



Castle Route cycle path

FROM HEIDELBERG CASTLE TO MEDIEVAL ROTHENBURG.

You pedal through Baden-Württemberg's history to romantic Franconia. Towns, such as Heidelberg, Bad Wimpfen, Jagsthausen, Schwäbisch Hall and Rothenburg, will simply enchant you. Sometimes up steep hills and then down through deep, green valleys, you cycle to medieval castles and mighty forts. Dive into a world of knights and lords and ladies of the castle and admire these beautifully intact old buildings. This tour is a perfect mixture of culture, history and nature. A superb finish to the tour is the night watchman's tour in Rothenburg.

Challenging



8 Days / 7 Nights



Self-guided Tour

To the online version



Itinerary

DAY
1

Arrival in Heidelberg

Heidelberg is considered one of Germany's most beautiful towns. The harmonious flair of Neckar, historic quarter and castle in the midst of vineyards has fascinated artists and poets of the Romantic and will surely enchant you, too. Heidelberg Castle and its beautiful gardens are worth a visit.

DAY
2

Heidelberg – Eberbach | approx. 40 km

Your way leads you through Neckar Valley to Eberbach, which is located at the foot of an extinct volcano. Above the town on a hill are Eberbach castle ruins. The size of the complex can only be guessed at by the imposing remaining walls. See the four still intact towers in the historic quarter, which served as the medieval town fortifications.

DAY
3

Eberbach – Bad Friedrichshall/Neckarsulm | approx. 55 km

This route takes you along the Neckar to the historic old town of Bad Wimpfen. You will recognize the town's skyline from afar. A short distance now separates you from today's destination, the salt town of Bad Friedrichshall. The Kocher and Jagst rivers meet here and join the Neckar and will bewitch you in this lovely unsoiled riverland.

DAY
4

Bad Friedrichshall/Neckarsulm – Jagsthausen/Sindringen

approx. 40/50 km

After breakfast, you cycle along the Kocher-Jagst cycle path, first along the Jagst to Jagsthausen, home of the Knight, Götz von Berlichingen. He spend a few years of his childhood at Castle Jagsthausen, which was also named Götzenburg. Explore the town and visit the Red and White Castle or the old town hall in the town centre.

DAY
5*Jagsthausen/Sindringen – Öhringen – Schwäbisch Hall*

approx. 40/50 km

You leave the home of Knight Götz von Berlichingen and cycle along the German Limes cycle path to Öhringen. The town on the Limes will enchant you with its special atmosphere and history. The former Hohenlohe castle is on the medieval marketplace, the heart of the town. The Castle Route cycle path takes you to today's destination, Schwäbisch Hall.

DAY
6*Schwäbisch Hall – Kirchberg*

approx. 40 km

Your bike takes you through the Jagst Valley to Kirchberg. The river has cut a deep path into the shell limestone of the Hohenlohe Levels and formed an impressive valley. The striking town backdrop with its town tower, castle and church rises over the lovely Jagst valley. On a pleasant wander through the town you have the chance to see Kirchberg Castle.

DAY
7*Kirchberg – Rothenburg ob der Tauber*

approx. 35 km

In the morning you cycle to Rothenburg ob der Tauber. The historic old town features pretty timber-framed houses, narrow towers, winding streets and impressive fortifications. In the evening join the night watchman on a tour through winding streets and brightly lit squares.

DAY
8*Departure or extension*

Your bike tour ends after breakfast.

Tour character

Along the rivers mostly flat, otherwise hilly with some climbs.

Prices and events

Place of arrival: Heidelberg

Season 1	Season 2	Season 3	Season 4
27.03.2021 - 31.03.2021	01.04.2021 - 04.04.2021 18.04.2021 - 05.05.2021	06.05.2021 - 10.05.2021 16.05.2021	11.05.2021 - 15.05.2021
05.04.2021 - 17.04.2021	07.06.2021 - 10.06.2021 14.06.2021 - 17.06.2021	24.05.2021 - 27.05.2021 06.06.2021	17.05.2021 - 23.05.2021
01.10.2021 - 24.10.2021	21.06.2021 - 24.06.2021 12.09.2021 - 30.09.2021	11.06.2021 - 13.06.2021 18.06.2021 - 20.06.2021	28.05.2021 - 05.06.2021
Arrival daily	Arrival daily	25.06.2021 - 30.06.2021 22.08.2021 - 11.09.2021 Arrival daily	01.07.2021 - 21.08.2021 Arrival daily

Castle Route cycle path, Heidelberg - Rothenburg, 8 days, DE-BYRHR-08X

Base price	64900	74900	79900	84900
Surcharge single room	21900	21900	21900	21900

Category: Hotels of 3***-niveau

Additional nights

Place of arrival: Heidelberg

Season 1	Season 2	Season 3	Season 4
Mar 27, 2021 - Mar 31, 2021	Apr 1, 2021 - Apr 4, 2021 Apr 18, 2021 - May 5, 2021 Jun 7, 2021 - Jun 10, 2021	May 6, 2021 - May 10, 2021 May 16, 2021	May 11, 2021 - May 15, 2021
Apr 5, 2021 - Apr 17, 2021 	Jun 14, 2021 - Jun 17, 2021 Jun 21, 2021 - Jun 24, 2021 Sep 12, 2021 - Sep 30, 2021	May 24, 2021 - May 27, 2021 Jun 6, 2021 Jun 11, 2021 - Jun 13, 2021 Jun 18, 2021 - Jun 20, 2021 Jun 25, 2021 - Jun 30, 2021	May 17, 2021 - May 23, 2021
Oct 1, 2021 - Oct 24, 2021 	Arrival daily	Aug 22, 2021 - Sep 11, 2021 Arrival daily	May 28, 2021 - Jun 5, 2021 Jul 1, 2021 - Aug 21, 2021 Arrival daily

Heidelberg

Double room p. P.	7900	7900	7900	7900
Surcharge single room	30.00	30.00	30.00	30.00

Rothenburg ob der Tauber

	Season 1	Season 2	Season 3	Season 4
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Double room p. P.	7500	7500	7500	7500
Surcharge single room	34.00	34.00	34.00	34.00

Our rental bikes

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27-gears unisex	7900
27-gears gents	7900
Electric bike	19900

Prices per person in EUR

Services and infos

Leistungen

Included:

- Accommodation as already mentioned
- Breakfast buffet
- Luggage transfer between the hotels
- Detailed travel documents 1x per room (German, English, Dutch, French with route maps, route description, local attractions, important telephone numbers)
- 1 Entrance Castle Heidelberg
- 1 guided city tour Rothenburg with the night watchman (German, English)
- GPS-Data is available
- Service-hotline

Optional extras:

- Bike rental, including rental bike insurance

Infos

Arrival / Parking / Departure:

- Schwäbisch Hall-Hessental train station
- Frankfurt, Karlsruhe/Baden-Baden or Stuttgart airport
- Public Multi-storey car park or car park in Heidelberg with fee, no reservation possible, to be paid for at the time. Car park without fee at Neuer Messeplatz, no reservation possible.
- Good train connections from Rothenburg to Heidelberg

Things to note:



- Tourist tax, if due, is not included in the price!
- Further important information according to the package travel law can be found [here!](#)

Contact & booking

Do you still have questions about the tour? We are happy to help and look forward to your inquiry.



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