

Welcome to Satsuki Highway

Fukuoka - Hirado Line

Satsuki Highway connects the bustling city Fukuoka and the peaceful historical island Hirado. We offer the fastest and cheapest connection.

Every day, three buses depart from both directions between

Hirado (Tourist Information Center) and Fukuoka (Canal City Hakata).

Originally it is 3 round trips, but the number of flights has been reduced due to corona infection.



Please refer to the timetable on page 7 for more information.

Access to the bus stop in Hakata (Canal City Hakata)

The bus stop “Hakata” is conveniently located right next to Canal City’s East Building, a big shopping mall at about 10 minutes on foot from Hakata (Fukuoka’s central) train station, 10–14 minutes from Tenjin area.

Shuttle bus from Hakata station and Tenjin Station

A shuttle bus operated by Nishitetsu Bus connects Canal City, Tenjin station and Hakata station.

From Hakata: Bus stop A / approx. 7 min / 100 yen.

From Tenjin: Bus stop Daimaru 4A / approx. 8 min / 100 yen

Taxi

Taxis run regularly around satsuki Highway Hakata bus stop (Canal City). A taxi to Hakata station from the bus stop costs around 560 yen.

From Fukuoka Airport

① From Fukuoka Airport Subway station (inside the domestic terminal), please get on the Airport Line (orange) and get off at Gion station. Take exit 3.

From Gion, it is about a 7 minutes’ walk to Satsuki Highway stop in Canal city.

The Fukuoka City Subway station is located inside the Domestic Terminal building. A free shuttle bus runs between the international (1F) and domestic (also 1F) terminal every 5–8 minutes.

② A direct bus (Fukuoka Airport Access) connects Fukuoka Airport and Canal City. This bus is reservation-only

Access to the bus stop at Canal City



① Find Tully's Coffee on the corner of Canal City East Building (first floor).
Walk to the sliding door on the left.



② Go through the sliding doors and turn right to pass the washrooms.



③ Go through the second sliding doors to exit the building and enter the highway bus parking lot.



Hakata (Canal City Hakata)

- Canal City Hakata East Building
- 9-2 Gionmachi, Hakata-ku, Fukuoka-ken 812-0038

Other Bus stop locations



Karatsu

- Karatsu Marine Center Osakana-mura
- 1922 Hamatamamachi Hamasaki,
Karatsu-shi, Saga-ken 849-5131 Japan



Namuradanchi

- Near Kurokawa Elementary School
- 1393-16 Kurokawacho Okurokawa,
Imari-shi, Saga-ken 848-0123 Japan



Imari-Kurokawa

- JA Imari-Kurokawa Branch
- 186-1 Kurokawacho Shioya,
Imari-shi, Saga-ken 848-0121 Japan



Imabuku

- Imafuku Public Transport Lobby
- 444-5 Imabukucho Uramen,
Matsuura-shi, Nagasaki-ken 859-4528 Japan



Matsuura

- Matsuura Culture Center
- 1110 Shisacho Uramen,
Matsuura-shi, Nagasaki-ken 859-4501 Japan



Mikuriya

- Oshibuchi Hospital Front
- 37-1 Mikuriyacho Satomen,
Matsuura-shi, Nagasaki-ken 859-4752 Japan



In Front of Tabira Branch

- Tabira Revitalization Center
- 27-1 Tabiracho Yamauchimen,
Hirado-shi, Nagasaki-ken 859-4825 Japan



Tabira(Hiradoguchi)

- Tabira Port Terminal Building
- 344-5 Tabiracho Yamauchimen,
Hirado-shi, Nagasaki-ken 859-4825 Japan



Hirado Ohashi Kouenmae

- Hirado Ohashi Kouen National Highmay
- 825-4 Iwanouemachi,
Hirado-shi, Nagasaki-Ken 859-5121 Japan



Hirado

- Hirado Tourist Infomation Center
- 777-6 Sakigatacho,
Hirado-shi, Nagasaki-ken 859-5104 Japan



Hirado Kaijo Hotel

- Hirado Kaijo Hotel
- 2231-3 Ookubomachi,
Hirado-shi, Nagasaki-ken 859-5102 Japan



Ogaki

- Near Drugstore Mori
- 151-1 Iwanouemachi,
Hirado-shi, Nagasaki-ken 859-5121 Japan

Regular fares (one-way) Adult / Child

Please pay the fare to the driver at the time of boarding.

