



# Cruise Train

## Seven Stars in Kyushu

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25th Period - Autumn to Winter Course Guide

Departure September 2024 ▶▶ February 2025

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## Application Procedure and Period

Website ● Application Procedure:



Please apply via the official application form on the “Seven Stars in Kyushu” website.

● Application Period:

Between March 1st (10:00 JST)~March 31st, 2024 (23:59 JST)

\*Please note that if applications exceed available rooms, a lottery will be conducted to draw participants.

\*The result will be notified by e-mail from late April 2024.

\*In the case that a lottery winner cancels their application, someone else will be drawn fairly to replace them.

Please see the “Seven Stars in Kyushu” website for further information.



## 4 Days 3 Nights Journey - Accommodation for the second night

### For Deluxe Suite passengers

#### Ryotei Hanzuiryo

■ Room type Japanese & Western style

\*Each room has stairs.

\*No wheelchair access to the rooms.

■ Meals Dinner: served in room

Breakfast: served in room

Surrounded by greenery, this is a luxurious ryokan (Japanese-style Inn) made in the sukiya style of building by a Kyoto shirine carpenter in gardens of nearly 20,000 square meters. You can experience the extraordinary in a private space with beautiful scenery in each of the four seasons. The soothing Japanese gardens will ease your heart and invite you to spend a blissful time there.



### For Suite passengers

#### Unzen Miyazaki Ryokan

■ Room type Western style or Japanese & Western style

■ Meals Dinner: Dinner: served in restaurant

Breakfast: Dinner: served in restaurant

Founded 95 years ago, fully renovated hotel in 2022. All facilities are designed to have enough of nature and enjoy feeling the changing of the seasons. From all rooms, you will fully enjoy the distinct beauty of each season and also magnificent scenery of Unzen National Park. Have a pleasant “special ryokan stay” with all five senses.



#### Mt. Resort Unzen Kyushu Hotel

■ Room Type Japanese & Western style

■ Meals Dinner: served in private room

Breakfast: served in private room

The stylish resort hotel, located right in front of Unzen Jigokudani (Hell Valley) - volcanic activity where steam and hot sulfurous gasses spurt from the ground, comprises 4 independent buildings (entrance, rooms, restaurant, villas) situated in a vast site. Villa style accommodation with laid-back ambience has private semi open-air and outdoor hot spring baths and offers you a comfortable and relaxing stay.



## A trip to experience the blessings of the earth and traditional culture, and to encounter the charm of Kyushu that will lead to the future

This is a trip around the northern part of Kyushu, where you can experience the blessings of the rich land and culture of Kyushu. Yufuin and Unzen, which have long been loved as health resorts, the Taisho-ji family temple of the Hosokawa clan tucked away in Kumamoto City, vegetables grown carefully from seeds on the rich land of the Shimabara Peninsula, the “Wakaran” - a mixture of Japanese, Chinese and Dutch culture of Nagasaki as it has flourished as a gateway to foreign countries, and the World Agricultural Heritage passed down in the Kunisaki area of Oita Prefecture. Do not miss the opportunity to experience the charm of Kyushu, which we hope to pass on to the future.

