoms in spring, the new leaves of summer, Tenka-ichi in autumn, and the winter illuminations. Hitotsubashi University spreads out to either side of University Street and is dotted with buildings inspired by mediaeval Europe such as the Kanematsu Auditorium. The street is also characterized by its street lamps. Made by Lenz and imported from France, they were installed outside the Kunitachi-ekimae Daigakudori Shopping Street in 1985.



The wide pavement is separated into a pedestrian lane and cycling lane, so please use the pedestrian lane. Wheelchair users can also use this lane.



¥ 100 Free



Yabotenmangu Shrine

About
15 min.

In 901, Michitake, the 3rd son of Sugawara-no-Michizane, was sent to modern-day Yaho, Kunitachi City and after receiving news of Michizane's death in 903, he enshrined a statue here. This Tenmangu Shrine is the oldest in East Japan and is one of the 3 Kanto Tenjin Shrines, the other 2 being Yushima Tenmangu Shrine and Kameido-ten Jinja Shrine.



The key to the toilet with wheelchair-accessible restroom can be borrowed from the shrine office. There is a slope (about 8 to 10 degrees) from the approach to the grounds so wheelchair users should be careful. Please move over the cobbles to the main hall.

Tel 042-576-5123 Free entry to grounds 9:00 - 16:50
 Free entry to grounds

Kunitachi city old housing

to include Joyama Sato no le

About
30 min.



This is housing built in the Edo period that has thatched hip-and-gable roofing. Donated to Kunitachi city by the former owner Yanagisawa Yuichiro, it is also known as the "old Yanagisawa house". Various traditional activities from different regions, including Yaho, Aoyagi and Ishida, are reproduced in the old house.

Wheelchair users cannot enter the house. Please view it from the outside.

Tel 042-576-0211 (Kunitachi Regional Culture Center)

Free 10:00 - 16:00
 2nd and 4th Thursday each month (the following day if the 2nd or 4th Thursday is a national holiday), special days selected by Kunitachi City Board of Education

Hake no Michi

About
10 min.

Going south on University Street, there are lanes in the terraced cliff lines known as "Hake," a rural belt lush with greenery. Along the road, there is a stream flowing from a spring. Enjoy the beautiful natural vistas all year round along. A promenade has recently been installed, making this a popular place for locals to take a stroll.

There are stairs in parts so we recommend that wheelchair users detour around the path by the Chuo Expressway.



Free

Kunitachi Regional Museum

About
40 min.



Protecting the important culture of Kunitachi with the image of "a meeting of greenery and culture," this museum was opened to pass down this culture to future generations. Children can easily understand the 6 permanent exhibitions on Nature, Hake, History, Lifestyle, The City and The Outdoors.

There is a slope into the museum for wheelchair users. Use the elevator to the right of the entry ramp to access the basement exhibitions.

There is an entry ramp and an elevator to the basement exhibitions. Feel free to visit at any time.

Tel 042-576-0211

Free entry to the permanent exhibitions (Planned or special exhibitions may have fees. Inquire for details.)
 9:00 - 17:00 (admission until 16:30)
 2nd and 4th Thursday each month (the following day if the 2nd or 4th Thursday is a national holiday), special days selected by Kunitachi City Board of Education



Joyama Park, Joyama Sato no le

to include a visit to the Kunitachi city old housing

About
30 min.

This is an agriculture experience and agriculture information point to the southern area of Kunitachi city, rich with nature in Joyama Park and fields. Opened in March, 2015, it is a place where people enjoy cycling or picnics in a village with old thatched houses, fields, waterways, plants, and groves of trees. Pick-your-own-produce experiences at nearby farms are also popular. This is a great spot for families to learn about city agriculture. Take a break and enjoy the rural view.



There are steps on the East side of the park, but the path up to Sato no le is flat.

Tel 042-505-5190

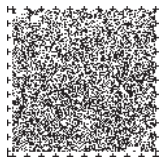
Rooms can be rented for a fee. (Please check the Official Website.)
<https://www.city.kunitachi.tokyo.jp/about/sisetsu/others/1465447613081.html>
 9:00 - 17:00 (Reception to use the facilities is from 10:00 to 16:00)
 Every 2nd and 4th Thursday

Sightseeing Spots Nearby

● Facility	● Description	● Accessibility information	● Telephone number
KUNITACHI ART BIENNALE Open Air Sculpture	Kunitachi hosted an outdoor sculpture exhibition in 2015 and 2018. The sculptures are produced after the locations where they will be displayed are designated to ensure harmony with the surroundings.	Sculptures are set up at 16 spots throughout the city: 6 locations on University Street and 10 locations on Sakura Street. They are setup in the greenway belt but can be viewed up close even from the walking path.	042-574-1512 (Kunitachi Art Biennale Offices)
Kunitachi Blanco Shopping Mall	It is a small shopping street with white tiles on the side streets of University Avenue. The street is for pedestrians only, and with galleries, fashion shops, restaurants, bars, etc., it is a spot where students, families with children, and anyone can easily walk. (For safety reasons, bicycles must be dismounted and pulled along.)	The road is flat near the South Exit of Kunitachi Station so wheelchair users can enjoy shopping there. The public toilet west of the south side of the JR Chuo Line has a wheelchair-accessible restroom.	042-576-2671 (Cooperative Kunitachi Blanco commercial area)

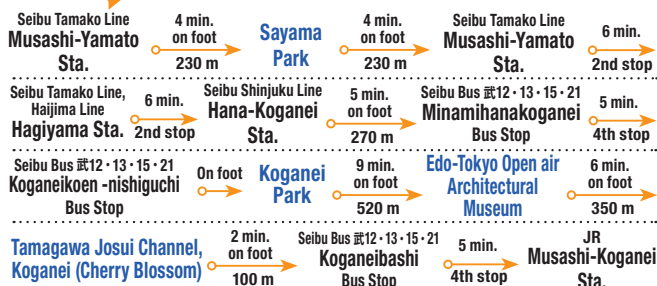
29 Koganei, Sayama

Nostalgic architecture and nature



See the Edo-Tokyo Open Air Architectural Museum, where structures from the Edo to mid-Showa periods have been relocated and preserved, and enjoy the nature of Musashino at Sayama Park. While learning about the history of Tokyo, which has grown and developed since the Meiji era, you can enjoy greenery and water, and get a feel for nostalgic architecture.

Route



Notes

When using Tamako Station to go to Sayama Park, you will need to ask to use the stair lift as there are only stairs in the station.

