

Braunschweig

Hanseatic Guelph city with art and culture

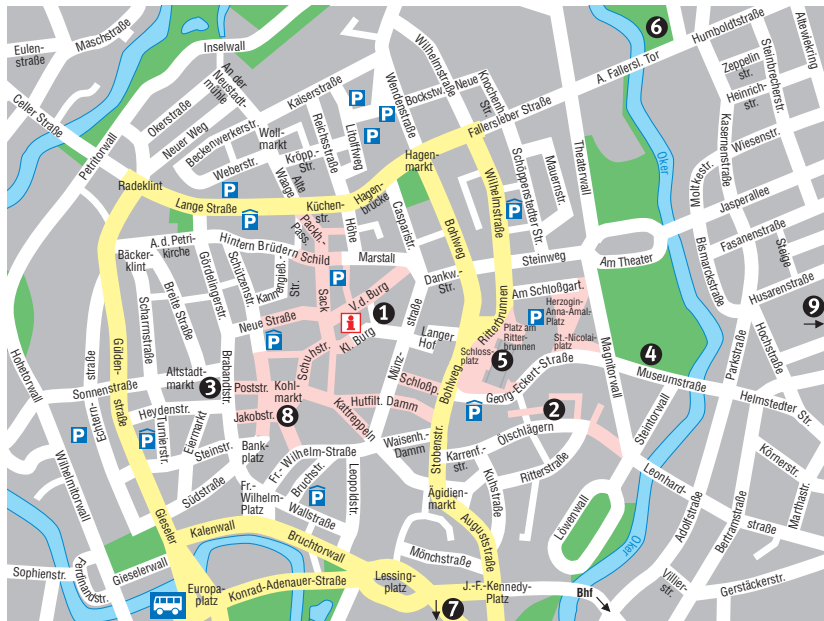
In Braunschweig, authentically historical quarters of the city testify to a thousand-year history. As the city of residence of the Guelph Duke Heinrich des Löwen and the imperial city, Braunschweig was a significant trade centre from early on and to this day remains a member of the Hanseatic League. The view of the city is characterised by the Oker River, which flowed

through the city centre when the historical fortifications still stood. Today the river is lined with inviting parks, villas and cultural institutions, which are best discovered by means of a relaxing boat tour. The lively cultural scene provides the largest city between Hannover and Berlin, of some 250,000 inhabitants, with an attractive year-round range of art, theatre, opera, dance and music of all categories and genres – Braunschweig even leads in sporting endeavours. With the Herzog Anton Ulrich Museum, the Lion City is home to one

of Europe's oldest museums, with its exquisite collection including works by renowned artists such as Rembrandt and Rubens. As a top shopping city in the region, Braunschweig's city flair and compact centre offers a wide range of shopping opportunities and inviting restaurants. The city is home to international companies and the location of numerous institutions of excellence as well as two universities.

9 Special Tips

- Visit the State Theatre or one of many smaller stages
- Rafting and canoeing tours on the river Oker
- Shopping in the attractive city centre
- Explore the city on a guided tour, e.g. a city history tour on foot, a ride on a vintage bus, and many others
- Panoramic view from the 61-met city hall tower
- Experience history up close in more than ten exciting museums
- Castle Square Open-Air Festival
- Visit the Jakob-Kemenate and the Brüdern monastery
- Christmas Market in historic setting



9 x Sights

- 1 Castle Square with Burglöwe monument, Dankwarderode Castle and St. Blasii Cathedral
- 2 Magniviertel
- 3 Old town Market square
- 4 Herzog Anton Ulrich Museum
- 5 Residential palace with quadriga and Palace museum
- 6 River Oker and Botanical Garden
- 7 Richmond Palace with English landscape garden
- 8 Kohl Market
- 9 Nature walks around the Cistercian monastery at Riddagshausen

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