

Cycling tour around Weimar

7 DAYS / 6 NIGHTS, APPROX. 235 KM

BOOKING CODE: NO-SAWW6

DAILY ROUTE LENGTH ●●●●●

TOPOGRAPHY ●●●●●



Along the Saale and Unstrut
Rivers around the Goethe
City

From Eur 719,-



Your tour

The Goethe city of Weimar is the start and finish of this tour and a cultural highlight. The circular tour takes you along the well-developed cycle paths along the Saale and Ilm rivers. The Thuringian chain of towns is your guide to cultural and natural sights. The wines of the Saale-Unstrut region have long since matured from an insider's tip to a well-known, fine drop.

Itinerary

Day 1	Individual arrival in Weimar
Day 2	Weimar – Jena, approx. 25 km
Day 3	Jena – Naumburg, approx. 55 km
Day 4	Excursion to Nebra, approx. 40 km + train ride
Day 5	Naumburg – Weimar, approx. 65 km
Day 6	Excursion to Erfurt, approx. 50 / 60 km
Day 7	Individual departure

Travel time

Season A	04.04. – 10.05.	13.09. – 31.10.
Season B	11.05. – 12.09.	

Arrival Saturdays to Tuesdays 04.04. – 31.10.2026
The season is dictated by the arrival date.

Services

- 6 nights with breakfast, national 3*-level
- Luggage transport from hotel to hotel, max. 2 pieces per person, max. 20 kg / piece
- Cycle route description with maps (1 x per room)
- Service-Hotline (7 days, 08.00 a.m. – 08.00 p.m.)

Not included services

- Train ride Naumburg – Wangen (Unstrut) incl. bike
- Citys or visitors tax, if payable

Basic price per person

Doubleroom, Season A	719,-
Doubleroom, Season B	749,-
Additional fee single room	209,-

Additional night prices per person

Weimar DBL / BB	85,-
Weimar SGL / BB	109,-

Additional services per person

E-bike / Pedelec*	289,-
Rental bike (7- / 21-gear)	99,-

Notes

- Minimum number of participants: 2 persons

Exemplary hotel list

Weimar	Leonardo Hotel Weimar	https://www.leonardo-hotels.de/weimar/leonardo-hotel-weimar
Jena	Gasthaus „Zur Noll“ Jena	www.zurnoll.de
Naumburg	Pension und Ferienwohnung Onkel Ernst Naumburg (Saale)	www.onkel-ernst.de
Naumburg	Pension und Ferienwohnung Onkel Ernst Naumburg (Saale)	www.onkel-ernst.de
Weimar	Leonardo Hotel Weimar	https://www.leonardo-hotels.de/weimar/leonardo-hotel-weimar
Weimar	Leonardo Hotel Weimar	https://www.leonardo-hotels.de/weimar/leonardo-hotel-weimar

Child reduction on basic price

0 - 2 Years	100%
3 - 12 Years	50%

Reduction for children is valid for accommodation in room with two full-paying guests.

Languages Travel documents

→ German, English

Additional note

→ All bookings are on request.
→ Twin / double rooms / separate beds are only occasionally available. We treat requests as non-binding customer requests, if above mentioned room types are a booking condition, it must be mentioned as a condition at the time of booking.

Equipment of our rental bikes

→ on request: odometer, map holder (to be specified when booking)
→ Bike lock
→ Breakdown kit (1 x per booking)
→ Waterproof pannier

Journey to Weimar

→ Nearest airports: Leipzig, Erfurt-Weimar
→ Train station: Weimar

Parking in Weimar

→ Public parking garages, for a fee. No reservation possible through Radweg-Reisen.

Travel documents

→ 1 set (per booked room) consists of: hotel list and voucher, travel information with details on daily stages, short travel guides and route descriptions, maps, luggage tags
→ Dispatched up to four weeks before arrival. For short-term bookings, delivery to the start hotel, hotel list and arrival information will be sent by email

Stages description

Day 1: Individual arrival in Weimar

Weimar is the city of poets and thinkers. Names such as Goethe, Schiller and Friedrich Liszt, as well as great female personalities such as Duchess Anna Amalia, still characterize the city of culture today. The city palace, a magnificent princely residence, and the state Bauhaus from 1919 are further landmarks of the city. You can experience opera, drama and dance up close at the Deutsches Nationaltheater.

a theatrical setting. Passing Rudelsburg Castle standing on high cliffs and the two towers of Saaleck Castle, the route continues along the Saale through Mediterranean-looking wine terraces to Naumburg.

Day 2: Weimar – Jena, approx. 25 km

Today's stage is deliberately kept short, as Weimar and Jena offer numerous sights. We recommend a stroll through Weimar's garden landscape to Goethe's garden house before continuing along the Ilm Cycle Path and Thuringian Chain of Towns towards the Saale. Highlights of the university and optics city of Jena are the views over the city from the JenTower glass skyscraper or into the stars from the Zeiss Planetarium.

Day 4: Excursion to Nebra, approx. 40 km + train ride

Take the train to Nebra - made world-famous by the discovery of the Nebra Sky Disk. Its significance is explained at the Arche multimedia center. You then cycle along the Unstrut cycle path to the Rotkäppchen sparkling wine cellars and through the Blütengrund back to Naumburg. If you don't want to cycle after the sparkling wine tasting, simply take the MS Fröhliche Dörte from Freyburg back to Naumburg on the Unstrut and Saale rivers (not included).

Day 3: Jena – Naumburg, approx. 55 km

The famous three Dornburg castles are the first destination on this stage. High above the Saale canyon, on the edge of the cliffs, the Old Castle, the Rococo Castle and the Renaissance Castle are enthroned in

Day 5: Naumburg – Weimar, approx. 65 km

At the beginning you cycle upstream in the direction of Bad Kösen with its famous graduation house. From Kleinheringen you follow the Ilm past the bell city of Apolda and finally you return to the city of poets and thinkers: to Weimar.

Day 6: Excursion to Erfurt, approx. 50 / 60 km

On your last stage you will drive along the Thuringian city chain to Erfurt. Stroll through Erfurt's alleys to the fish market and the famous Krämerbrücke. Discover the Erfurt Cathedral, which has the Gloriosa, the largest free-swinging bell in the world, before cycling back to Weimar. Alternatively, the trip back is possible by train incl. bike (not included).

Day 7: Individual departure

After breakfast you start your individual return journey home or extend your stay.