Sayama Park

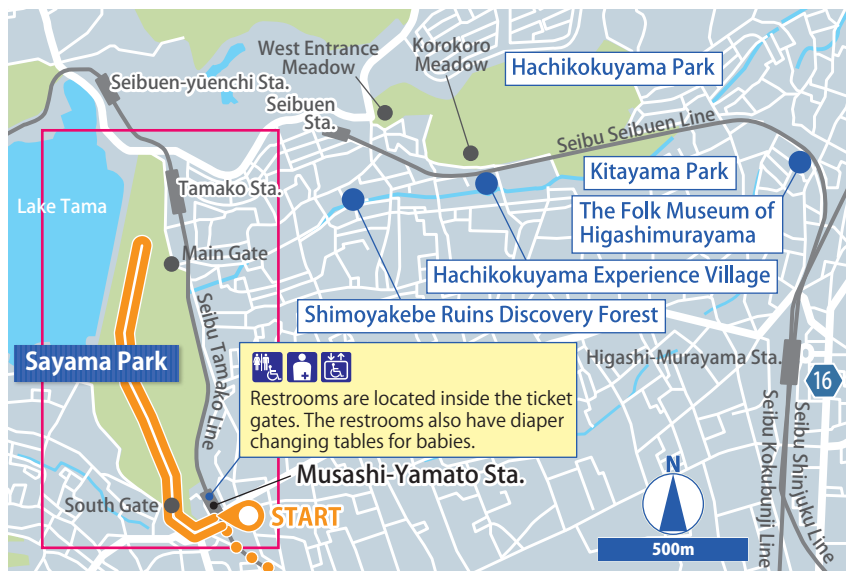
About
1 hr.

Opened in 1937, this park is well known as a scenic spot with its views of a beautiful lake, cherry blossoms and autumn leaves. It is also a famous place to view cherry blossoms, featuring varieties such as Someiyoshino, Yamazakura, and Satozakura. The Japanese maple and flowering dogwood near Yakebe Pond provide seasonal color. Enjoy a relaxing time, resting on a bench in the Kaze-no-hiroba plaza beneath the wide-open sky, feeling the breeze, and listening to the birds sing.

At the Kaze-no-hiroba, which is near the main entrance and parking reserved for people with impairments, there are no steps. There is also an accessible park pathway that incorporates universal design to provide easy access for wheelchairs and strollers. Some information boards have tactile maps. The embankment of Lake Tama can be accessed from the park by a long incline (200 meters, 10 degrees) or stairs at the side of the embankment. There is a nursing space in the administration office.

Tel. 042-393-0154 (Sayama Park Center)

¥ 0 Free

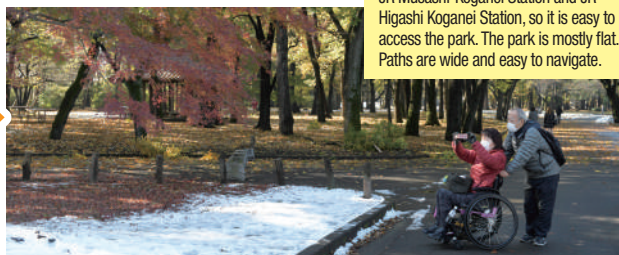




Koganei Park

About
30 min.

Alongside the Tamagawa Josui Channel is a huge park that includes the Musashino thicket, a famous spot for viewing cherry blossoms, an expansive field, a bird sanctuary, sports facilities, and cultural facilities.



TEL 042-385-5611

¥ ☎ ☑ Free to walk in the park. Entry fees and times vary depending on the facility, inquire for details

Buses run frequently from Seibu Shinjuku Line Hana-Koganei Station, JR Musashi-Koganei Station and JR Higashi Koganei Station, so it is easy to access the park. The park is mostly flat. Paths are wide and easy to navigate.



Edo-Tokyo Open Air Architectural Museum

About
2 hrs.

Historic buildings with important cultural value are transferred, restored, preserved, and displayed. The various kinds of buildings are arranged and displayed by era and style of architecture, including the modern and Western buildings that line Yamanote-dori street, thatched roof houses from which smoke rises from the hearth in the West Zone, and Shitamachi-naka-dori street, which is also used as a location for television shows. Step back in time with this nostalgic scenery!



Ramps have been installed to provide access from park paths to building entrances. With the exception of some buildings, elevators are installed in two-story buildings. There are some unpaved paths.



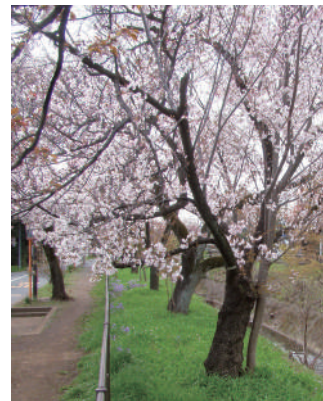
TEL 042-388-3300

¥ ¥400 (Free for people with impairments; inquire for details)
☎ 9:30 - 17:30 (Closes at 16:30 October - March, last entry 30 min prior to closing)
☒ Mondays (the following day if Monday is a national holiday)

Tamagawa Josui Channel, Koganei (Cherry Blossom)

About
20 min.

When Musashino was developed in the mid-18th century, lines of Yamazakura cherry trees were planted on both sides of the Tamagawa Josui Channel. The area was designated as a national place of scenic beauty in 1924. Currently, the government, citizen groups, and others are working together to restore this scenery.



The walking path on the south side of the Tamagawa Josui Channel is 3.5 meters wide, allowing 1.5 meters on each side. The path is not paved, so be careful of tree roots, etc.

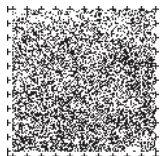
¥ ☎ ☑ Free

Sightseeing Spots Nearby

● Facility	● Description	● Accessibility information	● Telephone number
Kitayama Park (Iris Garden)	Enjoy the scenery at this park year round, including the irises of early summer.		042-393-5111 (Greenery and Park Division Higashimurayama City)
Hachikokuyama Park	Hachikokuyama Park is located at the east end of the gently sloping Sayama Hills. The whole park is wooded with trees such as Konara oak and sawtooth oak and is a place where visitors can encounter many species of plants, birds, and insects.		042-393-0154 (Sayama Park - Park Center)
The Folk Museum of Higashimurayama	Higashimurayama's history is introduced through the permanent exhibit on the theme of streets and planned and special exhibits.		042-396-3800
Hachikokuyama Experience Village	This is an experience-based learning facility where visitors can learn about nature. It also exhibits artifacts from the Shimoyakebe archaeological site, a designated important cultural asset.		042-390-2161
Shimoyakebe Ruins Discovery Forest	Designated as a Tokyo historical site, the Shimoyakebe ruins are preserved beneath the park. The park plaza makes use of artifacts uncovered by excavation.		—
Sanno-inaho-jinja Shrine	A branch of Sanno Shrine in Edo's Kojimachi district, this shrine was opened in 1654 to watch over rice field development in the area.		042-381-2930

