



Osaka Metro

Famous and
Hidden

Your Guide to Osaka's Cherry Blossom Viewing Spots!

Enjoy Cherry Blossom Viewing Like an Osaka Local!

Let Osaka Metro Take You on a Spur of the Moment Cherry Blossom Viewing Stroll!

There are many accessible cherry blossom viewing spots along the Osaka Metro lines. A guide for everything. From Osaka's landmarks to hidden parks loved by locals. The best day to go cherry blossom viewing is the same day you wake up with the idea to go.
※ All spots are allowed BYO.

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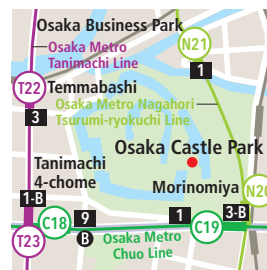
There are two time slots for the BBQ area on weekdays and three time slots on the weekends and holidays. A stove, tableware and fired coal are provided. Junior high school student and older: From 1,000 yen, elementary school student: From 500 yen. Reservations are available.

T23 C18 Tanimachi 4-chome / T22 Temmabashi / C19 N20 Morinomiya / N21 Osaka Business Park

Osaka Castle Park

A famous Osaka landmark with approximately 3,000 cherry blossom trees. Osaka's designated standard cherry blossom tree is at the Nishinomaru Garden. You can also enjoy night-viewing here. For a limited time, you can make reservations for a paid BBQ area inside of the "Forest of Memorial Trees" (Kinenju no Mori).

♿ 5-min. walk from **T23 C18** Tanimachi 4-chome Station Exit 1-B or Exit 9. 5-min. walk from **T22** Temmabashi Station Exit 3. 3-min. walk from **C19 N20** Morinomiya Station Exit 1 or Exit 3-B. 10-min. walk from **N21** Osaka Business Park Station Exit 1. (BUS) 2-min. walk from Bambacho Bus Stop. ☎050-3816-6374. Nishinomaru Garden "Kan-ou Nighter (Cherry blossom viewing night)" is 9:00am-9:00pm. (Last entry 30 minutes before closing time. Lights go on at 6pm). Admission fee: 350 yen (normal time 200 yen).



Y12 Higobashi / Y13 C16 Hommachi / C15 S13 Awaza

Utsubo Park

A large park in the center of Osaka, divided by Naniwa-suji into East Park and West Park. Famous for its rose garden and tennis courts, it is also a great place to look at cherry blossoms under the wide sky in the daytime or at night on the way home from work. Be mindful of the rules. Take your trash home and don't make too much noise in the middle of the night.

♿ East Park: 5-min. walk from **Y12** Higobashi Station Exit 7. 3-min. walk from **Y13 C16** Hommachi Station Exit 28. West Park: 3-min. walk from **C15 S13** Awaza Station Exit 1 or Exit 9. (BUS) 2-min. walk from Utsubo-hommachi 1-chome Bus Stop. ☎06-6941-1144. Open 24 hours a day.





N26 Tsurumi-ryokuchi Flower Expo Memorial Park Tsurumi Ryokuchi

At the former site of the International Garden and Greenery Exposition held in 1990, you can still come to see a diversity of seasonal flowers and plants. 1,400 cherry blossom trees bloom in the spring time, followed by baby blue eyes, tulips and roses. There are no trash cans in this area, so you will have to take your trash home.

🚶 10-min. from N26 Tsurumi-ryokuchi Station Exit 1. 🚌 5-min. walk from Tsurumi-kuyakushomae Bus Stop. ☎ 06-6911-8787. Open 9:00am-5:30pm everyday.



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T17 Miyakojima/T22 Temmabashi Kema Sakuranomiya Park

This park runs along both sides of Okawa River for about 4.2 kilometers, starting from Kema-araizeki to Temmabashi Bridge. The promenade that goes along Okawa River is lined with about 4,800 cherry blossom trees and is a great path for flower viewing. You will want to take a leisurely walk as you gaze at the tour boats on Okawa River.

🚶 North side: 15-min. walk from T17 Miyakojima Station Exit 2. South side: 10-min. walk from T22 Temmabashi Station Exit 2. 🚌 10-min. walk from Higashinoda Bus Stop. ☎ 06-6312-8121 (Kita-ku, Ogimachi Park office). ☎ 06-6912-0650 (Miyakojima-ku, Tsurumi Ryokuchi Park office). Open 24 hours.



Maybe next year?

Sakura River Cruise.



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The Osaka Castle and the Japanese Mint are some of the many famous cherry blossom sites you will pass by when you go along the Okawa River, which flows gently through Osaka's city center. The Aqua Liner (in photo) and Ofune Camome offer cherry blossom viewing cruises right as the cherry blossoms bloom. Cherry blossom viewing leisurely from a boat is an experience that is unique to the water city of Osaka. You can make reservations starting as early as mid-January, so don't forget to give it a try next year.

