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Indian railway was introduced in the year 1853 by East India Company. It has one of the largest and busiest rail networks in the world with transportation of over 17 million passengers every day. It is also the world's largest utility or commercial employer with more than 1.4 million employees. The Indian Railways has a train network that is spread across the limits of the country in every direction, covering 6,909 stations over a total route length of more than 63,327 kilometers.

Gone are those days when Indian railway tickets booking used to be night mares for the travelers. Indian Railway is becoming technologically advanced and the fact that people can book their tickets online confirms the statement. The people who know how to access internet on computers, can easily get reservation done on the internet itself. Indian Railway Online Booking has certainly changed the system of reservation in India. In India these days railway ticket can be easily secured online without having to queue up in front of the ticket counters of the railway station. One just have to log on to the IRCTC Indian Rail ticket booking website and find the name and number of the train you wish to travel and check for availability. Once you have found a suitable train to travel than select electronic ticket and book your railway ticket. Then one just has to make payment via his credit or debit card or via internet banking and your ticket is booked right from the comforts of your home. An online railway ticket booking can be done up to 90 days before your desired date of departure, but it is advised to plan your journey way ahead as the availability of tickets can be difficult, especially during vacation and wedding season. People who do not have access to internet can visit the ticket booking counter and adopt the authentic way of Railway ticket booking.

According to a recent survey carried out by the railways, it has come to focus that a large number of people across the country have been booking their journey tickets through IRCTC portal daily. The new site, which has received an overwhelming response from computer-savvy people, has enabled people to access the IRCTC site through the new portal as well. So just get ready to be a part of this huge organization by giving it an opportunity to cater you by offering you a comfortable journey to your desired destination.

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