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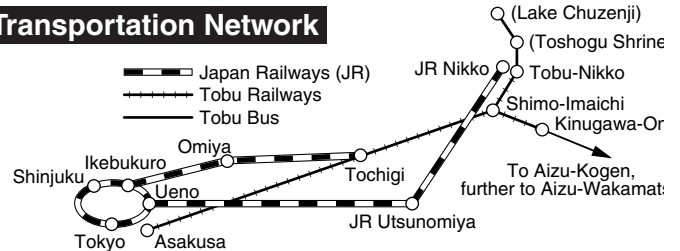


"YOKOSO" means "welcome"

Access from Tokyo:

- By Tobu Railways Nikko Line from Asakusa Sta.:
(Tobu Railways Asakusa Sta. is a few minutes walk from Asakusa Sta. on Subway Ginza or Toei Asakusa Line.)
*Excursion Tickets are available (See page 2/4).

Transportation Network



Train Schedule between Asakusa and Tobu-Nikko:

Train	One-way Fare	Time Required	Seats	Departure Times from Asakusa					Departure Times from Nikko				
Limited Express "Kegon" "Kinu"	¥2,620 (weekday)	1 hrs. 50 min.	Reservation required	7:30 *11:00 *14:00 *19:00	*8:00 *11:30 *15:00 20:00	*9:00 *12:00 *16:00 21:00	△9:30 *12:30 *17:00	*10:00 *13:30 *18:00	*6:55 *10:25 *14:24 *17:20	*7:37 *11:25 *14:48 △17:53	*8:48 △11:54 *15:53 *18:42	*9:25 *12:24 *16:20 *19:21	9:53 *13:24 *16:51
Rapid, Section Rapid	¥1,320	2 hrs. – 2 hrs. 30 min.	Unreserved seats only	6:20 11:50 16:50	7:10 12:50	8:10 13:50	9:10 14:50	10:50 15:50	6:29 11:59 16:58	7:46 12:56 18:10	8:58 13:59 18:55	9:56 15:01	10:59 15:59

- Notes:** 1. Trains marked with △ are operated daily during Apr. 21–May 31, Jul. 20–Aug. 31, Sep. 21–Nov. 23.
2. Trains without the above-mentioned marks are operated daily.
3. Trains marked with * are not direct ones; it is necessary to transfer at Shimo-Imaichi Sta.

2. By connection with JR line and Tobu line from Shinjuku and Ikebukuro Sta.

Train	One-way Fare	Time Required	Seats	Departure Times from Shinjuku				Departure Times from Nikko			
Limited Express "Nikko" "Kinugawa"	¥3,900	2 hrs.	Reservation required	7:12	*10:35	*13:05	*17:35	*8:15	*10:45	*15:18	16:37

- Notes:** Train marked with * are not direct one ; it is necessary to transfer at Shimo-Imaichi Sta.

3. By JR Utsunomiya Line (Shonan-Shinjuku Line) and Nikko Line from Tokyo Sta. or Shinjuku Sta.: Necessary to change trains at Utsunomiya Sta.

Train Schedule between Tokyo and Utsunomiya:

Train	One-way Fare	Time Required	Seats	Departure Time from Tokyo		Departure Times from Utsunomiya	
Tohoku Shinkansen (Super Express)	¥4,800 (Reserved) ¥4,290 (Unreserved)	50 min. by "YAMABIKO" 55 min. by "NASUNO"	Reserved & Unreserved	Every 20 min. – 40 min. Between 6:04 and 22:44		Every 20 min. – 40 min. Between 6:25 and 22:53	

Train Schedule between Shinjuku and Utsunomiya:

Train	One-way Fare	Time Required	Seats	Departure Time from Shinjuku					Departure Times from Utsunomiya				
Rapid	¥1,890	1 hr. 45 min.	Unreserved seat only	#9:07 13:28 #17:27	△9:24 14:28	10:28 15:28	11:28 16:28	12:28 △17:25	△8:37 12:39	#9:39 13:39	△9:40 14:37	10:39 15:39	11:39

- Notes:** 1. Trains marked with # are operated on weekdays.
2. Trains marked with △ are operated on Sat., Sun., and national holidays.

