



Itinerary for Four Day Tour to Koblenz and the Christmas Markets Languages

Day One:

Depart school on executive coach. Coffee making, DVD and toilet facilities on board. Shuttle crossing to France.

Onward journey to our accommodation. Pupils will need to bring a packed lunch with them on this day.

There will be a talk on fire procedures. Evening meal.

Day Two:

After a German-style breakfast and **language lesson**, depart for the **Rhine Valley**, with its dramatic landscape of cliffs, vineyards and castles.

Marksburg castle - the group will visit a dramatic castle which has withstood all attacks - the children are particularly fascinated by a grisly torture chamber in the cellar!

Lunch will be during our **Rhine river cruise** to **Rudesheim**. The group will complete a **work study** at Rudesheim before heading up the Niederwald monument by cable car.

Onwards to Koblenz where we will explore the **Christmas market**. **The children will be given sufficient money to complete an errand**. There may be a short visit to the **Deutsches Eck** (the confluence of the Rhine and Moselle rivers)

Return to the accommodation and our evening meal.

Day Three:

After breakfast and a **German lesson**, the group will depart for **Cologne** for a visit to the **chocolate factory**.

There may be time to look at the **cathedral** before an onward transfer to **Bonn**, where we will visit:

The Haus der Geschichte: a very informative museum on the history of Germany and the **Christmas Market**.

Return to the accommodation and evening meal.

Day Four:

Breakfast and departure for the United Kingdom. On the return journey, the group may be able to visit a hypermarket for any last minute shopping.

Shuttle crossing and lunch provided.

Evening arrival at school

Option:

After a German-style breakfast and language lesson, depart for the **Moselle Valley**.

Onwards to the **castle at Cochem** for a guided visit

Visit to a local winery before lunch and heading to **Bernkastel**. The group will complete a work study at Bernkastel before exploring the **Christmas market** here.

The children will be given sufficient money to complete an errand at the market before an onward transfer to the Christmas Market at **Trier**

Return to the accommodation and our evening meal.

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