Toyama Park

Administrator Tokyo Metropolitan Park Association

- Location Toyama 1,2,3 chome, Okubo 3-chome, Shinjuku Ward
- Contact Information Toyama Park Administration Office tel: 03-3200-1702 (3-5-1 Okubo, Shinjuku-ku 169-0072)

Transport 10-minute walk to Okubo section, 25-minute walk to Mt. Hakone section, from Shin-Okubo (JR Yamanote line)

or Takadanobaba (JR line, Tozai line). 8-minute walk to Mt. Hakone section from Waseda (Tozai line).

15-minute walk to Mt. Hakone section from Wakamatsu-Kawada (Oedo line).

6-minute walk (Okubo district), 8-minute walk to Mt. Hakone section, from Nishi-waseda (Fukutoshin line).

The park is home to Mt. Hakone, the highest hill within the Yamanote Line. It is separated into the Mt. Hakone section centering on that hill, and Okubo section with fields on the other side of Meiji Street.

Mt. Hakone

This area once held the Toyama Sanso Garden, built by Owari clan lord Mitsutomo Tokugawa in 1661-1673, that recreated sights from the 53

stages of the Tokaido Road. The garden was enormous, encompassing 450,000 m² of rolling land. About 80% of it was taken up by ponds, making it a famous garden with pond-circling paths. A hill called



Splashing pond

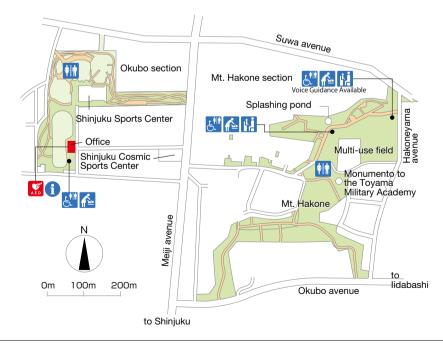
Gyokuenho shaped like an overturned bowl covered the area is now called Mt. Hakone 44.6 meters above sea level. The rolling landscape is a place were children play, and the south side is a field that provides precious greenery for high-rise apartment dwellers.



Mt. Hakone

Monument to the Toyama Military Academy

Toyama Military Academy stood here from 1873 to 1945. A monument to commemorate that institution stands at the base of Mt. Hakone.



Opened / August 16, 1954

Area / 186,471.481m²(some areas are state-owned property provided under gratuitous loan)

Trees / Tall trees: 5,200, shrubs: 25,000 m2, Grass: 6,500 m2

Main plants / Acer palmatum, nettle tree, Japanese zelkova, cherry (someiyoshino), stone oak, Japanese camellia, orange osmanthus, sasanqua, azalea Facilities / Splashing pond, Shinjuku Sports Center(administered by Shinjuku Ward:tel: 03-3232-0171)