

2023 Mt. Fuji Guide

FUJISAN Guide

—Climb Mt. Fuji safely and comfortably—

Shizuoka Prefecture

10 years since Japan's pride has become one of the treasures of the world



富士山世界遺産登録10周年記念

The 10th anniversary of the inscription of the world heritage Fujisan



There are four routes to the summit.
Make sure you remember the color of each route.



Fujinomiya Trail

The trail head is high up, and you will reach the summit in the shortest distance. There are some steep areas and numerous trails, so this is more suited for those with stronger legs.



Subashiri Trail

Noted for Goralto, the sparse seen from the summit, which is visible from anywhere, as well as the exciting sand run. The trail is shaded by trees in the lower part, making it easy to climb.



Gotemba Trail

Noted for its magnificent views. There is a large difference in elevation and few trees, so this is more suited for experienced climbers with stronger legs. Running down the sand is popular.



Yoshida Trail

Best for access to the trailhead. Of the four routes, this has the most shops, huts, and first-aid shelters.

Before You Climb

Do you want to try climbing Japan's tallest mountain?

Mt. Fuji can be a dangerous place, thanks to the huge differences in temperature and atmospheric pressure between the base and the summit. This can cause altitude sickness, hypothermia, and other dangerous conditions.

Seven Safety Rules for Climbers of Mt. Fuji



Check Your Equipment

Check your equipment before climbing.

Equipment Checklist

No.	Name of equipment	Description	Check
1	Mountaineering boots	Use thick-soled high-cut boots. Laces must be tied.	
2	Shirts	Wear quick-drying shirts.	
3	Protective clothing	Wear knee cap or recommended to protect your shin from the sun.	
4	Backpack	Don't choose heavy backpack because they do not dry easily.	
5	Waterproof gear	Quick-drying underwear made of synthetic fiber, etc. is recommended.	
6	Cap/Hat	A hat or cap will protect your head from the sun.	
7	Gloves	Soft gloves will protect your eyes from UV radiation and dust.	
8	Ice ax	Gloves will keep your hands warm and serve as protection from hand injury when you fall.	
9	Ice ax	Check axels are better.	
10	What to bring	Leave a bill to fill backpack that is easy to carry.	
11	First aid kit	Bandage, cover is also required.	
12	First aid kit	Use a waterproof container.	
13	First aid kit	Carry a small amount of water. Carry a small amount of food.	
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Mt. Fuji was registered in the World Cultural Heritage List under the title "Fujisan, Sacred Place and Source of Artistic Inspiration" in June 2013 during the 37th session of the UNESCO World Heritage Committee. The inscribed property consists of 25 sites including shrines and lakes which reflect the essence of Fujisan's sacred and artistic landscape.



"Get closer to Mt. Fuji."
Mt. FUJI WORLD HERITAGE CENTRE SHIZUOKA
Opened in Fujiyama City in December 2017
The center is a place where you can learn about the wonder of "Fujisan," sacred place and source of artistic inspiration.
Address: 5-12 Miyasaka, Fujiyama City, Shizuoka
Hours: 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.
(Until 6:00 p.m. in July and August) *Last entry 30 minutes before closing.
Closed: Third Tuesday of every month and facility inspection days.
Admission Fee: Individuals 300 yen, Groups (20 or more people) 200 yen
Access: From JR Shizuoka Station, take the Shizuoka Line to Fujiyama Station, then walk for 10 minutes.
Parking: Use Fujiyama City Kanda River Tourist Parking (paid parking)
TEL: 0544-21-3776

The Fujisan Conservation Donations are used for projects such as environmental conservation safety measures.


We will make Mt. Fuji climbing safer and more comfortable.

<Fujisan Conservation Donations>

Donors: Those who enter Mt. Fuji 5th Station and above during climbing season are asked for a voluntary monetary contribution.
Amount: 1,000 yen (basic donation) per person
Where to pay: Mt. Fuji 5th Station and Mizugutsuka Parking Area


<Examples of how Fujisan Conservation Donations are used>





Donate and receive a souvenir (wooden tag)
You can also give to the Fujisan Conservation Donations via online or convenience store payment without climbing Mt. Fuji.

Payment Period:
Online and convenience store payment: June 1-September 10
Scan Me for online and convenience store payment



2023 expected crowding

Avoid crowds and climb Mt. Fuji safely and comfortably!

Normal Slightly crowded Crowded Very crowded

7 July	8 August	9 September
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Marine Day

Fuji Mountain Race (Yoshida Trail)

Mountain Day

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Useful Links

Useful links to find essential information on Mt. Fuji.



