

Are you looking for an exciting travel destination? Somewhere that combines favourite features with unusual highlights?

A place where sights are only a few minutes' walk apart, you're guaranteed an interesting stay and you can enjoy refined cuisine? – Design your own day in Lorsch for a fixed price, based on our group travel offer! Lorsch is incredibly easy to reach. The Carolingians realised this over 1250 years ago when they founded Lorsch Abbey here – now a UNESCO world cultural heritage site. As a result, hospitality and cosmopolitanism have a long tradition in this town. – We would be delighted to provide you with advice to help plan your day in Lorsch and look forward to seeing you soon!

IN THE MORNING

"Lorsch Abbey - Imperial Abbey of Charlemagne"

Duration: approx. 1.5 hours

Guided tour around the redesigned, internationally awarded UNESCO World Heritage Lorsch Abbey, the Carolingian Königshalle (King's Hall) – the best preserved Carolingian building north of the Alps – and the departement for abbey history of the neighbouring Museumszentrum (Museum Centre).

LUNCH

Enjoy lunch in one of our beautiful restaurants just a stone's throw away from the UNESCO World Heritage Site (Vegetarian on request, with a salad and a drink)

IN THE AFTERNOON

Select one of our modules overleaf according to your requirements.

Reservation and information

Tourist-Information NibelungenLand Altes Rathaus | Marktplatz 1 | 64653 Lorsch Tel. +49 (0)6251 175 260 Info@nibelungenland.net www.nibelungenland.net

TOTAL PRICE

2 guided tours + 1 lunch for groups of 20 people or more E34.50 per person



OPTIONS FOR YOUR AFTERNOON

You may choose any of these options. A larger group of people can also be divided into several afternoon activities on different themes.

What would you like to find out more about?

GUIDED TOUR OF THE ZEHNTSCHEUNE (TITHE BARN)

"The archaeological finds in Lorsch Abbey"

Duration: approx. 1.5 hours

For the first time ever, archaeological discoveries from 200 years of excavation history and building research are presented on the UNESCO World Heritage Site in the Schaudepot Zehntscheune (Exhibition Depot Tithe Barn) in a fascinating, modern way. The oldest artefacts date back to the 2nd century AD.

TOBACCO TOUR

"The tobacco tradition in Lorsch"

Duration: approx. 1.5 hours

Guided tour around the tobacco museum or the historical tobacco barn and tobacco field. In Lorsch and the surrounding region, the history of cultivating, nurturing and processing these unusual plants stretches back over 300 years. The local landscape, architecture and mentality, as well as customs and prosperity, have been significantly influenced by the growth of tobacco.

GUIDED TOUR OF LAURESHAM

"Welcome to the Carolingian manor"

Duration: approx. 1.5 hours

Learn about the lives of early-medieval people on a Carolingian manor. The Laboratory for Experimental Archeology Lauresham, with buildings, gardens, fields and animals, brings the medieval era to life beyond the walls of the abbey. Unique in Europe.

TOWN TOUR IN HISTORICAL GARB

"A step back into the past..."

Duration: approx. 1.5 hours

Wander through more than 12 centuries of Lorsch history with Adelheid and/or Griseldis. At the time when Charlemagne held court here, when the abbey went up in flames, when no more than one hundred people lived here, when tobacco arrived, when the last wolf was shot...

GUIDED TOUR BY BIKE

"Cattle & reed"

Duration: approx. 2 hours, April-October,

min. 10 people, max. 30

What did it look like when droves of aurochs roamed the local countryside, before they became extinct in the 17th century? Our aim is to breed back aurochs cattle in near-natural all-year pastures, so that we can recapture the biodiverse habitats created by these mighty herbivores. Bicycles are available for this tour on flat, tarmacked paths.

GUIDED TOUR OF THE HERB GARDEN

"The living Pharmacopeia"

Duration: approx. 1.5 hours

In the monastic herb garden, some 200 native species of medicinal plants brought over the Alps by the Romans or Benedictine monks bring the world-famous Lorsch Pharmacopeia to life. This is where the history of modern medicine in the western world began!

THE PEONY TOUR

"The peony - the queen of all herbs"

Duration: approx. 1 hour, April-June Guided tour through the teaching and show garden, picturesquely situated at the foot of the small evangelical sandstone church on the World Heritage site. More than 160 species and types of herbaceous and tree peonies from three different continents represent all the varieties of these magnificent flowers, which are currently enjoying a renaissance. The municipal garden is the only one of its kind in Germany and is constantly being expanded. This is a must-see for flower lovers and those who enjoy visual stimulation.



Minimum number of participants 20 (with the exception of the bicycle tour) Price €34.50 per person | Groups of less than 20 people: price upon request