











Stamps of Songshan-Xindian Line



No.	Station	Station Stamp	Introduction
1	<p>松山站 Songshan</p>		<p>One of Taipei’s tourist night markets, Raohe St. Night Market is especially favored for two well-known snacks, “Pepper Buns” (<i>Hujiao Bing</i>) and “Medicinal Rib Stew” (<i>Yaodun Paigu</i>). The nearby Songshan Ciyou Temple has been the religious center for local residents for over 200 years.</p>
2	<p>南京三民站 Nanjing Sanmin</p>		<p>The Taipei Railway Workshop Museum is home to a collection of train cars spanning decades that is sure to satisfy railway enthusiasts. Within a 5-minute walking distance lies the Puppetry Art Center of Taipei, a cultural destination that showcases the heritage and artistry of local puppetry. The image of First MacArthur Bridge in the distance, which spans the Keelung River and connects Nangang and Xizhi with downtown Taipei, makes for a picturesque view.</p>



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3	台北小巨蛋站 Taipei Arena		<p>The venue for regular large-scale activities, Taipei Arena is indeed one of this city's biggest stages, providing citizens with cultural and athletic events offering entertainment as well as education. The nearby Taipei Municipal Stadium is another important location for international competitions.</p>
4	南京復興站 Nanjing Fuxing		<p>Surrounded by office buildings and unceasing traffic, this station has become the key transportation junction within the surrounding commercial district, at the same time boosting its economy.</p>



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5	松江南京站 Songjiang Nanjing		<p>Known as “Women’s Street” in days gone by, Sun Square brims with dazzling arrays of fashion commodities. The nearby Miniatures Museum of Taiwan and Suho Memorial Paper Museum also give this area a touch of cultural flavor.</p>
6	中山站 Zhongshan		<p>The Taipei Film House (also known as SPOT-Taipei Film House), originally the American consulate in Taiwan, is now a place for film-culture interchange. You can feel an aura of chic fashion here, and witness the historical development of the local commercial district when you spend some time in the nearby century-old coopery.</p>



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7	北門站 Beimen		<p>Towering above the surrounding heavy traffic, the red-and-grey North Gate is the world's only remaining southern Fukien-style city wall gate. Next to it is Taipei's famous "Camera Street"; the Taipei Beimen Post Office, a Grade III National Historic Monument, has been a witness to the flourishing of Taipei over the past 100 years.</p>
8	西門站 Ximen		<p>A harmonious blend of old and new, Ximending provides youngsters with fashion shops, cinemas, and places for dating, and provides those who love Chinese classical music with Taipei Zhongshan Hall, and those who love cultural-arts events with The Red House.</p>



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9	小南門站 Xiaonanmen		<p>The National Museum of History, together with the Lotus Pond in the Taipei Botanical Garden next door, offer a wonderful place for Taipei citizens to take in exhibitions and enjoy a walk. You also frequently see students painting or sketching there. The classical elegance of the nearby Small South Gate has made it the object of many a photographer's lens.</p>
10	中正紀念堂 Chiang Kai-Shek Memorial Hall		<p>The majestic Chiang Kai-Shek Memorial Hall features blue and white colors to represent liberty and equality; its expansive plaza is oft busy with flocks of pigeons.</p>

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11	古亭站 Guting		<p>Taipei's first artistic and cultural space primarily focused on literature, the heritage Kishu An Forest of Literature has stood the test of time under the great blue sky, accompanied by giant trees. The four buildings, finished when Taiwan was under Japanese rule but now located on the campus of National Taiwan Normal University, give this area an arts and culture ambience.</p>
12	台電大樓站 Taipower Building		<p>The expansive Taipei City Hakka Cultural Park is a mock-up Hakka village open to the public. One of its special features is the “Respect Words Pavilion” (<i>Jingziting</i>), representing how Hakka ancestors respected paper and the written word. This MRT station is named after the magnificent Taipower Building, seen upon stepping out of the station.</p>

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13	公館站 Gongguan		<p>NTU is famous for both its liberal school discipline and its Royal Palm Boulevard. The nearby Museum of Drinking Water was once a key facility where raw water was taken in and purified, with the clean water distributed to Taipei citizens. The back of Taipei Water Park is the starting point of the Gongguan Bikeway, leading to the Riverside Bikeway.</p>
14	萬隆站 Wanlong		<p>You can reach both the Taipei Pot Plant Auction and Jingmei Sports Park via this station. The 100-year-old Yifang Mansion, a traditional southern Fukien-style three-section residential compound, is a witness to the history of Taipei's development in its early days.</p>

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15	景美站 Jingmei		<p>In traditional agriculture, wood-built conduits were used for irrigation, and since today's Jingmei was located at the end of the local system it was named "conduit end," afterwards changed to today's similar-sounding Jingmei, which means "scenic beauty." It is said that the famous Daoist immortal Lu Dongbin once visited this area and left his footprint on a rock, called Xianjiyan, literally "celestial mark rock." You can take a rest in the wooden pavilion built by the hiking trail to enjoy the panoramic views.</p>
16	大坪林站 Dapinglin		<p>This MRT Joint Development Building is a meticulously structured green building where the Circular Line connects with the Songshan-Xindian Line. If you walk alongside the Jingmei River, you will find Liu's Wenjitang, where the traditional architectural characteristics have been preserved, contrasting with the modern building you have just exited.</p>

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17	七張站 Qizhang		<p>The name Qizhang came from “Qizhangli” (“seven plots for plowing”). Back in the Qing Dynasty the square measure of plowland was measured by the number of plows used – one plow used to cultivate almost 50,000m². MRT Joint Development Building has become a local landmark. The nearby an open-country park provides residents with a place for leisure and recreation.</p>
18	小碧潭站 Xiaobitan		<p>This station is as bright as a corridor full of light. The far-off Sunshine Bridge is surrounded by rich eco-resources and multifunctional leisure and recreational facilities. The Chen Forng-Shean Miniature Art Museum on Ankang Road is home to masterpieces showcasing breathtaking skills. The museum can be reached via bus from MRT Xindian Station.</p>

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19	新店區公所站 Xindian District Office		<p>Zhonghua Road, next to this station, is known to local residents as Maple Boulevard because of the hundreds of maple planted alongside. You can either take a walk from the station to Wufeng Junior High School bus stop, or take a bus outside the station to climb the local mountains and visit the majestic Yit Kuan Tao Ta-Sina Mountain Chee Yin Temple.</p>
20	新店站 Xindian		<p>The name Bitan (Green Pond) came from its green waters. In days gone by ferry boats were a crucial means of transportation; when the Bitan Suspension Bridge was completed, it took over the responsibility of bridging the Zhonghe and Xindian districts and immediately became a renowned scenic spot. You'll see many swan-shaped boats pedalled by parents and children, friends, and lovers here.</p>