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Guided walking tour of the Old Town  
This walking tour will cover the most important attractions and take participants through quaint, narrow lanes and hidden-away squares in the old town. Full of history and up-to-date, this walk has something for everyone as you take points of interest, each with a story of its own. (approx. 1.5 h)  
① April – October: Daily 10:30 AM, additionally Friday 6:00 PM* and Saturday 2:00 PM (German), Thursday to Saturday 10:30 AM (English)
November – March: Friday 2:30 PM and Saturday 10:30 AM (German), Meeting point: Marktplatz, Rathaus (Town Hall) main entrance  
€ Discount

City and Castle sightseeing tour  
A discovery tour by bus to the most important points of interest and attractions in Heidelberg. The destination and highlight is a visit to Heidelberg Castle (about 1 hour excursion, about 1 hour guided Castle tour, departure with the funicular railway).  
① April – October*: Thursday to Saturday and Whit Sunday 1:30 PM, Saturday also 11:30 AM (German), Saturday 3:00 PM (English)
November – March:  
Saturday 1:30 PM (German), 3:00 PM (English)  
Meeting point: Karlsplatz, bulletin board (bus stop)  
€ Discount

Segway Town Safari – The (R)evolution of Motion  
This is an unusual way to discover Heidelberg. After instructions on how to ride a Segway, you’ll be gliding beside the Neckar towards the Zoo and the Philosopher’s Walk with its fantastic view of the Castle. Your tour guide will provide you with background information about the attractions along the way. (approx. 1½ h)  
① 1:00 PM
For more information about times and prices:  
www.heidelberg-marketing.de  
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• Hotel room reservations  
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Tel. 112 (no area code)

On-call doctor  
Tel. 19292

Heidelberg University
A quick trip through the history of Germany’s oldest university and its campus life. The tour includes a visit to the Old Assembly Hall of the University and the Students’ Prison. (approx. 1.5 h)  
① April – October*: Saturday 2:30 PM (German)
Meeting point: Universitätsplatz/Löwenbrunn
€ Discount

Christmas walking tour
Guided tour around the prettiest nooks of the Old Town with interesting information about the Heidelberg Christmas Market and the region’s Christmas traditions.  
① Saturdays during Advent: 6:30 PM (German)
Meeting point: Marktplatz, Rathaus (Town Hall) main entrance
€ Discount

* except September 27, 2014

Official guided tours
Whether you opt for an Old Town tour, a Castle tour, a bus tour of the city or one of the special tours, you are guaranteed to gain some real insights into the many different faces of this fascinating city. Facts and figures together with amusing anecdotes ensure that guided tours in Heidelberg are always entertaining and enjoyable.

Tickets are available from the Tourist Information offices in the Rathaus (Town Hall) or the main train station; they may also be purchased direct from the approved guides. Minimum of 5 participants, prebooking recommended.

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www.heidelberg.huerdenlos.de

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Culture and cultural meeting points

Theater und Orchester Heidelberg
Alter Saal and Neuer Saal, Marguerre-Saal, Proebuhne Friedrichs, Theaterstrasse 10
www.theaterheidelberg.de
The municipal theater offers performances by its own ensembles for opera, operetta, musicals, plays, dance theater, as well as the theater for children and youngsters.

ZWINGER
Zwinger and Zwinger3
Zwingerstrasse 3 - 5
An innovative, poetic and realistic theater for children and young people.

Tel. 5820000
www.theaterheidelberg.de

Discount

UnterwegsTheater
This modern theater has adopted an artistic approach to the fields of dance, acrobatics, installations and dramatic staged works. HebelHalle, Hebelstrasse 9
www.unterwegstheater.de

Zimmertheater
The oldest private theater in Germany with an arty backyard ambience. Hauptstrasse 118
www.zimmertheaterheidelberg.de

Taat-Theater
This playhouse’s repertoire ranges from the classics to contemporary drama. Bergheimer Strasse 147
www.taeter-theater.de

Kulturfenster
This cabaret stage puts on cabaret, chansons, theater, etc., as well as attractive programs for children, young people and families. Kirchstrasse 16
www.kulturfenster.de

Kongresshaus Stadthalle Heidelberg
This historical building offers a magnificent atmosphere for cultural events and conventions. Neckarstraden 24
www.heidelberg-kongresshaus.de

