

Arima Onsen

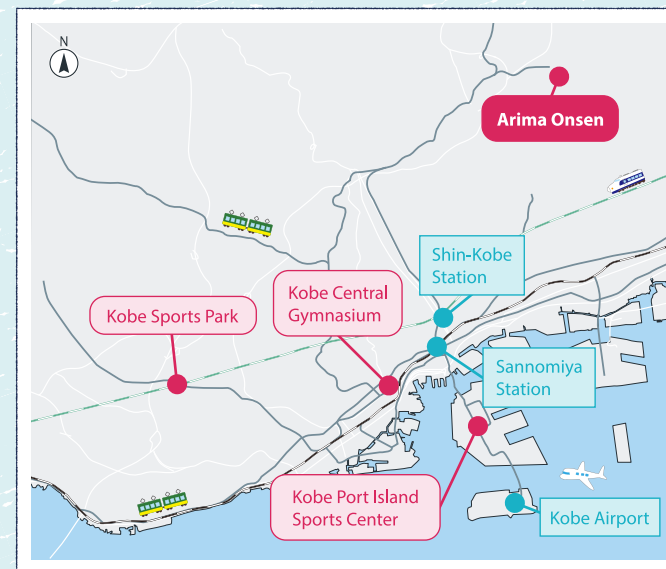
Regarding Arima Onsen



Arima Onsen, Japan's most famous hot spring town, is located 400m above sea level. It is the oldest Onsen (hot spring) town in Japan, founded 1300 years ago and chosen as one of the three best hot springs in Japan due to its quality. It is located just 30 minutes away from downtown by train or car. You can enjoy the traditional character of Japan by exploring old buildings and having a classic Japanese course dinner. There are several hot spring sources, beautiful temples and shrines as well. You can enjoy two kinds of spring waters: Kinsen (golden hot spring) and Ginsen (silver hot spring). Kinsen is a golden brown color water loaded with salts and iron (the highest salt concentration in Japan), and possesses excellent moisturizing and warming effects. Ginsen (silver hot spring) can be further classified into two types. One is a carbonate spring which helps circulation, while the other is a radioactive spring which contains the rare metal radon. According to Onsen analysis done by the Ministry of the Environment of Japan, Arima Onsen has seven out of 9 natural components recognized for Onsen restorative effects. This makes it one of the very few Onsen in the world to feature such an abundance of these elements.



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Accessibility for people with disabilities



Arima Onsen Area is situated near mountains, so you need to go through steep slopes to access accommodation and the hot springs there. If you use a manual wheelchair or a simplified electric wheelchair, it is recommended that you take someone for assistance. People using an electric-powered wheelchair will not need assistance. You can take a wheelchair-accessible taxi and get on and off at the Arima Onsen Station or other places. Arima Onsen Station and other facilities including hot springs have wheelchair-accessible restrooms.



Wheelchair Accessible Restroom



Wheelchair Accessible Elevator

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Direction from Sannomiya



Access

From Sannomiya Station, take the Kobe Municipal Subway Seishin-Yamate Line and get off at Tanigami Station. Transfer to Kobe Electric Railway and get off at Arimaguchi Station. Then transfer to Kobe Electric Railway Arima line and get off at Arima Onsen Station.

Getting Assistance at the Station

If you need assistance, go to the station staff member at the ticket gate (reservation not needed). Mention your destination or any request that you may have. On the train, you will find an area for wheelchair users. When you transfer at Tanigami Station, you do not need to transfer to another platform.

Accessible Facilities at the Station

Sannomiya Station and Arima Onsen Station have wheelchair-accessible restrooms, elevators, and ramps.

How to Obtain Discount Tickets

To get a discount, show your disability certificate to the station staff. Check the website for more details.

Regarding Transfers at Arimaguchi Station

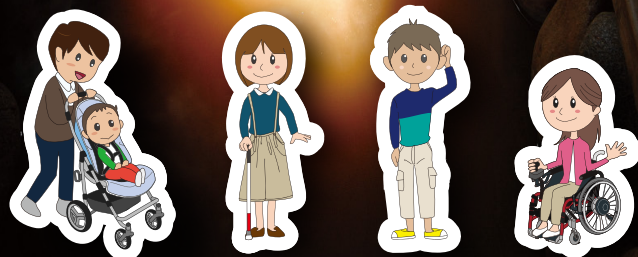
In order to go to Sanda Station from Shinkaichi Station, you need to move to the other platform. For a wheelchair user, a portable wheelchair ramp is provided, though it is steep. If you find the transition difficult, you can instead transfer by using an elevator at Okaba Station which is two stations away from Arimaguchi Station and go back to the opposite platform of Arimaguchi Station. If you need to go toward Shinkaichi from Sando Station, the train arrives on the same platform as those going to Arima Onsen



Portable Wheelchair Ramp



Portable Ramp for Steep Stairs







- Wheelchair Ramp
- Wheelchair Accessible Elevator
- Wheelchair Accessible Hotel
- Wheelchair Accessible Restroom
- Wheelchair Parking Lot
- Wheelchair Accessible Restaurant

Wheelchair Accessible Route




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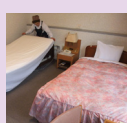


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