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STEM: ENERGY SOLUTIONS IN GERMANY

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10 days | Germany | Switzerland

See practical applications of science, technology, engineering, and mathematics as you tour the beautiful, yet industrious country of Germany. Learn about the engineering and science of solar and hydroelectric power plants, then, in Munich, visit the world's largest science and technology museum, marveling at the innovations of the past. Continue your journey of discovery in the Lucerne region, where cutting-edge technology meets cobblestone streets.

EVERYTHING YOU GET:



Full-time Tour Director

Sightseeing: 2 sightseeing tour led by expert, licensed local guides; 1 sightseeing tour led by your Tour Director; 1 walking tour

Entrances: Deutsches Museum; Dachau; Neuschwanstein Castle; Swiss Folklore Evening



WAGGGS Centre visits: Our Chalet

Experiential learning: Freiburg Solar Information Center; organic farm; Grimselwelt Hydroelectric Power Plant; Biosphäre Entlebuch



All of the details are covered: Round-trip flights on major carriers; comfortable motorcoach; 8 overnight stays in hotels with private bathrooms; European breakfast and dinner daily





and want to make their world a better place.

Kim H., Group Leader

DAY 1: FLY OVERNIGHT TO GERMAMY

DAY 2: MUNICH

- Meet your Tour Director at the airport in Munich, where you'll experience the medieval to the modern. During your stay you'll see the Olympic Stadium, BMW headquarters, the fashionable Schwabing district and the Residenz, former home of the Wittelsbach dukes of Bavaria. Visit Dachau, a WWII Nazi concentration camp built in 1933 and liberated by the Allies in 1945. It now serves as a memorial museum. In Marienplatz, see the neo-Gothic New City Hall with its famous Glockenspiel. Then continue past the famous Hofbräuhaus, once the royal brewery of the Kingdom of Bavaria.
- Take a walking tour of Munich
- Visit the Deutsches Museum

DAY 3: MUNICH

- Take an expertly guided tour of Munich: Olympic Stadium; Residenz; Marienplatz
- Visit Dachau

DAY 4: FREIBURG

- Travel to Freiburg, the "Jewel of the Black Forest" in southwest Germany. Long known for its university and cuckoo clocks, Freiburg is now also known as an environmentally progressive "green city" that excels in clean transportation, energy, waste management and land conservation.
- Visit Neuschwanstein Castle, "Mad" King Ludwig's fairy-tale castle of Neuschwanstein, the real-life model for Disneyland's Sleeping Beauty Castle. Learn about the life and mysterious death of the young king, one of Europe's most eccentric rulers. In fact, the original plans for the castle were drawn up by a theater set designer, not an architect.

DAY 5: FREIBURG

- Take an expertly guided tour of the Freiburg Solar Information Center for an in-depth look at the science of solar energy
- Visit a Black Forest organic farm and learn about sustainable cultivation, modern ecology, and solar energy technology

DAYS 6: LUCERNE REGION

- Travel to Lucerne via Entlebuch, one of the five German-speaking districts of Switzerland, and located on the right bank of the Entlen and the Kleine Emme rivers.
- Visit Biosphäre Entlebuch, Switzerland's first UNESCOdesignated biosphere reserve

DAY 7: LUCERNE

- Welcome to Lucerne, where the majestic Swiss Alps rise behind the shores of Lake Lucerne and provide the stunning backdrop to one of Switzerland's most picturesque cities. Follow Lucerne's winding cobbled streets past fairy-tale houses and covered bridges dating back to medieval days, and admire the colorful murals overhead.
- Enjoy a Swiss Folklore Evening
- Optional: Swiss Alps Experience

DAY 8: ADELBODEN

- Transfer to Adelboden via Innertkirchen
- Visit Grimselwelt Hydroelectric Power Plant and learn about the engineering behind dam construction and how hydroelectric power works
- Continue to Adelboden

DAY 9: ADELBODEN

- Visit Our Chalet, the first World Centre of WAGGGS, where you'll spend the day enjoying Swiss Girl Guide activities and learning about the history of the Centre.
- Take part in a pinning ceremony
- Enjoy free time in Adelboden

DAY 10: DEPART FOR HOME

- Travel to Zurich for flight home

Itinerary subject to change. For complete financial and registration details, please refer to the Booking Conditions.

TOP THREE THINGS I WILL SEE, DO, TRY, OR EXPLORE

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