

Sea Route

Komatsu Airport Line

No.	Sea Route	M6 Reverse Loop	S2	S3	S4	S5
1	JR Kaga Onsen Station/Abio City Kaga	arr. 9:42	10:05	12:15	14:00	15:45
30	Sugo Isobe Shrine	↑	10:13	12:23	14:08	15:53
31	JR Daishoji Station/Kaga City Hall	↑	10:17	12:27	14:12	15:57
32	Yamanoshita Temples Area/Kutaniyaki Art Museum	↑	10:18	12:28	14:13	15:58
33	Kogyokuso Residence/Daishoji Castle Ruins/Choryutei	↑	10:19	12:29	14:14	15:59
34	Tsukusagi no Sato	↑	10:25	12:35	14:20	16:05
35	Roadside Station Rennyō no Sato Awara	↑	10:30	12:40	14:25	16:10
3	Kaga Fruit Land	9:20	10:48	12:58	14:43	16:28
4	Kitamaebune Ship Owner Residence-Zorokuen	9:13	10:55	13:05	14:50	16:35
5	Kitamaebune Ship Museum	9:12	10:56	13:06	14:51	16:36
6	Hashitate Fishing Port	9:09	10:59	13:09	14:54	16:39
7	Cape Amagozen	9:08	11:00	13:10	14:55	16:40
8	Tezukayama Park Kubiaraï-like Pond	9:01	11:07	13:17	15:02	16:47
9	Nakaya Ukichiro Museum of Snow and Ice	9:00	11:08	13:18	15:03	16:48
10	Katayamazu Onsen : West Exit	8:58	11:10	13:20	15:05	16:50
11	Katayamazu Onsen : Yunomoto Park	8:57	11:11	13:21	15:06	16:51
12	Katayamazu Onsen : Soyu Public Bathhouse	8:56	11:12	13:22	15:07	16:52
13	Katayamazu Onsen : First Ward	8:54	11:14	13:24	15:09	16:54
1	JR Kaga Onsen Station/Abio City Kaga	dep. 8:45	11:28	13:38	15:23	17:08

Mountain Route

No.	Mountain Route	M1	M2	M3	M4	M5
1	JR Kagaonsen Station/Abio City Kaga	8:40	10:05	12:25	13:55	15:25
14	Kutani Mangatsu (ceramic workshops, national treasure exhibition)	8:46	10:11	12:31	14:01	15:31
15	Kutani Bitoen	8:52	10:17	12:37	14:07	15:37
16	Yamashiro Onsen Kikyogaoka	8:53	10:18	12:38	14:08	15:38
17	Yamanaka Urushiza (Institute for Yamanaka Lacquerware)	↓	10:26	↓	↓	15:46
18	Yamanaka Onsen : Shirasagi-ohashi Bridge	↓	10:31	↓	↓	15:51
19	Yamanaka Onsen Kiku no Yu Public Bathhouse/ Yamanaka-za	↓	10:42	12:39	14:09	16:02
20a	Yamashiro Onsen : South Exit	8:54	10:43	12:40	14:10	16:03
20	Banshoen-dori Street/Rosanjin's Cottage Iroha Soan	8:55	10:44	12:41	14:11	16:04
21	Yamashiro Onsen : Soyu/Kosoyu Public Bathhouse	8:56	10:45	12:42	14:12	16:05
22	Yamashiro Onsen : East Exit	8:57	10:46	12:43	14:13	16:06
23	Kutaniyaki Kiln Museum	8:58	10:57	12:54	14:24	16:17
24	Natadera Temple	9:09	11:03	13:00	14:30	16:23
25	Kaga Traditional Handicrafts Village Yunokuni no Mori	9:15	11:06	13:03	14:33	16:26
26	Awazu Onsen	↓	11:12	13:09	14:39	16:32
27	Motorcar Museum of Japan	9:19	11:24	13:21	14:51	16:44
29	Kaga-Bocha Maehachi Seichaijo/ Daiichi-zakari Sake Brewery	9:31	11:36	13:33	15:03	16:56
1	JR Kaga Onsen Station/Abio City Kaga	9:43	11:36	13:33	15:03	16:56

Bus stop sign and bus



There are also other colored buses.

There are 2 types of signs.

