



With a number of visitors to Yufuin area expected to rise in spring, the best tourism season, a new train service “Rapid YUFUIN” will be launched to operate on the Kyudai main Line, utilizing the 50 series train cars, which were used for “SL Hitoyoshi” until the service was terminated in March 2024.

Enjoy a safe and easy trip with Rapid YUFUIN in the coming spring!

1. Service Period

- April 26th (Sat), 28th (Mon), 29th (Tue)
- May 3rd (Sat), 5th (Mon), 6th (Tue)

*The train service will be available for the limited period of 6 days.

【Train Interior (illustrative only)】



2. Operation Area

- 【Service Bound for Yufuin】Tosu < --- > Yufuin
- 【Service Bound for Kurume】Yufuin < --- > Kurume

3. Departure Times / Stops

【Service Bound for Yufuin】

Tosu 10:43[Dep] - Kurume 10:54[Dep] - Hita 11:54[Dep] - Yufuin 13:13[Arr]

【Service Bound for Kurume】

Yufuin 14:40[Dep] - Hita 15:44[Arr] - Kurume 16:55[Arr]

*It arrives at Hita Station at 15:57 on May 6th (Tue/Public Holiday)

4. Specs/Fares/Various Fees

- (1) **Seat Type All Seats are for Reservation Only** (Boarding Capacity: 132 People)
- (2) Train Cars: Diesel Train + **50 Series Carriages (3 cars)** *Not operated by steam train
- (3) Fares / Fees
 - ① **Customers with JR KYUSHU RAIL PASS**
 - JR KYUSHU RAIL PASS Online Bookng (fee applies)
 - Reserved seat ticket, which can be combined with JR Kyushu Rail Pass, is available for reservation on JR Kyushu's official reservation site "[JR KYUSHU RAIL PASS Online Booking.](#)"
 - Besides JR Kyushu Rail Pass, the additional 1,000 Yen (half price for minors) will be necessary.

➤ Ticket Counter

- Redeem your JR KYUSHU RAIL PASS and reserve seat at JR Kyushu ticket Counter
- Seats may be sold out any time.

* Reservation can be made without extra fee (available only for a limited number of time for Northern Kyushu & Southern Kyushu areas)

② Customers with Regular Ticket

- Seat reservation ticket (1,680 Yen for 1 adult/half price for minors) is required besides boarding ticket.
- Make reservation at JR ticket counter or at "[JR-KYUSHU Train Reservation](#)" the online reservation service of JR Kyushu

5. When to Start Making Reservation

-Seat can be reserved from 10AM (JST) on the day one month prior to the date of travel.

* The ticket for the train will become available on the website "JR KYUSHU RAIL PASS Online Booking" from 5:30PM on April 1st, 2025.

6. Others

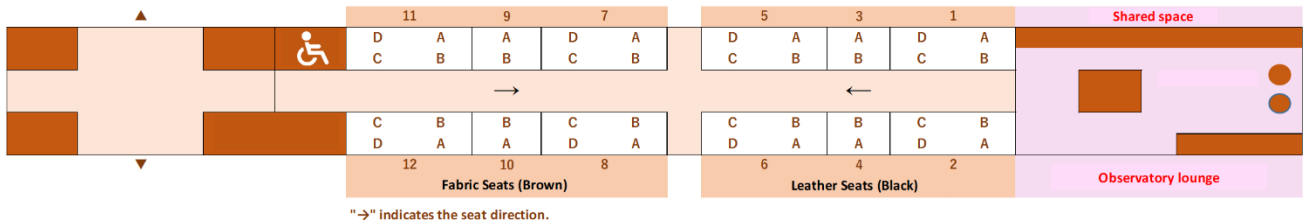
- (1) Cabin crew will not be on duty.
- (2) Please note that there will be no onboard services.

[Seat Chart (all seats are for reservation only)]

▼Car-1

←Kurume

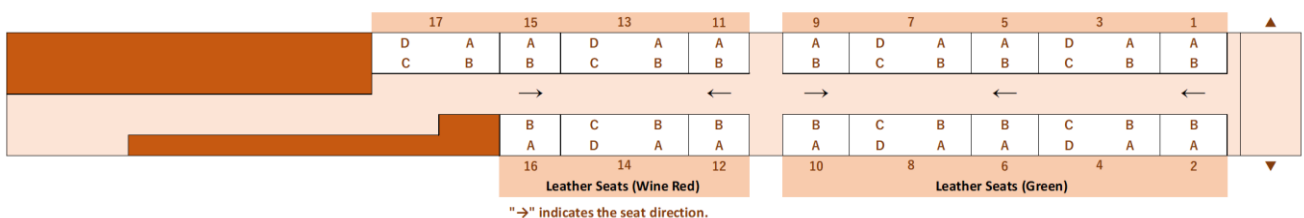
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▼Car-2

←Kurume

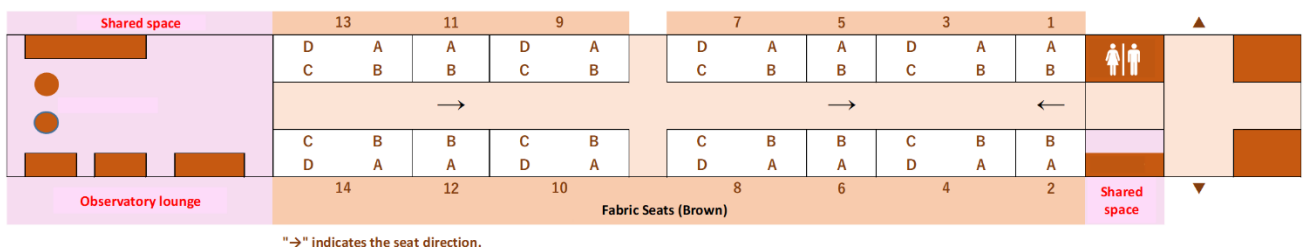
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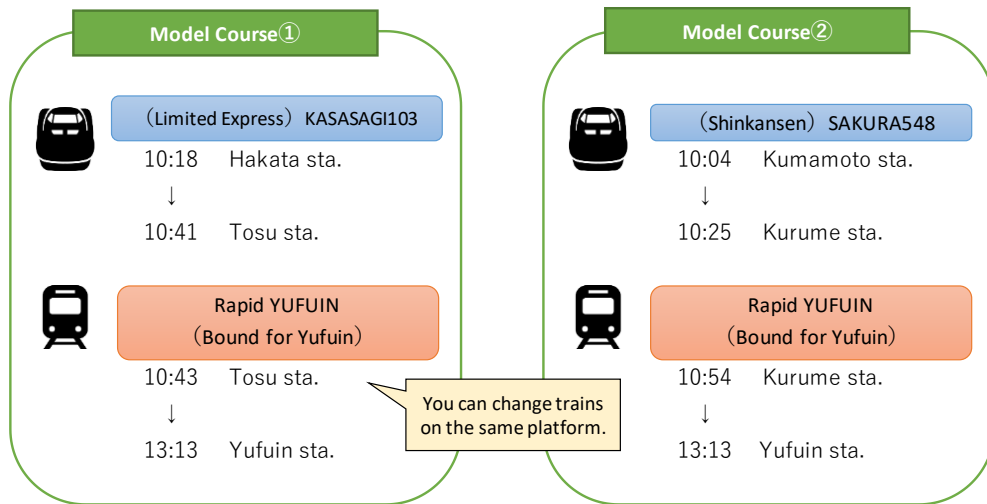
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【Reference: Model Train】

- From Hakata or Kumamoto to Yufuin



- From Yufuin to Hakata or Kumamoto

