



## **Itinerary for Seven Day Tour to Berlin History**

### **Day One :**

Depart at 17:30. Shuttle crossing to Calais and onward travel to Berlin. There will be frequent stops to break the journey. These will be discussed with the party leaders.

### **Day Two :**

Afternoon arrival at Tropical Islands for swimming in Europe's largest tropical park.

Transfer to our accommodation and introductory talk on fire drill and facilities available to the party.

### **Day Three :**

Breakfast and transfer to Berlin and the **British Cemetery**. There will be a brief visit here before visiting the **Olympic Stadium**.

We will then stop at the Soviet War Memorial before our guided tour of the **Field of Stelae Holocaust Memorial**.

Lunch and time to view the **Brandenburg Gate**, for many, the symbol of Berlin and the site of Hitler's Bunker.

Visit to the **Reichstag** - seat of the German Federal Parliament. Visit to the dome

Onwards to the **Babelplatz** - the site of the famous book burning on May 10 1933. The group will then go to **Alexanderplatz** and **Unter Den Linden** for free time before an ascent of the **Fernsehturm**.

Transfer to the hotel and evening meal.

### **Day Four :**

After breakfast, the group will go to the **Jewish Museum**.

We shall then head for the **Topography of Terrors**, (located on the site of the Gestapo Headquarters) for a guided tour. En route, the coach will go along the

length of **Wilhelmstrasse** - address of many of the most feared Nazi Ministries during the war - and on past **Goering's Air Ministry building**.

We will also walk to the **Haus am Checkpoint Charlie** for photographs during this time.

The group will then transfer to the **Stasi Museum** for a guided tour.

Return to the hotel for our evening meal, stopping en route at the **East Side Gallery**. **Quiz or swimming**.

### Day Five :

After breakfast, the group will transfer to **Grunewald Railway Station and Gleis 17** before a brief visit to the Memorial at **Plotzensee Prison**.

Onwards to the **former concentration camp at Sachsenhausen**.

Transfer to **Potsdam** for time at leisure shopping and around the Palace of Sanssouci. We shall also point out the infamous **Bridge of Spies**. We may then briefly visit the Memorial and Museum at **Wannsee**.

Evening meal at a lakeside restaurant. We will then head back into Berlin for **bowling**.

### Day Six :

After a German breakfast, transfer by UBahn to the **zoo**

Lunch and time to spend the remainder of the afternoon shopping.

Students to buy lunch during leisure time and return journey commencing at 16.00.

Packed supper will be provided.

### Day Seven :

The group will continue their return journey. Shuttle at and arrival at school at approximately 07.00

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