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for all the family

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We're delighted that you have decided to visit our capital city with your little heads of the family!

This handy publication will show you where you children can encounter gigantic dinosaurs, conduct the Vienna Philharmonic and come face to face with a school of hungry piranhas. Or maybe Empress Sisi's beauty tips are more your kind of thing? Or a trip to Europe's biggest water playground? Leaf through this brochure and you will see that an **exciting stay in the Austrian capital awaits for you and your children**.

In the middle of the brochure there is a special map including a quiz about some of Vienna's best loved sights and museums. Join your children on a **treasure hunt through the city**, discover Vienna's secrets and with any luck you could be the **winner of a trip to Vienna**.

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**The Vienna Tourist Board team**



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### Tip:

The extensive online database at [vienna.info](http://vienna.info) contains listings of all the events in the city. Simply enter your dates and select Family Tip or For Children in the mask.

[events.wien.info](http://events.wien.info)



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## A day at Schönbrunn



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Schlossstrasse  
tel. 811 13-239  
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### 1 Schönbrunn Palace

#### The Schloss Schönbrunn Experience

**children's museum** in the west wing of the palace gives visitors a fascinating insight into everyday life at court for the imperial children. What is the correct way to address the imperial couple? How do you communicate in fan language? And finally the young visitors are given the chance to don regal garb and dress up as young princes and princesses.

[www.schoenbrunn.at](http://www.schoenbrunn.at) and  
[www.kaiserkinder.at](http://www.kaiserkinder.at)



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### 2 Schönbrunn Maze, Labyrinth and Labyrinthikon

Once the exclusive preserve of the imperial family, the maze is now open to everyone. After navigating the warren of hedges you can watch other people tying themselves in knots from the observation deck. The various attractions dotted about the labyrinth give children the chance to experiment and have fun, while the oversized bird climbing frame and Archimedes screw at the Labyrinthikon make this play area a popular destination.

[www.kaiserkinder.at](http://www.kaiserkinder.at)



13, Schönbrunn  
Palace, Hofratstrakt  
tel. 817 32 47  
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### 3 Marionette Theater Schönbrunn Palace

Artistic performances, an imperial setting and state-of-the-art stagecraft add up to an unforgettable theatrical experience for all the family. Program highlights include Mozart's Magic Flute, Hansel and Gretel, a kids' version of die Fledermaus and Aladdin and the Magic Lamp.

[www.marionettentheater.at](http://www.marionettentheater.at)

### 4 Schönbrunn Zoo

Enjoy an eventful day out with your loved ones at Schönbrunn Zoo, home to 600 different species – some of which are endangered. Visit the orang-utans, giraffes and rhinoceroses, experience a tropical thunderstorm in the rainforest house and watch the pandas which have already produced offspring several times. A sensation!

Hungry? Café-Atelier Nonja, the Imperial Pavilion and the Tirolergarten are just some of the options.

And if you've had enough of running around, there's always a trip through the zoo's grounds aboard the Panoramabahn. A large circuit of the Schlosspark includes the Gloriette where fantastic views of the city await.

*Tips:* the Nature Experience Trail (incl. fire salamander climbing wall and spider's web climber for the younger children) and the treetop trail (a dizzying 160-meter long rope bridge 10 meters above ground)

[www.zoovienna.at](http://www.zoovienna.at)

13, Schönbrunner  
Schlosspark,  
Hietzing entrance  
tel. 877 92 94-0  
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## Voyage of discovery through the old town

### 5 St. Stephen's Cathedral (Steffl)

Treat yourself to a tour of the cathedral, Austria's most celebrated Gothic building. An elevator in the North Tower will take you and your children to see Austria's largest bell, known as the "Pummerin" or boomer. And if you have the energy, you can climb the 343 steps to the Türmerstube (tower room) to enjoy unique views of Vienna and take a closer look at some of the cathedral's 230,000 roof tiles. If you are feeling particularly brave you can also take a tour of the catacombs – a spooky underground burial vault.



*Tip:* go for a spin aboard a horse-drawn carriage (to the left of the main entrance of the Cathedral)

[www.stephanskirche.at](http://www.stephanskirche.at)



1., Stephansplatz  
tel. 515 52-3054

### 6 Hofburg

At the **Imperial Apartments** and **Sisi Museum** visitors of all ages can find out all about Empress Elisabeth: her beautiful dresses, her fearlessness as a horsewoman, her beauty secrets and the way that she liked to have her shining long hair styled.

Children's guided tours (in German) finish up with a chance to dress up in truly 'Imperial' clothes.

[www.hofburg-wien.at](http://www.hofburg-wien.at) and  
[www.kaiserkinder.at](http://www.kaiserkinder.at)



1, entrance beneath the  
Michaelerkuppel dome  
tel. 533 75 70  
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1, Josefsplatz 1  
tel. 534 10  
museum areas:  
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## 7 Austrian National Library

Tours and workshops are offered at the National Library, Papyrus, Globe and Esperanto Museums.

[www.onb.at](http://www.onb.at)

## 8 Butterfly House

Wander past waterfalls and giant trees surrounded by hundreds of free-flying butterflies – and with any luck your children might even get to witness a butterfly emerging fresh from its pupa.

*Tip:* pack a snack and enjoy a picnic in the neighboring Burggarten.