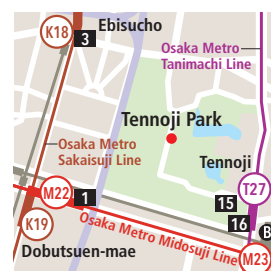


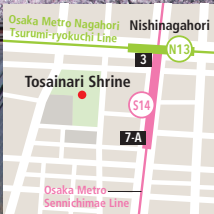
Photo courtesy / Tennoji Zoo Park Office

M23 T27 Tennoji/M22 K19 Dobutsuen-mae/K18 Ebisucho Tennoji Park

A popular family destination which has Ten-shiba, a zoo and a museum within the park. Tsutenkaku Tower and Abeno Harukas can be seen in the near distance. Great options for adults are graceful cherry blossom viewing paths inside of Chausuyama and the Japanese garden Keitakuen, which was once owned by the wealthy merchant Sumitomo family (admission required).

🚶 Right outside of M23 T27 Tennoji Station Exit 15 or Exit 16. 5-min. walk from M22 K19 Dobutsuen-mae Station Exit 1. 7-min. walk from K18 Ebisucho Station Exit 3. 🚌 4-min. walk from Abenobashi Bus Stop. ☎ 06-6771-8401. Open 7:00am-10:00pm everyday.





Tosainari Shrine

🚶 5-min. from **S14 N13** Nishinagahori Station Exit 3 or 7-A. Free admission (light up for night viewing is from sunset to around 10:00pm)

S14 N13 Nishinagahori

Tosainari Shrine

A shrine that has been revered as a guardian deity of the storehouse for the Tosa Clan since the Edo Period, it has also been a long favorite as a cherry blossom viewing spot. For about ten days, there is a night-viewing light up which starts around when the cherry blossoms bloom in late March. A cherry blossom festival is held at the adjacent Tosa Park around the time when the flowers bloom (between March 26 and April 3).



Tempozan Park

🚶 5-min. walk from **C11** Osakako Station Exit 2. **(BUS)** A quick walk from Tempozan Harbor Village Bus Stop. ☎06-6571-0552 (Yahataya Park Office)



Shitennoji Temple

🚶 3-min. walk from **T26** Shitennoji-mae Yuhigaoka Station Exit 4. **(BUS)** 5-min. walk from Tennoji Nishimon Bus Stop. ☎06-6771-0066. Open 8:30am-4:00pm (closes at 4:30pm starting April). Admission to Central Temple and Garden: 300 yen each for adult. Enjoy Eco Card: Discount admission for adult: Central Temple and Hombo Garden 300 yen→200 yen, Treasure Hall 500 yen→200 yen, etc.



Momogaikae Park

🚶 6-min. walk from **M24** Showacho Station Exit 3. ☎06-6691-7200 (Nagai Park Office). Open 24hours a day.



Momogaikae Park

M24 Showacho

A great place for a walk with a row of cherry blossom trees that spread along the promenade around the pond. Momogaikae-myojin Shrine is located at the corner of the park to honor the legend of Prince Shotoku defeating a large snake living in Momogaikae Pond.



Tempozan Park

C11 Osakako

Tempozan, the lowest among mountains with class 2 triangular stations in Japan, is located in the park. There are about 150 cherry blossom trees, including Yoshino Cherry trees. Landmarks such as the Ferris wheel and Tempozan Bridge are nearby.

Weekend only cherry blossom viewing cruise



N27 Kadoma-minami

Cherry blossoms of Sunago Waterway

A popular spot for cherry blossom viewing at Kadoma, with cherry trees blooming on both sides of the 500-meter long waterway. There is nothing like looking at the cherry blossoms from a boat! 🚶 15-min. walk from **N27** Kadoma-minami Station Exit 4. ☎06-6902-5605 (Kadoma Appeal Promotion Division).



Shitennoji Temple

T26 Shitennoji-mae Yuhigaoka

It is thought that Shitennoji Temple was built by Prince Shotoku in 593 to enshrine the Four Devas. In Hombo Garden called "Gokura-ku-Jodo Garden (Paradise Garden)," there are about 50 cherry blossom trees, including Someiyoshino Cherry. Traditional matcha green tea is available at teahouse "Washo-An," which was donated by Konosuke Matsushita.



Leisurely Cherry Blossom Viewing!

Hidden Cherry Blossom Viewing Spots

For those of you who have gone to all of the famous cherry blossom viewing spots and want to see more but skip the crowds, here are some hidden cherry blossom viewing spots.

Take the Imazato Liner to go cherry blossom viewing!

The Imazato Liner will mark its first anniversary in April. There are many parks along the line with beautiful cherry blossom trees. Plan which stores you want to stop by before you go cherry blossom viewing.



