West of the Prefecture **Hakone Town** 1780

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Why not try your hand at a Japanese cultural experience?

# Hakone Sekisho Tabimonogatari Kan (Japanese Cultural Experience)



**Explanation of Tourist Attraction**  We used to provide a simple costume rental service so that overseas visitors to Hakone could enjoy dressing up like ninjas and Edo-period magistrates, and we opened a facility in July 2017 in which visitors can experience Japanese culture through the history and natural environment of Hakone. The kimono-dressing experience enables visitors to choose the colors and patterns they prefer from around forty different kimonos and then take a stroll around Hakone Sekisho, Hakone Shrine and other famous and sites and ruins located near Lake Ashinoko. The matcha experience enables visitors to taste matcha green tea that they have brewed themselves, together with Japanese sweets.

#### selling point

A kimono-dressing experience and matcha experience are also available for overseas visitors.

Address	10 Hakone, Hakone-machi, Ashigara-shimo-gun, Kanagawa
Opening Hours	8:45 am to 5:00 pm (Cultural experience up until 4:00 pm)
Availability of Parking	Passenger Cars: 39 vehicles. Free of charge on weekdays / Fee charged on weekends and national holidays (Parking fees differ depending on the season. Parking fees will also be charged for all vehicles during congested periods.), Parking available for 12 coaches
URL	http://www.izuhakone.co.jp/sekisho-tabimonogatari/

Recommended Season

All year

Group/Individual Mark





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**Target Regions** 

Europe, North America, Oceania, Asia







### Access

Access by Car:

- · 28km from the Gotenba I.C., Tomei Expressway (50 minutes under normal conditions)
- · 26km from the Numazu I.C., Tomei Expressway (35 minutes under normal conditions)
- Access by Train:
- · 60 minutes on the Izu Hakone Bus from Odawara Station on the Tokaido Shinkansen Line
- 60 minutes on the Izu Hakone Bus from Atami Station

### Specific Model Route Details Individual

JR Line [Odawara Station] === Hakone Sekisho-ato Port === Hakone Ashinoko (Lake Ashi) Boat Cruise (40 minutes) === "Hakone Sekisho Tabimonogatari Kan" Japanese culture experience (90 minutes) ··· Hakone Sekisho (40 minutes) === Hakone Shrine (20 minutes) Moto Hakone Port === JR Line [Odawara Station]

Start

Odawara Station (JR Line)

Goal

Odawara Station (JR Line)

Time Required

5 hours

Nearby Sightseeing Spot

# Ashinoko (Lake Ashi) Boat Cruise



Commenced service in 1961 as Japan's first catamaran pleasure boat. A definitive pleasure boat ride providing enjoyable views from the surface of the lake.

## Hakone Komagatake Ropeway



A ride from Hakone to the summit of Mt. Komagatake at celestial power spot. An aerial Mt. Fuji appear across the lake.