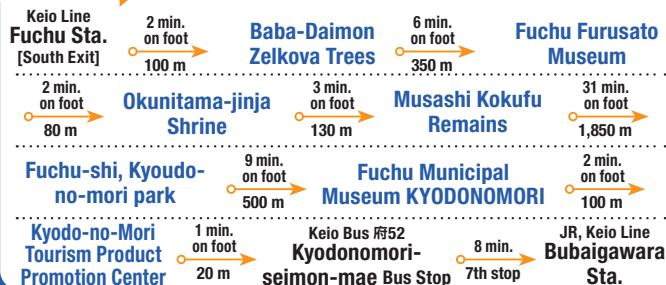
30 Fuchu

Explore the history of Musashi no kuni



Fuchu was the seat of the government, important in the 7th and 8th Century. This course is steeped in history. The approach to Okunitama-jinja Shrine is lined with Zelkova trees and dates back to the Heian period (794 - 1185), and is a designated Natural Monument.

Route



Notes

The route skips the slope by using the elevator in Fuchuhommachi Station. Relax by strolling along the promenade from Fuchuhommachi Station to the Suntory Musashino Brewery.

Baba-Daimon Zelkova Trees

About 10 min.

This green tunnel has over 100 trees including ancient Zelkova and Chinese Hackberry trees from the start of the Edo period (around 1603). Enjoy a brief respite from the bustling city here. On Sundays and national holidays, this is a closed to traffic between noon and 18:00, so why not enjoy a walk on your holiday. As the only street lined with Zelkova trees, it is a nationally designated natural treasure.



The pavement near Fuchu Station is wide and well maintained so there is no hindrance to movement. Enjoy a relaxing stroll here.

¥ ♻️ ♻️ ♻️ Free



Fuchu Furusato Museum

About
20 min.

A history museum on the site of the ancient Musashi provincial office, which is a national historic site. The 1st floor has exhibit rooms about the city's history and culture, focusing on the ancient provincial capital, including the results of excavations of old ruins. There are many contrivances to help visitors, including children, learn while having fun, including digital card games based on

local history and culture played using a touch panel. In addition, on the 1st and 2nd floors, official documents and historical materials are preserved and open to the public, and about 5,000 historical materials are stored. This is the place to visit to delve into history.



There is a museum with many things to see and touch. Use the elevator to access each floor and move between the museum and library.

TEL 042-335-4393 (Furusato Cultural Asset Section Culture Sports Division Fuchu City)

¥ Free entry ☑ 9:00 - 17:00

☒ Mondays (the following day if Monday is a national holiday), Special holidays

Okunitama-jinja Shrine

About
20 min.

There are no steps on the route between Fuchu Station and the main hall. The grounds are flat. Wheelchair users should travel across the cobblestones.

This shrine is dedicated to the deity protecting Musashi-no-kuni, has about 1900 years of history, and is famous for its beneficial marriages. Along with Meiji-jingu Shrine and Yasukuni-jinja Shrine, this is one of Tokyo's five shrines that enjoyed the patronage of military commanders such as Minamoto-no-Yoritomo and Tokugawa Ieyasu.

TEL 042-362-2130

¥ Free entry to grounds

☑ 6:00 - 18:00 (April 1st - September 14th)

6:30 - 17:00 (September 15th - March 31st)

*Opening times for the Chujaku Gate (Red Gate)

☒ Free entry to grounds

The approach from the station to the main hall is a barrier-free path for easy access. Also, the Reitai Festival and the Kurayami Matsuri held on May 5th are very famous. Please come and visit.

Musashi Kokufu Remains

About
15 min.

This site is maintained as a place where the remains of a large building complex, thought to be the central facility for the national Kokufu government, were discovered and have been designated as a national historic site. Models of buildings from that time have been made with pillars and mirrors in the exhibition facilities. In modern Fuchu, the government held sway here from the start of the Nara period to the middle of the Heian period (710 - 990) and flourished around Musashi-no-kuni (part of modern day Saitama Prefecture, nearly all of Tokyo, and Kawasaki City and Yokohama City in Kanagawa Prefecture).



There are steps at the front of the Kokufu remains, so wheelchair users should use the detour slope.

TEL 042-335-4393 (Furusato Cultural Asset Section Culture Sports Division Fuchu City)

¥ Free entry to grounds ☑ 9:00 - 17:00 ☒ None

Fuchu-shi, Kyoudo-no-mori park

About
30 min.

This park is popular with families thanks to its go-karts and rides, fishing lake, lotus pond, and a summer general pool.



This park can be accessed by bus from Bubaigawara Station. The grounds are mostly flat with wide paths, so wheelchair users can move around freely. The rides have bus and tram displays that you can see and touch.

TEL 042-364-7214

¥ Park: Free entry Go-karts (children only): ¥100/lap

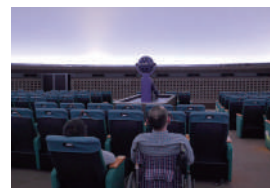
☑ Park: Unrestricted Go-karts: 10:00 - 16:30

☒ Park: Unrestricted Go-karts: Tuesdays, Rain and bad weather

Fuchu Municipal Museum KYODONOMORI

About
1 hr. 30 min.

Fuchu Municipal Museum KYODONOMORI is a general museum with premises three times the size of the Tokyo Dome. In the museum's permanent exhibition halls and restored buildings, visitors can learn by experiencing Fuchu's traditional history, culture, and nature. The planetarium can project about 100 million stars, enabling visitors to fully enjoy a beautiful night sky just like the real thing. Planetarium shows change from season to season and include original programs with live commentary, programs for parents and children, and powerful video programs. All programs include live explanations of the starry sky.



The park and buildings are equipped with barrier-free routes. The map shows routes for wheelchair users.

The grounds are planted with a wide variety of flowering plants including hydrangea and plum, enabling enjoyment of seasonal variations. Additionally, there is the Furusato Experience Hall, where various workshops are held on days off, so you can enjoy the whole day. The Main building (including the Planetarium) will be closed for about 10 months from Sept. 2023 due to renovation works.

TEL 042-368-7921

¥ Museum entrance fee: ¥300 (discounts may be available for customers with impairments and their caregivers; Inquire for details.) *There is a separate charge for the planetarium.

