Model Route to KOYASAN

◎From Tokyo 東京から高野山へのルート

Route 1
東京 → Shin-Osaka (JR Shinkansen Line)
新大阪 → なんば (地下鉄御堂筋線) → Namba (Nankai Line) (徒歩8分)
Namba → Gokuraku-bashi → KOYASAN (Nankai Koya Line/Cable car) 【about 5h in total】

Route 2
東京 → Shin-Osaka (JR Shinkansen Line)
新大阪 → 和歌山 (JR特急"くろしお")
和歌山 → Hashimoto (JR Sakurai・Wakayama Line)
Hashimoto → Gokuraku-bashi → KOYASAN (Nankai Koya Line/Cable car) 【about 6h in total】

Notes:
The easiest way to access to KOYASAN is Route 1 and 3-1.
Limited Express is also available on Nankai Line.
For Route 2, local and rapid trains are also available between Shin-Osaka and Wakayama. (via Osaka)
* Recommended route for JR pass holders.
However, it will require longer time and you need to consider train time schedule.
※Please refer to the following URL for train time schedule. http://www.hyperdia.com/en/

◎From Kyoto 京都から高野山へのルート

Route 3
京都 → Shin-Osaka (JR Shinkansen Line or JR Tokaido Honsen Line)
新大阪 → Route 1 or 2 【about 3h - 4h in total】

Route 4
京都 → 奈良 (近鉄線)
Kintetsu Nara → Osaka-Namba (Kintetsu Line)
Namba → Gokuraku-bashi → KOYASAN (Nankai Koya Line/Cable car) 【about 3h30min. in total】

Route 5
京都 → 奈良 (JR奈良線)
Nara → Takada → Hashimoto (JR Sakurai・Wakayama Line)
Hashimoto → Gokuraku-bashi → KOYASAN (Nankai Koya Line/Cable car) 【about 4h in total】

Notes:
If you are a JR pass holder, you can also take JR trains from Hashimoto to Kii-Tanabe (via Wakayama), and then change to Ryujin Bus. However, it will require longer time.

For those who are planning to go to KUMANO KUDO from KOYASAN 高野山から熊野古道へのルート

Route 1
KOYASAN → Gomadanzan → KUMANO Hongu Taisha (Nankai Rinkan/Ryujin Bus) 【about 4h30min. in total】
※Bus service from Koyasan to Kumano Hongu Taisha is only available from April to November. Also, reservation is required for the service.
Please refer to the following number for bus time schedule and reservations.
※You need to change buses at Gomadanzan.

Route 2
KOYASAN → Gokuraku-bashi → Hashimoto (Cable car / Nankai Koya Line)
Hashimoto → Gojo (JR Sakurai・Wakayama Line)
Gojo → KUMANO Hongu Taisha (Nara Kotsu Bus) 【about 5h30min. in total】

Notes:
If you are a JR pass holder, you can also take JR trains from Hashimoto to Kii-Tanabe (via Wakayama), and then change to Ryujin Bus. However, it will require longer time.

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