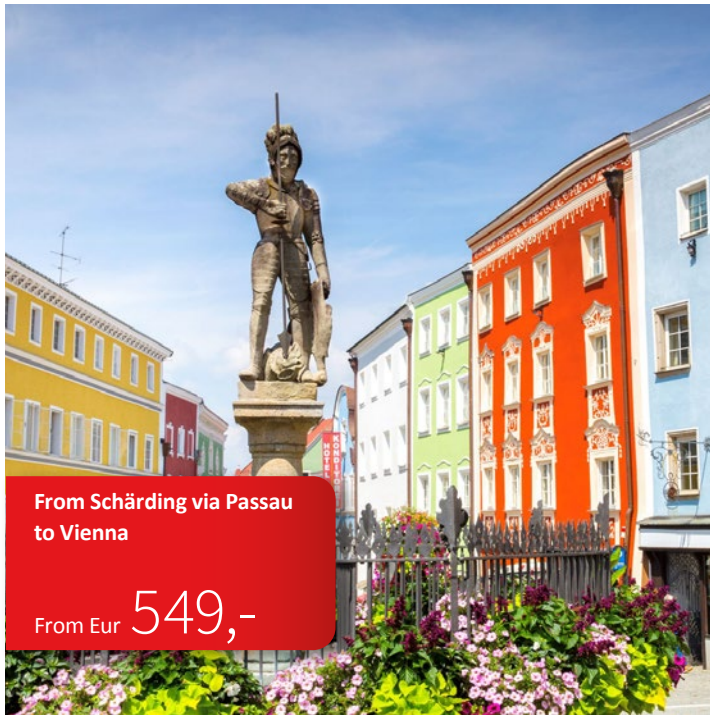


Sporty bike tour along the Austrian Danube

6 DAYS / 5 NIGHTS, APPROX. 325 KM
BOOKING CODE: OE-DOSW5-SP

DAILY ROUTE LENGTH ●●●●●
TOPOGRAPHY ●●●●●



Your tour

Those with sporting ambitions will get their money's worth on this cycling tour along the Danube. In just four stages you will cycle 325 km and discover the scenic beauty of the Danube valley as well as the cultural and historical wealth along the old towpaths on one of the most popular cycling routes in Europe. Passau, Linz, Melk and of course Vienna are well-known waypoints on your cycle tour through Austria. Once you arrive in Vienna, you can be proud of your sporting achievement and enjoy a schnitzel, Sacher cake or Kaiserschmarrn with a clear conscience.

Itinerary

Day 1	Individual arrival in Schärding	
Day 2	Schärding – Aschach / Brandstatt, approx. 80 km + ferry ride	
Day 3	Aschach – Ardagger / Grein, approx. 80 km	
Day 4	Ardagger – Krems, approx. 85 km	
Day 5	Krems – Vienna, approx. 80 km	
Day 6	Individual departure	

Travel time

Season A	30.03. – 12.04.	28.09. – 12.10.
Season B	13.04. – 03.05.	07.09. – 27.09.
Season C	04.05. – 06.09.	

Daily arrival 30.03. – 12.10.2024
The season is dictated by the arrival date.

Services

- 5 nights with breakfast, national 3* / 4*-level (Cat A)
- 5 nights with breakfast, national 3*-level (Cat B)
- Ferry ride Au – Schlögen incl. bike
- Luggage transport from hotel to hotel to Vienna, 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.)
- Wine tasting in the Wachau region

Not included services

- Citys or visitors tax, if payable

Basic price per person	Category B	Category A
Doubleroom, Season A	549,-	699,-
Doubleroom, Season B	639,-	799,-
Doubleroom, Season C	689,-	869,-
Price Surcharge Singleroom	199,-	219,-

Additional night prices per person	Category B	Category A
Schärding DBL / BB	69,-	85,-
Schärding SGL / BB	109,-	115,-
Vienna DBL / BB	69,-	89,-
Vienna SGL / BB	119,-	139,-

Additional services per person

E-bike / Pedelec*	239,-
Rental bike (7- / 21-gear)*	89,-
Return transfer excl. bike	79,-
Return transfer incl. bike	119,-

