

Enjoy 1,100km of rail travel and discover Shikoku, Japan's fourth largest island.

The **JR All Shikoku Pass** is valid not only on JR trains, but also on the trains and trams of Kotoden, Iyotetsu, Tosaden, Tosa Kuroshio Railway and the Asa Kaigan Railway.

Shikoku's major city of **Matsuyama**, is home to pilgrimage temples, feudal **Matsuyama Castle** and **Dogo Onsen**, one of Japan's earliest known hot-spring spas. Famed for its traditional beauty, Shikoku is a must visit for all travellers to Japan.

Please note: Rail Plus cannot sell point to point tickets for Japan, they must be purchased locally.

### JR All Shikoku Pass Information

The **JR All Shikoku Pass** allows for unlimited travel on the following rail company lines:

Unlimited use of unreserved and reserved seats on all trains operated by **JR Shikoku, Kotoden, Iyotetsu, Tosaden, Tosa Kuroshio Railway** and the **Asa Kaigan Railway**, except the **Seto Sunrise** overnight train.

JR trains can be used as far as Kojima Station, the first station north of the Seto Ohashi Bridge on Honshu Island.

Pass holders are entitled to discounts on the airport buses between Takamatsu and Takamatsu Airport, Matsuyama and Matsuyama Airport and Kochi and Kochi Ryoma Airport.

### Details:

- The pass is only available in Ordinary (standard) Class
- Validity: 2, 3, 4 or 5 consecutive days.
- The full name of the passenger as per passport including middle name must be provided at time of booking.
- Rail Plus will issue an exchange voucher which must be presented in Japan.
- At the time of the exchange you must nominate a start date for the pass. The date nominated can be any date in one month from the date of exchange.

### Exchanging vouchers:

Rail Plus will issue an exchange voucher which must be presented in Japan and exchanged at one of the following stations: Takamatsu Station, Matsuyama Station, Tokushima Station, Kochi Station or Osaka's Umeda Station. You will receive two Exchange Order vouchers labelled A and B (located in top right hand corner) which must be presented locally within 3 months of issue date. Your Rail Pass is then valid for travel to commence within 1 month.

### Important:

At the time of exchange you will be asked to fill out a short application form and show your passport with the temporary visitor stamp that you would have received upon entry into Japan. You must have your passport with you at the time of the exchange. A photocopy of your passport is not acceptable and without your passport the exchange cannot be made.

Children under six years of age may travel free of charge if they do not occupy a seat i.e. are seated on their parent's lap. (One child per adult only) Otherwise, they will need a Child Rail Pass

It is not possible to purchase point to point tickets for trains in Japan from Australia or New Zealand.

### **Making a Seat reservation:**

To make a reservation, travellers must go to any Travel Service Center or a Reservation Office (Midori-no-madoguchi)- green pictogram: at a JR station, or to the sales office of a JR-associated travel agency. There you can show your PASS and obtain a reserved seat ticket before boarding



### **Payment & Ticketing**

Conditions:

To be eligible to purchase this product, you must meet one of the following criteria:

#### **Temporary Visitor (Foreign Tourist)**

You are a foreign tourist visiting Japan for sightseeing under the entry status of "Temporary Visitor".

#### **Dual Citizen (Japan & country of residence)**

You are a dual citizen and have two passports (Japan and your country of residence). You MUST enter Japan under the entry status of "Temporary Visitor" on your foreign passport in order to exchange your Exchange Order for the Japan Rail Pass in Japan.

**Validity:**

An Exchange Order is issued which must be presented in Japan at one of the following stations: Takamatsu Station, Matsuyama Station, Tokushima Station, Kochi Station or Osaka's Umeda Station. You will receive two Exchange Order vouchers labelled A and B (located in top right hand corner) which must be presented locally within 3 months of issue date. Your Rail Pass is then valid for travel to commence within 1 month.

- Passengers travelling on non JR lines must pay respective fares and charges applicable to sections travelled.
- All reservations must be made locally in Japan.
- The JR Shikoku pass is not valid on the Sunrise Seto line and buses.

**Child Ages: 6 - 11 years.** Children under six years of age may travel free of charge if they do not occupy a seat i.e. are seated on their parent's lap. (One child per adult only) Otherwise, they will need a Child Rail Pass.

We also recommend that you take out suitable travel insurance to cover (as a minimum) the costs incurred if you cancel your trip.

## Cancellation & Amendments

### Conditions:

- To reissue a pass a fee applies: \$20 fee + 10% Carrier Penalty per pass applies.
- An Exchange Order that has not been presented for issuance of a Japan Rail Pass must be returned within 12 months from issuing date.
- A \$30 fee + 10% Carrier Penalty per pass applies.
- Exchange Orders or Japan Rail Passes will not be reissued or refunded if lost or stolen.