

Ookayama Campus

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 Tel.+81-(0)3-5734-3827 International Affairs Division
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 1 minute walk from Ookayama Stn. on the Tokyu Oimachi and Meguro Lines

The Tokyo Institute of Technology was established in 1881 not long after the Meiji Restoration, in a period during which Japan began looking to the West to emulate its superior technology. The institute was originally located at Kuramae in the East of Tokyo, and was relocated to its current home in Ookayama in 1924 as a more convenient and accommodating site was desired. Ookayama is Japanese for large hill, and looking up from a lower vantage point from where the Musashino Plateau juts out to the south, Ookayama does resemble a towering hill. This explains the significant differences of elevation within the campus, and how one often enters a building from a ground floor entrance only to find himself on the third floor. The northern section of the campus, together with the greenery of the slopes and the spring-fed lake, are locations that recall the original landscapes of Tokyo.

[Places with English Support] On campus

International Affairs Division (researcher desk)
Main Bldg. 1st floor Mon.-Fri. 8:30-17:15
International Student Division (international student desk)
Main Bldg. 1st floor Mon.-Fri. 8:30-17:15
International Student Center (international student desk)
W-1 2nd floor Mon.-Fri. 10:00-13:30, 14:30-17:00
International Communications Space [ICS] W-9 1st floor Mon.-Fri. 12:30-18:30
Student Affairs Division W-8E 1st floor Mon.-Fri. 8:30-17:15
Student Support Division W-8E 1st floor Mon.-Fri. 8:30-17:15
Admission Division W-8E 2nd floor Mon.-Fri. 8:30-17:15

[Dining Facilities]

Co-op (University) Dining facilities
"Dai-ichi Shokudo" Dining hall one
 1st floor, University Dining Hall Tower Mon.-Fri. 11:00-14:00
"Dai-ni Shokudo" Dining hall two
 basement, Main Bldg., West wing Mon.-Fri. 11:00-20:00
"Shin Shokudo" Dining hall three
 2nd floor, University Dining Hall Tower Mon.-Fri. 11:00-14:00, 16:00-18:00
Centennial Hall
Restaurant "Tsunobue" 4th floor Mon.-Sat. 11:30-21:00
Tea room 1st floor Mon.-Fri. 9:30-16:30

"Shisen Yatai" Chinese food
 ground level, in front of the Tokyo Institute of Technology main entrance
"Jappon" Osaka-style kushiage kebabs
 in the Maruni Supermarket underground restaurant arcade
"Shimazaka" Ramen
 on "Kita Hon Dori" Road near the Daiichi Supermarket

[Accommodation]

International House Tokyo Institute of Technology
 Ookayama Campus Tel.03-5734-3361
http://www.rcd.titech.ac.jp/iad/gaibu/Intl_House/Intl_House.html
Hotel Suave at the north exit of Ikejiri-ohashi Stn. on the Tokyu Denentoshi Line
 Tel.03-3795-6600 9,450 yen~ <http://www.suavenet.com/hotels/>
Hotel Wing International Meguro 1-3-14, Meguro, Meguro-ku
 Tel.03-3779-6311 9,760 yen~ <http://www.hotelwing.co.jp/meguro/index.html>
Dormy-in Meguro Aobadai 3-21-8, Aobadai, Meguro-ku Tel.03-3760-2211 10,400 yen~
<http://www.dormy-in.com/Information/HotelTop.asp?HotelCD=MEGURO>
KKR Hotel Nakameguro 1-27-15, Higashiyama, Meguro-ku
 Tel.03-3713-8131 6,500 yen~ <http://www9.ocn.ne.jp/~n-meguro/>

[Shops]

University Co-op Shops For books, teaching materials, stationery, general goods etc. basement, Main Bldg.
SEIKYO (Cooperative Society) <http://www.titech-coop.or.jp/index.html>
Travel Counter, travel agent
Service Counter, for other products
Dining Hall 1 Mon.-Fri. 10:00-15:00
Dining Hall 2 Mon.-Fri. 10:00-20:00

Tokyu Store Supermarket

[Hospitals and Health Facilities] Please phone in advance to make an appointment.

