

Kanagawa Western Area

Mt. Fuji Viewing Tour



Plum Blossom Grove and Mt. Fuji

■ Sagabesshiya, Odawara City

Tips for taking photos

Add stunning field depth to your Mt. Fuji photos with plum blossoms in the foreground.



"Soga Plum Grove" is comprised of 35,000 plum trees. Plum blossoms there bloom in Feb. against the backdrop of Mt. Fuji and Mt. Hakone.



Kozu & Soga Hills Walking Course

■ Kozu, Odawara City

Tips for taking photos

Soga Plum Grove is a photo spot on a clear day when plum blossoms are in full bloom.



The course continues along the ridge line to the Village of Soga. It offers splendid views of Sagami Bay, Mt. Fuji and Ashigara Plain.



Matsuda Cherry Blossom Festival

■ Nishitake Park, Matsudamachi, Matsudamachi

Tips for taking photos

Best on clear days when the "Kawazu-zakura," early cherry blossoms are in full bloom.



The Festival is held from early Feb. to early Mar., featuring Kawazu-zakura in full bloom. The sight of Mt. Fuji peeking out among the cherry blossoms creates a beautiful scene.



Mt. Fuji from Farming Village Park

■ Yamada, Otsu-machi

Tips for taking photos

We recommend you visiting there from the mid-Feb. to early Mar. when the early cherry blossoms are in full bloom.

From mid-Feb. to early Mar., approx. 170 early-blooming cherry trees burst into full bloom at Yume no Sato, offering panoramic views of the blossoms, Mt. Fuji, and the Ashigara Plains.



The View of Mt. Fuji from Nishihirahatake Park

Motobasaya, Matsuda-machi

You can see the view of Mt. Fuji and Sagami Bay from observatory deck. Also, Odawara Castle's keep and Izu Oshima Island can be seen on clear days.



The View of Mt. Fuji from Kayama

Kayama, Odawara City

Enjoy spectacular view of Mt. Fuji as you stroll along the Sakawa River and visit historic Zen-ji Temple and Sontoku Ninomiya Memorial Museum.



Mt. Fuji from Nakai Chuo Park and the Vicinity

Hindobe, Nakai-machi



Tips for taking photos

Picture of Mt. Fuji can be taken with the monument from the Heart Hill.

Located just off the expressway, Nakai Chuo Park is easy access from Tokyo. The park features slides and various play equipment, making it enjoyable for children.



Hydrangea Village

Kanashima, Kaisei-machi

The village features hydrangeas. During the blooming season, photos can be taken with Mt. Fuji in the background.



"Diamond Fuji" from Sakawa Riverside

Motobasaya, Matsuda-machi



Tips for taking photos

Around April 1 and Sept. 11, you have a chance to capture a "Diamond Fuji," the phenomenon that the setting sun aligns with the summit of Mt. Fuji.

While it is a short period of time, the banks of the Sakawa River are the perfect places to see a "Diamond Fuji."



Mt. Fuji from Historic Saimyoji Park

Matsudashoji, Matsuda-machi



Tips for taking photos

Take photos from the Midori-no-Kaze Observation Deck, just beyond the Historic Saimyoji Park.

Mt. Fuji is visible while you walk along "Midori-no-Kaze Nature Hiking Course".



Mt. Fuji from the Manazuru Peninsula

Aerial view of Mt. Fuji beyond the Manazuru Peninsula.



Anest Iwata Turnpike Hakone Sky Lounge

Kaiya, Yugawara-machi

Come and rest your travel-weary bones with tasty cuisine and breathtaking views of Mt. Fuji.



Tanzawako Chiyosawa Park Observation Deck

Kikagawa, Yamakita-machi



The view is selected as one of the 100 Best Views of Mt. Fuji in the Kanto Region. You can enjoy the view of Lake Tanzawa alongside seasonal views of Mt. Fuji from the observation deck.



