

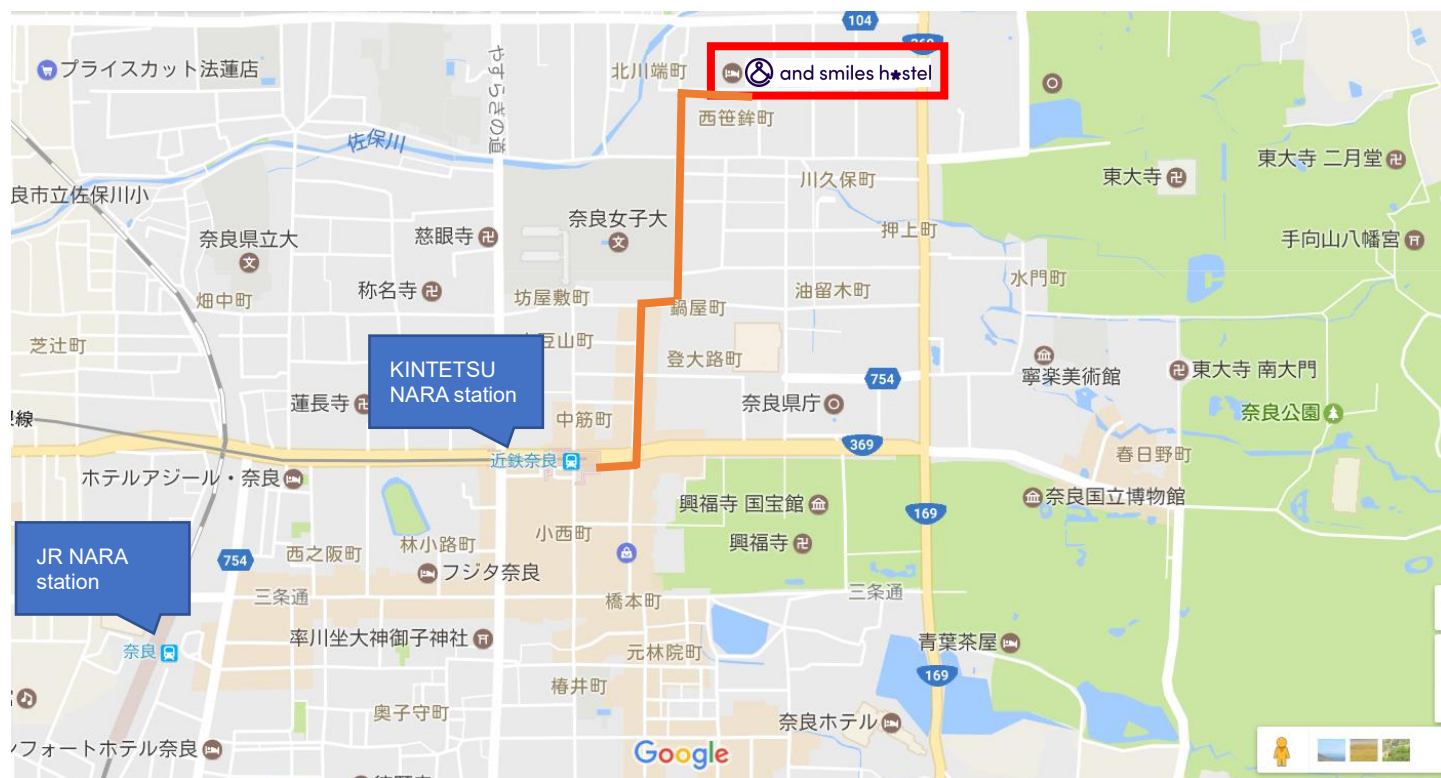
Access Information to and smiles hostel

Thank you for choosing “and smiles hostel” and I hope I could help you with this information for your easy access.

1. Access to Nara

First of all, it is very confusing but there are 2 “Nara” stations which locates 1km apart from each other, which means if you reach different “Nara” station, you have to carry your bag extra 1km!!

Please set your goal on “KINTETSU NARA [近鉄奈良]” station – wrong one is “JR NARA” station!



i. From KANSAI airport

1) Easiest way is AIRPORT limousine bus, but only comes once an hour

■ 関西国際空港からＪＲ・近鉄奈良駅へ

KIX	第2ターミナル 5番のりば	発	7:25	8:25	9:25	10:25	11:25	12:25	13:25	14:25	15:25	16:25	17:25
KIX	関西空港 第1ターミナル 9番のりば	発	7:40	8:40	9:40	10:40	11:40	12:40	13:40	14:40	15:40	16:40	17:40
NR1	天理（標本）	着	8:44	9:44	10:44	11:44	12:44	13:44	14:44	15:44	16:44	17:44	18:44
NR2	奈良ホテル	着	9:02	10:02	11:02	12:02	13:02	14:02	15:02	16:02	17:02	18:02	19:02
NR3	近鉄奈良駅	着	9:05	10:05	11:05	12:05	13:05	14:05	15:05	16:05	17:05	18:05	19:05
NR4	J R奈良駅(東口) 10番のりば	着	9:10	10:10	11:10	12:10	13:10	14:10	15:10	16:10	17:10	18:10	19:10

KIX	第2ターミナル 5番のりば	発	18:25	19:25	20:25	21:25
KIX	関西空港 第1ターミナル 9番のりば	発	18:40	19:40	20:40	21:40
NR1	天理（標本）	着	19:44	20:44	21:44	22:44
NR2	奈良ホテル	着	20:02	21:02	22:02	23:02
NR3	近鉄奈良駅	着	20:05	21:05	22:05	23:05
NR4	J R奈良駅(東口) 10番のりば	着	20:10	21:10	22:10	23:10

From Terminal 2;

Bus stop #5 (depart XX: 25)

From Terminal 1;

Bus stop #9 (depart XX: 40)

Kintetsu Nara station is 2nd last stop (arrive XX: 05) ← depends on traffic

☆Time: About 90 min

☆One-way ticket: ¥2,050

☆Round-trip ticket: ¥3,900

(if you are sure you come back to Kansai airport from Nara, RT ticket will be reasonable)

Please check latest information (<http://www.narakotsu.co.jp/index.html>) with multi language pages!

