



JAPAN – OSAKA > TOKYO
(9 DAYS 8 NIGHTS-exclude flights)

BEFORE TRIP

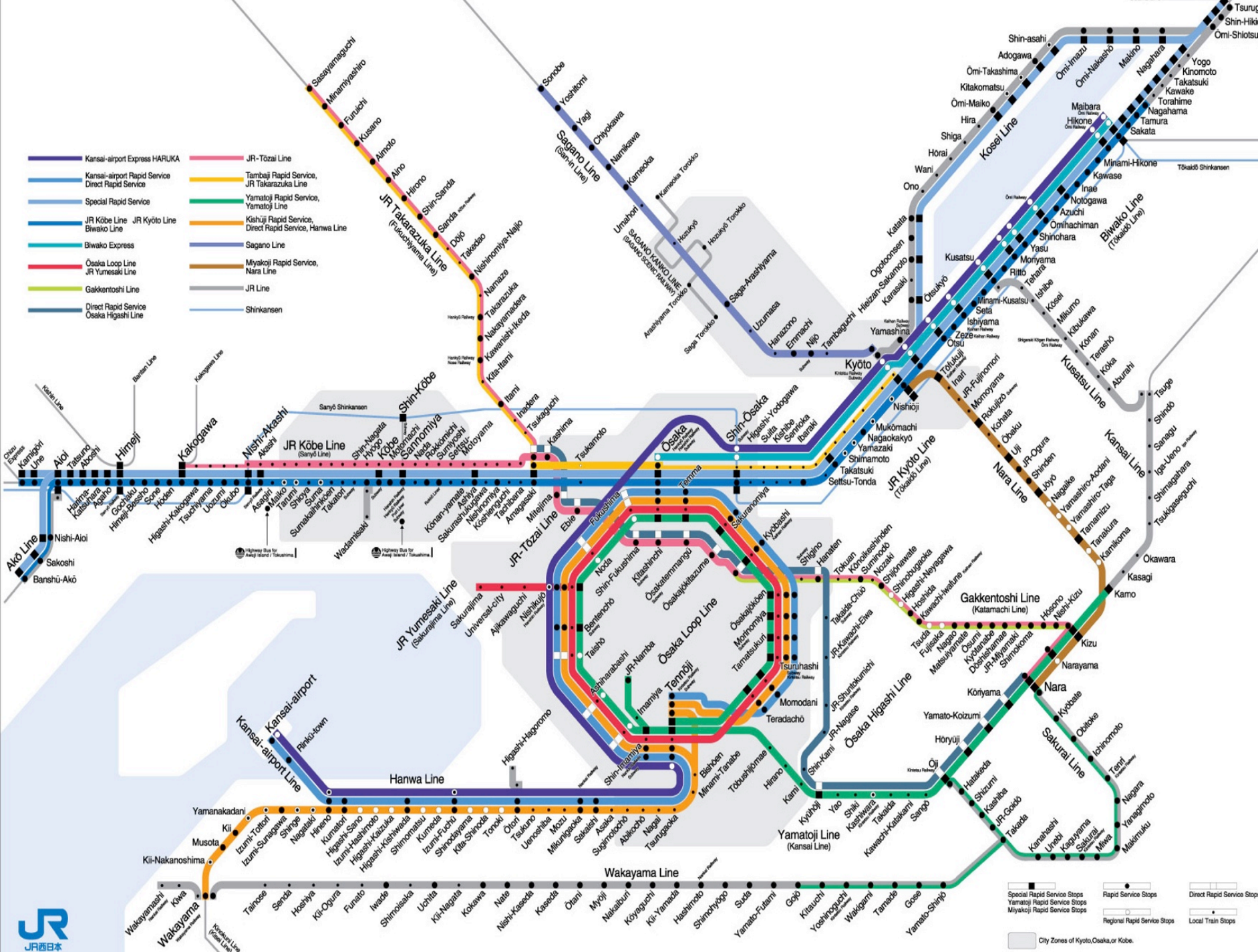
- Buy 7 days JR pass in Singapore (JTB outlet at taka)- covers Shinkansen + JR line MRT
- Buy Theme Park Tickets at JTB- avoid queues and cheaper

Flight:

- SIN > Tokyo NRT
- Dinner @ Airport
- Collect Pocket Wifi @ Airport



- Kansai-airport Express HARUKA
- Kansai-airport Rapid Service
- Direct Rapid Service
- Special Rapid Service
- JR Kobe Line
- JR Kyoto Line
- Biwako Express
- Osaka Loop Line
- JR Yumesaki Line
- Gakkentoshi Line
- Direct Rapid Service
- Osaka Higashi Line
- JR-Tōzai Line
- Tambaji Rapid Service, JR Takarazuka Line
- Yamatoji Rapid Service, Yamatoji Line
- Kishūji Rapid Service, Direct Rapid Service, Hanwa Line
- Sagano Line
- Miyakoji Rapid Service, Nara Line
- JR Line
- Shinkansen