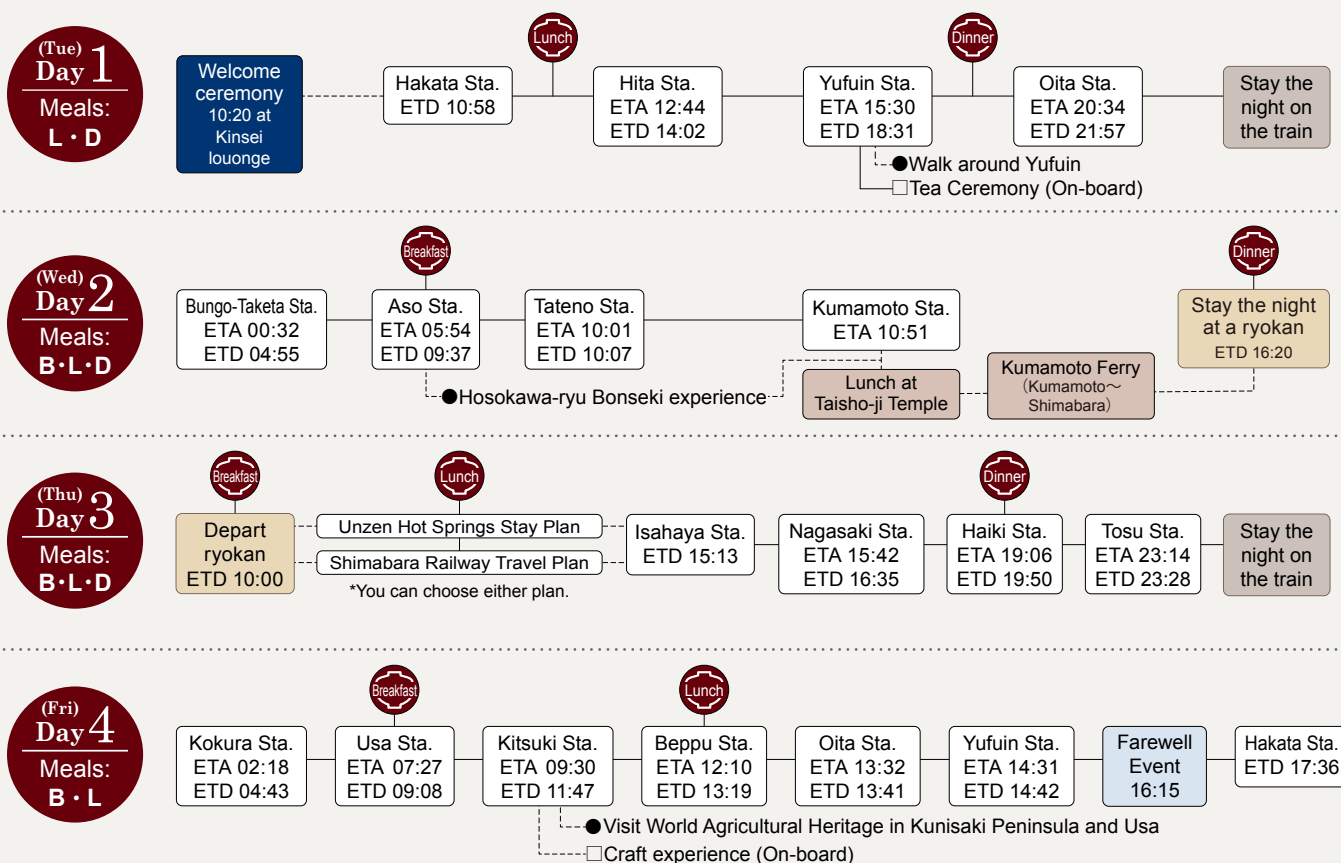


Seven Stars in Kyushu

Day 1  
Day 2  
Day 3  
Day 4  
Bus section  
Kumamoto Ferry section

\*The itinerary may be changed.

Stay the night on the train Stay the night at a ryokan



### Departure dates and fares Tuesday departure - Friday return

2024 September 3<sup>rd</sup> October 1<sup>st</sup>, 15<sup>th</sup> November 5<sup>th</sup> December 10<sup>th</sup> 2025 January 14<sup>th</sup>, 21<sup>st</sup> February 11<sup>th</sup>

| Room type<br>(Days 1 and 3) | Accommodation (Day 2)         |                               | Fares (yen per person) |                   |
|-----------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|------------------------|-------------------|
|                             | Accommodation Facility        | Room type                     | 2 people / 1 room      | 1 person / 1 room |
| Suite                       | Unzen Miyazaki Ryokan         | Japanese & Western or Western | ¥1,150,000             | ¥1,700,000        |
|                             | Mt. Resort Unzen Kyushu Hotel | Japanese & Western            |                        |                   |
| Deluxe Suite B              | Ryotei Hanzuiryo              | Japanese & Western            | ¥1,500,000             | ¥2,200,000        |
| Deluxe Suite A              |                               |                               | ¥1,600,000             | ¥2,400,000        |

