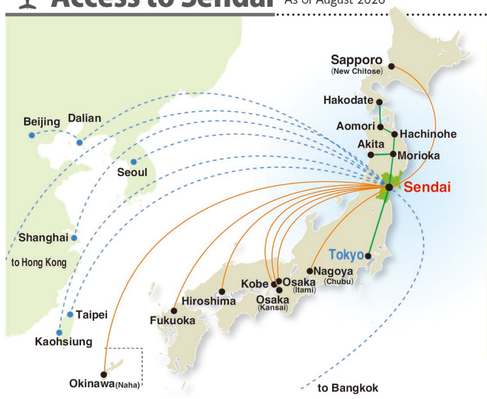
Access to Sendai *As of August 2026



Air Routes
(Shortest required time)

*Some flights have been suspended.

International flights		Domestic flights	
Seoul (Incheon)	2 hrs. 10 min.	1 hr. 10 min.	Sapporo (New Chitose)
Dalian	2 hrs. 35 min.	1 hr. 10 min.	Nagoya (Chubu)
Beijing *Via Dalian	5 hrs. 10 min.	1 hr. 20 min.	Osaka (Itami)
Shanghai (Pudong)	3 hrs. 5 min.	1 hr. 40 min.	Osaka (Kansai)
Taipei (Taoyuan)	3 hrs. 25 min.	1 hr. 25 min.	Kobe
Kaohsiung	3 hrs. 45 min.	1 hr. 30 min.	Hiroshima
Hong Kong	4 hrs. 35 min.	2 hr. 5 min.	Fukuoka
Bangkok	6 hrs. 15min.	2 hrs. 50 min.	Okinawa (Naha)

Sendai Airport

Shinkansen
(Shortest required time)

JR Sendai Sta.

1 hr. 30 min.	Tokyo
1 hr. 30 min.	Shin-Aomori
2 hrs. 40 min.	Shin-Hakodate-Hokuto

Sendai Airport Access Line : 25 min. (by rapid train)

Sendai Airport Official Website

Sendai Airport Access Line Timetable

Information about taxis in Sendai

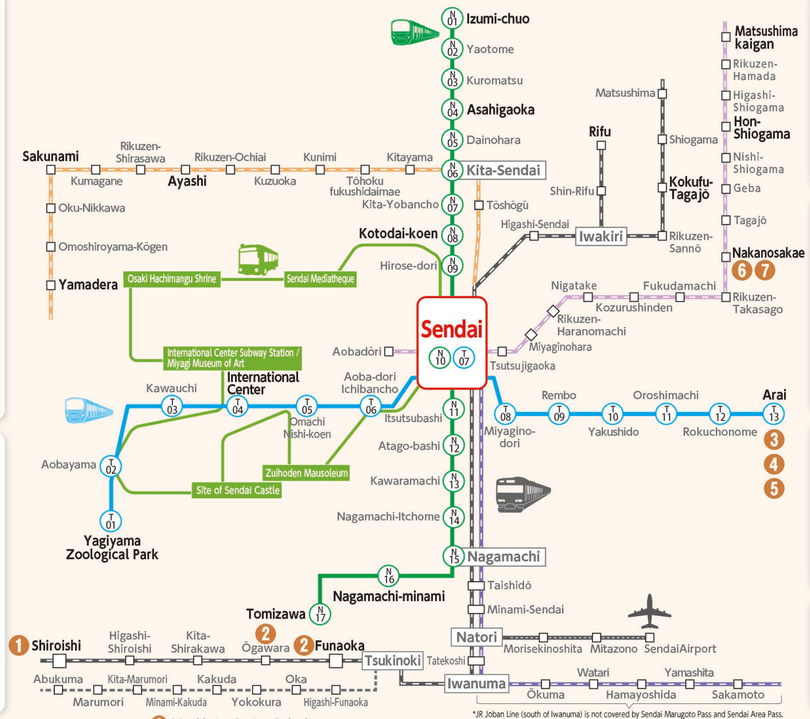
Route map with main sightseeing spots in and around Sendai