- Special Rapid Service Stops
- Rapid Service Stops
- Direct Rapid Service Stops
- Regional Rapid Service Stops
- Local Train Stops
- City Zones of Kyoto, Osaka, or Kobe

Day 01 - Osaka

- Touch-down Airport
- Using JR pass, take **Narita Express** to **Tokyo Station**
- Then, change **bullet train (Shinkansen)** at Tokyo station to **Shin- Osaka**.
- From there, take subway(need to pay) to wherever your hotel/airbnb is at.

Day 1 - Osaka Conti'

- Checked into Airbnb (by time should be around 2pm-3pm)
- Change and head out after that
- **Dontonburi (Namba station)**
Dinner + Shopping- LOTS TO EAT
- Back to hotel

Day 2- Osaka

- One day in **Kyoto**

Directions: Take Shinkansen from Shin-Osaka to Kyoto Station.

- Take JR line to **Inari station- Tofuku-ji Temple and Fushimi Inari Shrine** (2-3 hours)

Note that if you intend to walk the entire Fushimi Inari Shrine, it will take 1/2 day instead. So pls take note to reschedule itinerary if you have spare time.

Day 2- Osaka Conti'

- Take JR back to Kyoto Station and take subway to **Saga Arashiyama Station** for **Arashimaya Bamboo Forest** – kindly note that the sky turned dark around 5pm onwards so if you will like nice photos you will have to head there earlier.

Will strongly advise to split this day into 2 days if you can else everything pretty much touch and go.

Day 3- Osaka Conti'

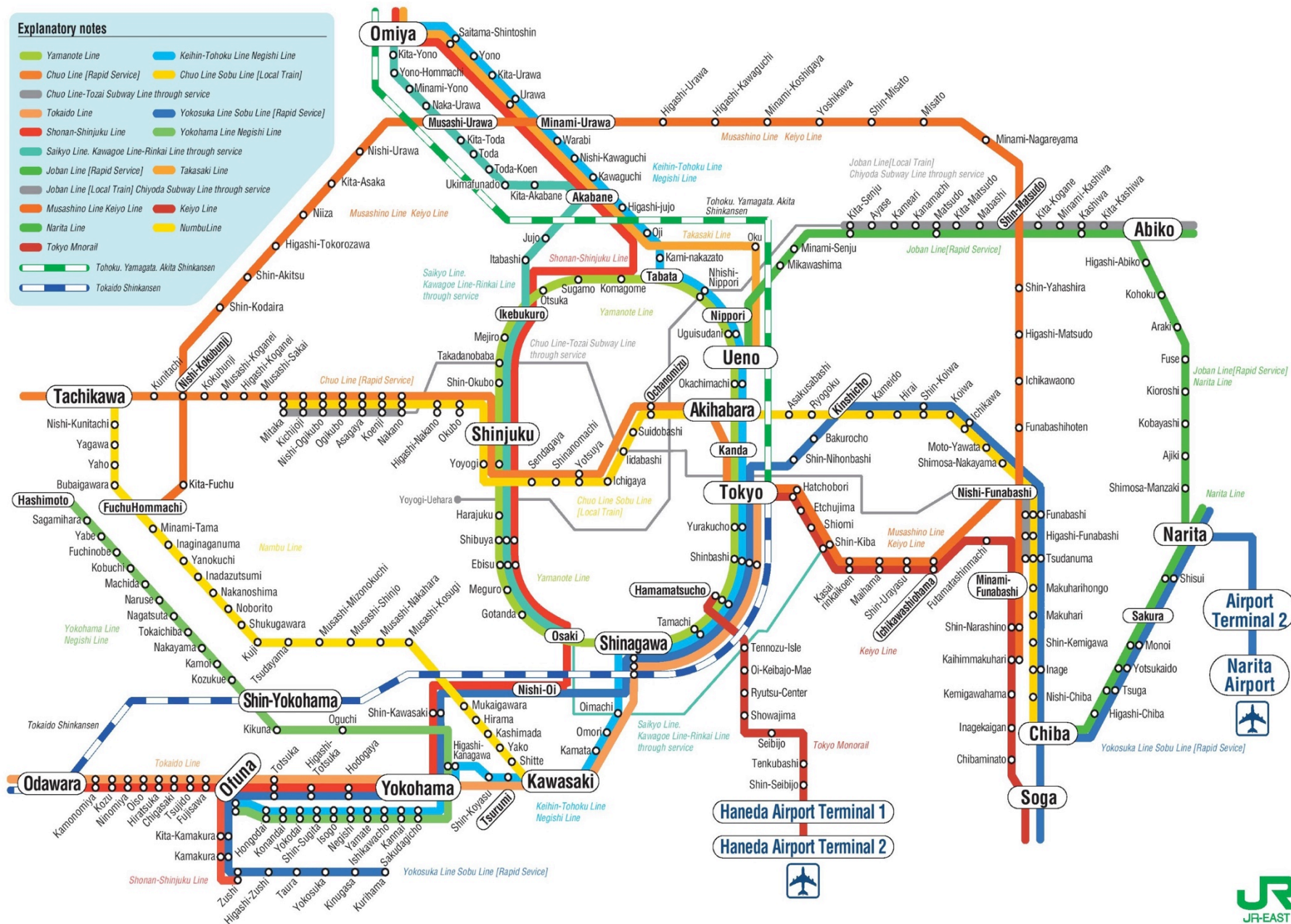
(*Note I've excluded Universal Studio Japan- Harry Potter Land as its my 2nd time here. So you can take this day to go USJ instead of Kobe)