Note to CANBUS Users

. Ticket prices: Adult 1-day pass: ¥ 1,300/Child (under 12): ¥ 650*

. Single ride ticket: ¥ 500/Child (under 12): ¥ 250*

. *Free for children under 6 accompanied by the same number of adults.

. If there are more children than adults, please check the conditions on the bus.

. Admissions to any facilities are not included.

. Please be sure to be at the bus stop in advance.

. Users may ride any of the three routes (Mountain Route, Sea Route, Komatsu Airport Line) with one ticket.

. Please note that buses operate only in one direction (except for the Sea Route S1).

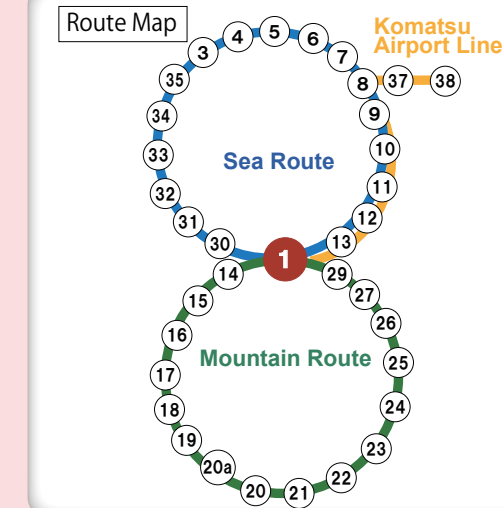
. There are no reserved seats. If the bus is fully occupied, you may not be able to board.

. Buses may occasionally stop at regular local bus stops that don't appear on the present timetables.

. Tickets are available for sale on buses.



Canbus departs from and goes back to the JR Kaga Onsen Station, taking you to all the main sightseeing destinations around Kaga. Get on and off whenever you want for personalized travel plans using the three available routes.



Kaga Loop Bus
CANBUS



Kaga Hot Springs and Towns strolling around passport

Choose 3 among the 22 available facilities and get a two days valid passport at a very attractive price!

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800¥ per person. Valid two days

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For example, should you use the canbus and go to visit the three following facilities...

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Yamashiro Onsen public bath + 490¥
Iroha Soan + 560¥
Yunokuni no mori + 550¥

Total = ~~2900¥~~

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1400 ¥

Where to purchase this passport?

- **Kaga Tabimachinet inside the Kaga Onsen JR station**
Tel: 0761-72-6678
Open: 8:45 to 17:30
- **Canbus office near the station** (also on sale inside the buses)
Tel: 0761-72-7777
Open: 8:45 to 17:00
- **Yamanaka Za** (Yamanaka Onsen)
Tel: 0761-78-5523
Open: 8:30 to 22:00 / 8:30~17:30 on every second and fourth Tuesday
- **Yamashiro Onsen's public bath**
- **Kutaniyaki Art Museum**
- **Kitamaebune Ship Museum**
- **Some hotels in kaga** (Inquire at the front desk)

Hot Springs

Enjoy the Kaga area's hot springs at your own pace.



Katayamazu Onsen Soyu (Public Bath)



CAN BUS 12 →50m
This striking glass building was conceived by Yoshio Taniguchi, one of Japan's leading architects. The two baths, one looking towards the lake and the distant mountains, the other onto the forest, are switched between genders every day.
Open: 6:00 to 22:00
Café: 11:00 to 16:00 (Closed on Thursday)

Yamashiro Onsen Soyu (Public Bath)



CAN BUS 21 →100m
Yamashiro Onsen's public bath is a 100% pure hot spring (no cool water added). The inside walls of either bath room display hand-painted tiles by 28 of the area's finest Kutani ceramic artists.
Open: 6:00 to 22:00
Closed on every fourth Wednesday morning.

Kaga Yumenoyu **CAN BUS 27**→2.4 k m



This amusement complex facility offers more than 12 kinds of baths (including a bedrock bath), body care treatments and several massage rooms. Along with Japanese and western cuisine restaurants, it also hosts a very popular indian restaurant.
Open: 6:00 am to 0:30 am

Bessho Onsen **CAN BUS 16** →1.9 k m



100% pure hot spring waters overflow the tubs of this little known but very tranquil public bath. An open-air bath space and a sauna are also proposed.
Open: 11:40 to 21:30

Yamashiro Kosoyu **CAN BUS 21** →50m



Elegantly making use of the region's finest crafts such as lacquerware, porcelain and stained glasses, this is one of Yamashiro Onsen's two public hot spring baths. The Kosoyu was rebuilt exactly the way it was during the Meiji era. Although not equipped with usual separate spaces for shower, it is still a place worth going for relaxing and soaking in a nostalgic scenery.
Open: 6:00 to 22:00 (March–November)
7:00 to 21:00 (December–February)
Closed on every fourth Wednesday morning.