Sendai Subway Namboku Line

- **Izumi-chuo Sta.**
  - ICE RINK SENDAI
  - Yurtec Stadium Sendai
  - Sendai Bank Hall Izumity 21
  - Sendai-Izumi Premium Outlets
- **Asahigaoka Sta.**
  - Hitachi Systems Hall Sendai
  - HOKUSHU Sendai Science Museum
- **Kita-Sendai Sta.**
  - Kitayama Gozan (5 temples in Kitayama)
  - Rinnoji Temple
  - Aoba Shrine
  - Motoyama Eng. Works Aoba Arena (Aoba Gymnasium)
- **Kotodai-koen Sta.**
  - Jozenji-dori Ave.
  - Sendai Mediatheque
  - Tokyo Electron Hall Miyagi
  - TOHKnet Hall Sendai (Sendai Civic Auditorium)
- **Nagamachi Sta.**
  - Xebio Arena Sendai
  - Sendai PIT
- **Nagamachi-minami Sta.**
  - Sendai City Tomizawa Site Museum *Closed for renovation work from August 31, 2026 to the end of March 2029 (Scheduled)
- **Tomizawa Sta.**
  - Kamei Arena Sendai (Sendai City Gymnasium) *Closed for renovation until March 2027

Sendai Subway Tozai Line

- **Yagiyama Zoological Park Sta.**
  - Yagiyama Zoological Park Fujisaki no Mori
  - Yagiyama Beny Land
- **International Center Sta.**
  - Sendai Ryokusaikan
  - Sendai International Center
  - Sendai City Museum
  - Miyagi Museum of Art *Reopened on June 20, 2026
  - Tohoku University Kawauchi Hagi Hall
  - Figure Skating Monument
- **Arai Sta.**
  - Sendai Agriculture &Horticulture Center
  - Sendai 3/11 Memorial Community Center
  - Ruins of the Great East Japan Earthquake: Sendai Arahama Elementary School
  - JR Fruit Park Sendai Arahama
  - AQUAIGNIS SENDAI



JR Senseki Line

- **Nakanosakae Sta.**
  - MITSUI OUTLET PARK SENDAI PORT
  - Sendai Umino-Mori Aquarium
  - Kirin Brewery Sendai
- **Hon-Shiogama Sta.**
  - Shiogama Shrine
  - Marine Gate Shiogama (Matsushima Sightseeing Boat)
- **Matsushimakaigan Sta.**
  - Zuiganji Temple
  - Entsuin Temple
  - Matsushima Sightseeing Boat

JR Tōhoku Line

- **Shiroishi Sta.**
  - Shiroishi Castle
  - Miyagi Zao Fox Village
- **Funaoka Sta.**
  - Hitome Senbon Zakura (One Thousand Cherry Blossom Trees) *JR Ōgawara Station is also nearby
  - Funaoka Castle Site Park
- **Kokufu-Tagajō Sta.**
  - Remains of Tagajo Castle
  - Tohoku History Museum
- **Rifu Sta.**
  - Grande 21
  - Q&A Stadium Miyagi
  - Sekisui Heim Super Arena

JR Senzan Line

- **Ayashi Sta.**
  - Sendai Astronomical Observatory
  - Sendai Akiu Onsen (hot springs)
  - Jogi Nyorai Saihoji Temple
- **Sakunami Sta.**
  - Sendai Sakunami Onsen (hot springs)
  - The 48 Waterfalls of Homei
  - Nikka Whisky Sendai Miyagikyo Distillery
- **Loople Sendai**
- **Yamadera Sta.**
  - Yamadera (Risshakuji Temple)

JR Tōhoku Line
JR Senseki Line
JR Senzan Line
JR Jōban Line
Subway Tozai Line
Subway Namboku Line
Loople Sendai
Sendai Airport Access Line
Abukuma Express Line

*JR Joban Line (south of Iwanuma) is not covered by Sendai Marugoto Pass and Sendai Area Pass.

