



Stadt Nürnberg
Museen der Stadt Nürnberg

06 Educational Programmes

Focus on History

The educational programmes supplementing the exhibition are geared towards the history of the Nazi Party Rally Grounds, in parallel to the permanent exhibition. In particular, the awareness of this special location as well as the contrast between the architectural counterpoint of the Documentation Centre and the Nazi architecture and its monumental style are important.

The two bright seminar rooms of the Study Forum are located on the roof of the Documentation Centre. Large windows give a view of the former Nazi Party Rally Grounds and its contemporary use. In this environment, bookable educational programmes provide an opportunity for in-depth treatment of the exhibition content, geared towards specific target groups and using a wide variety of teaching methods.

The seminar rooms have cutting-edge technical equipment. Furniture may be grouped flexibly to accommodate various types of event, e.g. seminars for small groups, conferences or lectures. Film viewings and lectures may be held in the cinema on the second floor.

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Historical and Political Education with a Sharpened Profile The Study Forum's Educational Programmes aim to...

...focus on the location: Historical locations provide vivid points of reference for people who do not have any biographical links to the past. Highlighting the concrete links to this location is an essential didactic element and serves as the basis for all educational programmes. The Documentation Centre offers special didactic opportunities as a learning location outside school. Since this place of remembrance does not directly remember the victims, its educational programmes will complement those of other memorial sites.

...establish links to the present against a historical backdrop: Visitors are helped to understand how an ordinary, everyday society can develop into a radical, exclusive society, to recognise this in their own lives and to assess their scope for action. Based on a critical awareness of history, this link to the present promotes both the ability to differentiate and the competence to act. And both aspects support education in democracy and human rights education, and encourage tolerance and civil courage.

...address interested people of all ages, origins and educational backgrounds: The interactive, action-oriented programmes are geared towards various target groups such as young people, school classes, adults, international visitors and specific professional groups. This takes into account both the dynamic process of a continually developing culture of remembrance and changes in society.

Guided Tours – Programmes – Discussions

In 2013, guided by its principle of **Historical and Educational Work with a Sharpened Profile**, the Documentation Centre Nazi Party Rally Grounds, in co-operation with its partners, modified the educational programmes offered. The new programmes are the result of more than ten years' experience with educational work in the Study Forum. The structure of formats has been simplified, permitting a clearer overview. **Guided tours for groups** may be booked as 2- or 3-hour programmes, **moderated programmes** with few exceptions are on offer as 2-, 3- and 6-hour programmes, and **film discussions** as 3-hour programmes.

Instead of exhibition visits with questionnaires which were mainly unaccompanied, in the course of the moderated programmes, groups will now be accompanied all the time, i.e. also during the exhibition visit. After a short introduction on the topic, the group's previous knowledge, motivation and special requests will be assessed. The exhibition visit will then prepare the group for the subsequent seminar in the Study Forum. Here, various materials will be provided; a wide variety of teaching methods and work in small groups are used as a matter of course. The descriptions of the individual programmes offered provide detailed information about teaching methods and didactic approach.



Partners for the Educational Programme

For the implementation of the educational programme, the Documentation Centre can rely on partners whose aims correspond to those of the Centre:

Geschichte für Alle e. V. – History for All
Institute for Regional History

Akademie C.-Pirckheimer-Haus

Kreisjugendring Nürnberg-Stadt
Youth Association of Nürnberg-Stein

Kunst- und Kulturpädagogisches Zentrum der Museen in
Nürnberg
Art and Cultural Education Centre of Nuremberg Municipal
Museums

Menschenrechtsbüro der Stadt Nürnberg
City of Nuremberg Human Rights Office

Nürnberger Menschenrechtszentrum e. V.
Nuremberg Human Rights Centre

In addition, the educational programme co-operates with the Bavarian Centre for Civic Education.

General Remarks and Booking

There is a fee for all educational programmes. For detailed information, please see separate **Brochure Educational Programme**. The Documentation Centre Nazi Party Rally Grounds takes central bookings for all programmes. Upon request, interested parties will be provided with the detailed programme and individual advice, buchung.dokumentationszentrum@stadt.nuernberg.de.

This folder also includes the following information texts about the Documentation Centre:

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