Access to Kanagawa Western Area



From Tokyo



From Tokyo



Hakone Kintaro Line

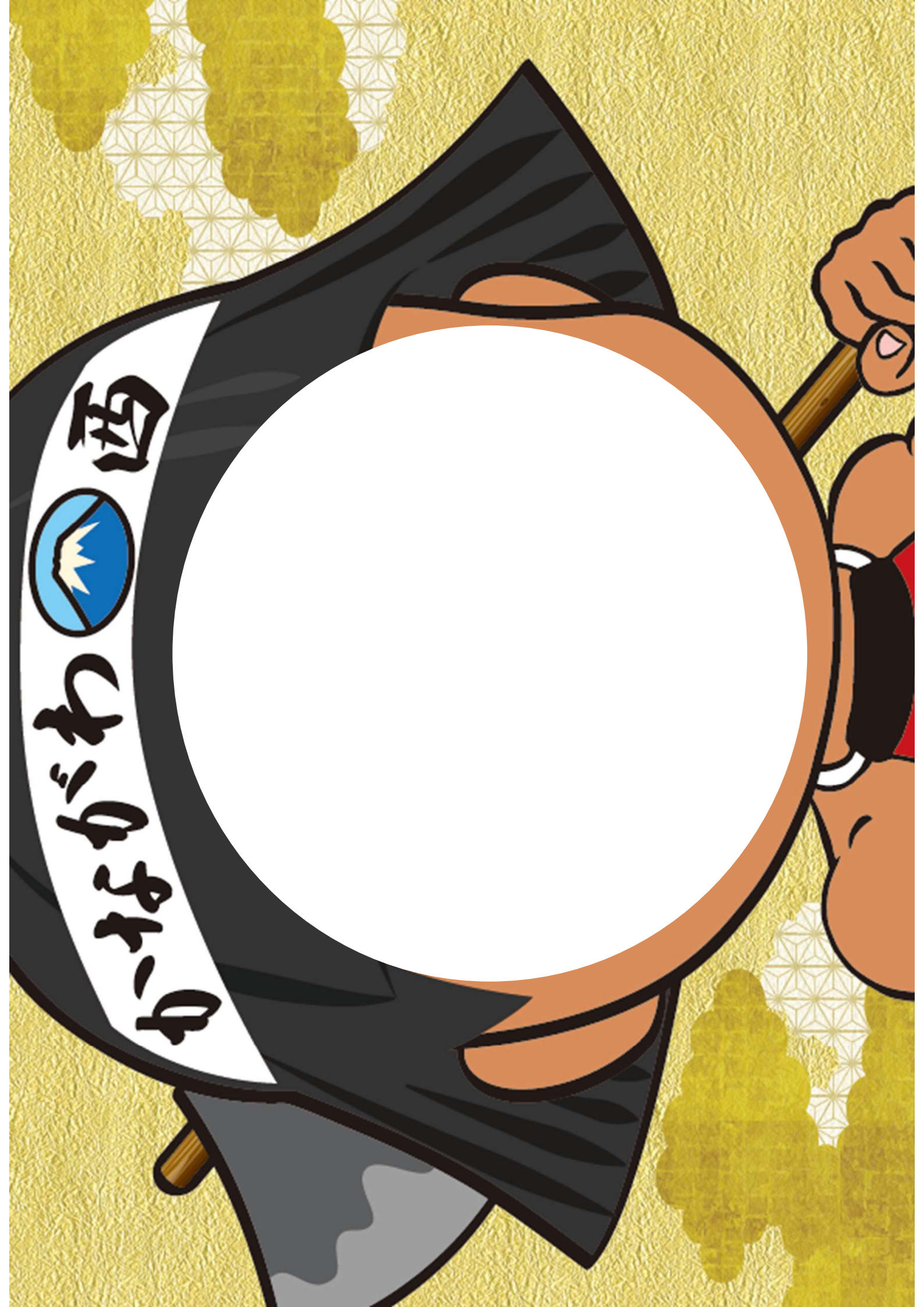
Approx. 45 minutes from the Oi-Matsuda Interchange to the Sengokuhara Intersection.

* Passenger vehicles with a seating capacity of 11 or more and cargo vehicles with a maximum load capacity of 3 tons or more are prohibited from running on the Hakone Kintaro Line.

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HOW TO TAKE A PHOTO

Pose behind the cutout

Your face
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IN FRONT OF
Mt. Fuji

Post with #kanafuji

Kanagawa-Ken

Mt. Myojingatake

■ Minamishiga City

Myojingatake is a gently trapezoidal mountain peaking at 1,169 m, located between Minamishiga and Hakone. The summit offers views of Mt. Fuji beyond Mt. Kintoki.

Ashigara Pass

■ Yaguzawa, Minamishiga City

Take pictures on a clear day.

Ashigara pass is located between the border of Oyama-machi in Shizuoka Pref. and Minamishiga city in Kanagawa Pref. Historically, it was the official route connecting Kyoto and the eastern provinces.

Mt. Kintoki

■ Minamishiga City

Take pictures on a day with few clouds.

With an altitude of 1,212 m height, Mt. Kintoki lies on the border between Kanagawa and Shizuoka Pref., offering stunning view of Mt. Fuji, Owakudani and Lake Ashi and so on.



