

Travel around

Atami city

with

Yu-Yu Bus

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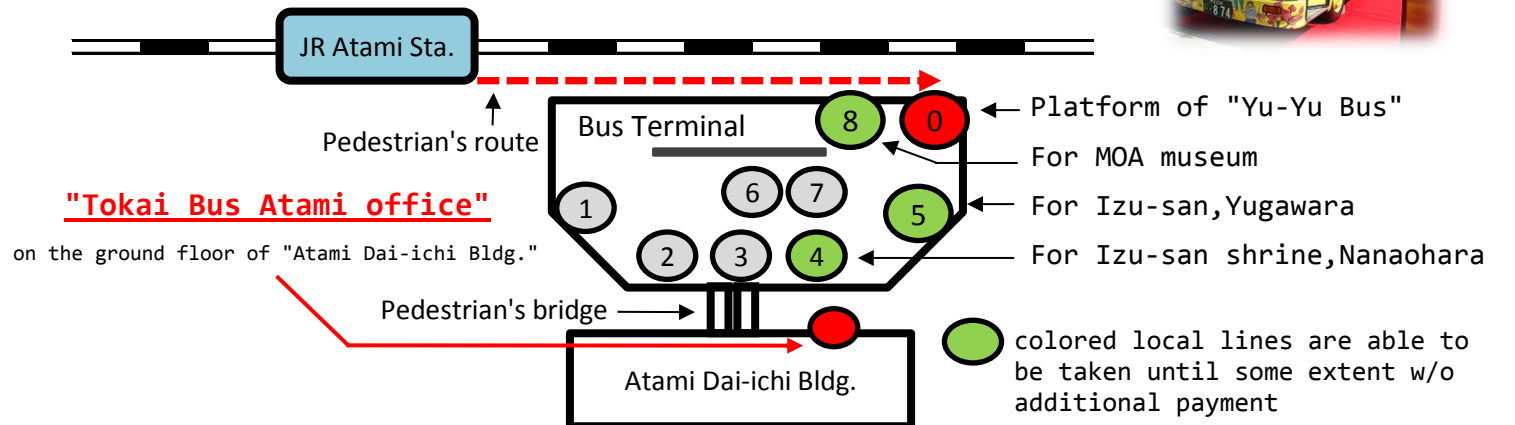
What is Yu-Yu (湯～遊～)Bus?

"Yu-Yu Bus" is the loop bus that connects main sightseeing spots or attractions in Atami city, one of the oldest and most developed Onsen (hot spa) resorts in Japan. You can board this bus with the Yu-Yu Bus pass that is available in the bus or "Tokai Bus" Atami office (see the map below) for a moderate fee. If you have a "one day pass", you can take the specific local bus line of Tokai Bus also without any additional payment.



	One day pass	One ride only
Adult	700JPY	250JPY
Child	350JPY	130JPY

*Child=under 12 years



You can get discounts at most paid attractions by showing this pass.

The yellow colored small bus is easy to distinguish from others. It usually circles clockwise around Atami city every 30-45 minutes during daytime everyday.

And the local buses (green colored one on the above map) you are entitled to take with the pass are operated every 15-30 minutes. More frequent service is available than it seems!

Albeit some guidebooks say Atami is not the place to attract foreign travelers, find out yourselves if their guidance is correct or not. This "Yu-Yu Bus" can be a great help.

Timetable of "Yu-Yu Bus" (as of Apr 2015)

(Schedule may change. Please ask the staff for details.)

