

TRIER, CENTRE OF ANTIQUITY



Trier fascinates everyone interested in antiquity – after all, nowhere other than here is it possible to get closer to the splendour of the Roman Empire throughout Central Europe. At the time of Marcus Aurelius, Augusta Treverorum, the oldest city in Germany, experienced its first great period of prosperity. The city's fortifications were also built at this time and with them the "Porta Nigra", the ancient city gate, which remains Trier's landmark to this day. The city impresses with its monumental Roman buildings, which are part of the UNESCO World Heritage bringing the antiquity to life.



4 Porta Nigra

DISCOVER TRIER WITH THE MARC AURELIUS ANTIQUITY CARD

AURELIUS-ANTI-KENCARD BASIC

Admission to two Roman monuments of your choice and to the state exhibition at the Landesmuseum, up to 4 children included **€22**

AURELIUS-ANTI-KENCARD PREMIUM

Admission to all Roman monuments and to the state exhibition at the Landesmuseum, up to 4 children included **€32**

AURELIUS-ANTI-KENCARD GROUP*

Admission to two Roman monuments of your choice and the regional exhibition at the Landesmuseum, 12 people or more **€20**

AUREL-ANTI-KENCARD SCHULE*

Admission to all Roman buildings and to the state exhibition at the Landesmuseum, class groups of 12 people or over **€8**

With the Aurelius ANTI-KENCARD Basic and Premium you also enjoy reduced admission to the state exhibition at the Stadtmuseum Simeonstift as well as a discount on the Roman Toga Tour and the Adventure Performances organised by Trier Tourist Information.

The Aurelius ANTI-KENCARD is available at all Roman monuments, the Rheinisches Landesmuseum Trier and Trier Tourist Information.

* Valid for one week from the date of purchase, no additional discounts.

TICKETS

	Combi- ticket	RHEINISCHES LANDESMUSEUM	STADTMUSEUM SIMEONSTIFT
ADULTS	€22	€16	€12
CONCESSION*	€20	€14	€10
FAMILY TICKET I 1 adult, up to 4 children	€22	€16	€12
FAMILY TICKET II 2 adults, up to 4 children	€44	€32	€24
GROUPS P.P. 12+ individuals	€20	€14	€10
SCHOOL STUDENTS P.P. in class group 12+ individuals	€6	€4	€4
SEASON TICKET P.P.**	€45		

Children under the age of 7 can visit the museum for free. Audio guide included in the admission price at the Landesmuseum; plus rental charge at the Stadtmuseum. Audio guide devices cannot be reserved in advance.

The Combi-ticket entitles the holder to a single admission to each of the two museums for the duration of the state exhibition, including their permanent collections. Holders of the Combi-ticket are not required to visit both museums on the same day. *School or university students, apprentices, individuals serving in the German FSJ, FÖK, BFD or FWD schemes, unemployed persons and those registered disabled (respective document required). **The season ticket allows the holder to visit the state exhibition of both museums as often as they like throughout its duration. The price includes their permanent collections. The ticket may only be used by the holder and is non-transferable. Participation in guided tours and events is not included in the ticket price.

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MARCUS AURELIUS

MAJOR STATE EXHIBITION IN TRIER

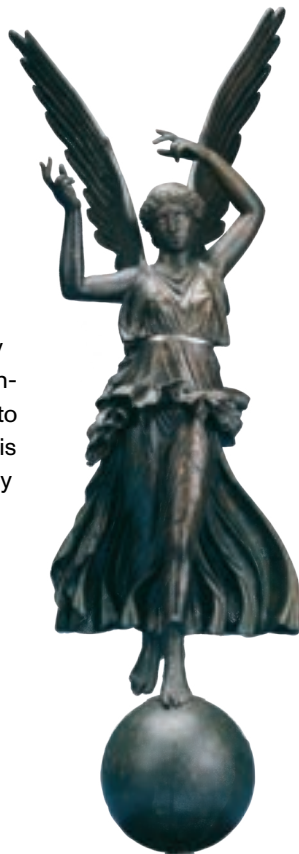
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LANDESMUSEUM • STADTMUSEUM

A MAJOR REGIONAL EXHIBITION AT TWO MUSEUMS

Marcus Aurelius was a Roman emperor and philosopher who to this day is considered as the epitome of a good ruler. Yet, what was the life of a man whose “Meditations” later became world literature truly like? Who was he, what shaped him, and what constitutes good governance? After the sensational success of the exhibitions on Constantine the Great (2007), Nero (2016) and the Fall of the Roman Empire (2022), the UNESCO city of Trier is once again inviting visitors to a captivating regional exhibition; this time focusing on Roman emperor Marcus Aurelius (121–180 AD).

EMPEROR, COMMANDER, PHILOSOPHER

The Rheinisches Landesmuseum Trier invites you to take a journey back in time to the Roman Empire of the 2nd century, addressing the fascination surrounding Roman emperor Marcus Aurelius. This archaeological exhibition presents a chronological tour of discovery through the multifaceted life and times of this Roman emperor supported by valuable, high quality exhibits. His life was marked by contrasts: While his long years as heir to the throne were largely peaceful, his reign as emperor was blemished by bitter conflicts. Above all, it is his love of philosophy that makes him exceptional and sets him apart from other rulers of his time.



1 Victoria of Fossombrone
2nd century AD.



2 Gold coin with portrait of Faustina Minor
(wife of Marcus Aurelius), 2nd century AD.

WHAT IS GOOD GOVERNANCE?

For centuries, Marcus Aurelius and his „Meditations“ have attracted interest not only from rulers, but also from political philosophers, moral philosophers and artists. Based on this reception history, the Stadtmuseum Simeonstift displays high quality exhibits to encapsulate how artistic representations of “good governance” have changed over the course of history: When is a period of rule considered good and just? The paintings, sculptures, caricatures and media from eight centuries of art history shed light on this question, as a fascinating constant of human history with considerable topicality.



3 Painting by
Joseph Marie Vien,
Marc Aurèle secourant le peuple, 1765

THE EXHIBITION EXPERIENCE 2025

GUIDED TOURS

COMBINED GUIDED TOUR Combined guided tour of Rheinisches Landesmuseum + Stadtmuseum Simeonstift, 180 min. (Landesmuseum 75 min., Stadtmuseum 60 min., walking time 45 min.)	€ 201
RHEINISCHES LANDESMUSEUM, 90 MIN.	€ 119
STADTMUSEUM SIMEONSTIFT, 75 MIN.	€ 108
GUIDED TOURS IN FOREIGN LANGUAGES	plus € 15
GROUP TIME SLOT (visit without guided tour)	€ 25

Prices exclusive of admission. Groups up to 25 people, school classes depending on class size. Educational museum workshops and guided tours for school classes as well as barrier-free offers are available at reduced prices. Groups of 12 people or more are required to register even without a guided tour. Guided tours outside opening hours are available on request.

CONTACT FOR BOOKINGS

Trier Tourismus und Marketing GmbH, tel. +49 651/97808-52
(guided tours and supporting programme) or -14/-16
(accommodation, arrangements with overnight stay)
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OPENING HOURS OF THE REGIONAL EXHIBITION

Tue–Sun 10 am to 6 pm
for guided groups Tue–Sun 9 am to 6 pm

