

TOKIWASO MANGA MAP

the Mecca for Manga fans





Tokiwaso and related facilities



Let's walk around the area of Tokiwaso and 4related facilities!!

★ Tokiwaso Manga Museum

Many of Japanese manga's pioneer used to live and gather in the apartment "Tokiwaso". This museum is a real replacement for you to feel Manga master's real life.



Address : Minami-Nagasaki 3-9-22, Toshima City, Tokyo
(in Minami-Nagasaki Hanasaki park)
Opening hours : 10:00 A.M. to 6:00 P.M.
(no entrance after 5:30 P.M.)

Closed : Every Monday (except when Monday falls on a national holiday,
in which case it is open and will be closed on the following Tuesday)
/ New year holiday / exhibition replacement period
Entrance fee : for FREE,except Special exhibition period.



★ Tokiwaso-Dori Oyasumidokoro

Town of Tokiwaso's dispatch of Information.It was renovated rice store which built in 1926.
You can buy souvenir here!



★ Tokiwaso Manga Station

You can read 6000 Manga which related to Tokiwaso for free.



★ Tokiwaso Street Showa Retro Museum (Toshima Showa Museum of History and Culture)

This cultural complex used to be a "Miraku department store" which built as postwar market around 20's of Showa-era.



※ ★ is related to the map of Town



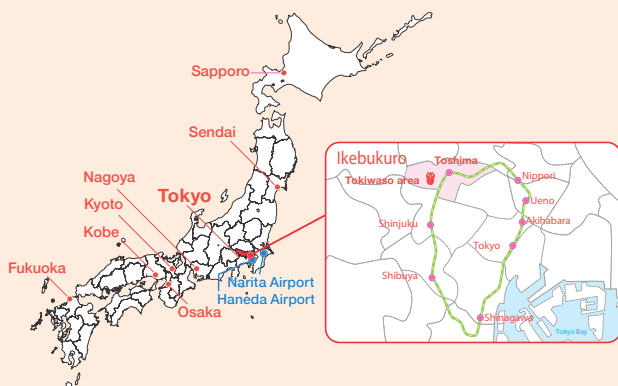
Toshima City Now

In recent years, Toshima City has been attracting many young fans of manga, anime and games, especially the Ikebukuro area along the Otome Road where cosplay events are held from time to time. Toshima City is now a place of great interest with its legacy of Tokiwaso, the mecca of manga, and also there is "animate" which transmit the latest anime culture.
Please refer to OTOME MAP for Ikebukuro's Otome Road and anime-related information.

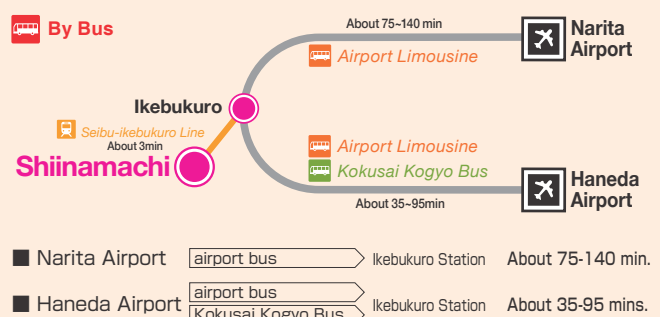
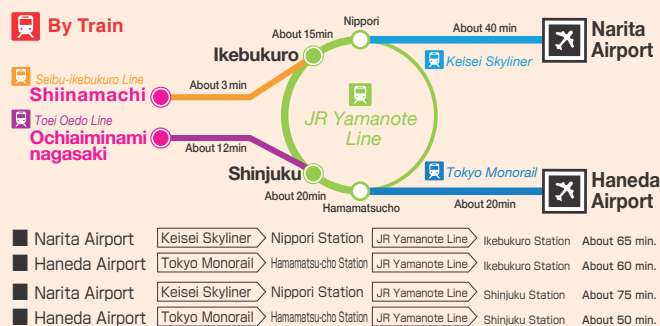


About Toshima City and Ikebukuro

Toshima City is located at the northwest part of Tokyo's 23 wards and has the highest population density in Japan. Ikebukuro Station is one of the biggest transportation center in the metropolitan area according to survey in 2019, and it's used by around 2.5 million people every day. As Toshima City is developing as a city with an inflow of variety of people, many young citizens are creating new trends in the expression art culture in many places.



Access from Airport



The manga artists who were residents of Tokiwaso

TEZUKA Osamu

Born in Toyonaka City, Osaka, in 1928
Resided in Tokiwaso from 1953 to 1954
Known for ASTRO BOY, Jungle Emperor Leo

TERADA Hiroo

Born in Niigata City, Niigata, in 1931
Resided in Tokiwaso from 1953 to 1957
Known for Kintaro the Sportsman, Number 0

Fujiko Fujio ㊤

Born in Himi City, Toyama, in 1934
Resided in Tokiwaso from 1954 to 1961
Known for NINJA HATTORI-KUN, Manga Michi

Fujiko・F・Fujio

Born in Takaoka City, Toyama, in 1933
Resided in Tokiwaso from 1954 to 1961
Known for Doraemon, Perma

SUZUKI Shinichi

Born in Nagasaki City, Nagasaki, in 1933
Resided in Tokiwaso from 1955 to 1956
Known for Bokura Mangaka Tokiwaso Monogatari

MORIYASU Naoya

Born in Okayama City, Okayama, in 1934
Resided in Tokiwaso from 1956
Known for Akai Jitensha (Red Bicycle)

ISHINOMORI Shotaro

Born in Tome City, Miyagi, in 1938
Resided in Tokiwaso from 1956 to 1961
Known for CYBORG 009, Kamen Rider (Masked Rider)

AKATSUKA Fujio

Born in Northeast China, China, in 1935
Resided in Tokiwaso from 1956 to 1961
Known for Osomatsu-kun, The Genius Bakabon

MIZUNO Hideko

Born in Shimonoseki City, Yamaguchi, in 1939
Resided in Tokiwaso in 1958
Known for Harp of the Stars, Fire!

YOKOTA Tokuo

Born in Tamura City, Fukushima, in 1936
Resided in Tokiwaso from 1958 to 1961
Known for Margaret-chan

YAMAUCHI Johji

Born in Dalian, China, in 1940
Resided in Tokiwaso from 1960 to 1962
Known for YomeruKANA

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what's Tokiwaso

Many famous manga artists, including TEZUKA Osamu, resided in Tokiwaso in their early days. The apartment building, which was dismantled in 1982 due to its outdated condition, was reconstructed and opened to the public as the Tokiwaso Manga Museum on July 7th, 2020. By visiting several monuments and places relevant to these artists, such as their frequent hangout spots, you can get a glimpse of how they lived during that time.



Online site of Toshima City