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10 DAY TOUR FROM FRANKFURT TO MUNICH

Tour: 6030

Spectacular scenery, medieval towns, fairytale castles, a fascinating history, and world-class beer...this is Germany! On this comprehensive tour, see Germany's highlights and visit its most famous cities, as well as some medieval towns and scenic areas. Your vacation starts in Frankfurt and ends in Munich with overnights in the Rhineland, Hamburg, Berlin, Leipzig, Nuremberg, and Munich. Magnificent scenery awaits you on this value-minded Germany vacation. Enjoy a cruise on the Rhine River, passing castle-crested hills, and terraced vineyards. Visit historic towns like Hamelin, known for the Pied Piper legend, and Rothenburg on the Romantic Road featuring charming cobblestone streets and half-timbered houses in the walled medieval town. Some of the less-known highlights of this tour are Lübeck, a Hanseatic city and UNESCO World Heritage Site founded in the 12th century, and Veste Coburg Castle, one of Germany's largest castle complexes. Enjoy an orientation drive in Hamburg, time in Munich's Marienplatz, and a guided tour of Dresden, to see, among other highlights, the Zwinger Carillon Pavilion, where the 40 bells of the Glockenspiel sound every

quarter of an hour. From beautiful scenery and exciting cities to historic sights and fun experiences, this Germany tour has it all!

All This. Included.

The world is within reach with everything you need for perfectly affordable touring. Cosmos includes hand-selected accommodations, guided sightseeing, and seamless transportation between destinations—with value-minded travel lovers in mind. Explore with expert Cosmos Tour Directors and Local Guides, complimentary headsets, and private, first-class, air-conditioned motorcoach with free Wi-Fi. Enhance your free time to explore like a local with your CosmosGO mobile app!

Your Tour Includes:

- Scenic Rhine River cruise
- Visit to Cologne
- Orientation tour of Hamelin
- Visit to Lübeck
- Guided sightseeing tour of Berlin
- Guided sightseeing in Dresden with visit to Zwinger Carillon Pavilion
- Visit to Leipzig
- Orientation tour of Weimar
- Admission to Veste Coburg Castle in Coburg
- Visit to Rothenburg on the Romantic Road
- Guided sightseeing in Munich, including the Marienplatz

10

DAYS

1

COUNTRY

 COUNTRIES

Germany

 MEALS

Breakfast 9

Dinner 2



Day  Day

Itinerary

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1 **ARRIVE IN FRANKFURT AREA, GERMANY**

Welcome to Germany! Check into your hotel. The rest of the day is free. This evening, meet your Tour Director and travel companions for the welcome dinner at the hotel.

 Dinner

2 **FRANKFURT AREA–RHINE CRUISE–COLOGNE–RHINELAND**

Today's highlight is an included Rhine cruise to enjoy scenic views of the Rhineland, past vineyards, castles, and quaint villages. Next is the city of Cologne, the city known for its joyous attitude, with free time to visit the city center.

Today's Distance: 193 mi/ 310 km

 Breakfast

3 **RHINELAND–HAMELIN–HAMBURG**

Journey into Niedersachsen to visit Hamelin. The medieval town center, with its historical buildings and magically fancy gables, still echoes the "Pied Piper" legend. Continue to Hamburg.

Today's Distance: 304 mi/ 490 km

 Breakfast

While we include select excursions on your trip, you may wish to explore other options to enhance your free time. Below is a selection of excursions that may be available for purchase on your tour.

Hamburg Evening Harbor Cruise

Join an exciting evening cruise around Hamburg's impressive Hafen (harbor) for a unique perspective of Hamburg, Germany's second-largest city and Europe's second-largest...

1h 30m
Price Range: \$



4 **HAMBURG–LÜBECK–BERLIN**

Start the day with an orientation drive in Hamburg, one of Germany's greatest maritime cities. Later, depart for Lübeck, formerly a free Hanseatic city and independent state. Lübeck, now a UNESCO World Heritage Site, is considered the cultural capital of northern Germany. Thomas Mann, Günther Grass, and Willy Brandt—all Nobel laureates—were among the famous residents of this city. Later, arrive in Berlin and enjoy your first evening in the capital of Germany.

Today's Distance: 249 mi/ 400 km

 Breakfast

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Berlin Bites & Delightful Night: A Fusion of Food and Fun

Enjoy a night of delectable food and lively atmosphere during this memorable dinner experience in the heart of Berlin.

3h 30m
Price Range: \$\$



5 **BERLIN**

No longer divided but every bit as fascinating, Berlin was once the city of contrasts with the wall separating two different worlds. Now, the city has developed into a harmonious blend of new and old, preserving its historical buildings and impressive boulevards as well as creating brand new buildings in contemporary architectural styles. See all of this on the included city sightseeing with a Local Guide.