Train Schedule between Utsunomiya and Nikko (all are local trains):

One-way Fare	Time Required	Departure Times from Utsunomiya								Departure Times from Nikko							
¥740	40-50 min.	6:00 11:40 17:15	6:32 12:38 18:06	7:00 13:32 18:33	7:41 14:32 19:18	8:23 15:05 20:09	9:12 15:31 21:00	9:57 16:14 21:56	10:35 16:34 22:45	5:15 10:51 17:08	6:03 11:42 17:35	6:47 12:26 18:21	7:29 13:35 19:03	8:10 14:19 19:35	8:41 15:20 20:11	9:27 16:00 21:03	10:03 16:43 21:46

How to Get Around:

1. Between Nikko Sta. and Toshogu Shrine area:

On Foot: It takes about 20 min. to Shinkyo Bridge beyond which is the shrine and temple area.

By Bus: Frequent bus service is available from No. 1 and 2 Bus Signs in front of Tobu-Nikko Sta. Get off either at Shinkyo (4-min. ride. ¥190) or Nishi-sando (6-min. ride. ¥300) Bus Stop.

2. Between Nikko Sta. and Lake Chuzenji area:

Buses from JR Nikko or Tobu-Nikko Sta. drive up the hair-

pin-curved No. 2 Irohazaka Drive to Lake Chuzenji. It is a 45-min. ride to Chuzenji Onsen Bus Stop (fare: ¥1,100) from where you can walk to Kegon Falls, to Fune-no-eki cruise boat pier.

3. Between Toshogu Shrine and Lake Chuzenji area:

If you are going from the shrine area to Lake Chuzenji, you can catch a bus bound for Yumoto Onsen or Chuzenji Onsen.

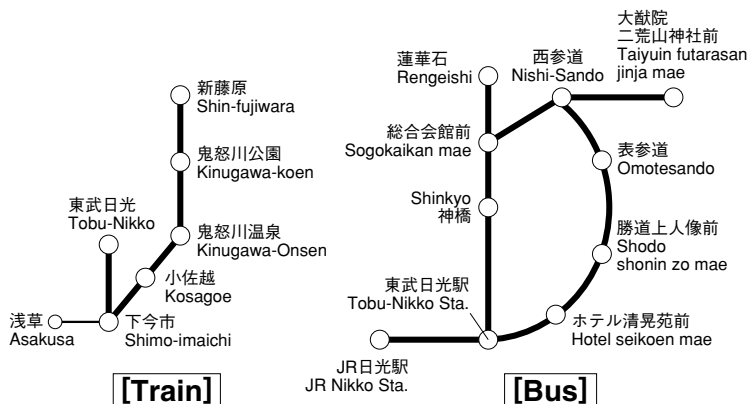
Note: Tobu-Nikko Sta. and JR Nikko Sta. are a few minutes walk apart. All buses originate at either Tobu-Nikko Sta. or JR Nikko Sta.

Bus Schedule: () are bus routes.

Departure Times from Tobu-Nikko Station							Departure Times from Yumoto Onsen								
(Tobu-Nikko Station → Shinkyo Bridge → Nishi-sando → Chuzenji Onsen → Yumoto Onsen)							(Yumoto Onsen → Chuzenji Onsen → Nishi-sando → Shinkyo Bridge → Tobu-Nikko Station)								
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*11:30	△12:00	*12:31	△12:50	13:00	*△13:34	*13:36	17:16	18:27	19:30						
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△18:30	*△19:01														
Departure Times from Chuzenji Onsen							Departure Times from Chuzenji Onsen								
(Chuzenji Onsen → Nishi-sando → Shinkyo Bridge → Tobu-Nikko Station)							(Chuzenji Onsen → Nishi-sando → Shinkyo Bridge → Tobu-Nikko Station)								
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14:11	14:46	15:00	15:21	15:56	16:20	16:43	17:22	14:11	14:46	15:00	15:21	15:56	16:20	16:43	17:22
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*** Excursion Ticket**

(1) "World Heritage Pass" includes round trip between Asakusa and Nikko by Tobu Railways train and as many rides as you like on Tobu trains and buses within the designated area as shown at the right. Also, with this pass you can get discounts on Tobu World Square, Edo Wonderland, Western Village, Kinugawa Onsen Ropeway, Kuriyama Village bus and Kinugawa River Raft Rides. This pass is valid for two days and costs ¥3,600 (¥1,700 for children). The pass doesn't include surcharges for Tobu Limited Express "Spacia" (¥1,300 one way). The pass is sold at "Tobu sightseeing Service Center" at Asakusa Sta. (Sale time: 8:00~14:30)