1 Miyagi Zao Fox Village
Meet over 100 foxes
Approx. 25 min by taxi from Shiroishi Station on the JR Tōhoku Line

2 Hitome Senbon Zakura (Apr.)
One of the top 100 cherry blossom spots
A short walk from Funaoka Station or Ōgawara Station on the JR Tōhoku Line

3 Ruins of the Great East Japan Earthquake: Sendai Arahama Elementary School
Learn about disaster preparedness and reduction
Approx. 15 min by bus from Arai Station on the Subway Tozai Line

4 JR Fruit Park Sendai Arahama
Pick fruit all year round!
Approx. 15 min by bus from Arai Station on the Subway Tozai Line

5 AQUAIGNIS SENDAI
Heal, Eat, and Cultivate Complex
Approx. 20 min by bus from Arai Station on the Subway Tozai Line

6 Sendai Umino-Mori Aquarium
Exhibition of approximately 50,000 animals from about 300 species!
Approx. a 15 min walk or a 7 min bus ride from Nakanosakae Station on the JR Senseki Line

7 MITSUI OUTLET PARK SENDAI PORT
Enjoy shopping♪
Approx. an 8 min walk from Nakanosakae Station on the JR Senseki Line

TICKET Travelling in and around Sendai on a budget? Check these out!

*This bus fare is as of August 2026. Subject to change.

Unlimited use passes for the areas shown above (except for the JR Joban Line)!

The following passes offer unlimited rides on JR lines between Sendai, Matsushima, Matsushimakaigan, Yamadera, and Shiroishi Stations; Sendai Airport Access Line; Loople Sendai buses; all Sendai City buses(Excluding the Rakuten Shuttle Bus); both Sendai Subway Lines; Miyagi Kotsu Bus between Sendai and Akiu Otaki route only; and the Abukuma Express Line between Tsukinoki and Abukuma Stations.

For further details:

◉One-Day Pass–"SENDAI AREA PASS" Adults: ¥1,420 Children: ¥720

○Where to purchase: JR EAST Travel Service Center-Sendai Station (Inside JR Sendai Station; Business hours: 8:30am-7:00pm)
★You can receive discounts and benefits from some of the facilities in Sendai only on the day you use your pass.

SENDAI AREA PASS

◉Two-Day Pass– "THE SENDAI MARUGOTO PASS" Adults: ¥2,930 Children: ¥1,470

○Where to purchase: JR EAST Travel Service Center-Sendai Station, JR Sendai Station(reserved seat ticket machines, Midori-no-Madoguchi ticket office), ticket machines at Sendai Airport, Midori-no-Madoguchi ticket office at JR stations in the free boarding/alighting zone.
★With the attached coupon you can get special discounts, services or gifts at restaurants and tourist attractions in the area!

THE SENDAI MARUGOTO PASS

Special tickets offering great access to all over Tohoku!

For sightseeing by highway bus! ◉TOHOKU HIGHWAY BUS TICKET

Digital pass for unlimited highway buses and select local buses across all six Tohoku prefectures!

For further details:

Area / Valid period	Northern Tohoku+ Miyagi Ticket	Southern Tohoku Ticket	All Tohoku Ticket
2 days	¥9,000	¥7,000	¥11,000
3 days	¥11,000	¥9,000	¥14,000

Enjoy sightseeing by rental car! ◉Tohoku Expressway Pass

The Tohoku Expressway Pass is a special service that allows unlimited useof Tohoku expressways through the ETC system at a flat rate!

For further details:

Sample Prices	Consecutive days	4 days	5days	6 days	7 days	8 days
	Price	¥8,500	¥10,600	¥12,800	¥14,900	¥17,000

Model Courses

Loople Sendai Bus / Bus / Car / JR Tōhoku Shinkansen / JR Line / Walk

Sightseeing spots associated with DATE Masamune on the Loople Sendai bus — Half-day

JR Sendai Station
↓ 13 min. ride. Get off at "Zuihoden Mausoleum"

Zuihoden Mausoleum (Estimated time required: 40 min.)
↓ 5 min. ride. Get off at "Sendai City Museum / Sendai International Center/Sendai Ryokusankan Visitor Center"

Sendai City Museum (Estimated time required: 60 min.)
↓ 5 min. ride. Get off at "Site of Sendai Castle"