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2) By Train (NANKAI line [南海] → KINTETSU line [近鉄])

From NANKAI Kansai Airport station, take a train for NANKAI Namba station [南海難波]

Change NANKAI Namba station, change to KINTETSU line following the sign (approx. 15 min by walk)

From KINTETSU Osaka-Namba station, take a train for KINTETSU Nara station.

Since KINTETSU Nara station is the final destination, you can take almost all the train EXCEPT FOR Limited Express (mainly Orange-colored train) indicates [特急] which requires express fare ¥510 [快速急行][急行] will be better (other will take long)

☆ Time: About 100min

☆ One-way ticket: ¥1,480

Both NANKAI and KINTETSU have Limited Express, so you can reach Nara earlier and more comfortable with reserved seat if you choose them with extra fare (NANKAI ¥510 / KINTETSU ¥510)

To buy a ticket for NANKAI Limited Express (rapi:t), please also check

→ <http://www.howto-osaka.com/en/rapi:t/howtotake/>

Method	Freq.	Change	Time	Fare
Bus	Once an hour	Direct to Nara	90 min	¥2,050
Train	Every 10 min	15 min walk at Namba station	100 min	¥1,480
Train (express)	Every 30 min	15 min walk at Namba station	90 min	¥2,500(reserved sheet)

ii. From Osaka

1) If you are in Namba [難波];

Take KINTETSU line from Osaka-Namba station to KINTETSU Nara station.

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2) If you are in Umeda [梅田];

Take JR loop line [環状線] from Osaka station to Tsuruhashi [鶴橋] station, and change to KINTETSU line.

iii. From Kyoto

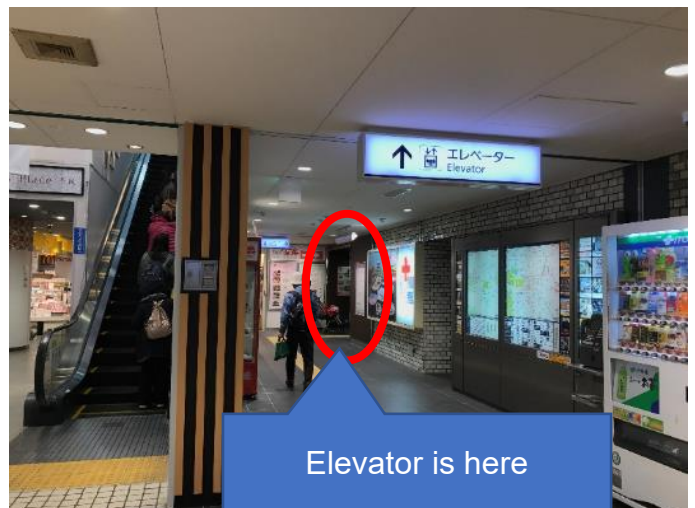
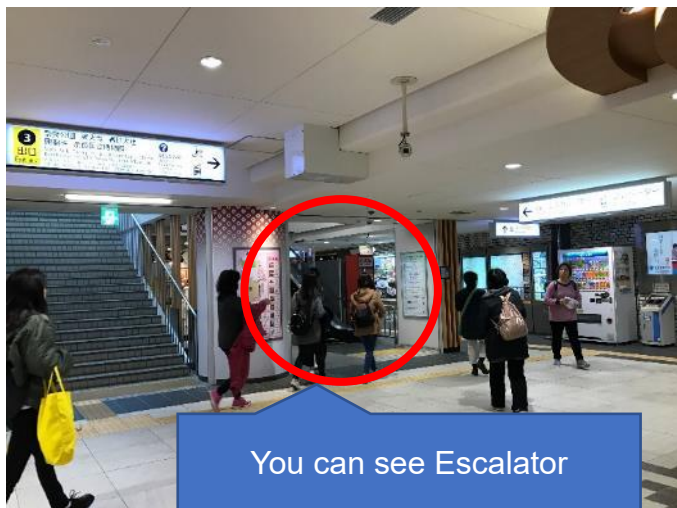
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Direct train to KINTETSU NARA station only departs once an hour, so you can take any train and change train at YAMATO-SAIDAIJI (大和西大寺) station.

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2. Access to “and smiles hostel” from KINTETSU NARA station

When you arrive at KINTETSU NARA station, look for EAST exit #3



Go outside of station and pass GYOKI fountain square, and cross the street in front of LAWSON



“in front of Gyoki san” is local people’s popular meeting spot



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Cross the street and get into a little shopping street, and go straight to the end (about 250m)



HERE



When the street ends, turn RIGHT



HERE



At the first corner (in front of wine&beer bar), turn LEFT



HERE

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Go straight to the traffic light, passing by Nara women's university (about 300m)



Cross the street and go straight (about 100m)



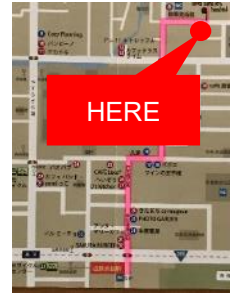
First corner on right hand side, turn RIGHT



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When you see the little sign of “HOSTEL”,
come into small path at LEFT



When you come into a small path, you will see
the sign of “and smiles hostel”

Thank you! and great cardio exercise of 1 km 😊