☑ 9:00 - 17:00 (admission until 16:00)

☒ Mondays (the following day if Monday is a national holiday), There may be special holidays or openings.

Kyodo-no-Mori Tourism Product Promotion Center

About
1 hr.

Adjacent to the Fuchu Regional Forest Museum, this facility provides various tourist and event information on the city as well as sales of tourist goods, local products and produce. The Kotomi Restaurant, named after the Kotomi-chan character of the Fuchu Tourism Association's mascot Kotomi-chan, is known for having a menu that uses local produce such as the ancient variety of rice produced in Fuchu city.



There are line and point-like blocks from the entrance to the information board. Level differences have been eliminated.

TEL 042-302-4000

¥ Free ☑ 10:00 - 18:00 (can vary by season)

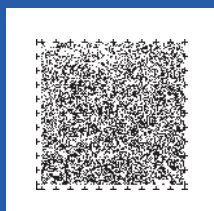
☒ Mondays (the following day if Monday is a national holiday), with special closings and openings

Sightseeing Spots Nearby

● Facility	● Description	● Accessibility information	● Telephone number
Kosatsuba	A historic site designated by the Tokyo Metropolitan Government, this is a public bulletin board that showed laws and punishments for criminals in the Edo period.		—
Anyoji Temple	It is said that Jikaku Daishi founded the temple, and the main hall was built in 1789. The Kannon hall was built in 1911 and enshrines an effigy of Sensoji Temple.		042-361-2248
JRA RACING MUSEUM	A museum of the Tokyo Racecourse where you can learn about the interesting pastime of horse racing. It hosts a variety of exhibitions.		042-314-5800

31 Ome

Retro taste of Showa era, Arts and Literature



Ome is well known as a "Showa era retro atmosphere town", and for many years several streets were decorated with hand-painted movie billboards. At the present days they had been removed but with this course you can still enjoy the nostalgic remains of that atmosphere of the past and admire many articles from the Showa era, as well as the Arts and Literature works connected to the town.

Route



Notes

The route from Ome Station to the Showa Retro Packaging Museum is almost flat but to reach the Ome City Museum of Art you need to go going down through a slope. It is easier to go if you choose a comparatively gradual down slope.

JR Ome Station

About 10 min.

The station is decorated with old movie signs. You can see the remnants of that time on the Showa Retro signboards that used to be in the city of Ome.

You can use the elevator to move between the ticket gate floor and the platform. Multi-purpose restroom available.



☑ from the first train to the last depart ☒ none

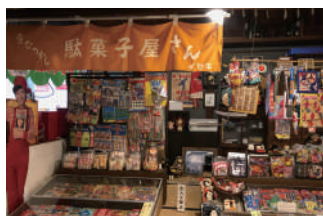


Showa Retro Goods Museum

About 30 min.

It is a wooden building that used to be a furniture store. Now displays around 1,000 of miscellaneous articles, in a lineup of nostalgic household goods such as toys, posters, drink cans, etc., centered on product packages such as sweets and medicines from around 1955 to 1965.

The showcase of articles is on the 1st floor. On the 2nd floor, there is the "Snow woman room", with an exhibition of materials that tell that the origin of Lafcadio Hearn's ghost story "Yuki-onna" was in a legend handed down in Ome.



TEL 0428-20-0234

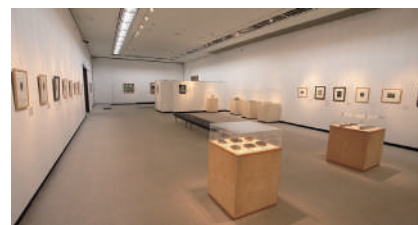
¥350 ☑ 10:00-17:00
☒ From Mondays to Thursdays (except Holidays)

Ome City Museum of Art
Ome City Kojima Zentaro Museum

About 1 hr.

The Museum exhibits around 2,300 cultural assets and artworks, centered in Japanese paintings, foreign paintings and woodcut prints from the beginning of modern times until now. There are about 4 Exhibitions per year, some of them Regular Exhibitions with items hold in the own Museum, sometimes Special Exhibitions with items borrowed from outside and sometimes Exhibitions in collaboration with others entities. 4 or 5 items of the works of artists related to the town, Kojima Zentaro (painter of western style) and Fujimoto Yoshimichi (craftsman) are exhibited regularly in rotation.

There is a slope for wheelchair in the main entrance. Wheelchair users can access the 2nd Floor Exhibition Room by elevator. There are also free to borrow wheelchairs.



TEL 0428-24-1195 ¥200 Different fees for Special Exhibitions (Impaired visitors with one caregiver: Free) ☑ 9:00-17:00 ☒ Mondays (in case of National Holidays, the following day)

Yoshikawa Eiji Memorial Museum

About 1 hr.

Yoshikawa Eiji is the author of a great amount of popular fiction novels with historical subjects as "Miyamoto Musashi", "Romance of the Three Kingdoms", "The Heike Story, A modern translation" or "Taiko. An epic novel of War and Glory". Is a novelist representative of the Japanese Literature pre and post World War II, that earned a very wide rank of fans. Eiji moved during the war to Ome and the Yoshikawa



Eiji Memorial Museum has been built in the place where the writer was living during 9 years and 5 months. The main house and the study where he worked are preserved as in the original time of use. In the Exhibition Room built after, visitors can look back on Eiji's achievements.

At the entrance of the main house there are some steps. Wheelchair visitors please view it from outside. The gardens are wheelchair accessible but in some places you will find steep slopes. Those who use the elevator, please notify first to the staff. There are also wheelchairs to borrow.

TEL 0428-74-9477

¥400 (Impaired visitors with one caregiver: Free) ☑ 10:00-17:00 (Enter up to 16:30)
☒ Mondays (in case of National Holidays, the following day)

This house at Ome offers a condensed view of Yoshikawa Eiji. We will be happy if you can feel in Yoshikawa Eiji Memorial Museum the man behind the writer.