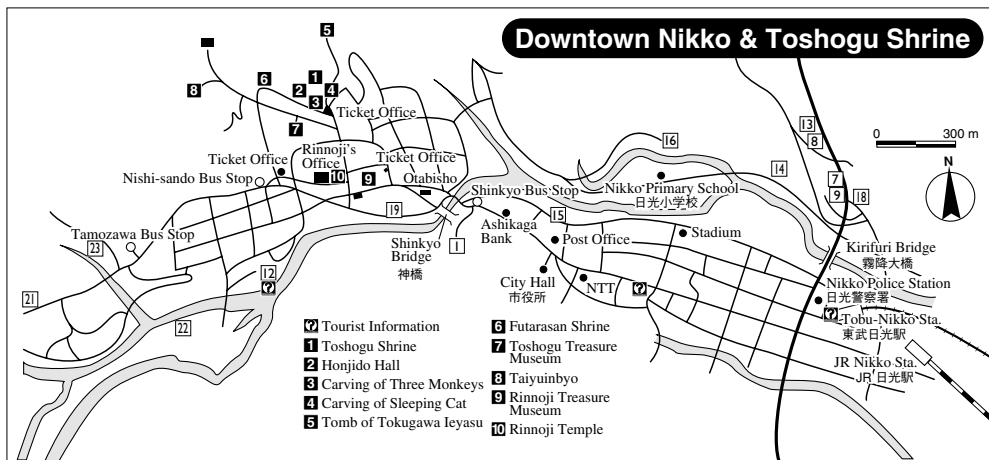


TOSHOGU SHRINE AREA

Places of Interest:

Shinkyo Bridge (神橋), or Sacred Bridge, arches gracefully over the Daiya River.

Futarasan Shrine (二荒山神社), located between Toshogu Shrine and Taiyuin Mausoleum, is the oldest complex in the district, dating from 767. It includes 23 buildings designated as Important Cultural Properties.



Numbers in white square like □ correspond to those in the "Accommodations" list on page 4/4.

Yomeimon Gate (陽明門), the gate to the main shrine building of Toshogu, is the most famous structure of the shrine and is a National Treasure.

Toshogu Shrine (東照宮), a 15-min. walk from Shinkyo Bus

Stop, was completed in its present splendor in 1636 for dedication to the founder of the Tokugawa Shogunate. Most of the shrine buildings and many parts are designated as National Treasures or Important Cultural Properties.

Taiuinbyo (大猷院廟), a 7-min. walk from Toshogu Shrine, is the mausoleum of the third Shogun Tokugawa Iemitsu. Admission: ¥550.

Rinnoji Temple (輪王寺) is located at Omotesando (the main

approach to the shrine) on the way from Shinkyo Bridge.

Open: 8:00-17:00 (Apr.-Oct., enter by 16:30), 8:00-16:00 (Nov.-Mar., enter by 15:30).

Admission Fees in the Toshogu Shrine Area:

Toshogu Shrine		Rinnoji Temple		Futarasan Shrine		
Toshogu Ticket		¥1,300	Rinnoji Ticket		¥200	
	Sleeping cat, Tomb of Ieyasu	¥520		Taiuin*	¥550	Shinen
	except above*			Sambutudo*	¥400	
Treasure Museum	¥500	Treasure Museum	¥300	except above*		
Museum	¥800					

* 2 shrines and 1 temple visitor's pass is available these zone. Admission fee ¥1,000.

LAKE CHUZENJI AREA

Lake Chuzenji (中禪寺湖) is especially beautiful in early May for its cherry blossoms and in Oct. for its brilliant crimson foliage. Regular boat service on the lake connects Fune-no-eki Pier (5-min. walk from Chuzenji Onsen Bus Stop) with Shobugahama in 20 min. The service is suspended from Dec. through Mar.

Chuzenji Onsen (中禪寺温泉), on the northeastern shore of the lake, is the center of the Lake Chuzenji area. There are many souvenir shops, restaurants and Japanese-style inns with hot spring baths.

Kegon Falls (華嚴ノ滝), a 5-min. walk from Chuzenji Onsen Bus Stop, is one of the most famous waterfalls in all Japan. You can get close to the base of the waterfall by elevator (¥530).