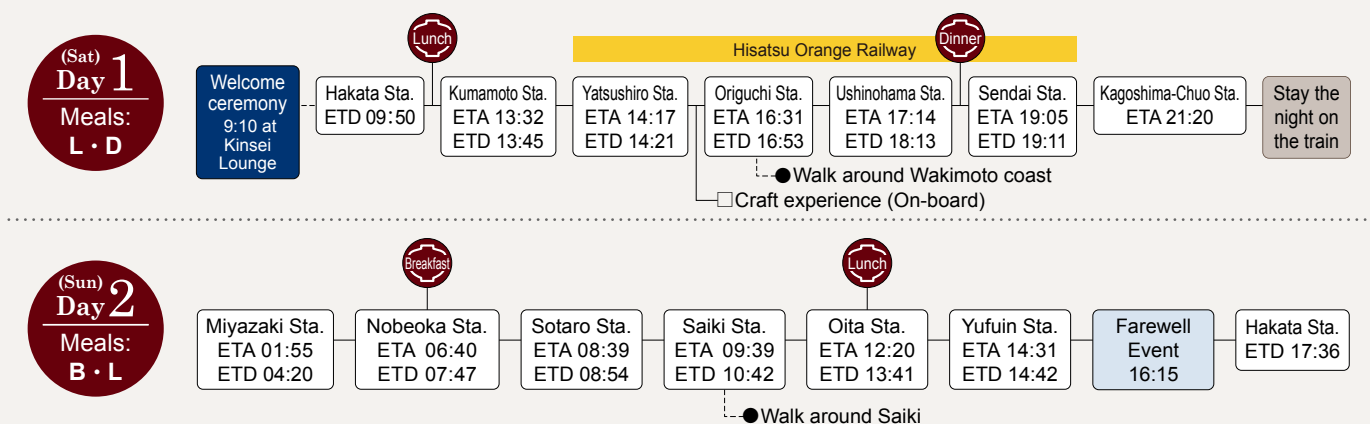
\*Please also refer to [P3. Summary for 2D1N and 4D3N tours.]

\*NOTE: From the Deluxe Suite A observation window, it is possible to enjoy the view. Depending on the direction and the position of the train engine, views may be blocked in some part of the journey.

\*NOTE: On Day 2 around 10:00, a member of crew will enter the Deluxe Suite A room about 10 minutes for switchback safety confirmations between Aso Station and Tateno station.

## A journey to enjoy the elegant Seven Stars while viewing the changing nature of Kyushu from the train windows

This is two days journey around Kyushu and you can experience richness of spending time on the Seven Stars. This journey brings you relaxing moments in the changing scenery through the train windows. The sunset over the East China Sea from the Hisatsu Orange Railway will be a memorable. Communicating with local people in small coastal towns, the west and east of Kyushu, will surely warm your heart.



### Departure dates and fares Saturday departure - Sunday return

2024 **September** 14<sup>th</sup>, 21<sup>st</sup> **October** 12<sup>th</sup>, 26<sup>th</sup> **November** 9<sup>th</sup> **December** 7<sup>th</sup>, 14<sup>th</sup>, 21<sup>st</sup> 2025 **January** 18<sup>th</sup>, 25<sup>th</sup> **February** 15<sup>th</sup>, 22<sup>nd</sup>

| Room type<br>(Train) | Fares (yen per person) |                   |
|----------------------|------------------------|-------------------|
|                      | 2 people / 1 room      | 1 person / 1 room |
| Suite                | ¥650,000               | ¥900,000          |
| Deluxe Suite B       | ¥800,000               | ¥1,400,000        |
| Deluxe Suite A       | ¥900,000               | ¥1,500,000        |

\*NOTE: From the Deluxe Suite A observation window, it is possible to enjoy the view. Depending on the direction and the position of the train engine, views may be blocked in some part of the journey.