Mt. Yaguradake

■ Yaguzawa, Minamishiga City

Mt. Yaguradake is 870 m high. The mountain forms like an overturned bowl. At the top, it offers 360-degree views of Mt. Fuji, Mt. Kintoki, Mt. Myojingatake, and Sagami Bay.



Mt. Takamatsu

■ Minamishiga City & Yaguzawa

Visit on a clear day. Best between February and May.

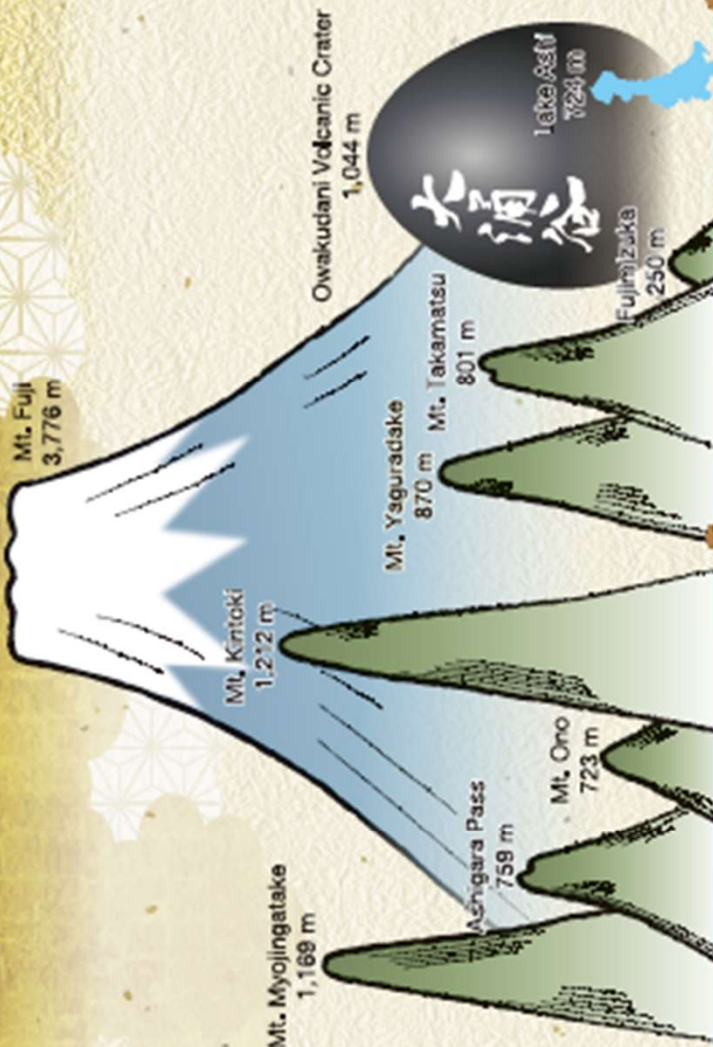


Mt. Takamatsu is an 801-meter grassy mountain. You can see the Hakone mountain range to the west, Mt. Fuji beyond it and Tanigawa mass to the north. Cherry blossoms and rapeseed flowers in full bloom add beautiful color to the mountain vista.

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Fujimizuka

■ Sagami, Hakone

Besides Mt. Fuji, you can see Sagami Bay to the south and the Hakone mountain range to the west.



Lake Ashi & Motohakone

■ Motohakone, Hakone

Be sure to take the photos there with the Hakone Shrine torii gate to create a vivid contrast.

In the early morning on a clear day, you can see Mt. Fuji being reflected in the surface of Lake Ashi.

Red Hakone Shrine torii gate adds a vivid red highlight to the picture of Mt. Fuji and Lake Ashi. You can enjoy the views of Mt. Fuji from other angles on a boat.

Mt. Ono

■ Tanigawa, Tanigawa-machi

The view of Mt. Fuji from Mt. Ono's peak is selected to be a "100 Best Views of Mt. Fuji." Lake Tanizawa and the Tanizawa massif can be seen from the spacious summit.



Owakudani Volcanic Crater

■ Sagami, Hakone

Take pictures on a clear day.

Hakone ropeway services may be suspended due to strong winds. Taking photos of Mt. Fuji with "Black Egg Monument" is recommended.



Owakudani, one of the famous tourist spots in Hakone, created by the eruption that led to the collapse of Mt. Kamiyama. Also, great view of Mt. Fuji can be seen inside the ropeway on the way to Owakudani.

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