DAI (German-American Institute)
A diverse cultural program of lectures, recitals, readings, and exhibitions. Sofienstrasse 12
www.dai-heidelberg.de

TiKK-Theater
The Karlsruhebahnhof is the original-cozy venue for free productions and colorful evenings. Am Karlstor 1
www.karlstorbahnhof.de

Halle_02 und Halle_03
Now defunct, the freight train station is a blend of gallery and music club with concerts and parties. There is a beach atmosphere in summer. Max-Jarecki-Strasse 2 (Zollhofgarten) www.halle02.de

January
Carambolage
Cabaret and comedy festival
www.karlstorbahnhof.de

February/March
schöner lügen
Festival of new German chansons
www.schoenerluegen.de

March/April
Heidelberger Frühling
International music festival
www.heidelberger-fruehling.de

April/May
Heidelberger Stückemarkt
Play Market
www.heidelberger-stueckemarkt.de

June
Heidelberger Literaturtage
Literature Days
www.heidelititage.de

1. Sat in June + Sept, 2. Sat in July
Castle Illuminations
www.heidelberg-event.com

June – August
Heidelberger Schlossfestspiele
Castle Festival Plays
Drama, concerts and opera
www.heidelberger-schlossfestspiele.de

Discount

Last Saturday in September
Heidelberger Herbst
Huge city festival
www.heidelberg-event.com

October/November
Enjoy Jazz
International music festival
www.enjoyjazz.de

Discount

November – December
Heidelberger Christmas Market
in various squares in the Old Town
www.heidelberg-event.com

The entire calendar of events: www.heidelberg.de/verananstaltungen

Events

COME AND VISIT HEIDELBERG PALACE!
An astounding and delightful monument!

Heidelberg Palace is pure romanticism and one of the most important German cultural monuments. The castle ruins tower proudly above the picturesque Neckar Valley, with a flair that enchants visitors. For more than 200 years already, it has been considered as one of the most romantic places on Earth. Information at:
www.schloss-heidelberg.de/en