Shizuoka Prefecture Mt. Fuji Climbing Safety Information Twitter Account
Please follow!
Get information on weather and safety when climbing Mt. Fuji.



Disaster Route Map in Case of Mt. Fuji Eruption
Check evacuation routes in case of an eruption.



Get real-time weather information for Mt. Fuji.



Shizuoka City Cultural Bureau 10th Anniversary
The 10th anniversary of the inscription of the world heritage Fujisan



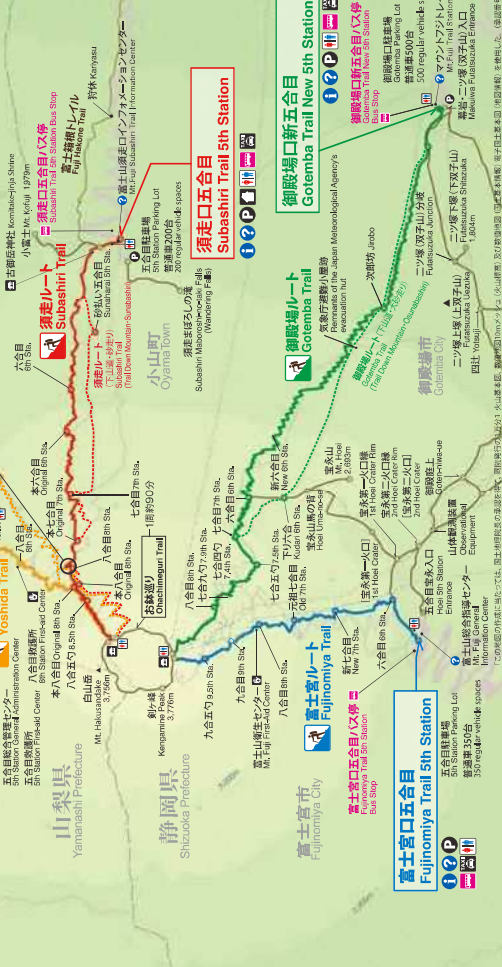
Shizuoka Prefecture
Contact: World Heritage Division, Sports, Culture and Tourism Department, Shizuoka Prefecture Government

Mount Fuji Charter

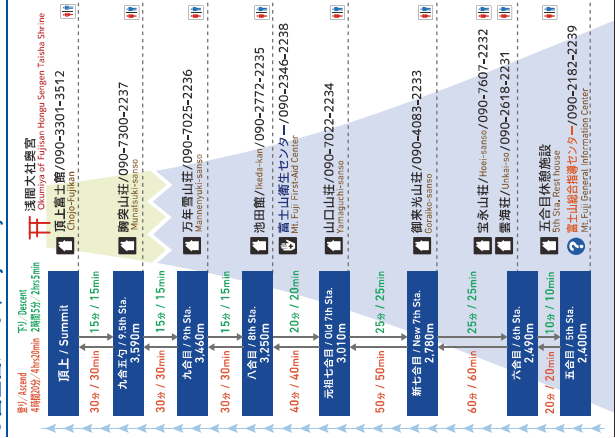
- Learn about and be familiar with the nature of Mt. Fuji and be thankful for its abundant gifts.
- Cherish and protect its beautiful nature, thus cultivating an enriched culture.
- Strive to reduce the burdens on the natural environment and live in harmony with Mt. Fuji.
- Each individual should actively work towards preservation of its environment.
- Pass on the nature, scenery, history and culture of Mt. Fuji to future generations.

富士山平面図
Mt. Fuji map

Watch out for when the trail splits.
Yoshida Trail turns left &
Subashiri Trail turns right
(Edoysa/Shita-Edoysa)



富士宮ルート / Fujinomiya Trail



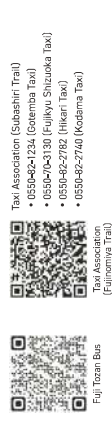
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Access

1. By train, bus or taxi

You may take a mountain bus (route bus) or taxi from Mishima Station, Fuji Station, Fujinomiya Station, Gotemba Station or Shin-Fuji Station to the 5th Station of Fujinomiya Trail, Subashiri Trail and Gotemba Trail. Scan the corresponding QR code below to check for access information and timetable.



2. By car

Private car traffic restrictions are imposed in some areas on the Fujisan Skyline and the Fuji Azami Line during climbing season for environmental preservation and congestion mitigation. However, these restrictions do not apply to some vehicles. The period of private car traffic restrictions changes every year. Scan the QR code on the right for more detail.