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A handmade confectionary shop that is popular with the locals. A tin box of cherry blossom cookies (1,300 yen for the small size) is available during the cherry blossom viewing season and includes sakura and matcha flavored cookies. We recommend making reservations for large orders. **BRT** 7-min. walk from Nakagawanishi-koen-mae Stop. 1-15-9 Shin-imazato, Ikuno-ku, Osaka. ☎06-6753-3322. Open 11:00am-7:00pm. Closed Sun. and Mon.



Handmade steamed pork bun store Ryufuku, in front of Nagai Station

The first directly managed location of the popular store based in Komagawa Nakano. The filling is freshly made with domestically sourced onions and pork every morning. Committed to making everything handmade, even the soft buns are made from scratch at the store. 160 yen each. **BRT** A quick walk from Subway Nagai Stop. 4-11-2 4 Nagaihigashi, Sumiyoshi-ku, Osaka. ☎06-6690-0767. Open 10:00am-8:00pm. Closed on Tue.

A short walk!

Shin-imazato Park

A popular cherry blossom viewing park with a large number of trees. Next to the park is Suehiroinari-jinja Shrine along with a large sacred tree. **BRT** 7-min. walk from Nakagawanishi-koen-mae Stop.

Subway Imazato

Nakagawanishi- koen-mae

Oikebashi

Abenobashi

Tatsumi Park

Also known as "Rohto Park" because of its location just south of the Rohto Pharmaceutical Headquarters. A popular spot for local cherry blossom viewers. **BRT** 7-min. from Oikebashi Stop.

Tajima 5-chome

Kumata

Hirano Shirasagi Park

The park has a baseball field, an open space with large playground equipment and a walking course and is a great place to have a leisurely time, even if you aren't there for the cherry blossoms. **BRT** 5-min. walk from Imagawa 2-chome Stop.

Nagai Park

Osaka's famous large park of over 657,000 square meters. Because of the many varieties of cherry blossom trees planted here, flower viewing can be enjoyed from late March to around mid-April. **BRT** A quick walk from Subway Nagai Stop.

Imagawa 2-chome

A short walk!

Nakanochugakko- mae

Nagainishi 2-chome

Subway Nagai

Yuzato 6-chome

Nakanochugakko- mae

Kirenishi Central Park

A park along the Imagawa River. While there isn't a large area for cherry blossom viewing, there is a row of Yoshino Cherry trees that makes it a perfect backdrop for a leisurely walk. **BRT** 6-min. walk from Yuzato 6-chome Stop.



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A crepe and soft serve ice cream shop in front of the park. Crepes on their menu include the classics like chocolate banana and strawberry, as well as savory options like bacon and potato salad (450 yen).

BRT 5-min. walk from Imagawa 2-chome Stop. 8-2-14 Imagawa, Higashisumiyoshi-ku, Osaka. No phone. Open 1:00pm-6:00pm. Closed Mon.

What is the Imazato Liner?

Currently piloting two different routes!

Operating to stimulate demand for Osaka Metro Imazatosuji Line's extension (between Imazato and Yuzato 6-chome), as well as to test the possibility for replacing railway with it. Both routes start at Osaka Metro Imazato Station. The Nagai Route ends at Subway Nagai via Yuzato 6-chome, while the Abenobashi Route ends at Tennoji. The Imazato Liner called **BRT**.

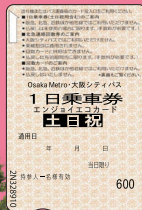


The fare is 210 yen.

The fare is uniform at 210 yen for all destinations. If you use your IC card, you will get a 160 yen discount when you transfer between the Imazato Liner and Osaka Metro. You will get a 210 yen discount if you transfer between Imazato Liner and Osaka City Bus, making the trip virtually free.

Sightseeing offers for Osaka city!

Get around Osaka easily and affordably with the Enjoy Eco Card!



What is the Enjoy Eco Card?

A 1-day pass giving you unlimited rides on all Osaka Metro and Osaka City Bus lines! Excluding Osaka City Bus services for Universal Studios Japan™ and IKEA. Receive special show-to-save benefits on around 30 sightseeing attractions in Osaka.

city when you present your pass! (Note: Only available on the day of use) There is no expiry date. The pass can be purchased in advance!

Prices

Adult 800 yen
(Weekends/Holidays 600 yen)
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Where to buy

Inside Osaka Metro station buildings (Ticket vending machines, Commuter pass sales counters, Shops) Bus (On board --Numbers are limited. Thank you for your understanding in the event that they sell out., Osaka City Bus business offices)

Osaka Metro Route Map



How to get on Osaka Metro

How to get on the Osaka City Bus

Please put the magnetic railway pass into the ticket gate and go through.

Please push the nearest 'stop' button when approaching the Bus Stop you wish to get off at.

When the Bus stops, please put your magnetic pass card through the fare box before alighting from the bus.



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