Yamanaka Onsen Kiku no Yu Public Bathhouse



CAN BUS 19
The name of Yamanaka Onsen's public bath, Kikunoyu (chrysanthemum hot water) refers to both a haiku poem by Matsuo Basho, one of the town's most famous visitors, and to the healing properties of the waters, as the chrysanthemum symbolizes eternity according to the Chinese folklore. Men and women's baths are in two separate elegant buildings facing each other. The men's bath displays an interesting narrative illustration of the town's history.
Open: 6:45 to 22:00
Closed on every second and fourth Tuesday (in the case of a holiday the next day)

History

Discover the rich history of Kaga through the Kitamaebune shipping route, the feudal town remains and temples of Daishoji and the tracks of Matsuo Basho in Yamanaka.

Basho no Yakata (Yamanaka Onsen)



CAN BUS 19 →150m
Matsuo Basho was the most famous poet of the Edo period and a master of Haiku. An untiring traveler, he roamed the roads of northern Japan at the end of his life, a journey which would give birth to a poetry masterpiece: "The narrow road to the deep north". This building recalls through many documents Basho's passage here while displaying fine works from local Yamanaka lacquerware artists.
Open: 9:00 to 16:30
Closed on Wednesdays

Kitamaebune Ship Museum



CAN BUS 5 →100m
Kitamaebune was a trading vessels route along the western coasts of Japan that thrived during the Edo period, when Japan was almost completely isolated from the outside world. Connecting Osaka to the northern parts of Hokkaido, this shipping route gave birth to a very distinctive culture and life-style which is narrated in this museum through a large collection of documents.
Open: 9:00 to 16:30

Zorokuen **CAN BUS 4**



The town of Hashitate was once a port of call for the Kitamaebune vessels. Conveniently set half-way of the road connecting Osaka to Hokkaido, many shipping company owners built splendid estates in this area. Zorokuen embodies the particular architectural style of the remaining Kitamaebune residences. Both the materials used and the collection of crafts on display give an idea of the wealthy life-style that the company owners enjoyed at that time.
Open: 9:00 to 17:00

Jisshoin Temple **CAN BUS 32** →500m



This zen temple was founded in honour of Maeda Toshiharu, the first of the dynasty of feudal lords who ruled the area during the Edo period (1600-1868). The temple's adjoining garden still hosts the gravestones for each one of them. Cherry trees in the spring and bush clovers in the fall offer splendid sceneries to the visitors.
Open: 9:00 to 16:00

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Others

Are you more interested in nature? Science? Vintage automobiles? Kaga offers a great variety of attractions for you to pick up.



Fukata Kyuya Memorial Museum



CAN BUS 33 →300m
Set in a beautiful wooden house from the Meiji period, this museum is dedicated to the life and works of Kyuya Fukata (1903-1971). A native of Daishoji, writer and mountain enthusiast, Kyuya Fukata wrote a very popular book among Japanese mountain lovers and hikers; 100 famous mountains of Japan, a personal selection on criteria of grace, history and originality.
Open: 9:00 to 16:30 Closed on Tuesdays

Nakaya Ukichiro Museum of Snow and Ice



CAN BUS 9
This museum is dedicated to the works of Ukichiro Nakaya, an experimental scientist and essayist born in Katayamazu Onsen. Specialized in glaciology, he described the process of natural snowflakes formation and developed a device for the production of artificial snow crystals. Besides presenting his life and work, the museum proposes various creative hands-on corners based on Nakaya's scientific experiments.
Open: 9:00 to 16:30 Closed on Wednesdays

Traditional handicrafts village "Yunokuni no Mori" **CAN BUS 25**



Set inside a natural forest, this traditional style houses village proposes dozens of hands-on activities covering a wide range of local handicrafts techniques such as pottery, silk-dyeing and even making soba noodles. Many souvenir shops propose plenty of traditional arts and crafts items of Ishikawa.
Open: 9:00 to 16:00 Closed on Thursday

