



GERMAN & ART MUNICH, GERMANY PROGRAMS START EVERY MONDAY



PROGRAM DESCRIPTION

This German & Art program enables you to combine a German course with a art lessons with local art ateliers. This unique program offers exciting hands-on art classes, meaningful cultural immersion, and an enriching language program.



CITY AND COUNTRY INFO

Founded in 1158, Munich (München) has been the capital of Bavaria since 1503, and as far as the locals are concerned it may as well be the centre of the universe. Münchener pride themselves on their special status; even people who have made Munich their home for most of their lives are still called Zugereiste (newcomers). Next to Berlin, Munich is Germany's most popular city, with everything you'd expect in a cosmopolitan capital. Yet it's small enough to be digestible in one visit, and it's got the added bonus of a great setting, with the mountains and Alpine lakes just an hour's drive away. The best time of year to come here is from June to early October, when the beer gardens, street cafés and bars are in full swing.

Munich is at the edge of the Alps is one of the greenest and most beautiful cities in Germany. Munich has been able to preserve its unique charm which is expressed through its beautiful architecture with buildings from several eras and the typical lifestyle of its people: a mixture of tradition and receptiveness towards modern life. It is not only an international city, it is also a cultural leader which offers an extraordinary variety of leisure attractions.

HIGHLIGHTS OF PROGRAM

After participating in this German & Art Program in Munich, students will gain experience in foreign art programs, greatly improve foreign language abilities, gain personal growth and confidence both nationally and internationally, and combine travel, academics, and passion for art into one incredible life-changing experience.

What's Included

- **Tuition and Class Materials:** 1 week minimum-group 20 German 45 minute lessons per week in group of 5- 12 students per class.
- **Art Classes:** 2.5 Lessons of 60 minutes each week
- **Lodging:** In a Student Residence or Homestay
- **Placement Testing**
- **1-2 Organized Activities Weekly***
- * Entrance fees, transportation, etc. may be at additional cost.
- **Access to E-mail**
- **Access to Multimedia Learning Center**
- **Certificate of Completion**
- **Pre-Departure Information**
- **Planning Guide**
- **Medical, Accident and Sickness Coverage ****
- ** See policy for definitions and exclusions.
- **Medivac Coverage**
- **Other Travel Coverage:** repatriation, baggage, personal effects, accidental death and dismemberment , etc.
- **24 Hour Emergency Multilingual Hotline:** call collect from anywhere in the world

FULL PROGRAM DESCRIPTION

STUDY PROGRAM

The study portion of the program includes 20 hours per week of Group German classes with a 1 week minimum. Maximum number of students per class is 5, with the average being 2 students. Groups are organized in a way that each will always consist of students possessing the same level of German.

All of our teachers are native speakers with university educations and are very experienced teaching German to foreigners. Most have learned a second language themselves and understand the student's perspective.

The method is based on the 4 language skills: listening, grammar, oral and written comprehension. No English will be used in class. Classes are 45 minutes in length.

Our program is divided into 6 levels of study. The first 4 are concentrated on grammar, vocabulary, practical situations, and conversation. The next 2 levels, advanced and superior, focus mainly on conversation and advanced reading and writing topics.

ART LESSONS

These lessons are given by art ateliers we cooperate with. The art teachers have all graduated from art academies and have received international prizes and scholarships. You can choose from the basic techniques of sculpture, painting or drawing and can learn to work with different media and tools. There are 2.5 hours of art lessons per week.

LODGING OPTIONS

HOST FAMILY

Living in a German host family is the best and most interesting way to learn the German language and to get an insight into the German way of life. This is why most of our students prefer to be accommodated with families. The host may be a family with children, an older couple or a single person. Our student shares the bathroom and kitchen with their hosts.

SHARED APARTMENTS/STUDENT RESIDENCE

Students are housed in shared apartments inhabited by one or more German. Each student has a single room in the apartment and you will share bathroom and kitchen; a good option if you'd like some service from your German host but don't want to be confined by having to integrate into their everyday life. Student Apartments is a popular form of living among Germans, especially in bigger cities. You have a single room in an apartment you share with one or more Germans and take care of all meals yourself. The Germans are between 20 and 40, either students at Berlin universities or professionals. Often you develop close contacts with the Germans in your apartment.

PRICE RANGE

Cost of 1 week of classes, art lessons, and 1 week of housing ranges from:

\$797 → \$941**

**Prices range according to housing and board options.

ELIGIBILITY AND GUIDELINES

U.S. citizens traveling with regular passports for tourism or business do not need a visa for a stay of 90 days or less. Those planning a longer visit must obtain a visa in advance of arrival.

Minimum age of 18 unless accompanied by an adult.

ACTIVITIES

Available to all students is a highly varied program of social activities all of which are undertaken with the teachers. The social activities allow students to improve their German, make new friends from all over the world, and simply enjoy themselves.

Students will also have an opportunity to meet people at the many events organized at the NRCSA Center including international evenings, film shows, games, competitions and parties.

Outside the classroom there are plenty of opportunities to enjoy other aspects of German life and culture. Local coordinators can arrange for guided sight-seeing tours and visits to museums, cultural events, pubs and discos.

HOW TO REGISTER

To register for the GERMAN & ART program in Munich, either follow the link below or call 1-888-678-6211.

<http://www.nrdsa.com/reg/online/regform.html>

When you register, \$140 USD is due to secure your place in the program.