

“JAPAN RAIL PASS” sold in Japan on a trial basis

1 Eligibility requirements

Those who visit Japan from abroad under the entry status of “Temporary Visitor” (*) Tourists

* Your passport, issued by a country other than Japan, is required to buy a PASS.

* JAPAN RAIL PASS is available only to a person holding a passport issued by a country other than Japan (not available to Japanese nationals living outside Japan).

2 Sales and usage periods

-Sales period : March 8, 2017 – March 31, 2018

-Usage period: 7-day PASS March 8, 2017 –April 6, 2018

14-day PASS March 8, 2017 –April 13, 2018

21-day PASS March 8, 2017 –April 20, 2018

3 Prices

Type	Green-type		Ordinary-type	
	Adult	Child	Adult	Child
7-day	44,000 yen	22,000 yen	33,000 yen	16,500 yen
14-day	71,000 yen	35,500 yen	52,000 yen	26,000 yen
21-day	90,000 yen	45,000 yen	65,000 yen	32,500 yen

* Children aged 6 through 11 years as of the purchase date are eligible for child PASS prices.

4 Where to buy

Following stations: Sapporo, Sendai, Niigata, Tokyo, Shinjuku, Yokohama, Nagoya, Osaka, Hiroshima, Takamatsu, Hakata, New-Chitose Airport, Narita Airport Terminal 1, Narita Airport Terminal 2-3, Haneda Airport International Terminal, and Kansai Airport

* Detail information will be updated later on the following website:

<http://www.japanrailpass.net/exchange.html>

* A refund is available only at the sales offices. If you have purchased your PASS with a credit card, you can refund it only at the sales offices under the same company where the office you purchased it belongs to. * The handling fees are 10 % of the purchased prices.

5 Scope of validity, leading features

■ The validity period of JAPAN RAIL PASS is 7, 14, or 21 consecutive days, beginning on the date the PASS is first used. * Once a starting date has been assigned to the PASS, it cannot be changed.

■ JAPAN RAIL PASS gives you unlimited rides on the railways, buses, and ferry boats shown in the table below. With an Ordinary-type PASS you can use only Ordinary Cars, while with a Green-type PASS you can use both Green Cars and Ordinary Cars.

 Railways	All JR Group Railways: Shinkansen (except “NOZOMI” and “MIZUHO” trains), limited express trains, express trains, rapid trains, local trains, and the BRT. (With some exceptions) * Tokyo Monorail is also available. * Aomori Railway (between Aomori and Hachinohe). However, travel must be conducted on local or rapid trains encompassing the segments between Hachinohe and Aomori, Aomori and Noheji, and Hachinohe and Noheji. Travel is not covered if you disembark at any station within the segment excluding Aomori, Noheji, or Hachinohe. * The IR Ishikawa Railway (between Kanazawa and Tsubata). However, travel must be conducted on local or limited express trains and must encompass the full segment between these two stations. Travel is not covered if you disembark at any station within or outside the segment excluding Kanazawa or Tsubata. * The Ainokaze Toyama Railway (between Toyama and Takaoka). However, travel must be conducted on local trains and must encompass the full segment between these two stations. Travel is not covered if you disembark at any station within or outside the segment excluding Toyama or Takaoka.
 Buses	Local lines of JR Bus (excluding some local lines). Validity for particular routes is subject to change.(JR Bus: JR Hokkaido Bus, JR Bus Tohoku, JR Bus Kanto, JR Tokai Bus, West Japan JR Bus, Chugoku JR Bus, JR Shikoku Bus, JR Kyushu Bus) * The PASS is not valid for travel on express bus routes operated by JR Bus.
 Ferries	JR-WEST Miyajima ferry between Miyajima and Miyajimaguchi. * Hydrofoil ferry service operated by JR-KYUSHU between Hakata and Busan (Korea) is not covered.

* The JAPAN RAIL PASS is not valid for any seats, reserved or non-reserved, on “NOZOMI” and “MIZUHO” trains on the Tokaido, Sanyo and Kyushu Shinkansen. The pass holders can take “HIKARI,” “SAKURA,” “KODAMA,” or “TSUBAME” trains instead. If you use a “NOZOMI” or “MIZUHO” train, you must pay the basic fare and the limited express charge, and for a Green Car, the additional Green Car surcharge.

* In addition, if you use the GranClass car of the Tohoku, Hokkaido, and Hokuriku Shinkansen, you must pay the limited express charge and the GranClass car surcharge.

* Note also that passengers using JR trains on non-JR lines must pay additional fares and charges for sections traveled on such lines, because some JR trains use the lines of other companies' railways for direct services.

6 Notes

- Purchase and use of the JAPAN RAIL PASS are limited to the person whose name appears on the pass. While using your PASS, you must carry your passport and be prepared to present it to a station attendant/car conductor for personal identification if requested.

- You cannot purchase the PASS whose dates of use are the same as those of the one you have already purchased.