Baden-Württemberg
A Walk around Heidelberg

1. **Universitätsplatz**: New and Old University with Lionenbrunnen (Fountain), Alte Aula, Universitätsmuseum and Studentenkarzer (prison).
2. **Jesuitenkirche with former Jesuitenkolleg**: Beginning in 1712, construction of the three-nave hall church in Baroque style took 150 years.
3. **Jesuitengymnasium**: Now forms part of the University.
4. **Collegium Academicum**: Jesuit seminary, built in 1750, now houses University administration.
5. **Hexen- or Diebsturm (inner courtyard of New University)**: The tower is part of the medieval fortification complex from the 13th century.
6. **Universitätsbibliothek**: The library is an ars nova style building (1901 – 1905) with elements from the German and French Renaissance.
7. **Peterskirche**: The oldest church in Heidelberg, parts of the tower probably date from the 12th century, marked by tombstones including that of the university’s first rector, Marsilius von Inghen.
8. **Weißmonnenkloster**: Built in 1724. Former Dominican nunnery chapel, today Church of the Redeemer.
10. **Naturwissenschaftliche Institute**: This is where the scientist Robert Bunsen worked from 1853 to 1888.
11. **Altes Waisenhaus**: Originally a Baroque mansion which was converted to the Hospital of the reformists in 1756.
12. **St. Anna-Kirche**: Built by Rischer in 1714 as the church of a catholic infantry.
13. **Haus zum Riesen**: Baroque house built by Breunig using stones from the ruins of the Castle tower.
14. **Friedrichsbau**: Built between 1861 and 1863, today a university building, with a statue of Bunsen in the square in front.
15. **Alte Anatomic**: First university science building to be built in the Bunsen period (1847 - 1849).
17. **Providenzkirche**: The church was built between 1659 and 1661 under Prince-Elector Carl Ludwig.
18. **Palais Morass**: Built in 1712 by Breunig in the style of a noble mansion. Kurfälzisches Museum (Palatinate Museum) since 1905.
19. **Haus Raquet**: One of the largest and most attractive Baroque mansions.
20. **Marstall**: Old armory, built under Prince-Elector Ludwig V in 1510, along 133 m of the Neckar’s banks, today the university canteen.
21. **Heusceuer**: The barn of the city from the middle of the 18th century. Used since 1963 as a university lecture hall.
22. **Palais Rischer**: Stately, former residence of the architect Rischer, built in 1711.
23. **Friedrich-Ebert-Haus**: Birthplace of the first President of the Weimar Republic (see museums).
24. **Haus Cajeth**: Built in 1735, today it houses the Museum of “Primitive Art in the 20th century” (see museums). On the way: the studentenhaus.
25. **Alte Brücke, Brückentor**: The statues on the Old Bridge are of the man who built it and after whom it was named, Elector Karl Theodor, and of the Goddess of Wisdom, Pallas Athena.
26. **former Neckarschule**: Used as a schoolhouse from 1706 to 1803, nowadays as a restaurant.
27. **Tratiteur’sches Haus**: Renovated in 1778 in Louis XVI style.
28. **Heilgeistkirche**: The Church was built between 1398 and 1441, tomb effigies of Prince-Electors, side naves housed the “Bibliotheca Palatina” (Palatinate Library) until 1623.
29. **Meder’sches Haus**: Sumptuously decorated 18th century mansion with Madonna and Holy Trinity.
30. **Haus zum Ritter**: The Knight’s house was was the only mansion to survive Heidelberg’s destruction in 1689 – 1693. Since 1705 a tavern, today a hotel and restaurant.
31. **Kurfürstliche Hof-Apotheke**: Baroque façade with colorfully decorated Palatinate arms.
32. **Marktplatz with Herkulesbrunnen and Rathaus**: The Town Hall took its present form in 1701. Bellringing takes place daily just before 12:00 AM, 4:00 + 7:00 PM.
33. **Nebelhaus**: Baroque house (1710) of the Prince-Elector’s personal physician and court apothecary Nebel.
34. **Schmittenherrenhaus**: This house was built on the former courtyard of the Trappist monks in Schönau.
35. **Karlstor**: Triumphal arch erected between 1775 and 1781 based on plans by Nicolas de Pigage in honor of Elector Karl Theodor, in neoclassical style.
36. **Hauptsammlung**: This building was built for the coin collection.
37. **Museum für sakrale Kunst**: This exhibition powerfully documents the influence of the Jesuits in the period of National Socialist power in Germany. This permanent exhibition features outstanding exhibits for primitive paintings ‒ outsider art.
38. **Vossstraße 2 (Bergheim)**
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40. **Klosterhof, www.klosterhof-neuheim.de**: former monastery, now a place for the whole family to relax. Includes the Castle ticket.
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55. **Walking tour of Old Town with stops**: Includes the Castle ticket.
56. **Walk to Castle and Philosophers’ Walk**: Includes the Castle ticket.
57. **Meeting points**: Includes the Castle ticket.
58. **Coach tours/walking tours**: Includes the Castle ticket.
Swimming
Freizeit-Bad Tiergartenstraße
Extensive parkland and switchback waterslide. Tiergartenstraße 13
Thermal swimming pool
Heated outdoor pool right next to the River Neckar. Vangerowstr. 4
For information on all pools: www.swhd.de/daeber

Hiking
Signposted trails on Königstuhl and Heiligenberg guide hikers into the picturesque countryside. Hiking maps are available from tourist information offices.

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Cycling
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Outlets providing cycle hire include: Fahrradverleih an der Alten Brücke, www.fahrradverleih-heidelberg.de
Discount
radhof BERGHEIM “bike im Bahnhof” at the main train station, www.fahrrad-heidelberg.de; Radolinos, www.radolinos.de; DB cycle hire facility opposite the main train station, www.callabike.de

1 Heidelberger Schloss and Schlossgarten (Castle Gardens)
Built on a medieval castle above the Old Town. The Palatinate Prince-Electors of the Wittelsbach dynasty lived here for over 400 years. The oldest preserved building in the Castle is a residential building, the Ruprecht, built by Ruprecht III in 1400. The castle fortification and its towers were destroyed during the War of Palatine Succession in 1683. The ruins of the Heidelberg Castle became the symbol of an entire epoch, the German Romantic period. www.schloss-heidelberg.de

Includes The Castle ticket*

The Castle ticket includes a return trip on the funicular via Castle Station to Molkenkun Station and back, admission to the Castle courtyard, the Barrel Cellar and a visit to the German Pharmacy Museum (see Museums). Available from the Tourist Information offices at the main station and in the Town Hall, from the Kornmarkt or Schloss stations on the Mountain Railway, or from the ticket office at Heidelberg Castle.