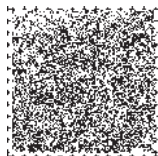


Sightseeing Spots Nearby

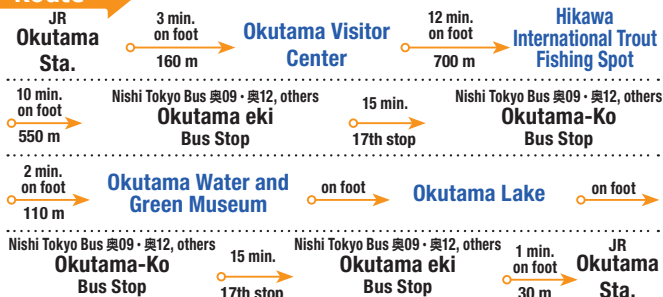
●Facility	●Description	●Accessibility information	●Telephone number
Ome Plum Park	A famous place to admire plum blossoms. In 2014 due to a virus infection all the plum trees were cut down, but later were replaced planting 1,200 new plum trees.	Multi-purpose toilet available. Assistance dogs allowed. There are some paths with steep stairs but there is also a route through the Park accessible to wheelchairs and baby carts.	0428-24-2481
Gyokudo Art Museum	This Museum preserves most of the works of Kawai Gyokudo, one of the masters of modern times Japanese painting..	The Museum is barrier-free. There is a lift at the entrance. There are multi-purpose toilets in the building.	0428-78-8335

Feel and enjoy Okutama's Nature

Okutama is the western area of Tokyo. Is about one hour and half from the Central Tokyo and offers rich and vast natural resources hard to believe in Tokyo. It is a very popular course for visitors who like outdoor entertainments, where you can enjoy the astounding scenery of Okutama's Nature.



Route

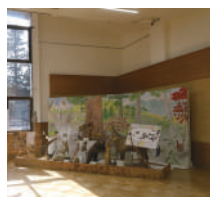


Notes

As a popular spot, depending on the season may be crowded. Around JR Okutama station there are some slopes, so you have to be careful. There are only a few buses per day, and we recommend check the time table in advance and arrange your schedule with enough time available.

Okutama Visitor Center

About 10 min.



In addition to the information about local Nature and Culture, hiking trails and parks, the Center also offers Nature experience programs and Guide Activities.

TEL 0428-83-2037

¥ Free 9:00-16:30

× Mondays (in case of National Holidays, the following day)

The 2nd Floor Exhibition Hall is accessible by an exterior slope. Please ask to the staff.

Hikawa International Trout fishing spot

About 1 hr

The facility is located about 10 minutes away by wheelchair from the train Station, so is a very convenient fishing spot also for train users. The parking lot has capacity for 60 vehicles.

You can use the elevator or the slope to descend near the river. There is no pavement in the riverside, so wheelchair users will need assistance from a caregiver.

TEL 0428-83-2147

¥ One day pass, ¥3,600, Half day pass, ¥2,000. ☑ Mar-Nov: 8:00-15:30; Dec-Feb: 9:00-15:00 ☒ Mar-Nov, Mondays; Dec-Feb, Mondays & Tuesdays (except Holidays); also closes days of severe bad weather or similar reasons.



Okutama Water and Green Museum

About 1 hr

The facility is a place that introduces the History and Culture of Okutama, the mechanism of the Dam and the great value of water and greenery, all in an easy to understand way. At the Museum you can find also the "Okutama 3D Theater" and enjoy learning with the exhibitions and images.

The Exhibition Halls counts with slopes and you can go smoothly to the 2nd Floor. You can use the elevator to go the 3rd Floor.

TEL 0428-86-2731

¥ Free 9:00-17:00 ☒ Mondays (in case of National Holidays, the following day)



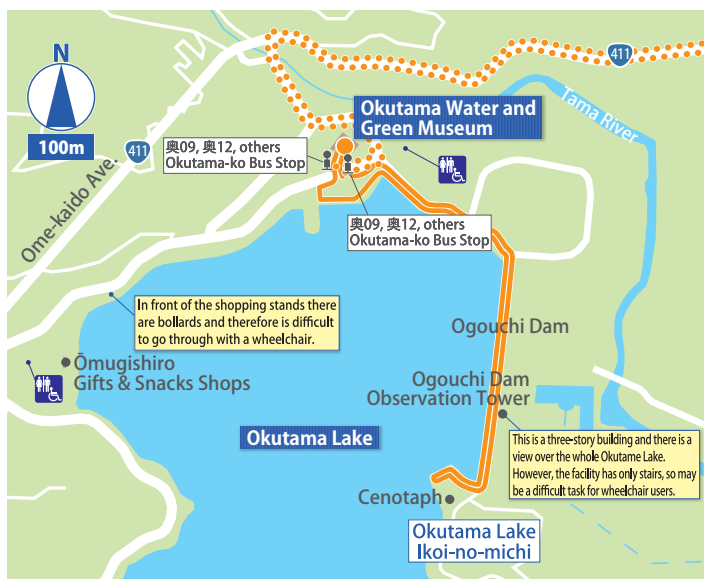
Okutama Lake

About 1 hr

Lake Okutama is an artificial lake created by damming up the Tama River with the Ogouchi Dam. Is the largest reservoir exclusively for water supply in Japan. All year around you can enjoy the impressive landscapes and natural environment.

The pathway to the Ogouchi Dam is flat and paved, so you can go smoothly with a wheelchair.

¥ ☑ ☒ Free

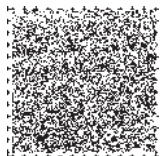


Sightseeing Spots Nearby

● Facility	● Description	● Accessibility information	● Telephone number
Okutama Lake Ikoi-no-michi	A 12 km trail that stretches from the Ogouchi Dam, where you can enjoy the nature around the Lake. (Closed from Dec. to Apr.)	The path until the memorial stone monument is paved. From the entrance of Ikoi no michi there is a path with gravel for about 2 km. From there, it changes to a mountain trail.	—
Okutama Forest Therapy Road, Fragrance Road "Toke-Trail"	Japan's first forest therapy trail created specifically for that purpose. We offer a time of relax. How about refresh your five senses with the forest atmosphere?	There is a wheelchair monorail installed, and is possible to guide you to viewing stations where appreciate the scenery. (Monorail subject to fee, and reservation required; please ask in advance).	0428-83-8855 (Okutama Regional Development Foundation)
Okutama Onsen Moegi-no-yu	A 100% natural hot spring waters were you can enjoy day use baths. There are indoor and outdoor baths, and also a communal foot bath, which offers nice views of the mountains, forest and Tamagawa River.	There are stairs at the facility entry, so it is difficult to access with wheelchair. Discounts for disabled people available. The bath is accessible if accompanied by a caregiver of the same sex (please, ask in advance).	0428-82-7770

33 Mitaka, Chofu

The Route of Stars, Universe and Enchantment



In Mitaka is located the National Astronomical Observatory of Japan and in Chofu the JAXA Japan Aerospace Exploration Agency, two of the most representative Japanese research facilities. This is a course where you can let run your imagination about the stars and the universe while being enraptured by the music of 100 years ago.