*including rental bike insurance

Exemplary hotel list Category A

Schärding	Stadthotel, Schärding	https://stadthotel-schaerding.at/
Aschach / Brandstatt	Zur Sonne Aschach / Brandstatt	https://www.gasthof-sonne-aschach.at/
Ardagger / Grein	Wellnesshotel Aumühle, Grein	https://www.aumuehle.at/
Krems	Arte Hotel Krems	https://www.arte-krems.at/
Wien	Arcotel Kaiserwasser Wien	http://www.arcotelhotels.com/de/kaiserwasser_hotel_wien/

Exemplary hotel list Category B

Schärding	Biedermeierhof, Schärding	https://www.biedermeierhof.at/
Aschach / Brandstatt	Dieplinger Aschach / Brandstatt	http://www.langmayr.at/
Ardagger / Grein	Gasthof zur Donaubrücke, Grein	https://www.gasthof-froschauer.at/
Krems	Gasthof zum goldenen Engel Krems	https://www.hotelehrenreich.at/willkommen.html
Wien	Simm's Hotel, Wien	https://www.simmshotel.at/

Child reduction on basic price

Due to the challenging stages, we do not recommend this trip for children.

Languages Travel documents

→ German, English, French

Additional note

- All bookings are on request.
- Return journey from Vienna to Passau / Schärding: Optionally with a minibus (daily), duration approx. 3.5 – 4 hours, pick-up approx. 2 p.m. directly at the hotel, must be specified when booking.
- Alternatively on your own by train, connections several times an hour, duration approx. 3 hours, 1 x change.
- 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

- Bike lock
- Odometer
- Handlebar bag
- Air pump (per room)
- Breakdown kit (1 x per booking)
- Waterproof pannier

Journey to Schärding

- Nearest airports: Munich, Vienna
- Train station: Schärding

Parking in Schärding

- Free parking on the premises of our partner tour operator directly on the cycle path. No reservation possible through Radweg-Reisen.

Luggage transport

- Luggage pick-up from 09.00 a.m., delivery to the next hotel by 06.00 p.m. at the latest, labeling of luggage is 1 x for the whole tour. No restriction on the number of pieces of luggage, but max. 20 kg per piece of luggage.

Travel documents

- Travel document dispatch to the arrival hotel, hotel list and arrival information in advance by e-mail

Stages description

Day 1: Individual arrival in Schärding

Welcome to Upper Austria! After you have checked into your room, you can take a walk through Schärding. Discover the picturesque and colourful town with its buildings in the Inn-Salzach style. The late baroque Silberzeile on the upper town square is particularly famous. It owes its name to the wealthy merchants who once lived here.

Day 2: Schärding – Aschach / Brandstatt, approx. 80 km + ferry ride

Cycle leisurely along the Inn to Passau, where the river joins the Ilz and the Danube. You then cycle along the north bank of the Danube to the Schlögener Schlinge. The Danube makes a 180° bend here due to a huge granite rock. You can enjoy the impressive natural spectacle from the boat. Those with a thirst for action can make a detour to the Haichenbach ruins shortly after Niederranna before cycling to Aschach.

Day 3: Aschach – Ardagger / Grein, approx. 80 km

Cycle along the Danube through the bird paradise of the Eferding Basin to Linz, the capital of Upper Austria and European Capital of Culture 2009. Through Enns you reach the romantic Strudengau and Nibelungengau. Treat yourself to a break in the Celtic village of Mitterkirchen before continuing on to Grein. The oldest municipal theatre in Austria and the magnificent Greinburg Castle await you here.

Day 4: Ardagger – Krems, approx. 85 km

In the morning, you cycle towards the impressive Danube power station in Persenbeug. The route then takes a more romantic turn from the pilgrimage church in Maria Taferl to Melk with its world-famous abbey. The gateway to the Wachau offers you an enchanting ambience

in the midst of orchards and vineyards. Via Spitz and Dürnstein you reach the wine town of Krems, where you can savour a glass of regional wine.

Day 5: Krems – Vienna, approx. 80 km

You leave the Wachau wine region again and cycle to the Roman town of Tulln. A completely different landscape awaits you: instead of the heights of the Wachau, the expansive Tulln field opens up before you.

The route continues via Greifenstein and Klosterneuburg to the Danube metropolis of Vienna. Whether Schönbrunn Palace or St Stephen's Cathedral - Vienna has something to offer for every taste.

Day 6: Individual departure

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