(Cash / discount tickets only, no credit cards).

Seating is on a first come first serve basis. Reservations are not required. However, passengers with a reservation will get priority at time of boarding. We recommend making a reservation if you need to be sure of a seat

			Adult	Child
Hakata (Canal City Hakata)	⇄	Ogaki	3,000yen	1,500yen
Hakata (Canal City Hakata)	⇄	Hirado Kaijo Hotel		
Hakata (Canal City Hakata)	⇄	Hirado		
Hakata (Canal City Hakata)	⇄	Hirado Ohashi Kouenmae		
Hakata (Canal City Hakata)	⇄	Tabira (Hiradoguchi)	2,800yen	1,400yen
Hakata (Canal City Hakata)	⇄	Tabira Branch		
Hakata (Canal City Hakata)	⇄	Mikuriya	2,500yen	1,250yen
Hakata (Canal City Hakata)	⇄	Matsuura	2,300yen	1,150yen
Hakata (Canal City Hakata)	⇄	Imabuku	2,000yen	1,000yen
Hakata (Canal City Hakata)	⇄	Imari-Kurokawa	1,300yen	650yen
Hakata (Canal City Hakata)	⇄	Namuradanchi		
Hakata (Canal City Hakata)	⇄	Karatsu	1,000yen	500yen
Karatsu	⇄	Ogaki	2,000yen	1,000yen
Karatsu	⇄	Hirado Kaijo Hotel		
Karatsu	⇄	Hirado		
Karatsu	⇄	Hirado Ohashi Kouenmae		
Karatsu	⇄	Tabira (Hiradoguchi)	1,800yen	900yen
Karatsu	⇄	Tabira Branch		
Karatsu	⇄	Mikuriya	1,500yen	750yen
Karatsu	⇄	Matsuura	1,300yen	650yen

Timetable

Hakata (Canal City Hakata)			→→→→→					Ogaki					
Every day (weekdays, Saturday/Sunday/Public Holidays)													
	Hakata Canal City Hakata	karatsu	Namura danchi	Imari- Kurokawa	imabuku	Matsuura	Mikuriya	Tabira Branch	Tabira Hirado guchi	Hirado Ohashi Kouen	Hirado	Hirado Kaijo Hotel	Ogaki
			(Get-off only)										
every day	14 : 00	14 : 50	15 : 29	15 : 30	15 : 50	16 : 00	16 : 10	16 : 20	16 : 22	16 : 25	16 : 30	16 : 32	16 : 40
If you board the bus from Karatsu, you can get off at ANY bus stop except for Imari Kurogawa / Namuradanchi. If you board the bus from Hakata (Fukuoka), you can get off at ANY bus stop.													

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	Ogaki	Hirado Kaijo Hotel	Hirado	Hirado Ohashi Kouen	Tabira Hirado guchi	Tabira Branch	Mikuriya	Matsuura	Imabuku	Imari-Kurokawa	Namura danchi	Karatsu	Hakata Canal City Hotel
		(Boarding only)											
every day	8 : 30	8 : 38	8 : 40	8 : 45	8 : 48	8 : 50	9 : 00	9 : 10	9 : 20	9 : 40	9 : 41	10 : 20	11 : 10
If you board the bus at any of the bus stations in Hirado or Matsuura, you can get off at both Karatsu and Hakata.													

Seat Belt

Wearing seat belts on the bus is mandatory according to Japanese traffic law.

Minimum distance

Satsuki Highway is a highway class bus. This means certain national regulations apply with regard to the minimum travel distance.

Please keep the following in mind when using our bus service:

- If you take a bus from Hirado to any of the Matsuura stops, you can get off at both Karatsu and Hakata.
- If you board the bus from Imari-kurogawa, you can get off only at Hakata (it is not possible to get off at Karatsu).
- From Hakata → to Hirado, bus stops other than Karatsu are only for getting off..
- If you board the bus from Hakata (Fukuoka), you can get off at ANY bus stop.

Tickets and discounts

Adult: Junior high school and up

Child: Primary school students, 50% off of adult fare

Infants: One adult can bring up to one infant for free.

In case one adult brings two or more infant, the child fare will be applied from the second accompanying infant.

10,000 yen and 5,000 yen cannot be exchanged in the train.

Please prepare 1,000 yen or small change in advance.

Contact details

Satsuki Kanko Co.

Telephone (Japanese only) : +81 (0) 950 - 57 - 3633

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