



FREE PARKING included with **ENTRANCE TICKET!**



Adults | € 13.00

Family Ticket I | € 26.00

2 (grand)parents with their (grand)child/ren up to 16 years of age

Family Ticket II | € 13.00

1 (grand)parent with their (grand)child/ren up to 16 years of age

Students | € 6.50

up to 27 years of age, with student ID

Guided tour for small groups

of under 20 persons
per person (entrance fee) | **€ 13.00**
plus flat fee (for the guided tour) | **€ 60.00**

GUIDED TOUR
+ € 3,00
per person

WORSHIP SERVICES
Mass on Sundays and Holidays
Children's church and youth prayer
Midday prayer *In the Middle of the Day*

CULTURAL PROGRAM
Throughout the year Melk abbey offers a diverse cultural program with concerts, Garden Summer Nights, etc.
Complete program at stiftmelk.at

AUDIOGUIDE FOR SMARTPHONES

1. Download the free "Hearonymus-App"
2. Search keyword "Melk" and download Guide



GUIDED TOUR OF MELK ABBEY

daily | 50 minutes
April to October
10.55 am & 2.55 pm
May to September
10.55 am, 1.55 pm & 2.55 pm
November to March
11 am, 1.30 pm & 3 pm

The guided tour begins with the Prelate's Courtyard and takes guests up the Imperial Staircase, into the Imperial Corridor and former Imperial guest rooms where the Melk Abbey museum is located.

The exhibition *The Path from Yesterday to Today* features the highlights of Melk Abbey's history, its art treasures, as well as its current tasks and activities. This is followed by the Marble Hall and the grand balcony which provides a breathtaking view of the town of Melk and the Danube Valley landscape below. The guided tour ends with the library. Next, guests can go down into the abbey church, a masterpiece of high Baroque architecture, and individually visit the church at their leisure after the guided tour.

The Northern Bastion, the abbey park with its Baroque pavilion (April to October), and garden complex complete the visit of this stunning cultural ensemble.

TIPS FOR YOUR EXCURSION
A day in Melk Abbey

10.00 am

Visit of the special exhibition *LEAVE AND STAY | SALIR Y QUEDARSE* in the Columned Hall

10.55 am

English guided tour

12.00 noon

In the Middle of the Day – Midday prayer in the abbey church

12.30 pm

Lunch in Melk abbey restaurant

2.00 pm

Visit of the Northern Bastion incl. the special exhibition *one-way planet*

2.45 pm

Coffee and cake in the garden pavilion, followed by a stroll through the abbey park

afterwards

visit of the abbey shop:
Herbal salts, handmade chocolate, wines, liqueurs, our exclusive Melk Abbey gin and beer and many more special abbey products to remind you of your visit in Melk abbey at home.

MELK ABBEY CARD | € 20.00

Season pass: experience and visit the abbey museum, the abbey park, as well as the *Garden Summer Nights* with this all-inclusive season ticket.



Prices include entertainment tax levied by the town of Melk and VAT
prices valid until December 2023 | prices per person | subject to change

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STIFT MELK

Spiritual, intellectual and cultural center, gem of Baroque architecture, UNESCO World Heritage and world-renowned historic attraction. Yet it is also school, economic driving force and employer.

Above all we are an open house and a place of encounter! Us being the community of Benedictine monks who have been living in Melk for more than 900 years, following the Rule of Saint Benedict. Ora et labora et lege – pray and work and read. Whether you are interested in spirituality, culture, education, history, nature or architecture: in this colorful conglomerate that is Melk Abbey you find it all. – Welcome!

Georg Wilfinger

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ABBEY VISIT

A visit inside takes you up the Imperial Staircase to the Imperial Corridor, abbey museum, Marble Hall, balcony, library, and abbey church, and offers an overall impression of this wonderful cultural ensemble.

NORTHERN BASTION & WACHAU LAB

At the portal, between the abbey buildings and the abbey park, the Northern Bastion is waiting to be discovered. From the terrace guests can enjoy a beautiful view over the town of Melk and the abbey grounds, including the park. The Wachau Lab with the special exhibition *one-way planet* can be found on the first floor. On the ground floor the abbey shop offers a variety of exclusive products.

ABBEY PARK & GARDEN PAVILION

The unique park grounds are a symbiosis of architecture, nature and spirit. The Baroque garden pavilion with its exotic frescoes by Johann Wenzel Bergl, the Oriental Garden with its view of the Danube valley, the Paradise Garden, the meditative Saint Benedict's Path and many other areas promise delightful amazement as well as recreation and rest.

April to October | 9 am to 6 pm

MINERAL COLLECTION

In the former Abbot's Library, guests find a mineral collection that dates back to the 18th century.
April to October | 1.30 pm to 3.30 pm

SPECIAL EXHIBITIONS

Three special exhibitions – *Leave und Stay Salir y Quedarse* by MACON in the Columned Hall, *Restoration and Life II* in the arcade as well as *one-way planet* in the Northern Bastion's Wachau Lab – complete the extensive cultural program in 2023.

SHOP

Numerous products are exclusively available in the abbey shop.
Daily | 9.30 am to 5 pm

Abbey library

Abbey church

Balcony

Marble Hall

Abbey museum

Imperial Staircase

TICKET & INFO

