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# **Christmas weekend in Cologne**

Date: 7th to 9th December 2018





Price: 190,- Euros

Registration via e-mail to: info@aubiko.de





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Cologne is an open city with historical and modern sights. The 2000 year old metropolis provides many historical buildings and interesting stories. Right next to the train station you can find the cologne cathedral which is one of the most visited sights in Germany and one of Europe's highest buildings. Not very far is the river Rhine, which is Germany's second longest river. Alongside its cost, we are going to take a nice winter walk. Cologne is also famous for its historic city centre full of tiny streets. From the observation deck called Cologne triangle, we can get a great view over the whole city. One of the most important things during German christmas season is of course the Christmas market. In Cologne there are many different markets during this time, for example in front of the Cologne cathedral, or at the Rudolfsplatz, where they provide a "Santa Claus village". There you can buy your first Christmas gifts for your friends and host family and of course a lot of delicious food, like waffles, cookies and roasted almonds. Of course you are going to have a lot of time to see everything. And now the best: On Friday, we are going to have a Christmas party: on the one side completely German, and on the other side very international. To this weekend we invite all exchange students and their host siblings! This is a great opportunity to exchange experiences, to get to know more people from all over the world and to learn how they celebrate christmas.

We are going to pick up all participants from the train station in Cologne and we are going to help you organizing your trip. It would be great, if you arrive on Friday between 2pm and 6pm.

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#### Whats included?

#### Included in this journey:

- Accommodation and breakfast
- Warm dinner on friday and saturday
- Public transportation
- Entrance fees
- 24 hour care
- City tours/ city rallyes
- Nicolas party
- Worksheets and information material

### How to take part?

#### How to register:

- Write an e-mail to info@aubiko.de
- You, your parents and your host families have to fill out the registration sheet. This you can find here: <a href="http://aubiko.de/wp-content/uploads/2017/02/Anmeldung-1.pdf">http://aubiko.de/wp-content/uploads/2017/02/Anmeldung-1.pdf</a> or we can send it to you.
- Please inform us about your arrival and departure time via e-mail
- If you need to be excused from school, please let us know before the trip
- You are going to receive a packing list and the programme in detail by mail.



# **About us**

aubiko e.V. is a non-profit association for exchange, education and communication located in Hamburg, Germany. During your stay in Germany we offer trips and excursions to the most famous and unforgettable cities in Germany and Europe! There are a lot of reasons why you should not miss out on one of these trips. They are an excellent opportunity for you to meet other students from all over the world, to hear about their experiences, make new friends and learn about German and European history, architecture and culture; all the while being in one of these beautiful cities and having tons of fun! Each trip is carefully organized by us, so just hop on and enjoy your time. You will see important sights and tourist attractions and pick up plenty of information about Germany and Europe.

All our trips are accompanied 24 hours a day by qualified aubiko personnel that know their way around the destinations. We are very aware of our responsibility for the students and that is why everyone must follow the aubiko travelling rules during the whole trip. They are binding and include, for example, a strict prohibition of alcohol and cigarettes. We also take care to have an appropriate ratio of supervisors to students. We guarantee that every Euro that students spend for these travels is invested into the trip and that the organization does not make any profit.

We are looking forward to meeting you and showing you Germany and Europe!

### **OUR TEAM**



