



The sights of Vienna are waiting to be discovered

Optional Tours

In most cities your schedule usually includes a half-day city sightseeing tour as well as enough time to explore the city at your leisure. In order to assist in maximising your free time, several additional Optional Tours are available at reasonable prices. These provide further opportunities to taste local flavours, pursue special interests and visit great places effortlessly. Your Cruise Director will be of assistance in designing your spare time.

Following is a list of some of the Optional Tours offered during your cruise. Please note that not all Optional Tours are offered on all itineraries. This list is meant as an example. Final detailed information of the Optional Tours and their description will be available onboard the ships.

Your Cruise Director will be pleased to answer any questions you may have. Availability is also subject to sufficient participation, weather conditions, seasonal suitability and group interests. Please book early with your Cruise Director to secure tours.

The selection of Optional Tours and their prices may vary slightly for each cruise. Optional Tours can only be purchased on board through the Cruise Director. All prices are in Euro and were correct at time of printing, but may be subject to change without notice.

AUSTRIA

Mozart & Strauss Concert

€55 pp; 3hrs 15mins; 7.15pm-10.30pm

Walking: Very little. Dress Suggestions: Smart Casual/Dressy.

Enjoy a Mozart and Strauss Concert in one of Vienna's palaces or concert venues before a drive around the elegant Ringstrasse to see all of its main attractions beautifully illuminated. Tonight's evening concert is something no visitor to Vienna should miss!

Optional Tours

HUNGARY

Szentendre (St Andrew's) Jewel of the Danube Bend

€33 pp; 4hrs; Sunday, 2pm-6pm

Walking: Short distances on uneven cobblestones.

Not recommended for persons with great walking disabilities.

Dress Suggestions: Wear comfortable shoes.

Located near Budapest on the scenic Danube Bend, St Andrew's (Szentendre) is a picturesque village and small artists' colony located on the banks of the river. It offers an escape from the city and your chance to see what life is like in a pretty village.

CZECH REPUBLIC

Terezin Concentration Camp Memorial (from Prague)

€45 pp; 4/5hrs; 9am-2pm

Walking: Considerable walking mostly on flat ground.

Note: The drive from the hotel to Terezin takes around 1 hour.

Dress Suggestions: Wear Comfortable Shoes.

In 1941, the entire fortress town of Terezin (Theresienstadt) was turned into a transit and labour camp for thousands persecuted by the Nazis. International organisations that visited the camp were deceived through the propaganda 'beautification project' and the camp became so famous a movie was even made about it. A visit to Terezin is a moving experience.

Folklore Performance & Dinner

€55 pp; 4hrs 30mins; 9am-2pm

Walking: Very little. Note: Transfer by bus with a local guide.

Menu subject to change. Dress Suggestions: Smart Casual/Dressy.

A great way to get to know your travel companions. Join us for a night out in a local restaurant and enjoy some typical Czech Folklore dancing at the same time. Price includes meal, transfer by bus, guide and entertainment. An example menu is as follows:

Appetizer: Halusky, a typical Czech specialty made from potatoes with ham and cabbage. **Entrée:** Mixed Grill Plate. **Desserts:** Crêpes with fruits and ice cream.

Unlimited wine, beer, and soft drinks are provided.

TURKEY

Bosphorus Cruise

€40 pp; Half-day tour

Walking: Very little. Dress Suggestions: Smart Casual.

Discover the wealth of impressive sights along the shores in a Bosphorus boat trip along Istanbul's famous waterway, dividing Europe and Asia. Take in the colours and aromas of the Spice Market, the tiny Rustem Pasha Mosque, a Bosphorus Cruise Sightseeing Tour, the sumptuously decorated Ottoman Dolmabahce Palace and the small fishermen's village of Ortakoy.

GERMANY

Weltenburg Abbey & Danube Gorge

€55 pp; 5hrs

Walking: There is some walking on flat ground (500 m from excursion boat to abbey, 1 km from abbey to bus parking).

Dress Suggestions: Wear Comfortable Shoes.

A visit to the Danube Gorge and Weltenberg Abbey is a fantastic way to spend your free afternoon in Regensburg. Drive approximately 40 minutes to Kelheim to board your excursion boat. The boat holds approximately 300 guests, has an open as well as indoor sitting area and a small snack bar. The boat ride through the Danube Gorge is truly beautiful. Upon arrival, you'll have time to visit the stunning abbey and to sit and enjoy a refreshing drink (included) in the abbey's famous beer garden. Afterwards return to the ship in Regensburg by bus.

Rothenburg Half-day Tour

€52 pp; 5hrs; 1pm-6pm

Walking: A considerable amount, on cobblestones.

Dress Suggestions: Wear Comfortable Shoes.

A visit to the small village of 12,000 inhabitants is certainly going to be a highlight of your trip. The town is located along Germany's famous Romantic Road and is perhaps the most visited village in the entire country. Few visitors to Germany would miss the opportunity to visit the town. Located an hour's drive from Würzburg, you'll be accompanied by a local tour guide and upon arrival you'll tour the town on foot and have free time for sightseeing and shopping on your own. There are many shops around, including the well known original Kathe Wohlfahrt Christmas store. If you prefer not to shop, you may enjoy one of the town's many outdoor cafés or decide to visit the most popular museum in town, the Torture Museum.