Route

JR Musashi Sakai Sta. [South Exit]	1 min. on foot 50 m	Odakyu Bus 境91 Musashi Sakai Sta. South Exit Bus Stop	16 min. 11th stop	Odakyu Bus 境91 Tenmondai-mae Bus Stop
2 min. on foot 80 m	National Astronomical Observatory	on foot	Mitaka Picture-book House in the Astronomical Observatory Forest	9 min. on foot 550 m
8 min. 6th stop	Odakyu Bus 鷹52 Kami-renjaku 8chome Bus Stop	11 min. on foot 650 m	JAXA Chofu Center Exhibit Hall	3 min. on foot 170 m
Odakyu Bus 鷹65 Hosenji-mae Bus Stop	6 min. on foot 350 m	Information space of Astronomy and Science	8 min. on foot 450 m	Mitaka Music Box Museum
			5 min. on foot 300 m	Odakyu Bus 鷹65 Koken-mae Bus Stop
				8 min. 6th stop
				JR Mitaka Sta. [South Exit]

Notes

The total course is almost flat. There are also sidewalks but in the area around Mitaka Station the sidewalk is narrow in some places, so please be careful. From Koken-mae Bus Stop is possible to use also Odakyu Bus 鷹66 & Keio Bus 鷹66 until Honcho-dori Bus Stop.



National Astronomical Observatory of Japan

About
1 hr.

The National Astronomical Observatory of Japan is the Center that plays the central role in Japan's Astronomy research. It's a Research Institute to contribute to the development of astronomy, using both observational and theoretical approach, but it is also partially open to public. You can visit several historic installations related to the astronomy research, and also the 4D2U (the spatial three dimensions and the time as 4th dimension are combined digitally) Dome Theater (three times per month, reservations required).



The grounds are almost flat. There are many historical structures in the campus, therefore several old buildings are not wheelchair accessible. A tour guidebook is available in 5 languages and Braille. Visitors can access an audio guide to the facilities via smartphone or tablet, and there is also sign language guide.



Facilities like the Observatory History Museum and the 4D2U Dome Theater are very popular. Please, don't miss them.

TEL 0422-34-3600

- ¥ free (No reservation needed; please sign in at the Guard House)
- ☑ 10:00-17:00 (admission until 16:30)
- ✕ None (except in case of revisions or reparations in the building)



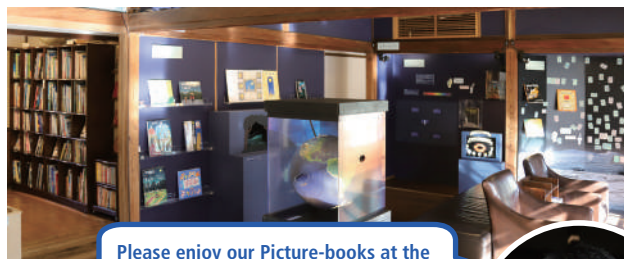
Mitaka Picture-book House in the Astronomical Observatory Forest

About
30 min.

The House is an exhibition facility opened with the aim of preserve and use the Taisho-era building that originally housed leading astronomers' offices. Inside the facility there is a reading room with about 2,500 picture-books and the House also offers hands-on exhibitions to expand interest in astronomy through picture-books. In addition, at the courtyard of the House surrounded by rich nature, it is possible to enjoy old fashioned games.



There are slopes at the entrance of the building and in the exit to the courtyard. The house floors are flat, and the building is wheelchair accessible. At the reception there are tools for writing communication. There is a multi-purpose toilet and a nursery room.



Please enjoy our Picture-books at the courtyard surrounded by Nature. We are willing to receive your visit.

TEL 0422-39-3401 ¥ free ☑ 10:00-17:00
✕ Tuesday (and others days of maintenance)



JAXA Chofu Center Exhibit Hall

About
30 min.

The Chofu Aerospace Center Exhibit Hall introduces the past and ongoing major Japanese research and development activities on aeronautical and space sciences. Visitors can experience a wind tunnel model, a flight operation simulation by space planes and many others items related to aerospace technology.



Wheelchair accessible toilet available. Ostomate-friendly toilet located in a separate building. The cockpit exhibited outside the building has steps, so wheelchair users can not go inside.



Contacts only through the web page <https://www.aero.jaxa.jp/about/exhibits/inquiry/index.php>

¥ free ☑ 10:00-17:00 ✕ Saturdays, Sundays and National Holidays

Information Space of Astronomy and Science

About
10 min.

Facility conceived as a base for regional revitalization suitable for "Mitaka, the town with an astronomical observatory". There, the city, in cooperation with the National Astronomical Observatory, offers a wide range of information about sciences and astronomy, mainly through panel exhibitions.



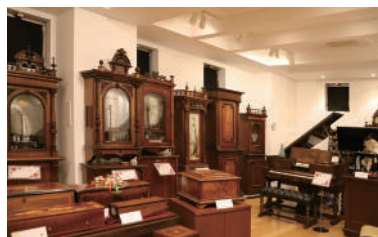
The facility is all located on the 1st floor. There are two steps at the entrance, so please ask to the staff for assistance.

TEL 0422-26-9951 ¥ free ☑ 11:00-18:30 ✕ Mondays, Tuesdays and National Holidays

Mitaka Music Box Museum

About
1 hr.

In addition to the exhibition of antique music boxes made more than 100 years ago, you can also enjoy some of their performances. Beside the music boxes, there are also pianolas, automated dolls, barrel organs and other items. A healing place to feel and enjoy the gentle sounds created by the craftsmen of the past.



The Museum has elevator. There is no wheelchair accessible toilet. The Museum can be toured in a wheelchair.

TEL 0422-26-8121 ¥ ¥800 (Discounts for disability handbook holders and one caregiver). ☑ 11:00-17:00. Reservation required
✕ Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays

All the music boxes on display are operative. Refresh your hearth with their clear tones.

