



Dear Guests,

Welcome to Eisenach, the city of the Wartburg Castle. We wish you a pleasant stay. It will be exciting and eventful if you take advantage of the cultural opportunities. You can follow the footsteps of Bach and Luther, visit the Wartburg Castle – a UNESCO world cultural heritage site – and explore Germany's largest contiguous villa district in the southern part of the town.

Eisenach is a rather small town of about 42,000 residents in the middle of Germany. It combines some highlights of German and European cultural history and offers a wide variety of tourist options.

Due to the large number of duties and tasks arising from the special role of Eisenach, the City Council decided to levy a tax for the advancement of culture (a tourism promotion fee) on overnight stays starting in 2012. We sincerely hope for your understanding in this matter and ask you to contribute to some of the expenditures. This way you are helping to support for example the Thuringian Museum on the premises of the City Palace, the Villa Reuter and the Prediger Church so that they can continue to be open to the public.

Guests under the age of 18 who are in staying in Eisenach are exempt from this levy.

Thank you for your understanding.

*The municipality of Eisenach*