Bustop	(Japansese)	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
① Atami Sta.	熱海駅	9:45	10:15	10:45	11:15	11:45	12:30	13:00	13:45	14:15	14:45	15:15	15:45	16:15
② Kasuga-cho	春日町	45	15	45	15	45	30	0	45	15	45	15	45	15
③ Daigaku Byoin	大学病院前	48	18	48	18	48	33	3	48	18	48	18	48	18
④ Omiyanomatsu	お宮の松	50	20	50	20	50	35	5	50	20	50	20	50	20
⑤ Sun Beach	サンビーチ	51	21	51	21	51	36	6	51	21	51	21	51	21
⑥ Ginza	銀座	52	22	52	22	52	37	7	52	22	52	22	52	22
⑦ Shinsui Park	親水公園	53	23	53	23	53	38	8	53	23	53	23	53	23
⑧ Marine-spa Atami	マリンスパあたまみ	53	23	53	23	53	38	8	53	23	53	23	53	23
⑨ Nishikigaura	錦ヶ浦入口	57	27	57	27	57	42	12	57	27	57	27	57	27
⑩ Atami Castle	熱海城	10:04	34	11:04	34	12:04	49	19	14:04	34	15:04	34	16:04	34
⑪ Akao Herb&rose garden	アカオハーブ&ローズガーデン	8	38	8	38	8	53	23	8	38	8	38	8	38
⑫ Somedono Bridge	染殿橋	13	43	13	43	13	58	28	13	43	13	43	13	43
⑬ Kiunkaku West	起雲閣西口	14	44	14	44	14	59	29	14	44	14	44	14	44
⑭ Minaguchi	水口	15	45	15	45	15	13:00	30	15	45	15	45	15	45
⑮ Ohyu Kanketsusen	大湯間歇泉	18	48	18	48	18	3	33	18	48	18	48	18	48
⑯ Sakimi-cho	咲見町	20	50	20	50	20	5	35	20	50	20	50	20	50
⑰ Atami Sta.	熱海駅	23	53	23	53	23	8	38	23	53	23	53	23	53

"Yu-Yu Bus" has 13 operations a day. (Guide isn't available in the 13th only) If you're a one day pass holder, you can get on and off at any of the services.

Please note that the busstop of "Yu-Yu Bus" is different from the one of the local bus.