3. Access when private cars are restricted

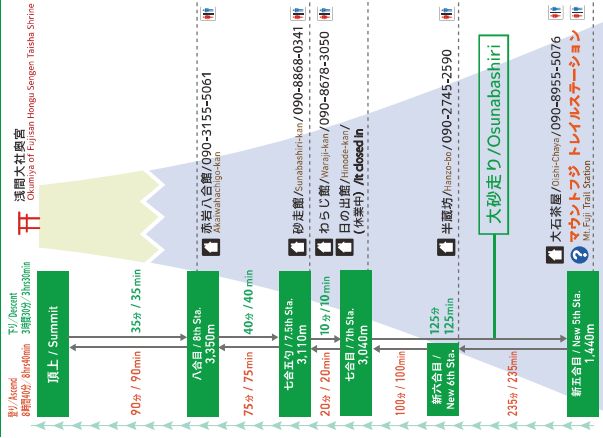
For those who will visit Mt. Fuji by car during the period when private cars are restricted:
Park at Mizugutsuka parking lot (Suyama, Susono City) to go to Fujinomiya Trail
Fuji Azami Line Park & Ride (Subashiri, Oyama-cho) to go to Subashiri Trail and then take the shuttle bus to the 5th Station.

The shuttle bus and parking lot are paid services.

*You can drive to Gotemba Trail New 5th Station (near the entrance of the trail) because no private vehicle restrictions are imposed there.

*Mizugutsuka parking lot (2308-5 Suyama, Susono City) has free electric vehicle chargers.

御殿場ルート / Gotemba Trail



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Gotemba Trail

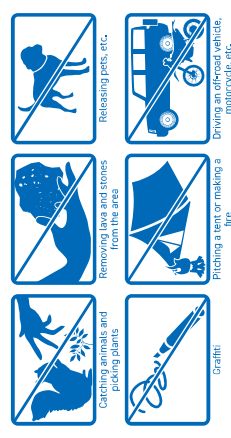
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Emergency Rescue Request

Please call 110 (police) or 119 (fire/ambulance). If there is a sign near you, give them the number of that sign.

Rules for Climbing Mt. Fuji

The 5th Station and higher areas of Mt. Fuji are designated as a National Park Special Preservation Area. The following acts are prohibited and punishable under the Natural Parks Act:

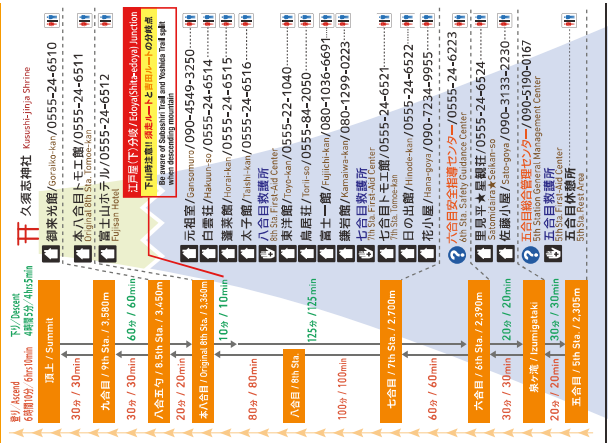


In Case of Illness or Injury

First-aid shelters(only during climbing season)

- Fujinomiya Trail 8th Station ▶ Mt. Fuji First-Aid Center ☎ 090-2346-2238
- Fuji Subaru Line 5th Station ▶ 5th Station First-Aid Shelter ☎ 090-5190-0167
- Yoshida Trail 8th Station ▶ 8th Station First-Aid Shelter ☎ 090-5190-0167
- *For the 5th, 7th & 8th Station First-Aid Shelters, contact the Yamanashi Prefecture Mt. Fuji 5th Station General Administration Center.
- *First aid shelters may be open at varying times of the year.

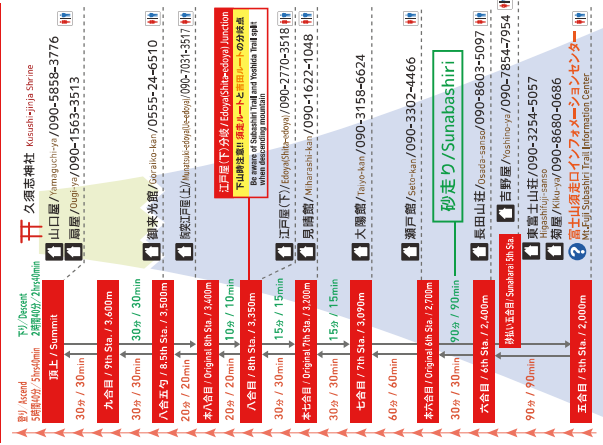
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