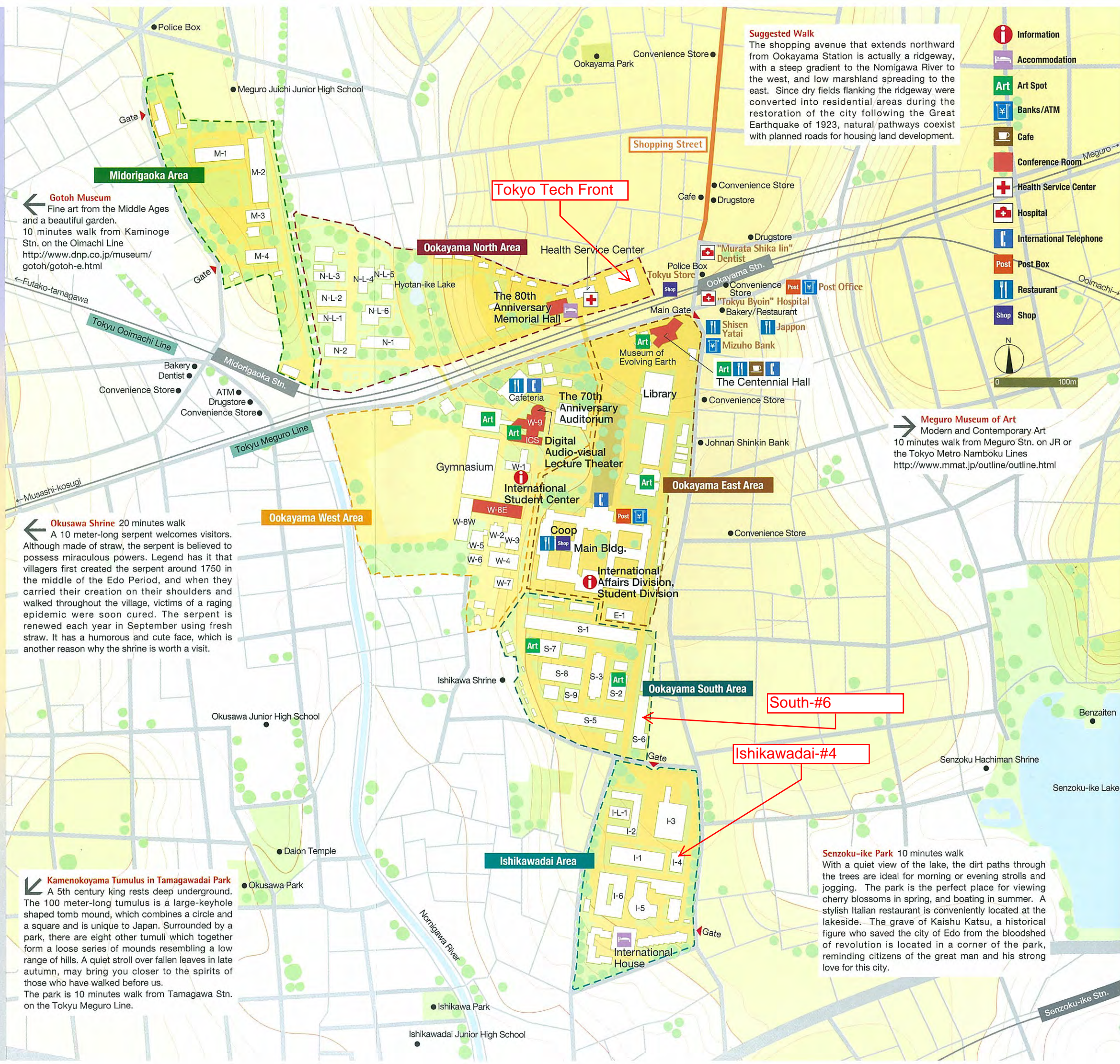
Health Service Center Ookayama Campus Mon.-Fri. 8:30-17:00
"Tokyu Byoin" Hospital Tel.03-3718-3331
"Murata Shika lin" Dentist Tel.03-3723-3511

[Banks/ATM]

Post Office ATM Ookayama Campus branch
Post Office Ookayama Stn. branch
Mizuho Bank Ookayama Stn. branch

[Other Information] On campus

University Library
 Mon.-Fri. 8:45-21:00 Sat., Sun. and holidays 11:00-17:00
Gymnasium Heated swimming pool and training room
 Please check with the Student Services Center for further information.
Museum of Evolving Earth Mon.-Fri. 12:00-16:00
Centennial Hall Permanent Exhibition Hall basement Mon.-Fri. 9:30-16:30



Gotoh Museum
 Fine art from the Middle Ages and a beautiful garden. 10 minutes walk from Kaminoge Stn. on the Oimachi Line
<http://www.dnp.co.jp/museum/gotoh/gotoh-e.html>

Okusawa Shrine 20 minutes walk
 A 10 meter-long serpent welcomes visitors. Although made of straw, the serpent is believed to possess miraculous powers. Legend has it that villagers first created the serpent around 1750 in the middle of the Edo Period, and when they carried their creation on their shoulders and walked throughout the village, victims of a raging epidemic were soon cured. The serpent is renewed each year in September using fresh straw. It has a humorous and cute face, which is another reason why the shrine is worth a visit.

Kamenokoyama Tumulus in Tamagawadai Park
 A 5th century king rests deep underground. The 100 meter-long tumulus is a large-keyhole shaped tomb mound, which combines a circle and a square and is unique to Japan. Surrounded by a park, there are eight other tumuli which together form a loose series of mounds resembling a low range of hills. A quiet stroll over fallen leaves in late autumn, may bring you closer to the spirits of those who have walked before us. The park is 10 minutes walk from Tamagawa Stn. on the Tokyu Meguro Line.

Suggested Walk
 The shopping avenue that extends northward from Ookayama Station is actually a ridgeway, with a steep gradient to the Nomigawa River to the west, and low marshland spreading to the east. Since dry fields flanking the ridgeway were converted into residential areas during the restoration of the city following the Great Earthquake of 1923, natural pathways coexist with planned roads for housing land development.

Meguro Museum of Art
 Modern and Contemporary Art
 10 minutes walk from Meguro Stn. on JR or the Tokyo Metro Namboku Lines
<http://www.mmat.jp/outline/outline.html>

Senzoku-ike Park 10 minutes walk
 With a quiet view of the lake, the dirt paths through the trees are ideal for morning or evening strolls and jogging. The park is the perfect place for viewing cherry blossoms in spring, and boating in summer. A stylish Italian restaurant is conveniently located at the lakeside. The grave of Kaishu Katsu, a historical figure who saved the city of Edo from the bloodshed of revolution is located in a corner of the park, reminding citizens of the great man and his strong love for this city.

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- Cafe
- Conference Room
- Health Service Center
- Hospital
- International Telephone
- Post Box
- Restaurant
- Shop