Motorcar Museum of Japan **CAN BUS 27**



Set in a typically Japanese/western style building, the 12,000 m2 exhibition hall displays about 500 car models from different countries including highlights such as Rolls Royce's, Japanese sport cars and popular cars from Europe. This is the biggest automobile museum in all Japan.
Open: 9:00 to 16:30
Closed from December 26th to December 31st
Closed on Wednesday (in the case of a holiday the next day)

Crafts

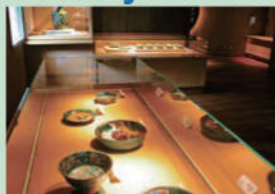
Discover and experience the Kutani porcelain and the Yamanaka lacquerware, highly refined crafts deeply rooted in Kaga's history and traditions.

Rosanjin's Cottage Iroha Soan **CAN BUS 20** →150m



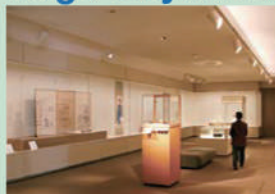
Kitaoji Rosanjin, a famous multifaceted artist stayed and worked in this cozy and beautiful cottage for a few weeks around 1915, beginning to work there as a potter, a field he would ultimately become famous in. Preserving most of the cottage's original lay out and its "belle époque" atmosphere, the interior also displays many examples of the artist's work.
Open: 9:00 to 16:30
Closed on Wednesdays

Kutaniyaki Art Museum **CAN BUS 32** →100m



Widely considered one of Japan's most original and greatly decorative porcelain styles, the Kutani porcelain has left a remarkable legacy that lives on up to these days. Along with the turmoil of history and the work of successive generations of talented artisans, the Kutani porcelain has evolved to cover a wide range of distinctive styles and approaches that can be admired in this museum.
Open: 9:00 to 16:30 Closed on Mondays

Kaga City Art Museum **CAN BUS 1** →50m



Located in front of the railway station, this museum permanently displays a wide range of art and craft works from renowned artists of the area. All year long, regular temporary exhibitions covering many disciplines are also dedicated to the works of amateur artists and citizens of Kaga.
Open: 10:00 to 17:30
Closed on Mondays
January 1st

Mugen-An



CAN BUS 19 →950m
This splendid late samurai house was moved from Kanazawa to Yamanaka Onsen during the Taisho period (1912-1926). Ever since it has managed to preserve the atmosphere of the period as well as its high level of building technology at the time. The small garden promenade offers an exquisite view on the nearby Korogi Bridge and the Kakusenkei gorges.
Open: 11:00 to 15:00
Closed on Tuesday

Kataoka Tsurutaro Art and Craft Gallery



CAN BUS 19 →100m
This typical Taisho period western-style building was constructed in 1918 and registered in 1991 as a "traditional building for protection". It now hosts a collection of artworks by the famous TV personality, actor and painter Kataoka Tsurutaro.
Open: 10:00 to 15:30
Closed on Tuesday, December 31st

Kutaniyaki Kiln Museum



CAN BUS 23 →100m
This museum displays through permanent and temporary exhibitions a large collection of works that embody the rich tradition of the Kutani porcelain. Besides the main gallery lie the remains of the oldest climbing kiln from the time of the Kutani revival. Potter's wheel and painting workshops are also available on reservation.
Open: 9:00 to 16:30
Closed on Tuesdays, December 31st and January 1st

Free entrance facilities

Kutani Ware Shop "Bitoen" **CAN BUS 15**



With a purchase of 5,500 ¥ or more
Get a 1,500 ¥ sake cup for free
Open: 9:00 to 17:00

Yamanaka Urushi Za **CAN BUS 17**



(Traditional Yamanaka lacquerware)
With a purchase of 1,000 ¥ or more
Get a pair of chopstick for free
Weekday/Open: 10:00 to 16:00
Weekend/Open: 9:30 to 16:30
Closed on Wednesdays

Kaga Fruits Land **CAN BUS 3**



With a purchase of ¥1,000 or more
get a herb tea pack for free
Open: 9:00 to 17:00
Closed on Wednesday
Closed for New year holiday season

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