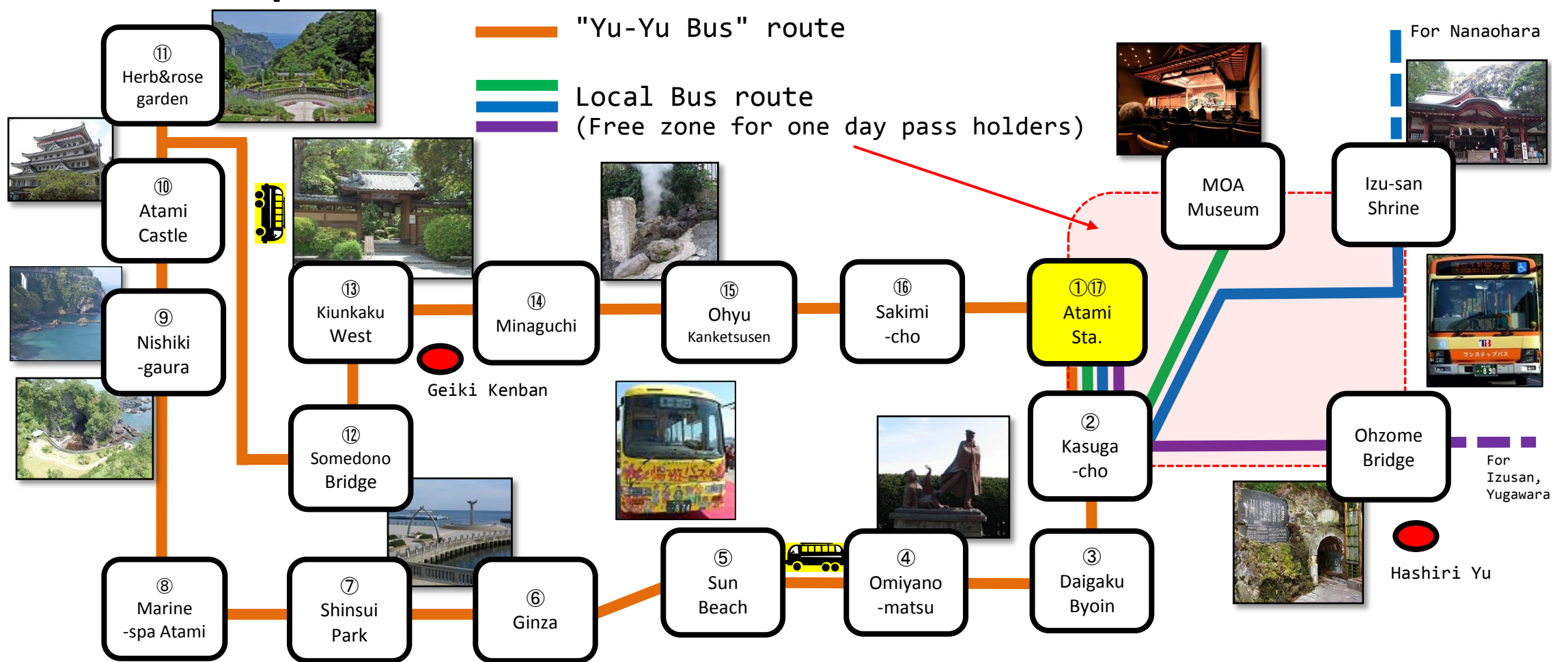


Busstop of "Yu-Yu" Bus



Busstop of the general local bus

Casual route map of "Yu-Yu Bus"



Detailed map is available in another brochure (sorry but in Japanese only)

Shinsui Park

Jacaranda trees are beautifully planted along the street. A pleasure ship suitable for families is available.

Marine-spa Atami

A big complex of leisure pool and public bath. Swimsuit can be borrowed. (Tel; 0557-86-2020)

Nishikigaura

Over 80m high cliffs formed by lava of Taka volcano that flowed to the ocean thousands of years ago.

Atami Castle

This is a fully recreated castle on the summit. A foot bath with a great view is available.

Akao Herb & rose Garden

Literally a huge botanical garden you can enjoy roses, herbs, and tremendous view of the Pacific Ocean.

Kiunkaku

Originally constructed as a villa of the wealthy merchant in 1919, it was turned to a high-class Ryokan. Japanese-style architecture and garden has been loved by famous novelists. Now this is opened for public.

Geiki Kenban (芸妓見番, the nearest busstop is "Kiunkaku West")

Every Saturday morning you can enjoy Geishas' traditional dance. The practice also can be seen on weekdays (NOT everyday), though a reservation in advance is required. (Tel; 0557-81-3575)

Ohyu Kanketsusen ("Kanketsusen" means "the geyser")

Atami has several geysers, the place where boiling water shoots out from the ground, that made this town one of the oldest domestic Onsen resort.

MOA museum of Art

This museum has over 3,500 descent collection of Japanese and Chinese old paintings, ceramics, and calligraphies.

Izu-san Shrine

Minamoto Yoritomo, the founder of the Kamakura Shogunate (1185?-1333), met his wife at this shrine.

Hashiri yu (Running hot spring, the nearest busstop is "Ohzome Bridge")

This is another Kanketsusen that still puts out boiling water at 170 liter a minute. They named this spring after the tremendous scenery and boiling water that keeps coming out.



How to ride "Yu-Yu Bus"

Using local buses in Japan may be intimidating to foreign tourists but worth a try. To spend some time with local people in the same vehicle and exchange a few words may spice up your trip.

- ① Enter and exit the bus through the front door. If you are a one day free pass holder, please show the pass to the driver when boarding.
- ② If you are a one ride only user, please drop 250 JPY into the clear receptacle next to the driver.
- ③ The coin changer beside the receptacle does not accept high value banknote. To bring small change with you in advance is recommended.
- ④ Press the button after the announcement of the stop to signal the driver that you wish to get off at the next.



the One day Free Pass