Futarasan Shrine Chugushi (二荒山神社中宮祠), a 15-min. walk from Chuzenji Onsen Bus Stop, was founded in 784. Some shrine buildings are Important Cultural Properties. A trail to the top of Mt. Nantai begins here. Admission: ¥300.

Chuzenji Temple (中禪寺) or **Tachiki Kannon** (立木観音), a 15 – 20-min. walk from Chuzenji Onsen Bus Stop, houses the famous statue of the One-Thousand-Armed Goddess. Admission: ¥500.

Akechidaira (明智平), 45 min. by bus from Nikko sta., then 3 min. by aerial ropeway, is an observatory which commands a magnificent view.

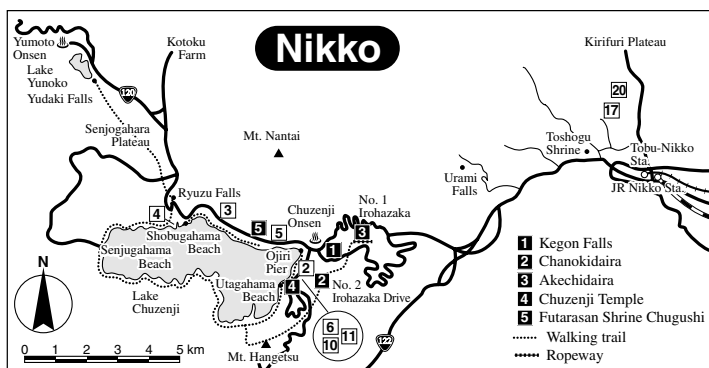
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Mt. Nantai (男体山), alt. 2,486 m, is open to climbers from May 5 until Oct. 25. 3 – 4-hr. climb.

Yumoto Onsen (湯元温泉), 1 hr. 20 – 30 min. from Nikko Sta. or 30–40 min. from Chuzenji Onsen by bus, lies 1,478 m above sea level and is surrounded by mountains on all sides except on the south where it is open to Lake Yunoko. There are many luxurious Japanese-style inns.

Lake Yunoko (湯ノ湖) is good for fishing, boating and walking. Yudaki Falls is on the southern end; you can walk down to the basin.

Senjogahara Plateau (戦場ヶ原), extending between Lake Chuzenji and Lake Yunoko, is a vast marshy plateau and is a good place for hiking.



OTHER PLACES OF INTEREST IN AND AROUND NIKKO


Nikko Botanical Garden (日光植物園), close to Hanaishicho Bus Stop which is 10 min. by bus from Nikko Sta., contains about 2,200 varieties of plants, including many Nikko alpine flora. Open: 9:00–16:30 (enter by 16:00). Closed: Dec. 1–Apr. 14 & Mon. Admission: ¥330.

Tobu World Square (東武ワールドスクウェア), 5 min. by bus from Kinugawa Onsen Sta. on the Tobu Kinugawa Line, preserves 1/25 replicas of famous and historic architectural structures from all over the world. The park covers an area of 87,367 sq. meters and is divided into the zones of Modern Japan, America, Egypt, Europe, Asia and Japan (traditional). Open daily 9:00-17:00 (Mar. 20-Nov. 10, enter by 16:00), 9:00-16:00 (Nov. 11-Mar. 19, enter by 15:00). Admission: ¥2,500. For more information: http://www.tobuws.co.jp/default_en.html

Edo Wonderland (日光江戸村) is an amusement park which reproduces Edo Period culture and life through a variety of attractions and performances. Ninja Karakurikando (Ninja Maze) and a variety of Gekijo Theaters. Open: 9:00–17:00 (Mar. 20–Nov. 30), 9:30–16:00 (Dec. 1–Mar. 19). Closed: Wed. & Jan. 25–Feb. 7. Access: Get off at Kinugawa Onsen Sta. A bus is

operated between the station and Edo Wonderland. For the bus schedule, call the Office of Edo Wonderland at (0120)44-8999 (in Japanese), (Toll Free).









Kinugawa Onsen (鬼怒川温泉) is a popular hot spring resort with many large-capacity, multi-storied Ryokan. Minshuku are also available. Trips on Kinu River by man-oared boat are operated from mid-Apr. through late Nov. A nice nature trail is laid out in Ryuokyo Gorge, 10 min. by bus from Kinugawa Onsen Sta.



