

Thoughts on publication

In 2006, the city established the "Ikeda City Transportation Barrier-Free Basic Concept". We have been working on barrier-free roads and passenger facilities as well as mental barrier-free initiatives. However, the situation surrounding barrier-free facilities has progressed dramatically in recent years, as social conditions have changed and there are demands to promote barrier-free facilities, including buildings, and to diversify the target audience to include not only the physically challenged, but also the mentally challenged, elderly, expectant mothers, and foreigners.

Because of this progress, in December 2019, the city was registered as a host town for the Tokyo Olympics and Paralympics and as part of our efforts to realize a symbiotic society, we have created a sightseeing route map with barrier-free information in the city.

Welcome to Ikeda city

Located in the northwestern part of Osaka Prefecture, Ikeda City is a medium-sized city with a population of about 100,000. The city has prospered as a transportation hub since ancient times. In particular, the sake brewing that developed during the Edo period (1603-1868) was known throughout Japan as Ikeda sake. Ikeda charcoal, prized at tea ceremonies and plants from Hosokawa, one of the four major production areas in Japan, are among the many specialties that have been handed down over the years. In 1910, the current Hankyu Railway Takarazuka Line was opened and Japan's first residential subdivision was built along the line. Even today, it is a city with very convenient transportation including airports, railroads, and highways.

Ikeda City Sightseeing Map

Barrier free Edition



Recommended Course ①

Hankyu Ikeda Station

5min by bus

Satukiyama Park Daikoji Bus Stop

10min. walk

5min taxi

Ikeda Castle Site Park



Free Admission

Tel : 072-753-2767
Address : 12-27 Sakae Honmachi Ikeda, Osaka
Business Hours : 9:00-19:00 (Nov-Mar. 9:00-17:00)

Closed on Tuesdays (In case of a holiday, the weekday immediately following the holiday will be closed.), End of Year and New Year holiday

This park was built on the site of the main castle of a powerful local family that ruled the entire Ikeda City area. In the park, you can enjoy a Yagura-style rest house and a beautiful Japanese garden.

5min. walk

Itsuo Museum



Tel : 072-751-3865
Address : 12-27 Sakae Honmachi Ikeda, Osaka
Business Hours : 10:00-17:00 (ticket sales until 16:30)

Closed on Mondays (In case of holiday, weekday following immediately will be closed.), End of year and New Year holiday, Time of changing exhibition

The museum has a collection of about 5,500 pieces of arts and crafts collected by the founder of Hankyu Corporation, Ichizo Kobayashi, whose pseudonym is Itsuo.

20min. walk

10min taxi

Cup Noodle Museum of Ikeda, Osaka



Admission ¥400
one cup noodle of your own is included

Tel : 072-752-3484
Address : 8-25 Masumicho Ikeda, Osaka
Business Hours : 9:30-16:30 (ticket sales until 15:30)

Closed on Tuesdays (In case of holidays, weekday after immediately follows)

Chicken Ramen, the world's first instant noodle, was born in Ikeda City. There is a "My Cup Noodle Factory" where you can design your own cup, top it with your favorite soup and ingredients, and make your own original cup noodle (advance reservation required, 400 yen per meal).

Recommended Course ②

Hankyu Ikeda Station

10min. walk

5min taxi

Yoshida Sake Brewery



Tel : 072-751-2063
Address : 7-10 Sakaehonmachi Ikeda, Osaka
Business Hours : 9:00-17:00

Closed on Sunday afternoon
Year end ad New Year holiday

* Able to purchase Sake until 16:30

Ikeda City once prospered as a brewing center for Edo's down sake. However, today there are only two sake breweries left, Goshun and Yoshida Shuzo. You can enjoy the quaint appearance of the breweries here. (Interior tours are not available.)

5min. walk

Rakugo Museum

(Municipal Museum of Kamigata Rakugo)



Free Admission

To watch Rakugo, cost varies depend on the players

Tel : 072-753-4440
Address : 7-3 Sakaehonmachi Ikeda, Osaka
Business Hours : 11:00-19:00
(Admission may be restricted due to events)

Closed on Tuesday, End of Year and New Year holiday

In addition to a video introduction to rakugo and a corner where you can play DVDs and CDs, rakugo performances are held on the second Saturday of every month from 2:00 pm. For a fee, an introductory course to amateur rakugo is also available.

1min. walk

Former Kashima Bank Ikeda Branch



(Interior Kawamura)

Tel : 072-752-3943
Address : 8-7 Sakaehonmachi Ikeda, Osaka
Business Hours : 9:00-16:30

Closed on Mon

It was built in 1918 as the Ikeda branch of the Kashima Bank. Kingo Tatsuno, the architect who designed Tokyo Station and other buildings, was involved in the design of the building.



Recommend spots

Satsukiyama Zoo



Free Admission

Tel : 072-753-2813
Address : 5-33 Ayaha 2chome Ikeda, Osaka
Business Hours : 9:15-16:45

Closed on Tuesday (In case of holiday, following immediate weekday)

Since its opening in 1957, this zoo has been well known and loved by the citizens. There are only 7 Wombats kept in a zoo in Japan and 5 of them are at the Satsukiyama Zoo. There are few steep slopes in the zoo.

Ikeda City Tourist Information Center



Tel : 072-737-7290
Address : 2-7 Masumicho Ikeda, Osaka
Business Hours : 10:00-18:00

Closed on Tuesday (In case of holiday, following immediate weekday)

In addition to providing tourist information about Ikeda City, it sells goods and creative chicken ramen dishes. We also sell ornamental plants by Ikeda City gardeners and vegetables harvested in Ikeda city (vegetable sales are irregular).



P₁ Satsukiyama Park No.1 Parking
Toll/67units (accessible car 2 units)/24H

P₂ Satsukiyama Park No.2 Parking
Toll/28units (accessible car 2 units)/24H

P₃ Istuo Museum parking, for Visitors only
Free/22units (accessible car 1 unit)/10:00-17:00

P₄ Cup Noodle Museum Parking, for Visitors only
Free/23units (accessible car 1 unit)/8:30-17:00

1 Satsukiyama Park Restroom in front of the park shop

2 Satsukiyama Park Square West Restroom

3 Satsukiyama Park Square East Restroom
 * Gravel road near the entrance to the restroom.

4 Restroom in Satsukiyama Gymnasium
 Weekday 9:00-22:00
Sat. Sun. Holiday 9:00-19:00

5 Restroom in Ikeda Castle Site Park
 Weekday & Sat. Sun. Holiday 9:00-17:00

6 Restroom across from the Ikeda Station

7 Restroom in Ikeda Station Park

8 Restroom in Civic Hall
 Weekday 9:00-21:00
Sat. Sun. Holiday 9:00-17:00

9 Restroom in Ikeda Station
 First Train to Last train (Can't be used late at night.)

10 Restroom by the escalator on the 1st floor of Ikeda Station Building
 First Train to Last train (Can't be used late at night.)

11 Restroom at Station N Building 1st Floor
 Weekday & Sat. Sun. Holiday 6:30-23:00

A Staircases (near the Satsukiyama Park)

B Slope (Satsukiyama Gymnasium)

: Inclination Direction

: Inclination (L)

: Inclination (M)

: Inclination (S)

: Steps inside of facility

Bumpy tiles set in public areas to mark the path for the blind : Ikeda Station is fully equipped, but there are places where the paths are broken.