





By JR Train

JR Osaka Station	Limited Exp. Konotoroi (about 2:40)
JR Sannomiya Station (Kobe)	Limited Exp. Hamakaze (about 2:30) — JR Kinosaki
JR Kyoto Station	Limited Exp. Kinosaki (about 2:30) ——— Station
JR Himeji Station	Limited ExpHamakaze (about 2:00)

JR Train Access

Kinosaki Onsen station is easily accessed by JR trains from all of the major train stations in the Kansai Area of Western Japan. Holders of the <u>JR rail pass</u> or <u>Kansai Wide Area pass</u> can access Kinosaki Onsen on JR lines for free.

Access from Kyoto / Osaka / Kobe / Himeji

The fastest and easiest way to access Kinosaki Onsen is by limited express train. Many limited express trains go directly to Kinosaki Onsen with no transfer needed. Check the table above for suggested trains. Limited express train time schedules are available here and you can also search for train times/routes on Hyperdia. Check-in time for Nishimuraya Honkan is 2:00 pm.

Access from Kansai International Airport (KIX)

From Kansai International Airport, take a train or bus to Osaka, Shin-Osaka, Kyoto, or Kobe (Sannomiya Station) and transfer to limited express train for Kinosaki Onsen.

Access from Tokyo

Take a bullet train (shinkansen) to Kyoto or Shin Osaka and transfer to a limited express train for Kinosaki Onsen. Please note that rail passes cannot be used on the fastest Nozomi bullet trains (use the Hikari bullet train, instead). It takes about 5:30 from Tokyo to Kinosaki Onsen.

Access from Hiroshima / Okayama / Kyushu

If you are coming to Kinosaki from the direction of Hiroshima / Okayama / Kyushu, take a bullet train (shinkansen) to a major city like Himeji, Kobe (Sannomiya), or Osaka and change to a limited express train for Kinosaki Onsen.

How do I get tickets for limited express trains?

Tickets can be bought from special limited express ticket machines or ticket offices located at any major JR station. If you have a valid rail pass, go to a ticket office and show your pass to get a ticket.

▶JR Rail Pass	
▶Kansai Wide Area Pass	
▶Hyperdia (train times)	
▶Japan Guide (how to ride the train)	



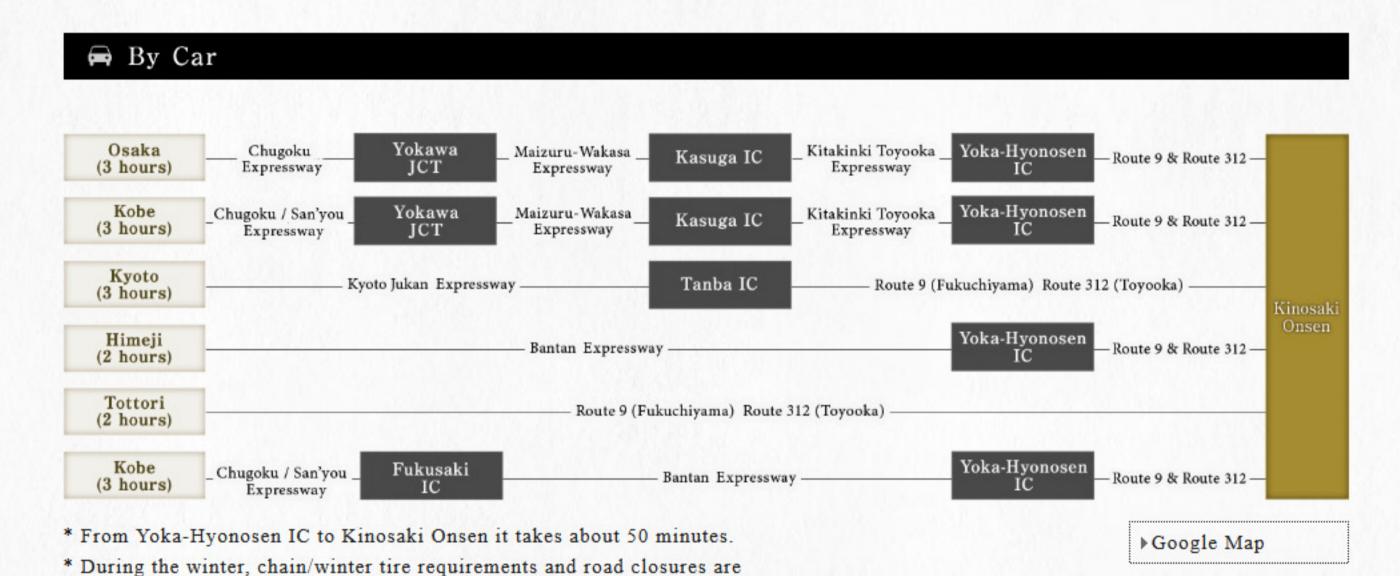


Free Bus to Nishimuraya Honkan

The Ryokan and Hotel Association in Kinosaki Onsen operates a free bus service that takes guests from JR Kinosaki Onsen Station to each ryokan in Kinosaki. The bus departures are schedule to coincide with the arrival of limited express trains to Kinosaki. When you make your reservation (by the reservation comments or contact us later) tell us your estimated arrival time in Kinosaki Onsen and we will reserve a seat for you on the bus. When you arrive in Kinosaki, just tell the staff of the bus waiting at the rotary in front of Kinosaki Onsen station, "Nishimuraya Honkan" and they will take you to our ryokan.

Walking to Nishimuraya Honkan

It takes approximately 15 minutes on foot from Kinosaki Onsen Station to Nishimuraya Honkan. You can check in your baggage at the Ryokan & Hotel Information Counter, located across the . If you check in your baggage, tell the Center staff your name and the name of our inn (Nishimuraya Honkan). The checked-in baggage will be picked up by our staff, who will bring it to our ryokan for you later. There is a charge of 50 yen per bag, collected by the Information Counter.



* Always check road conditions before departing.

Airport. During the winter, especially, flights can be

flight conditions before departure.

delayed or cancelled due to weather conditions. Check

sometimes enforced.

* We provide complimentary valet parking service at Nishimuraya Honkan