### Summary for 2D1N and 4D3N tours

- Departure / Arrival station : Hakata Station
- Minimum passengers : 16 people
- Condition : All passengers must be over 12 years old.
- Tour conductor : There will not be a tour conductor, but the crew will guide passengers.
- Bus company : JR Kyushu Bus Company, LLC Izumi Kanko Bus (includes the use of a taxi for some portions).
- Accommodation : **2 Days 1 Night** 1st night : On-board the Seven Stars  
**4 Days 3 Nights** 1st, 3rd night : On-board the Seven Stars, 2nd night : Accommodation in Kirishima.
- Other :
  - Please note that it will not be possible to request a specific room for the Seven Stars.
  - One of the Suite rooms on the train is a wheelchair accessible room.
  - There are optional plans in the itinerary, and one can choose one. The costs involved for these optional plans are included in the fare.
  - The farewell event will be held on the final day of the journey on-board the Seven Stars.
- Remarks : ● Excursion □ Workshop ——— Seven Stars ----- Other transportation

# ■ Terms of use Important information - please read before making an application

## Application

- Participants will be drawn by lottery in the case that applications exceed the amount of available space.
- All applicants must be over 12 years of age.
- Please contact the Cruise Train Tour Desk for further details about the application.

## Fares

- The fare includes all rail, bus and other transportation costs/fares incurred during the specified itinerary, as well as on-board service costs (except for some facilities), tour bus costs, all meal costs, all beverage costs (except for vintage alcoholic beverages), sightseeing costs, and for the 4 Days 3 Nights journey accommodation costs, taxes and service charges at the accommodation facility designated by the Company. However, transportation costs to and from the stars and finish point, cleaning costs, telephone costs, additional meal and beverage costs, and other miscellaneous expenses of a personal nature as well as the associated tax and service charges are not included. Also, injury and/or illness related expense, and excess baggage charges (over the stipulated limitation) are not included.
- The fare quoted is for one passenger, and this amount changes depending on if one or two passengers share one room. Please see the fare chart for detail.

## Passenger rooms

- Please be aware that due to overbooking some room types on the train and accommodation facility (4 Days 3 Nights journey only) may be not available.
- It is not possible to share rooms with other passengers.

## Cancellation etc.

- Applications for cancellations and or changes to one's itinerary are only permitted if received during business hours of the Cruise Train Tour Desk.
- Changes in departure date, room type or journey will involve having to cancel the passenger reservation, and depending on the timing of the cancellation this will incur cancellation charges. Please be aware that in some cases such as full booking, rebooking may not be possible.

## Other points

- Please be aware that the content and/or time of the stated tours, and events are subject to change without notice.
- All photos in this brochure are images.
- Information contained in this brochure is subject to change or cancellation.
- After departure it is not possible to claim a partial refund for unused portions of the journey due to the passengers request (JR tickets, bus and other means of transportation, accommodation costs, meals etc).
- It is not possible to apply discounts of any kind to the journey.
- Please do not on-sell tickets to third parties through such means as internet auctions. If such on-selling actions are discovered, the travel contract may be cancelled.
- Please be aware that the contents (including events and meal contents) of the journey introduced in non-official media such as magazines and blogs may differ from the actual content offered.

Please read the following important information before making an application.