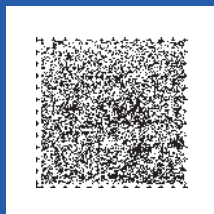


Sightseeing Spots Nearby

● Facility	● Description	● Accessibility information	● Telephone number
International Christian University Hachiro Yuasa Memorial Museum	The facility is the museum of the International Christian University. The main collection consists of folk art materials from Japan and other parts of the world assembled by the first president of the University, Dr. Hachiro Yuasa, some of the prehistoric materials excavated from the ICU campus, and other works of art and historical objects.	The facility is barrier-free. Wheelchair accessible slopes and wheelchair accessible elevator. Wheelchairs available for loan.	0422-33-3340
Mitaka City Osawa no Sato Kominka	A spacious farm house built in 1902 with the typical Japanese four rooms structure. You can see also a traditional wasabi field that evokes the days when it was cultivated at the farm.	There is wheelchair accessible toilet.	0422-29-9862 (Mitaka City, Sports and Culture Department Lifelong Learning Promotion Section)
Mitaka City Gallery of Art	This Museum holds special exhibits two or three times a year covering a wide variety of genres, mainly spotlighting modern to contemporary art. The periods without special exhibits, the Museum is also a venue for city residents to display their works of art and shows its collection of writer Osamu Dazai related items.	Within the Multi-purpose toilet there is a diaper-changing table. The nursery room is located at the CORAL 4th Floor.	0422-79-0033
Musashino Historical Museum	The Museum displays stone tools and ceramics from the Stone Age and the Jomon Period together with documents and other items of early modern times. You can learn there about the History and Culture of Musashino region through old documents from the Edo Period and stone tools 30,000 years old.	There are wheelchair accessible toilet, slopes and nursery room. Wheelchairs available for loan.	0422-53-1811

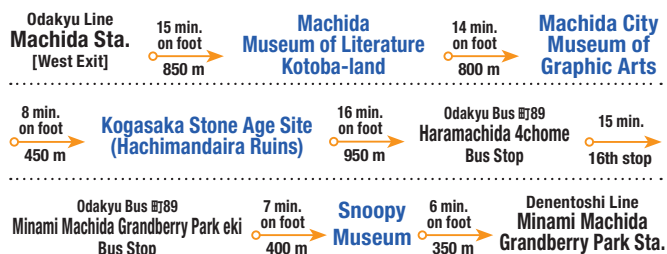
34 Machida

The Culture and Characters of Southern Tama area



Machida, the central city of Southern Tama area, experienced a rapid development as a bedroom community for Tokyo. With this course, visitors can appreciate leisurely the Culture and the world-famous characters based in Southern Tama while enjoying the surrounding Nature.

Route



Notes

This course has severe elevation changes. While going to Machida City Museum of Graphic Arts and Kogasaka Stone Age site, there are long slopes upward and downward. In case of manual wheelchairs users, we recommend to go with a caregiver.



Machida Museum of Literature Kotoba-land

About
20 min.

This Public Museum of Literature was founded to house literary materials or other articles donated to the city of Machida by the estate of long-time resident writer Endo Shusaku. On the 1st floor, there is a material reading room where the books of literary figures related to Machida are stored, and mini displays. In the 2nd floor there is a gallery to host regular or special exhibitions related to Literature, publishing and printing culture, showing the facility commitment with "words" (kotoba, as in the Museum's name, Kotoba-land).



The Floor of the Museum has guidance blocks for visually impaired visitors. Each floor has a wheelchair accessible elevator.

There are also tools for writing communication.



"Kotoba-land" introduces literary figures who are related to Machida, and has established a literary award for elementary, junior high, and high school students, and is also focusing on activities to nurture future writers.

TEL 042-739-3420

¥ free (fees applies for Special Exhibitions)

☑ Exhibition Gallery & Reading Room: 10:00-17:00; Meeting Room & Literature Salon: 9:00-22:00 ☒ Mondays (except Holidays), 2nd Thursday of Month (in case of Holidays, the following day)

Machida City Museum of Graphic Arts

About
40 min.

One of the few Arts Museums in the world focused on hanga (block print art), with an attractive collection of more than 33,000 Japanese and Western paintings. Is the perfect place to become acquainted with hanga and enjoy a promenade in the lush greenery of Serigaya Park.



There is a disabled parking space. Please ask to the staff for use of nursing space. Wheelchair accessible toilet and diaper changing sheets available.



TEL 042-726-2771 ¥ free (fees applies for Special Exhibitions, Impaired visitors with one caregiver, half price) ☑ Weekdays, 10:00-17:00, Saturdays and Holidays: 10:00-17:30 ☒ Mondays (in case of Holidays, the following day)

Kougasaka Stone Age Site (Hachimandaira Ruins)

About
5 min.



Middle Jomon Period ruins of dwelling with stone floors discovered in 1925. Currently, the remains are backfilled and preserved, but the original appearance is reproduced on the place. There is a splendid circular view of the town from the top of the hill.



Wheelchairs users can go to the top of

the hill through a slope.



☑ ☑ ☑ Free to explore

Snoopy Museum

About
1 hr.

Museum dedicated to display the art of Snoopy and the others popular characters of American comic Peanuts, through precious original comic strips and other exhibitions, along with exclusive footage of their creator Schulz, animation short movies and interactive items. It's the only official satellite in the world of the Charles M. Schulz Museum sited in California.



Multi-purpose toilet, nursing room, and two wheelchairs for loan available. Entrance fee is half price for persons with disability certificate. Guide dogs allowed. The elevators are wheelchair accessible.

TEL 042-812-2723

¥ Advance purchase, ¥1800, Same day purchase, ¥2000

☑ 10:00-18:30 (admission until 17:30)

☒ None

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At the Snoopy Museum, we deliver a lot of the charm of PEANUTS through precious original drawings and vintage goods. Please enjoy the world of PEANUTS that deepens the more you know.

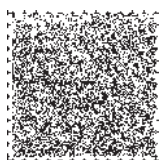


Sightseeing Spots Nearby

● Facility	● Description	● Accessibility information	● Telephone number
Taigan Historical Museum	This Museum exhibits historical documents from the Sengoku warring states period, related to famous warlords like Oda Nobunaga, Toyotomi Hideyoshi and Tokugawa Ieyasu. You can also admire a full scale reproduction of the Main Tower of Azuchi Castle.	There are elevators inside the building. Persons with disability certificate and one caregiver have a 20% discount entry fee.	042-726-1177
Serigaya Park	A spacious park full of rich greenery, and various sculptures scattered inside small ponds. A highly pleasant place for adults and children, where you can enjoy the water plays pond, mini cascades, the Rainbow & Water Square, The Adventure Square, the Multi-purpose Square and may other attractions.	The Park has elevation changes and, in some places, steps, but slopes has been installed. Multi-purpose toilet, wheelchair parking space and nursery available.	042-724-4399 (Machida City Hall, Division of Parks and Green Areas)
Town Information Center Machida Tourist Gallery	A complex facility where you can buy local products and get a wide rank of information about shopping, cuisine specialties, events and lodging in Machida.	In the path from Hara-Machida central avenue to Poppo Machida, where is located the Machida Tourist Gallery, there is a slope. There is also wheelchair accessible toilet.	042-850-9311

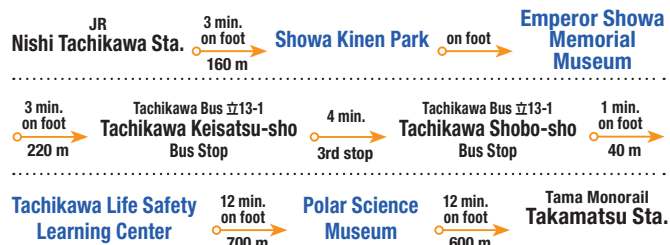
35 Tachikawa

Feel the Nature and recall the Emperor Showa



The course of Tachikawa is plenty of variety. After feeling the proximity of Nature in a spacious and lush park, you can recall the days of Emperor Showa (Hirohito), learn about safety measures when natural disasters come and know the extreme conditions of Polar Nature World.