Goodwill Guide Groups offer tourists from overseas local tours guided in English or other languages. The guides are registered with JNTO and display the badge shown. As they are volunteers, there is no charge for their service. You are only expected to pay for their transportation, admission to tourist facilities if you visit any and their meals if you eat with them.

JNTO Website
www.jnto.go.jp/eng/arrange/essential/guideservice.html

Accommodations:

Name of Facilities	Tel.	Fax.	Room Rate (¥)
1 Nikko Kanaya Hotel (H)	(0288)54-0001	(0288)53-2487	¥¥¥
2 Nikko Lakeside Hotel (H)	(0288)55-0321	(0288)55-0771	¥¥¥
3 Chuzenji Kanaya Hotel (H)	(0288)51-0001	(0288)51-0011	¥¥¥
4 Nikko Prince Hotel (H)	(0288)55-1111	(0288)55-0669	¥¥¥
5 Kazushige (M)	(0288)55-0163	(0288)55-0163	¥
6 Shirakaba (M)	(0288)55-0142	(0288)55-0145	¥
7 Narusawa Lodge (M) 	(0288)54-1630	(0288)54-1630	¥
8 Nikko Kisuge-so (M)	(0288)54-1208	(0288)54-1208	¥
9 Rindou-no-ie (M) 	(0288)53-0131	(0288)53-0131	¥
10 Okajin (M)	(0288)55-0410	(0288)55-0717	¥
11 Miharashi (M)	(0288)55-0103	(0288)55-0029	¥
12 Turtle Inn Nikko (P) 	(0288)53-3168	(0288)53-3883	¥
13 Humpty Dumpty (P)	(0288)53-4365	(0288)53-4365	¥
14 Nikko Park Lodge (P) 	(0288)53-1201	(0288)53-4332	¥
15 Nikko Daiyagawa Youth Hostel (Y)	(0288)54-1974	(0288)54-1974	¥
16 Nikko Koryu Sokushin Center 	(0288)54-1013	(0288)50-1030	¥
17 Ogurayama Sanso (PE)	(0288)54-2487	(0288)53-1060	¥
18 Logette Sainbois (P) 	(0288)53-0082	(0288)53-5212	¥¥
19 Gast-Hof Mokuba (P) 	(0288)54-0271	(0288)54-0273	¥
20 Forest Inn Nikko Teddy Bear House (P)	(0288)54-0234	(0288)54-0237	¥
21 Hotel Natural Garden Nikko (H)	(0288)50-3070	(0288)54-1210	¥¥
22 Annex Turtle Hotori-an (R) 	(0288)53-3663	(0288)53-3883	¥
23 Nikko Green Hotel (R)	(0288)54-1756	(0288)54-1144	¥¥

Remarks:

1 - 23 correspond to those on the maps on pages 2/4 & 3/4.

H = Hotel

R = Ryokan

M = Minshuku (family-run inn)

Y = Youth Hostel

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Rate for a twin room.

Rate per person.

Rate per person.

Rate per person.

more than 15,000 yen

8,001 yen - 15,000 yen

8,000 yen or less

P = Pension

PE = People's Lodge

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Tobu Sightseeing Service Center:

Asakusa Station, 1-4-16, Hanakawado, Taito-ku, Tokyo.

Open:8:00-14:30

Tel. (03)3841-2871

Tobu Nikko Station Information Center:

Tobu-Nikko Station, 4-3, Matsubara-cho, Nikko City, Tochigi Pref.

Open:8:30-17:00

Tel. (0288)53-4511

Nikko Information Center:

591, Goko-machi, Nikko City, Tochigi Pref. Tel. (0288)53-3795

Open:9:00-17:00

Turtle Inn Nikko:

2-16, Takumi-Cho, Nikko City, Tochigi Pref.

Open:9:00-21:00

Tel. (0288)53-3168

Kinugawa/Kawaji-onsen Tourist Information Center:

1404-1, Ohara, Kinugawa-onsen, Nikko City, Tochigi Pref.

Open:8:30-18:00

Tel. (0288)77-2052

Utsunomiya Information Office:

1-23, Kawamuko, Utsunomiya City, Tochigi Pref.

Tel. (028)636-2177

Open:8:30-20:00. Closed: Dec. 29-Jan.3.

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