2 Philosophenweg
The Philosophers’ Walk is considered one of Europe’s finest mountain-side trails. The famous walk on the slopes of the Heiligenberg has inspired many scholars through the years. The path leads from the Theodor-Heuss Bridge up to the small Philosophers’ Garden. It is also possible to get there from the Alte Brücke (Old Bridge) by taking the Schlingenweg (winding path). Numerous Mediterranean plants and many animals inhabit the natural sunlit terraces.

3 Heiligenberg
The 330m high Heiligenberg (Holy Mountain) is situated above the Philosophers’ Walk, opposite the Königstuhl. Celts first settled here in 400 BC and built an encircling wall, part of which still exists today. Today visitors can walk the many paths leading to the summit of the Heiligenberg and there view the ruins of St. Michael’s Basilica and St. Stephen Cloister as well as the large open-air amphitheater (Thingstätte) dating from the National Socialist era.

4 Neckarwiese
From the first days of fine weather in the year until the golden hues of autumn, the northern banks of the Neckar between Theodor-Heuss Bridge and Ernst-Walz Bridge are an irresistible attraction. This extensive green space attracts people of all ages for a stroll, some sunbathing, throwing a Frisbee or enjoying a picnic with friends. There is a large waterplay park for children with pedalo or motorboats for hire from Theodor-Heuss Bridge.

Discount

5 Excursions by boat
A cruise on the Neckar is a highly popular outing, allowing visitors to experience the beauty of Heidelberg and its natural surroundings from a different perspective.

Weisse Flotte Heidelberg
Boat excursions along the delightful Neckar Valley from Heidelberg to Neckargemünd (approx. 1 hour each way) or beyond to Neckarsteinach (approx. 1.5 hours each way). On board you will receive lots of useful information in German, English and French. In addition to these circular tours there are also plenty of special trips, such as the ever-popular fireworks excursions to see the Heidelberg Castle illuminations.

6 Heidelberg Zoo
A place for the whole family to visit around 250 species of animal. Impressive lions and bears, comical meerkats and fascinating giant tortoises are just a few of the huge range of species you can see here. The enormous „ Noah’s Ark “ playship proves irresistible as a place for children to climb and play.

Discount

7 Stift Neuburg
The Benedictine abbey had already been founded in 1310 by the Lorsch monastery. A place of peace and contemplation tucked away in the Neckar Valley, with an adjoining courtyard shop, the restaurant zum Klosterhof, www.klosterhof-neuburg.de, and the Bio-Brauerei zum Klosterhof (organic brewery) – www.brauerei-zumklosterhof.de. Guided tours are available.

Discount
Stiftweg 2 (Ziegelhausen) www.stift-neuburg.de

8 Heidelberg Bergbahnen
The lower mountain railway up to Mollekau station is one of the most modern funicular railways, while the upper railroad from there up to Königstuhl is one of the oldest electrically-powered mountain railways in Germany. See Heidelberger Schloss www.bergbahn-heidelberg.de

9 Königstuhl
The Königstuhl (King’s Seat) is 568 m high and offers a fabulous view over Heidelberg and the Neckar Valley to the Rhine Valley. The Königstuhl mountain offers a host attractions. A network of paths for walkers, the Tinnunculus falconry (www.tinnunculus-heidelberg.de), the „Fairy Tale Park“ for kids(www.maerchenparadies.de), Observatory (www.lsw.uni-heidelberg.de) and the restaurants Molkenkur, Alter Kohlhof and Königstuhl.

10 Neckarblick
From March until October, the Neckarfähre Liselotte ferry also provides an hourly service, calling at the following points: Alte Brücke, Stadthalle, Neuenheim, Campus and Marriott Hotel. (No service on Tues)
Discount
www.weisse-flotte-heidelberg.de

11 Neckarsonne solar-powered boat
Running on solar energy, the largest solar catamaran in the world glides virtually silently along the river. It will take you on a circular tour of around 50 minutes, during which you will be given information on the route in German and English.
Discount
www.hsolarschiff.com

12 Bonsai Zentrum
Bonsai trees and plants to suit everyone, plus special pools full of koi carp in all the colors of the rainbow.
Closed: Mon + Tues + Sun
Free admission
Mannheimer Strasse 401 (Wieblingen) www.bonsai-heidelberg.de

