Welcome to Prague

We are so excited you are here to celebrate with us!

We put together this little guide to help you get to know Prague a bit more. Hopefully you will have time to explore this wonderful city while here for our wedding.

Getting Around

The best way to see the sights is by walking around! But to get from one area to the next, taking the metro, tram, or bus is a great option.

Buying Tickets

A ticket is valid for all public transport.

Tickets can be bought at the yellow kiosks and the language can be changed to English. Just remember to validate your ticket before getting on (Metro) or once your on (Tram/Bus).

Tickets are purchased in time intervals, we usually buy a 90 min ticket to get to the centre from the airport, but you can buy multiple day tickets as well.



What to see

National Museum

The museum has been recently renovated and has so much to explore, including the top dome! Walk along Václavské Náměstí, just outside the museum.

Prague Castle

The main attraction! You can explore parts around the castle without buying a ticket but learn more about Czech history by going in.

Charles Bridge

Take the Charles Bridge across the river to enjoy great views of the city on both sides.

Vltava River

Rent a paddle boat to go around the river, best after the heat of the day is over.

River Islands

Hang out under the trees on the islands on the river. A great spot to bring some lunch!

Petřín Hill

Our favourite place in Prague and the site of our proposal! Walk up the switchbacks for gorgeous views or take the tram up the hill to the top to the rose garden.

Jewish Quarter

Visit the old cemetary and nearby synegogues to learn more about Jewish history in Prague.

Vyšherad

A little bit outside of the city is Vyšehrad Castle which has beautiful gardens and views.

Old Town Hall

Every hour on the hour, the astronomical clock tower plays a song with a moving display.



Where to stay

Neighbourhoods

Choose whichever neighbourhood is closest to the sights you want to see. A place near a metro or tram stop will be easiest to get around the city. The Old Town (Staré Město) has lots of charm and sights but is busy with people. Vinohrady, Karlín, and Žižkov have some good restaurant options and Malá Strana is very cute.

Here is a more detailed guide of the neighbourhoods.

Accommodation

There are many options for places to stay, we would recommend an Airbnb or hotel, whichever suits your needs best! Booking.com and other hotel sites will have options for where to stay.



Airport to City

Bus to Metro

There are ticket kiosks inside the airport right next to the exit that leads to the buses. There are also kiosks by the bus stop.

Check Google Maps for the best option to get to the city centre to know which bus to take and metro line to take after. Remember to validate your ticket on the bus!

YouTube video

Airport Express Bus

There is a bus that will take you to the main train station in the city. Tickets are purchased from the bus driver and are more expensive than public transport.

Car

You can also get a taxi or use Uber or Bolt to get to where you are staying from the airport.

City to Venue

Mlýn na Dobré Vodě

There are some public transportation options, but we would recommend taking an Uber/Bolt/taxi to the venue. The drive from the main train station is about 20 minutes.

Website

Na Dobré Vodě 39 104 00 Praha 10

Where to eat



Brunch

Myšák

A cute cafe with many sweet patries to choose from! They do offer breakfast items such as filled croissants too.

Marthy's Kitchen

French and English style brunch place with a wide variety of options, including gluten free. Cash only, there is an ATM nearby.

Mezi Srnki

Cute, delicious cafe. Gluten free options as well.

Lunch & Dinner

There are many great restaurants around Prague, these are some that we've been to or have been recommended. Make sure to check for a lunch menu at the restaurants as there are some good deals often.

We recommend trying Czech cuisine, as you are here! But also Vietnamese food is very popular and delicious.

Lokál

A typical Czech restaurant, with traditional dishes. There are many locations (with different names) across the city with a different daily menu at each.

Pasta Fresca

An Italian restaurant if you feel like something other than Czech food!

Las Adelitas

Mexican food in Prague, who knew? We've never been but it's been recommended and has multiple locations!

Bagueterie Boulevard

A good option for a quick bite to eat for sandwiches. Can take them for a picnic in a park or on the islands.



Groceries

There are many grocery stores around Prague that you can pop into for some snacks and food, especially if you are staying at an Airbnb. Some popular grocery stores include Albert, Kaufland, Billa, and Lidl.



Eat & Drink



Helpful Phrases

Dobrý den "Hello"

Dám si... (dahm see)
"Can I have..." Use when ordering

Prosim (pro-seem) "Please"

Děkuji (deeik-wee)
"Thank you"

Zaplatím prosím (za-plat-eem) "Can I pay please"

Kartou (cart-o)
"Card", use to pay by card

What to order

Jidlo-Food

Svíčková

Braised beef in a creamy sauce with cranberry jam and bread dumplings

Řízek

Schnitzell This can be made with chicken (kuřecí) or pork (vepřový). Served with some form of potatoes.

Guláš

Beef, potatoes, onions, dumplings, delicious

Knedlík

Dumplings, these can be bready or potato based. They are also served filled with bacon and onion or fruit.

Česneková polévka

Garlic soup, sometimes served with hame and cheese to add and croutons.

Bramboráky

Fried potato pancakes

Smaženy sýr

Fried cheese! Usually made with Edam and served with fries and tartar sauce

Tipping

Around 10% is customary if you want to, but is not expected. Only tip if there is not already a service charge added

Pití - Drinks

Pivo

Beer, usually there is one type of beer on draught. Can order a small beer (malý pivo) or dark beer (tmavé pivo).

Vino

Explore some wines from the Czech Republic! The Moravian region is full of great wineries.

Voda

May cost extra at restaurants. Still water is neperliva and sparkling is perliva.

Slivovice

Plum vodka, very strong

Kofola

Czech root beer/sasperilla type of soda



lyšák

Other Tips

Helpful Words

Hospoda - Pub

Záchod/Toalety/WC - Toilets Ženy - Women | Muž - Men

Otevřeno - Open | Zavřeno - Closed

Vchod - Entrance | Vychod - Exit

Ano - Yes | Jo - Yeah | Ne - No

Svatba - Wedding

Těši mě (tee-eshi mee-ye) - nice to meet you

Na zdravi - Cheers





Helpful Links

Map

Above is a map of all the places mentioned in this guide.

Guide

Honest Guide is a great YouTube channel for getting to know Prague! He's got some great tips and recommendations for travelling around the city.

Any other questions let us know!

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