 Breakfast

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WWII Berlin and the Cold War

From the Wannsee Conference House and Allied Museum to a nuclear bomb shelter built to protect more than 3,000 people, this interactive tour will enhance your visit to Berlin i...

3h 30m

Price Range: \$



6 BERLIN–DRESDEN–LEIPZIG

Travel southwest to Dresden, the old capital of Saxony and at one time called the “Florence on the Elbe.” On the included guided sightseeing tour, see the Zwinger Carillon Pavilion where the 40 bells of the Glockenspiel sound four times per hour, and much more. Then it’s on to Leipzig, where composers Johann Sebastian Bach and Felix Mendelssohn lived the last years of their lives. It was Mendelssohn who founded the Leipziger Conservatory in 1843.

Today’s Distance: 227 mi/ 365 km

 Breakfast  Dinner

7 LEIPZIG–WEIMAR–COBURG–NUREMBERG

Leave Leipzig to visit Weimar, home to many intellectuals of the past but mainly known for the name given to the historical period of the “Weimar Republic.” This city is also famed as the home to the Bauhaus architectural movement in the 1920s. Next stop is Coburg. Visit the mighty Veste Coburg Castle, built in 1225. Continue to Nuremberg and stroll its town center, dominated by the imperial castle.

Today's Distance: 270 mi/ 435 km

 Breakfast

8 NUREMBERG–ROTHENBURG–MUNICH

As you leave Nuremberg, stop for a photo at the famous Zeppelinfeld. On the way to Munich, visit the quaint Medieval village of Rothenburg on the Romantic Road. Marvel at its towered gates and battlements, squares of half-timbered houses and decorated fountains; you'll feel like stepping back in time.

Today's Distance: 221 mi/ 355 km

 Breakfast

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Bavarian Brew & Bites

Get a firsthand look at Munich's rich beer heritage as you visit an authentic Bavarian beer place for a typical 3-course dinner with Bavarian beer!

3h 30m

Price Range: \$\$



9 MUNICH

With a Local Guide, take advantage of the included sightseeing tour of the city known as Germany's "Secret Capital." Time to admire the beautiful main square, Marienplatz, do some shopping, visit one of the important museums, and sample Munich's famous beer!

 Breakfast

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Dachau Concentration Camp

Come face to face with the horrors of Dachau, Germany's first concentration camp and the model for the brutality of the Third Reich, during this moving guided visit of the...

4h 0m

Price Range: \$



10 MUNICH

Your vacation ends with breakfast this morning.

 Breakfast

Notes

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Special Departures:

Oktoberfest departures September 25, 2026

Christmas market departures December 04 and 11, 2026, include visits to the Christmas Markets of Cologne, Lübeck, Dresden, Nuremberg, Rothenburg, and Munich.

Tour Director

Hand-Picked

Hotels

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After a day of traveling, you want to relax at a comfortable, clean, and attractive hotel. We select hotels with the best guestrooms (always with a private bathroom), service, and food for the money.

FRANKFURT AREA

Hotel Frankfurt Messe Affiliated By Meliá

Katharinenkreisel (Opelrondell) Frankfurt Germany



First-Class



WiFi

The QGREENHOTEL by Meliá provides 177 fully equipped rooms; different dining areas (Restaurant / Lobby Bar); free WiFi internet; 24 hour Fitness Room for the exclusive use of guests.

Hotel Amenities

- Free WiFi
- Restaurant On-Site
- Laundry Available
- Elevator
- Currency Exchange
- Fitness Room
- Bar/Lounge
- Luggage Storage
- Parking/Valet

Room Features

- Room Service
- Air Conditioning
- Iron/Ironing Board
- Wake-Up Calls
- Hair Dryer
- Window Opens
- Complimentary Toiletries
- Phone
- Non-Smoking Rooms
- Mini-Bar
- Climate Control
- Smoking Rooms
- Desk
- Television
- Cable/Satellite
- Internet Access
- Air Conditioning (Seasonal)

RHINELAND

Moxy Dortmund City

Annelise-Kretschmer-Straße 1 Rhineland Germany

 Superior Tourist-Class

 WiFi

Moxy Dortmund City is a vibrant lifestyle hotel located in the heart of Dortmund, just steps from the main shopping streets, the German Football Museum, and the iconic Dortmunder U. Designed for modern travelers, the hotel features stylish, smart guestrooms with 50" TVs, comfy platform beds, and walk-in showers.

