

伊勢崎

WELCOME TO
ISESAKI



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All about Isesaki



Isesaki has long thrived thanks to the area's silkworm-raising industry, boasting a history of more than 1,200 years as a textile town. Textiles developed as the area's main industry, such that Isesaki meisen silks became known around the nation.

Recommended tourist spots in Isesaki



Isesaki Meiji-Kan

いせさき明治館 (Former clinic)

Built in 1912, this building features numerous examples of European-style architecture. Isesaki meisen silks are on exhibit at all times.

Koizumi-Inari Jinja Shrine

小泉稲荷神社

More than 200 torii gates made as offerings to the shrine decorate the grounds in front. At 22.17 meters, the large gate is the tallest in the prefecture.



Isesaki Auto Race

伊勢崎オートレース

Auto racing is a government-controlled competitive sport, like horse-racing, bicycle-racing, and boat racing. Reaching speeds of 150 kilometers per hour, the cars are truly exhilarating to watch.



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Tomioka Silk Mill and Related Sites Tajima Yahei Sericulture Farm

田島弥平旧宅

The former Tajima Yahei residence, built by Tajima himself in 1863, was not only Tajima's home but also a silkworm nursery. Tajima Yahei is known for perfecting Seiryoku, a system of silkworm culture technologies to produce quality silkworm eggs.



世界
文化
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Fun for both kids and adults!

Kezouji amusement park

華蔵寺公園遊園地



Giant Ferris Wheel “Himawari”



A symbol of the amusement park, this ferris wheel stands 65 meters high for an incredible panoramic view!

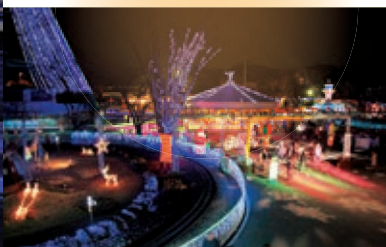


Roller coaster

This roller coaster runs up to an astonishing 75 kilometers per hour! Enjoy the thrill—and the speed—of this unique roller coaster that runs over the pond.



Don't miss this magical display of lights decorating the entire park during the Christmas season.



Isesaki Monja savory pancake with various fillings

Monja (savory pancake) is said to have been brought back to this area from Tokyo. In Isesaki, it is prepared in a simple way, with sauce for flavor along with cabbage, fried batter bites, etc., plus soup.



Flavor Category

“AMA”: sweet flavor with strawberry syrup

“KARA”: savory flavor with curry powder

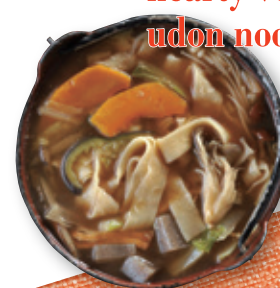


Isesaki Traditional Iconic Foods Flour cuisine



Okkirikomi hearty vegetable soup with udon noodles

In this a traditional specialty of Gunma Prefecture, a variety of vegetables are stewed together with wide udon noodles.



Yakimanju baked manju buns

This local Gunma specialty snack is sweet buns on a stick coated in sweet miso sauce and roasted.



Typical festivals of Isesaki

First Market

Event period January 11



Daruma doll market



Lots and lots of bamboo decorations

Star Festival (Tanabata)

Event period Mid-July



One-ton mikoshi portable shrine

Isesaki Summer Festival

Event period Early August



Approximately 10,000 fireworks with background music

Isesaki Fireworks Festival

Event period Mid-September

Flower-viewing spots in Isesaki

Enjoy the flowers of the four seasons

1 January

2 February

3 March

4 April

5 May

6 June

7 July

8 August

9 September

10 October

11 November

12 December



Late February to mid-March
Kawazu cherry trees
Isesaki Shimin-no-mori Park



Late March to early April
Yoshino cherry trees
Kezouji Park, etc.



Mid-April to mid-May
Azalea
Kezouji Park



Early to late June
Iris
Akabori Japanese Iris Garden



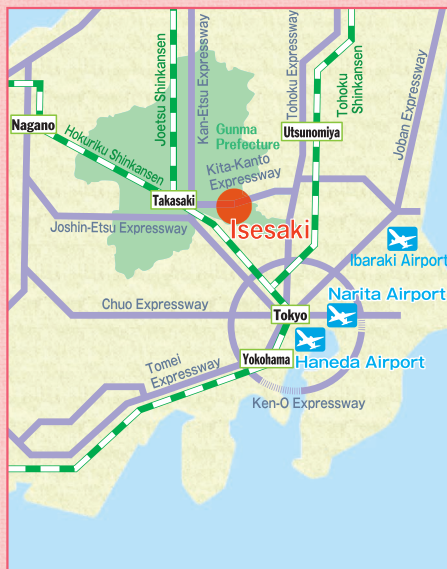
Early July to early August
Lotus
Akabori Lotus Garden



Mid-October to early November
Chrysanthemum
Akabori Small-chrysanthemum Park



ACCESS



Train passengers

Please note that the times indicated are estimates.
These times do not include time required for connections.

Asakusa Station	Tobu Limited Express Ryomo 1 hour and 30 minutes	Ota Station	Tobu Iesaki Line local train 25 minutes / total of ¥2,330	Iesaki Station
Tokyo Station	JR Joetsu Shinkansen 1 hour	Takasaki Station	JR Ryomo Line local train 30 minutes / total of ¥5,260 (assigned seats in regular cars)	
Ueno Station	JR Takasaki Line rapid train/local train 2 hours	Takasaki Station	JR Ryomo Line local train 30 minutes / total of ¥2,270	
Shinjuku Station	JR Shonan-Shinjuku Line special rapid/rapid train 2 hours	Takasaki Station	JR Ryomo Line local train 30 minutes / total of ¥2,270	



Using the highway bus

Shinjuku Station South Exit (Shinjuku Expressway Bus Terminal)	JR Bus Kanto 2 hours and 10 minutes / ¥1,650	Iesaki Station
Haneda Airport	Nippon Chuo Bus 4 hours and 5 minutes / ¥3,600	
Narita Airport	Kanetsu Kotsu 3 hours and 35 minutes	
	Maebashi Station JR Ryomo Line local train 15 minutes / total of ¥4,890	



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