## 【Travel Conditions Document (Excerpt)】

### ■ Agent-Organized Tour Contract

This tour is planned, solicited, and implemented by the Kyushu Railway Company (3-25-21 Hakataekimae, Hakata-ku, Fukuoka; Travel Agent License Number Registered at Tourism Agency: 965) (hereinafter referred to as "the Company"). A traveler participating in this tour shall conclude an Agent-Organized Tour Contract (hereinafter referred to as the "Travel Contract") with the Company. The contents and conditions of the Travel Contract shall include the conditions described for each course, the following terms and conditions, the final documents to be delivered prior to departure, and the Agent-Organized Tour section of the travel agent contract of the Company.

### ■ Traveler's application and conclusion of Travel Contract

- (1) A Traveler needs to fill in a travel application form designated by the Company and submit it to the Company with the application fee or the full amount of the travel fee. The application fee shall be treated as all or part of a "Travel Fee," a "Cancellation Charge," and a "Penalty," respectively.
- (2) The Company shall accept reservations for a Travel Contract by telephone, postal mail, facsimile, Internet or other means of communication. In this case, the contract is not in effect as of the acceptance of the reservation. The Traveler is required to submit an application form and the application fee to the Company within 7 days from the day following the one on which the Company notifies the Traveler about its acceptance of the reservation.
- (3) The Travel Contract shall be deemed to be put into effect when the Company agrees to the conclusion of the contract and receives the Traveler's application fee stipulated in (1) of this article.

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| Application fee (per person) | 20% of the travel fee |
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### ■ Travel Contract Cancellation Initiated by Traveler

A Traveler may cancel a Travel Contract at any time by paying a cancellation charge stipulated in the following table.

| Date of cancellation of the Travel Contract                                    | Cancellation charge       |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------|
| ● If calculated from the date preceding the date of commencement of the travel | Travel with accommodation |
| ① Cancellation on or before the 21st day                                       | None                      |
| ② Cancellation on or after the 20th day (excluding ③—⑦ below)                  | 20% of the travel fee     |
| ③ Cancellation on or after the 7th day (excluding ④—⑦ below)                   | 30% of the travel fee     |
| ④ Cancellation on the day preceding the commencement date of the travel        | 40% of the travel fee     |
| ⑤ Cancellation on the date of commencement of the travel                       | 50% of the travel fee     |
| ⑥ Not participating in the travel without notification                         | 100% of the travel fee    |
| ⑦ Cancellation after commencement of the travel                                | 100% of the travel fee    |

### ■ Items included in Travel fee

Fares and charges applicable to transportation facilities identified in the itinerary, accommodation expenses, meal expenses, beverage expenses (some exceptions), and sightseeing fees (admission fees and remuneration for travel guides, etc.), and the relevant consumption and other taxes. These expense shall not be refunded to the Traveler even if any portions of the services are not used due to the Traveler's reasons.

### ■ Special Compensations

Whether the company is deemed liable, if the Traveler suffers certain damage on your life, physical body, or baggage, due to abrupt and incidental external causes taking place during the participation in an Agent-Organized Tour, the Traveler is entitled to the following special compensations in accordance with the provisions on special compensations set forth in the terms and conditions for travel services stipulated by the Company (in Agent-Organized Tour Contract); fifteen million (15,000,000) yen as a compensation for death, twenty thousand (20,000) yen to two hundred thousand (200,000) yen as consolatory money for hospitalization, depending on the number of required cases of hospitalization, and ten thousand (10,000) yen to fifty thousand (50,000) yen as consolatory money for hospital visits, depending on the number of actual hospital visits made. The damage compensations for the Traveler's personal belongings shall be the maximum of one hundred and fifty thousand (150,000) yen per traveler. However, the maximum compensation for any single item or a pair of items shall be one hundred thousand (100,000) yen.

### ■ Travel Conditions applied to a Traveler concluding a Travel Contract with a Communication Contract

The Company may accept a travel application through "telephone, mail, facsimile, or other communication means" from a card member of a credit card company (hereinafter referred to as "Card Member"), affiliated with the Company (hereinafter referred to as "Affiliated Company") on the condition of "accepting payments of Travel Fees without the Card Member's signature" on the prescribed payment slip. (Hereinafter referred to as "Communication Contract.")

