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# Garmisch-Partenkirchen

# "Discover your true nature" - 365 days a year:

Located in the heart of the mountain range, Garmisch-Partenkirchen - the most famous place in the Bavarian Alps offers a dream vacation setting with lush nature at the foot of the Zugspitze. It is a unique place in an awesome setting, for outdoor activities and extraordinary experiences - between mountain and valley, in the water or in the air. It is a region that has shaped human beings and their culture. Here, you still find typical Bavarian traditions in their original form. A place where you get closer to nature and discover something about yourself.

Population: 28,790 Altitude: 708 m

Distance to major cities: Munich 90 km / 54 miles

Innsbruck 55 km / 33 miles

Rail connection: 5 ICE direct connections from Hamburg, Hanover, Berlin, Leipzig,

Dortmund, Cologne, Frankfurt am Main and Nuremberg on

Friday and Saturday

Daily hourly service between Munich and Garmisch-Partenkirchen

# **CITY'S HISTORY**

- Partenkirchen "Partanum" founded 2nd century AD and in 802 Garmisch "Germareskauue"
- Since 1935 one twin town for the Olympic Winter Games in 1936

#### TOP SIGHTSEEING HIGHLIGHTS

- 1 Partnach Gorge
  - Natural landmark with wild waterfalls, rapid and tranquil water basins
- 2 Olympic Stadium with ski jump
  - Setting of the 1936 winter Olympic games
- 3 Zugspitze
  - Germany's highest mountain rising 2,962 m and known as "Top of Germany"
- 4 AlpspiX
  - Impressive scenic-view platform with glass wall
- 5 Wamberg
  - Highest church village in Germany







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# **SEASONAL HIGHLIGHTS**

Jan. 1: (always) International New Year Skijumping Competition

Jan. 6: (always) Bavarian Competition of traditional "Hornschlittenrennen"

Jan. - Feb.: FIS Alpine Worldcup

June: Richard Strauss Days June: Zugspitz Ultratrail

July/Aug.: Festwochen Festival Garmisch and Partenkirchen

Aug.: Alpentestival
Dec.: Christmas Market
Dec/lan: Winter in the Park

#### TOP DAY EXCURSIONS

- Neuschwanstein Castle
  World famous for its fairytale design and inspiration to Disney's Sleeping Beauty castle
- 2 Linderhof Castle
  Only palace King Ludwig II was able to complete
- 3 Oberammergau Passion Play Theatre where the Passion Play takes place every 10 years
- 4 Ettal Monastery founded in 1330 by Duke of Bavaria and Roman Emperor of German Nations, King Louis IV
- 5 Innsbruck (Austria)

# **LOCATION**



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