

Berlin



FROM ONLY
£295
6 Day Berlin

Price shown based upon a minimum of 40 paying members travelling low season staying at JGH Wannsee, Berlin

Berlin has all the attributes of a modern capital city but its main attraction is the grandeur and historic significance of many of its buildings and sights.

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This itinerary provides an introductory orientation tour with a guide, and then provides the use of the coach to follow this with an opportunity to explore those places that you feel are most appropriate for your group. There are so many places worth including and a selection is shown below.

Optional visits

Reichstag.

The Reichstag is one of Germany's most historical landmarks. It was opened in 1894 and housed the Parliament until 1933, when it was burnt down. Reconstructed in 1999, it is once again the seat of the Bundestag.

Brandenburg Gate.

The main entrance to the city is the trademark of Berlin, and along with the Berlin Wall, a symbol of the division of the city and of the world into two power blocs.

Jewish Museum.

The Jewish Museum is a memorial to the Holocaust. The museum is one of Berlin's most prominent landmarks and was constructed to create spaces that tell the powerful story of the Jewish people in Germany.

Holocaust Memorial.

Consisting of many stones without inscriptions, visitors can navigate their way through the tilting featureless stones – each one a unique shape and size.



German Resistance Museum.

The Memorial Centre is a site of remembrance and follows the rise and fall of Nazi Germany. You can take a free guided tour of the exhibition documenting the varied spectrum of the German Resistance to National Socialism (advance booking required).

Topography of Terror.

The Topography of Terror is an outdoor museum on the site of the headquarters of the Gestapo and the SS, the principal instruments of repression during the Nazi era.

Checkpoint Charlie Museum.

Checkpoint Charlie was the monitoring tower used to control the area around the Berlin Wall. The museum documents the Wall's history, and contains original artefacts from successful escapes under, over and above the ground.

Charlottenburg Palace.

The Charlottenburg Palace is the largest palace in Berlin. It has many rooms and galleries with first class art collections, and is surrounded by extensive landscaped gardens in the baroque style.

Sachsenhausen Memorial Centre.

Located 50 km north of Berlin, this Memorial Centre acts as a reminder of the darkest days in Berlin's history. By the end of WWII over 50,000 people had died at the concentration camp. Advance booking essential for a guided visit.

House of the Wannsee Conference.

The Wannsee conference was the place where the senior officials of the Nazi German Regime informed of their plans for the "Final Solution." The Memorial has a permanent exhibition and educational department had died at the concentration camp. Advance booking is essential.

Included in this tour

- Full board from lunch on Day 2 to dinner on Day 5 (packed lunches Days 3 to 5)
- Coach travel except Day 2 afternoon and Day 5
 - Short sea channel crossing
- Pre-booked sightseeing (excluding entrance fees)
 - Half day guided orientation tour
 - Comprehensive travel insurance
 - Information pack for group leader

6 Day Berlin Tour

Day 1

Travel from school to the Channel coast for your crossing to Calais. Overnight drive to Berlin.

Day 2

Arrive at your accommodation centre late morning / early afternoon. Lunch is included on arrival. Following check in, you will have free time to explore the city independently on public transport, before your evening meal.

Day 3 & 4

Two full days exploring Berlin with the free use of the Galloway Coach. (Half day guided orientation tour included).

Day 5

Full day exploring Berlin independently (no coach during the day – driver's rest day). Evening meal included before overnight drive to Calais.

Day 6

Breakfast time Channel crossing and return drive to school.

Cruise on the River Spree.

View Berlin from a different perspective with a peaceful cruise along the River Spree. You'll cruise right through the city of Berlin, passing such famous sights as Potsdamer Platz, the Reichstag, Museum Island, Berlin Cathedral and more.

Potsdam – Sanssouci & Cecilienhof Palaces.

The Sanssouci Palace was the summer residence of Frederick the Great with gardens and vineyards designed from the King's ideas and sketches. The Cecilienhof Palace was the setting in 1945 of the Potsdam Conference negotiations between the victorious Allies of World War II.