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Deutsches Apotheken-Museum
The German Pharmacy Museum covers the history of apothecaries from antiquity to the modern age. It is housed in the Ottheinrich Wing of the Castle.
[Free admission]
Schloßhof 1
www.deutsches-apotheken-museum.de

Völkerkundemuseum
The collections include artworks and ethnographic objects from Asia, Africa and Oceania. The Museum of Ethnology also has temporary exhibitions of art and culture from various parts of the world.
[Closed Mon + Tues]
Hauptstraße 235 (Palais Weimar)
www.voelkerkundemuseum-vp.st.de

Kurfürstliches Museum
Built in 1712, the Palais Morass now houses the Palatinate Museum’s art and cultural history collections. A unique portrait of the historical Palatinate is recreated here.
[Discount]
Hauptstrasse 97
www.museum-heidelberg.de

Deutsches Verpackungsmuseum
The German Packaging Museum housed in a converted church building, Europe’s only packaging museum features outstanding exhibits from the history of packaging.
[Discount]
Hauptstrasse 22 (inner courtyard)
www.verpackungsmuseum.de

Universitätsmuseum, Alte Aula and Studentenkarzer
The University Museum documents the 625-year history of the University. Today the Old Assembly Hall serves as the banquet hall of the University. From 1778 until 1914 unruly students were held in confinement in the Student’s Prison (Augustinergasse 2) for “minor infractions.”
[Open daily (Nov – March: closed Sun)]
Crabengasse 1
www.uni-heidelberg.de

Carl Bosch Museum and Museum am Ginkgo
The technical/historical museum offer highly interesting glimpses into the life of the Nobel Prize Prizewinner Carl Bosch (1874 – 1940), who was born in Heidelberg. Museum am Ginkgo puts on special exhibitions and also provides space for educational programs relating to museums.
[Discount]
Schloss-Wolfsbrunnenweg 46
www.carl-bosch-museum.de

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www.museum-heidelberg.de

Deutsches Verpackungsmuseum
The German Packaging Museum housed in a converted church building, Europe’s only packaging museum features outstanding exhibits from the history of packaging.
[Discount]
Hauptstrasse 22 (inner courtyard)
www.verpackungsmuseum.de

Universitätsmuseum, Alte Aula and Studentenkarzer
The University Museum documents the 625-year history of the University. Today the Old Assembly Hall serves as the banquet hall of the University. From 1778 until 1914 unruly students were held in confinement in the Student’s Prison (Augustinergasse 2) for “minor infractions.”
[Open daily (Nov – March: closed Sun)]
Crabengasse 1
www.uni-heidelberg.de

Carl Bosch Museum and Museum am Ginkgo
The technical/historical museum offer highly interesting glimpses into the life of the Nobel Prize Prizewinner Carl Bosch (1874 – 1940), who was born in Heidelberg. Museum am Ginkgo puts on special exhibitions and also provides space for educational programs relating to museums.
[Discount]
Schloss-Wolfsbrunnenweg 46
www.carl-bosch-museum.de

Museum Haus Cajeth
This building was built for the coin keeper of the Palatinate, Anton Cajeth. It was here that Egon Hass-becker established a gallery and bookshop, together with a museum for primitive paintings – outsider art.
[Closed Sun]
Haspelgasse 12
www.cajeth.de

Universitätsbibliothek
Temporary exhibitions attract visitors to the University Library. Of particular interest is the Codex Manesse, the world-renowned collection of medieval songs.
[Free admission]
Pöck 107 – 109
www.ub.uni-heidelberg.de

Museum für Geowissenschaften
This scientific collection presents the typical types of rock found in Heidelberg and its environs. The museum’s prize exhibit is the world-famous lower jaw from Homo erectus heidelbergensis.
[Closed Sat + Sun]
Im Neuenheimer Feld 235
www.geow.uni-heidelberg.de

Antikenmuseum und Abguss-Sammlung
This is one of the largest archaeological educational collections in any university in Germany. It provides a broad overview of the ancient cultures in the Mediterranean region from the 3rd century BC until the time of the Roman Empire.
[Discount]
Weds + Sun (closed during university vacations + public holidays)
Marstallhof 4 (Neues Kollegien-gebäude)
www.klassiche-archaeologie.uni-hd.de

Museum für sakrale Kunst und Liturgie
The permanent exhibition shows the influence of the Jesuits in the Palatinate and in church art from the 17th to the 19th century.
[Discount]
Richard-Hauser-Platz (Jesuitenkirche)