Site of Sendai Castle (Estimated time required: 40 min.)
↓ 20 min. ride. Get off at "Osaki Hachimangu Shrine"

Osaki Hachimangu Shrine (Estimated time required: 20 min.)
↓ 24 min. ride

JR Sendai Station


Site of Sendai Castle


Osaki Hachimangu Shrine
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Make the most of the nature in and around Sendai by rental car — One-day

JR Sendai Station
↓ 60 min. by car



Jogi Nyorai Saihoji Temple (Estimated time required: 60 min.)
↓ 20 min. by car



Homei Shiju Hattaki Falls (Estimated time required: 15 min.)
↓ 5 min. by car



Nikka Whisky Sendai Miyagikyo Distillery (Estimated time required: 80 min.)
↓ 60 min. by car
Learn about the whisky-manufacturing process!

Yamadera (Risshakuji Temple) (Estimated time required: 120 min.)
↓ 60 min. by car
Climb 1015 steps for a superb view!

Stay at Sendai Sakunami Onsen



Sendai Sakunami Onsen

Experience the wonder and history of Tohoku — One-day

JR Sendai Station
30 min. ride + 7 min. ride + 10 min.
Get off at Ichinoseki Station on the JR Tōhoku Shinkansen Line
Get off at Hiraizumi Station on the JR Tōhoku Line

Motsuji Temple (Estimated time required: 60 min.)
7 min. ride: Hiraizumi Town cyclic bus*
*The bus operates on limited days. Please check beforehand.

Chusonji Temple (Estimated time required: 90 min.)
10 min. ride + 7 min. ride + 30 min. ride
Get off at Hiraizumi Ekimae stop on the Hiraizumi Town cyclic bus* route
Get off at Ichinoseki Station on the JR Tōhoku Line
JR Tōhoku Shinkansen Line

JR Sendai Station
40min. ride + 6min.
Get off at Matsushimakaigan Station on the JR Senseki Line

Matsushima Yuransen pleasure boats (Estimated time required: 50 min.)
↓ 5 min. walk

Zuiganji Temple and Entsuin Temple (Estimated time required: 90 min.)
↓ 10 min. walk

Stay at Matsushima Onsen


Motsuji Temple


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Miyagi Prefecture and Surrounding Area Map

[Access from Sendai Station]

1. JR Sendai Sta.—JR Ichinoseki Sta. (JR Tohoku Shinkansen (50 min.)) / JR Tohoku Line (7 min.)—JR Hiraizumi Sta.
2. JR Sendai Sta.—JR Furukawa Sta. (JR Tohoku Shinkansen (15 min.) / JR Rikuu-East Line (50 min.))—JR Naruko Onsen Sta.
3. JR Sendai Sta.—JR Sakunami Sta. (JR Senzan Line (40 min. by rapid train))—"Sakunami Onsen Motoyu" bus stop (Sendai City Bus (70 min.))
4. JR Sendai Sta.—"Akiu Sato Center" bus stop (Takeya Kotsu Bus (approx. 40 min.) / Miyagi Kotsu Bus (55 min.) (40 min.by rapid train)) *There is only one rapid bus per day on Saturday, Sunday, and national holidays.
5. JR Sendai Sta.—"Sendai Daikannon-mae" bus stop (Sendai City Bus (35 min.))
6. JR Sendai Sta.—JR Matsushimakaigan Sta. (JR Senseki Line (40 min.))
7. JR Sendai Sta.—JR Ishinomaki Sta.—Tashirojima I. (JR Senseki Line (50 min. by rapid train) / walk (17 min.) / Ferry (45 min.))
8. JR Sendai Sta.—JR Yamagata Sta.—"Zao Onsen" bus stop (Yamagata Zao) (JR Senzan Line (95 min. by rapid train) / Yamabus (40 min.))
9. JR Sendai Sta.—"Togatta Onsen" bus stop (Miyagi Zao) (Miyagi Transportation Highway Bus (60 min.))
10. JR Sendai Sta.—JR Yamadera Sta. (JR Senzan Line(9 min. / 80 min. by rapid train))