- (1) The Communication Contract shall also be governed by the "Agent-Organized Tour Contract as stipulated in the Terms and Conditions of Travel Contract" of the Company.
- (2) The "Card Use Day" in this article shall mean the date on which the Card Member and the Company should pay the travel fees, etc. or settle the refund debts in accordance with the Travel Contract.
- (3) In application for a Communication Contract, the Card Member shall provide the Company with the applicable "title of the Agent-Organized Tour Contract," "Departure Date," "Membership Number," and "Card Expiration Date," etc.
- (4) The Travel Contract with a Communication Contract shall come into effect at the time notice that the Company agrees to accept the application has reached the Traveler.
- (5) In case of intending to conclude a Communication Contract, if the Traveler is unable to settle his/her debts relating to the travel fee, etc., in whole or in part, in accordance with the credit card membership rules of the Affiliated Company, for such reasons as the Traveler's credit card being invalid, etc., the Company may not agree to conclude a Travel Contract.

### ■ Procurement of domestic travel insurance

If a Traveler is injured during the travel, significant amounts of expenses may incur for medical treatments and transportation, etc. Furthermore, in the case of an accident, it may become quite difficult to seek damage compensations or recover other compensations from the responsible parties. To be properly insured against these situations, the Traveler is recommended to procure domestic travel insurances for covering sufficient amounts. For information about domestic travel insurance, please contact any sales personnel at the outlet in which you have made your travel application.

### ■ Change in Traveler

- (1) A Traveler may assign your position under the Travel Contract to a third party by obtaining the Company's approval. In this case, you need to fill in a form designated by the Company, and submit it to the Company. For this change, you are required to pay to the Company ten thousand (10,000) yen for the changes. However, a case in which all members using a single room are to be changed shall be deemed to be cancellation of the contract. Furthermore, no change in travelers shall be accepted after the commencement of travel.
- (2) The assignment of the Traveler's contractual status under the Travel Contract shall take effect at the time when it is approved by the Company. After the assignment, an assignee of the Traveler's status under the Travel Contract shall succeed to all rights and duties applicable to the Travel under the Travel Contract. The Company may decline the change request mentioned above.

### ■ Handling of Personal Information

The Company shall use the personal information presented in the application form submitted at application for the tour for the purpose of communication with the Traveler, and to the extent necessary for making arrangements for services to be provided by transportation and accommodation facilities to be used in the travel to which the Traveler has applied, and for ensuring the receipts of these services.

※ In addition, the personal information may be used by the Company and the outlet for (1) providing information on products, services and campaigns of the Company and other companies affiliated with Company, (2) requesting Travelers to present opinions, etc. after travel, (3) requesting responses to the Company questionnaires, (4) providing special services, and (5) compilation of statistical data.

### ■ Reference Date for Travel Conditions

These travel conditions shall be based on those effective as of February 1, 2024.

**\*Resale or assignment of rights through the Internet, etc. shall be strictly prohibited.**

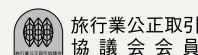
## Travel Planning and Operation

# Kyushu Railway Company

Travel Agent License Number Registered at

Tourism Agency: 965

3-25-21 Hakataekimae, Hakata-ku, Fukuoka-shi 812-8566 Japan



### ● For more information or inquiry

A Certified Travel Services Manager is a responsible person in charge of providing customers with travel-related services at a travel agency.

If you have any question about explanations provided by your service representative concerning this particular tour, please feel free to contact the following manager.

## "Cruise Train" Tour Desk

E-mail: [cruisetrain@jrkyushu.co.jp](mailto:cruisetrain@jrkyushu.co.jp)

■ Business hours: Monday, Thursday to Saturday 10:00 - 17:30 (JST)

■ Closed: Tuesday, Wednesday, Sunday and Japanese public holidays.

■ Certified Travel Supervisor: Miwako Akiyama

