

Full day

Private driver, car & expert guide (starting at your hotel)

## QUINTESSENTIALLY GERMAN, CLASSICISM & MODERNISM.

BOver the centuries humble Weimar has found itself a focal point of German arts, culture and politics, an epicentre of European intellectual history.

Before there was even a nation known as Germany, enlightenment thinkers and philosophers like Goethe and Schiller began forging a uniquely German literary voice and view. For them, their adopted home of Weimar served as incubator of ideas, so much so that the movement they founded became eponymously known as Weimar Classicism. Weimar equally championed and inspired arts and science, giving patronage to the likes of Martin Luther, Lucas Cranach, Johann Sebastian Bach, Franz Liszt, Friedrich Nitzsche or Walter Gropius.

This intellectual tradition later made the city fertile ground for the founding of the Bauhaus School, one of the most influential architecture & design movements in modern history. Weimar even lent its name to Germany's first republic, when in 1919 the city served as meeting place for the German national assembly, which drafted the nation's first democratic constitution. The subsequent Weimar era, as it came to be known, typified the innovation, modernism, and chaos of the early 20th century. Spend the morning taking a scenic drive or train ride across the German countryside, then explore the elegantly preserved romanticist palaces and cultural centers of Weimar and the contrastingly modernist architecture of the Bauhaus School, both of which are officially recognized UNESCO world





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heritage sights. Along the way your guide, who will accompany you along the entire journey, will show you how and why the history and legacy of this charming city far outweighs its diminutive size.

## Goethe's House & Gardens | Schiller's House | Herder Church | Schloss Weimar | The Dowager's Palace | Duchess Anna Amalia Library | Cemetery & Princes' Tomb | Bauhaus Campus | Haus Am Horn

The tour includes: Drive Berlin-Weimar-Berlin, each way 3 hours by car.

Walking tour through the old town of Weimar in the morning with possible museum visits in the afternoon.Berlin's street art community to become an internationally recognized and respected artist.



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