Hokkaido is accessible by air plane, train or ship. Approximately 30 air routes are in service between New Chitose Airport - Hokkaido's air gateway - and various airports around the country, such as Narita, Haneda and Kansai. In terms of railways, sleeper trains from Tokyo and Osaka are comfortable options. Furthermore, large ferry lines are available between various ports in Honshu and Tomakomai/Otaru, where you can enjoy a leisurely trip.

Hokkaido is a vast island. To travel around this prefecture, you will mainly use air routes, trains and buses. Trains are convenient in some areas, while buses are convenient in other areas. As each area has its characteristics, please make a flexible use of each means of transportation and enjoy a pleasant trip.