- **Osaka Castle- 2.5hrs (Osakajokken Station)**
- Take JR to **Nara Station- Nara Park (Deers) + Temple. Walk to Golden Pavillion and Todaji temple. (1/2 day)**
- Take to **Osaka station** after that and take **shinkansen to Kobe**. Spend 1/2 day there (visit Mt Koko if you want)
- Dinner Kobe beef @ Chinatown.
- Back to hotel/airbnb after that.

TOKYO JR ROUTE MAP

Explanatory notes

- Yamanote Line
- Chuo Line [Rapid Service]
- Chuo Line-Tozai Subway Line through service
- Tokaido Line
- Shonan-Shinjuku Line
- Saikyo Line, Kawagoe Line-Rinkai Line through service
- Joban Line [Rapid Service]
- Joban Line [Local Train] Chiyoda Subway Line through service
- Musashino Line Keiyo Line
- Narita Line
- Tokyo Monorail
- Keihin-Tohoku Line Megishi Line
- Chuo Line Sobu Line [Local Train]
- Yokosuka Line Sobu Line [Rapid Service]
- Yokohama Line Megishi Line
- Takasaki Line
- Nambu Line
- Tohoku, Yamagata, Akita Shinkansen
- Tokaido Shinkansen



Day 4- Tokyo

- Morning check out. Take train to Tokyo (**Shin-Osaka to Tokyo station**)
- Depending on your accommodation, take to the nearest station and check in. Try to check in before 1pm
- **Harajuku (JR)** for shopping after that all the way till night.
Can visit **Meji Shrine & Yoyogi Park** also(Same area)
- Still got time can train or walk to Shibuya(next station)

All shopping outlets close by 7pm or 8pm.

Day 5- Tokyo

- One day in **Hakone (Odawara Station)**
Buy Hakone one day pass at the station*
- Follow map for full day itinerary- main attraction
- Hakone Shrine + Tori gate
- Tozan Train, Hakone ropeway to Owakudani Valley (volcanic sulphur egg)
- Cruise on Lake Ashi (See Mt Fuji from certain spot)
- IF got time, onsen at Hotel Green Plaza
- Back to **Shinjuku** to walk around and dinner- **Ichiran Ramen**

Day 6- Tokyo

- **Tokyo Disney Sea** (One day)

From Tokyo Station (東京駅) you will want to take the JR Keiyo Line (京葉線) to Maihama Station (舞浜駅). There will be 4 types of trains on the line, so pay attention to which train you are getting on

- Shopping at **Shibuya** and eat the seafood at shibuya for dinner (right opp atmos)

Tsujiki Market Map-refer next pg



Day 07- Tokyo

- **Tsujiki Market** (early in the morning around 7.30am or earlier)

Take JR to Shinjuku change subway to Tsukiji Market station on Odeo Line Exit A1

- **Sushi Dai** (queue abt 3 hrs, if not must reach at 3-5am to queue)
- **Sushi Daiwa** (neighbour but shorter queue about 1 hr)
- Shopping @ Ginza(1 stop) after that, nearby. Continue shopping at Harajuku or shibuya if not enough.

Day 08- Tokyo

Dress in Kimono day!-<http://asakusa.kimono-koto.com/english.html>

- Train to **Asakusa**, then go to Kimono rental. After that walk around in **Nakamise (shopping street)** and **Sensoji Temple** for photo taking. Change out after everything,
- Take subway to **Daimon Station**. Exit **A6**
- Walk 10 mins to **Tokyo Tower**



FLIGHT HOME

From shinjuku take JR amanote line to Nippori station then transfer to Keisei limited express to Narita airport (75 mins)