Route



Notes

This is a mostly flat course, so you can move easily. In Showa Memorial Park, it is better to use the flat paths. The small Park Train that goes around the Park has capacity for one wheelchair.



Showa Kinen Park

About
2 hr.

This National Park was created to commemorate the 50th anniversary of Emperor Showa's reign. Spanning over 180 hectares, this huge park boasts a variety of natural spaces and seasonal flowers offering different sceneries throughout the year. You can find also hammocks, playground equipment, sport facilities and popular spots like the "Children's forest" or the "Barbecue garden".



The Park has pathways with gentle slopes and without steps. In the children's space "Wanpaku yugu" there are big size playground equipment universally designed, and chair-shaped or basket-shaped swings.



TEL 042-528-1751

¥ ¥450 ☑ 8:30–17:00 (may change depending on season or areas)
☒ January 1st, the fourth Monday of January and the following day.

Emperor Showa Memorial Museum

About
20 min.

The Emperor Showa Memorial Museum is located in the Showa Memorial Park's Green Culture Zone, inside the Hanamidori Cultural Center. The Museum exhibits the botanical collection of the late Emperor Hirohito, as well as photos, personal belongings and documents related to him and his wife, the Empress Kojun.



The Museum is wheelchair accessible. Inside the Hanamidori Cultural Center there is a wheelchair accessible toilet.



TEL 042-540-0429 ☑ General admission, ¥ 510; Seniors over 65 years, ¥ 410. Disability handbook holders and one caregiver, free.

☑ Mar-Oct, 9:30–17:00, Nov-Feb, 9:30–16:30 (admission until 30 minutes before closing) ☒ Mondays (if National Holidays, the following day), Fridays (open if it falls on a public holiday), Exhibition change period, Closed days of Showa Kinen Park



The Museum features rarely seen images of the life of Emperor Showa and the daily life of regular citizens throughout the tumultuous years of era Showa. Here you can get to learn all about the Emperor Showa, from his childhood to his adulthood and even his last days.

Sightseeing Spots Nearby

● Facility	● Description	● Accessibility information	● Telephone number
National Institute of Japanese Literature exhibition room	The NILJ is an institution of specialized surveys and research of Japanese Literature. The Institute contributes to the society by widely publicizing the results of its research via exhibitions. These exhibitions display mainly original materials collected from Japan and overseas.	The entire facility is barrier-free. Wheelchair accessible toilet. Mobility impaired parking available. Wheelchairs available for lending.	050-5533-2900
Tamashin Art Museum	The Museum features the works by writers working in or associated with the Tama area, wonderful pictures and statues and also a variety of old ceramics and porcelains from China and Japan.	Disability handbook holders and one caregiver, free entry. The facility can be toured smoothly with a wheelchair.	042-526-7788
GREEN SPRINGS	A complex created around a central square of 10,000m ² full with greenery and water where you can enjoy shopping, cuisine specialties, events, lodging and more.	The entire facility is barrier-free. Wheelchair accessible elevators, wheelchair accessible toilet, disabled parking space, wheelchair for lending and nursing room available.	042-524-2222 (Information)
Cinema City, Cinema two	5 auditoriums Cinema Complex with a different angle of seat for each one, offering different experiences of viewing. The sound system is able to reproduce the most delicate sounds for an immersive and realistic experience.	Elevator and wheelchair accessible toilet available. All the cinemas had seats for wheelchair users.	050-6875-3975

Tachikawa Life Safety Learning Center

About
1 hr.

The Center opened in 1992 as a facility dependent of Tokyo Fire Department where you can learn and experience about disaster prevention. The Center is an experiential facility designed to help adults and children to acquire disaster preparedness knowledge and techniques, throughout the mini-theater images or enjoying themselves as they take part in earthquake simulations, initial firefighting and emergency first aid exercises, and learn the basic principles for escaping smoke inhalation. You can also ask for specialist instructors for each section, so it's better to ensure the service doing reservation by phone or on the web page.



There is a wheelchair-accessible restroom and a diaper-changing station. Elevator to each floor. Wheelchair users can take part also in prevention exercises.

TEL 042-521-1119 (Inquiries and reservations regarding experiences)

☑ Free ☑ 9:00–17:00 ☒ Thursdays, the third Friday of the month and the following days: January 17th, September 1st, October 1st.

There two others Life Safety Learning Centers in Tokyo (Ikebukuro and Honjo), but Tachikawa's is the only one with mini-theater. Our aim is that everybody can obtain a better disaster preparedness knowledge through several means.



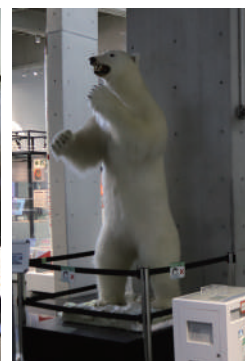
Polar Science Museum

About
20 min.

The Museum provides information on historical and current research activities and results regarding Earth's Polar regions. In the Aurora Theater, you can admire images of auroras, and in the Exhibition Hall you will find many items, like an Ice Core drill, a snow vehicle used in the Antarctica, taxidermy specimens of a polar bear and other wildlife, meteorites said to come from Mars and the Moon, rocks or ice from the Antarctica and more, all authentic. Here, visitors can get information about research in the Polar regions that may have the key to understand our present or even our future.



The Museum is almost flat and can be easily viewed by wheelchair users. In the multi-purpose wheelchair accessible toilet there is a diaper changing sheet for children until 2 years old.



TEL 042-512-0910 ☑ free ☑ 10:00–17:00 (admission until 16:30)

☒ Sundays, Mondays, third Thursday of the month and National Holidays.

Tokyo Railway Network Map

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