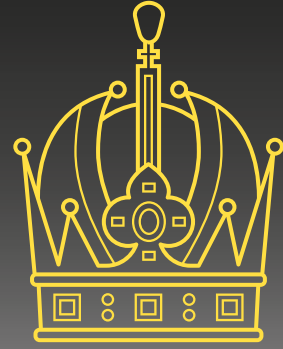




NEUE HOFBURG WIEN



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Neue Hofburg

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NEUE HOFBURG VIENNA

The Neue Hofburg Palace is the most recent and grandest wing of the Vienna Hofburg and houses three major collections belonging to the Kunsthistorisches Museum Vienna. The Neue Hofburg Palace was intended to reflect imperial power and glory but also to house the apartments of the Emperor and his family.

IMPERIAL ARMOURY

SPECTACULAR SPLENDOUR

The Imperial Armoury in Vienna is an extremely diverse and valuable collection of court arms and armour. It holds around 3,800 objects, every one of them a work of art. The armour was created on the occasion of military campaigns, coronations, or marriages and served as a visible sign of the wearer's status.

COLLECTION OF HISTORIC MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS

SPLENDID MELODIES

The most important collection of Renaissance and Baroque instruments in the world can be found on the first floor. It holds many historical instruments played by famous musicians and composers, such as Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart, and extraordinary objects from the history of music.

WELTMUSEUM WIEN

FASCINATING EXHIBITS

The Weltmuseum Wien is one of the world's leading ethnographical museums, situated in the Neue Hofburg Palace on Vienna's Ringstrasse. The highlights of the Museum represent more than 500 years of high-quality collecting activities on the part of the Habsburgs – among them objects from the Cabinet of Curiosities of Emperor Rudolf II, the unique Mexican feather headdress, the world-famous collection of James Cook, and objects from the voyages of discovery and research of the 19th century.

From magnificent arms and
armour to a fortepiano that
Mozart once played on



NEUE HOFBURG TOUR HOUSE OF HABSBURG

SELF-GUIDED AUDIO TOUR
IN 10 LANGUAGES

The House of Habsburg Tour tells the story of the rise and fall of one of the most powerful families to have ruled in Europe in the last millennium. In their final residence and the centre of their power, the Neue Hofburg, we present imperial tales about the Habsburgs through the ages from the dynasty's founding fathers to Sisi, giving you fascinating insights into the world of the emperors.

Triumph and tragedy are never far apart in the history of the Habsburg Monarchy. Under this dynasty, Vienna was a centre of power and music. Nowhere is this more apparent than in the Neue Hofburg, the most recent wing of the Wiener Hofburg. This is partly due to the building itself, which is steeped in history, but also because of two of the collections that are housed here, the Imperial Armoury and the Collection of Historic Musical Instruments.

Our tour takes you on a journey through the history of the Habsburgs, from the late middle ages to the modern era, past suits of armour that cost the equivalent of a high-end sports car today, a fortepiano that was once played by Mozart and past the only wax bust to show Joseph Haydn as he was in life. The tour passes through those halls and rooms which are imbued with the spirit of Sisi; sadly, the Empress, who was murdered in 1898, never took up residence in the rooms that were originally intended for her.

A tour through 650 years of history of reign in one place



TOUR-TICKET

Adults: € 23

Students up to 25, senior citizens over 65: € 19

Children and teens under 19: € 7

The ticket includes:

- Admission to the Neue Hofburg Vienna
- Self-guided audio tour House of Habsburg in 10 languages
- Admission to the Imperial Armoury
- Admission to the Collection of Historic Musical Instruments
- Admission to the Weltmuseum Wien

Duration: approx. 1 hour

LANGUAGES

The tour is available in 10 languages.

German – English – French – Spanish – Italian – Hungarian – Czech – Japanese – Chinese - Korean

TOUR DESCRIPTION

The tour begins in the Entrance Hall of the Weltmuseum Wien before continuing to the Imperial Armoury via the Hall of Columns. It then takes in the magnificent staircase before entering the unique Collection of Historic Musical Instruments in the rooms originally planned as the apartments of the Empress Elisabeth.

APP KHM STORIES

Once a ticket has been purchased, the tour is also available in 10 languages in our KHM Stories app.



LOCATION

Neue Hofburg Vienna
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OPENING HOURS

Daily except Mondays 10 a.m. – 6 p.m.
Tue until 9 p.m

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