Hotel Amenities

- Free WiFi
- Bar/Lounge
- Elevator
- Fitness Room
- Luggage Storage

Room Features

- Room Service
- Climate Control
- Hair Dryer
- Cable/Satellite
- Internet Access
- Air Conditioning
- Desk
- Television
- Complimentary Toiletries
- Phone

HAMBURG

NH Altona Hamburg

Stresemannst 363 Hamburg Germany

 First-Class

 WiFi

Situated close to the fashionable Ottensen district where many shops, reataurants and galleries can be found. This 235-room hotel offers modern decor with wooden floors in the air-conditioned guest rooms and Free Wi-Fi access is available throughout the property. International cuisine is served in the restaurant together with a selection of fine German wines and the retro-style lounge bar offers a wide selection of drinks and snacks.

Hotel Amenities

- Free WiFi
- Restaurant On-Site
- Business Center
- Laundry Available
- ATM
- Elevator
- Hot Tub
- Fitness Room
- Bar/Lounge
- Spa Services
- Ice Machine
- Luggage Storage
- Currency Exchange

Room Features

- Room Service
- In-Room Safe
- Air Conditioning
- Iron/Ironing Board
- Pay Movies
- Desk
- Television
- Cable/Satellite
- Internet Access
- Mini-Bar
- Alarm Clock
- Climate Control
- Coffee Maker
- Wake-Up Calls
- Hair Dryer
- Window Opens
- Complimentary Toiletries
- Phone

- Complimentary Newspaper
- Disabled Access / Rooms
- Air Conditioning (Seasonal)
- Non-Smoking Rooms

BERLIN

Sylter Hof Berlin

Kurfurstenstrasse 116 Berlin Germany



Superior Tourist-Class



WiFi

Hotel Sylter Hof Berlin offers a comfortable and convenient stay in a central location, with easy access to public transport and key points of interest. The hotel serves as a practical base for exploring the vibrant city of Berlin.

Hotel Amenities

- Free WiFi
- ATM
- Elevator
- Bar/Lounge
- Luggage Storage

Room Features

- In-Room Safe
- Desk
- Television
- Air Conditioning
- Hair Dryer

LEIPZIG

NH Leipzig Messe

Fuggerstrasse 2 Leipzig Germany



First-Class



WiFi

The NH Leipzig Messe hotel is just a short walk from the Leipzig Trade Fair and the Congress Center Leipzig. Meanwhile, you're also close to the city's cultural highlights, including the Zoo Leipzig, the Gewandhaus Orchestra and Auerbach's Cellar, a restaurant that dates back to the 15th century. It's a 10-minute walk to the tram, which will take you into town.

Hotel Amenities

- Free WiFi
- Restaurant On-Site
- Laundry Available
- Elevator
- Fitness Room
- Bar/Lounge
- Luggage Storage
- Parking/Valet

Room Features

- Mini-Bar
- Air Conditioning
- Iron/Ironing Board
- Smoking Rooms
- Desk
- Television
- Cable/Satellite
- Internet Access
- Complimentary Newspaper
- Disabled Access / Rooms
- Alarm Clock
- Climate Control
- Coffee Maker
- Wake-Up Calls
- Hair Dryer
- Window Opens
- Complimentary Toiletries
- Phone
- Air Conditioning (Seasonal)
- Non-Smoking Rooms

NUREMBERG

B&B Hotel Nürnberg-West

Am Leonhardspark 3 Nuremberg Germany

 Superior Tourist-Class

 WiFi

Conveniently located in the western part of Nuremberg, B&B Hotel Nürnberg-West offers comfortable accommodation with easy access to both the city centre and major transport routes.

Hotel Amenities

- Free WiFi
- Elevator
- Bar/Lounge

Room Features

- Air Conditioning
- Desk
- Television
- Complimentary Toiletries
- Air Conditioning (Seasonal)
- Climate Control
- Hair Dryer
- Cable/Satellite
- Internet Access

MUNICH

NH Muenchen Messe

Eggenfeldener STR. 100 Munich Germany

 First-Class

 WiFi

Set in a modern building with a striking mirrored entrance, this modest 253-room hotel is located in the Zamdorf area of the city with excellent public transport links. Contemporary style guest rooms are decorated with lime-green feature walls and smart furniture, flat screen TVs and a pillow menu are standard. A selection of European and regional cuisine is served in the restaurant and the stylish lobby bar serves wine, cocktails, beer and soft drinks with an outdoor terrace for warmer months. Free Wi-Fi is available throughout and there is also a compact fitness center.

Hotel Amenities

- Free WiFi
- Restaurant On-Site
- Business Center
- Luggage Storage
- Currency Exchange
- Fitness Room
- Bar/Lounge
- Laundry Available
- Elevator

Room Features

- Mini-Bar
- Climate Control
- Coffee Maker
- Hair Dryer
- Cable/Satellite
- Internet Access
- Air Conditioning (Seasonal)
- Air Conditioning
- Iron/Ironing Board
- Desk
- Television
- Complimentary Toiletries
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