[www.schmetterlinghaus.at](http://www.schmetterlinghaus.at)



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1, Burggarten  
tel. 533 85 70  
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## 9 House of Music

Conduct the Vienna Philharmonic Orchestra, have a go at banging the timpani or discover what a baby can hear from the safety of its mother's tummy – it's all possible at the House of Music. Little visitors can experiment with their own compositions on the computer and record their creations on a CD to take home – there is even a chance to make animals dance, clap and jump in a multimedia theater. Kids' tours and children's concerts are also on the bill.

*Tip:* a stroll around the Stadtpark: Let off steam in the play area and take a souvenir photo of the golden Johann Strauss memorial.

[www.hausdermusik.at](http://www.hausdermusik.at)



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1, Seilerstätte 30  
tel. 513 48 50  
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## It's all happening at the MuseumsQuartier

## 10 ZOOM Children's Museum

The Zoom Children's Museum offers a one-of-a-kind range of exhibitions and workshops and even has its very own animation studio. This 1,600 m<sup>2</sup> discovery zone is the perfect place for children to explore, research and play to their heart's desire. The Ocean is a particularly popular sensory experience for children and infants aged eight months or more. Older children can participate in hands-on exhibitions or head for the animation studio. And in the workshops they can give their creativity free reign as they paint, spray, glue and model away with the members of the Zoom art team.

*Tip:* visit wienXtra-kinderinfo for details of other kids attractions (see page 2).

[www.kindermuseum.at](http://www.kindermuseum.at)



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Alexandra Eitzinger

7, MuseumsQuartier/  
Hof 2, tel. 524 79 08  
(reserve in advance!)

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exhibition)

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## 11 DSCHUNGEL WIEN

This young persons' theater covers an ambitious artistic range: highlights include theater pieces for very young visitors (aged two and older), vocal, puppet, music and dance performances for children and families, as well as a range of youth performances.

*Tip:* The Dschungel Wien café bar is a real hit with both families and a younger clientèle.

[www.dschungelwien.at](http://www.dschungelwien.at)



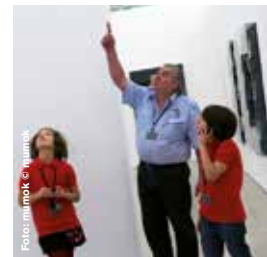
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7, MuseumsQuartier/Hof 2  
tel. 522 07 20-20

## 12 mumok – museum of modern art ludwig foundation vienna

Sundays at the mumok are dedicated to finding what children aged four to 12 have to say about modern and contemporary art. Budding young creative geniuses can visit the exhibitions with the artists themselves or brush up their techniques in the open studio. But if you would prefer to go it alone, simply grab a kids' art transporter which contains everything a child needs for a museum trip to remember.

[www.mumok.at](http://www.mumok.at)



© Foto: mumok - Vienna

7, MuseumsQuartier/  
main courtyard  
tel. 525 00-1313

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## 13 Leopold Museum

Austrian art nouveau (Jugendstil) masterpieces, Wiener Werkstätte designs and expressionist works can be found in abundance at the Leopold Museum. After a short tour, informative and exciting children's afternoons at the LEO kids' workshop lift the lid on the stories and secrets behind some of the most interesting pictures. Next the little artists have the chance to put everything they have learned into practice as they come up with their own works of art – cutting, shaping, drawing and painting to their heart's content!

*Tip:* in summer enjoy an ice cream from the comfort of one of the fun loungers in the main courtyard of the MuseumsQuartier.

[www.leopoldmuseum.org](http://www.leopoldmuseum.org)



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7, MuseumsQuartier/  
main courtyard  
tel. 525 70-1525

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## The start of a lifelong passion for museums



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### 14 Kunsthistorisches Museum

A host of treasures collected by the Habsburg emperors can be found on show here. The Egyptian collection includes mummies and objects that were buried with the Pharaohs that owned them. There are also ancient statues of mythical beasts to admire, while anyone interested in finding out how the children were dressed in the Spanish court 300 years ago should take a close look at the masterpieces by Velázquez. There are children's audio guides and regular kids' tours, many of which are followed by creative sessions in the studio. Special kids' brochures are also available.

The Treasuries, the Neuer Burg (Ephesus Museum, Collection of Arms and Armor, Collection of Ancient Musical Instruments) and the Imperial Coach Collection at Schönbrunn Palace also offer regular tours for young visitors.

[www.khm.at](http://www.khm.at)

1, Maria-Theresien-Platz,  
tel. 525 24-5202

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### 15 Museum Of Natural History

Gigantic dinosaurs, a terror bird and an incredible variety of creatures from all over the world are on show at this museum, alongside precious stones and priceless objects dating back to the earliest days of civilization. Children aged three and over can see the exhibits, play and conduct their own research during a hands-on tour. At the microtheater the tiniest creatures take centerstage – the fascinating micro-organisms in a single drop of water are magnified several thousand times over and projected onto a screen in 3D.

[www.nhm-wien.ac.at](http://www.nhm-wien.ac.at)

1, Maria-Theresien-Platz  
(opposite the  
Kunsthistorisches  
Museum), tel. 521 77-0

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### 16 Belvedere

Your children will be given plenty of chance to learn about the world of art thanks to various hands-on tours and features at the Belvedere Palace. Regular family features take you back in time to the Middle Ages, reveal the inspiration behind Gustav Klimt's golden paintings or lift the lid on the backstory to the latest special exhibition. Young museum fans have the chance to let their own creativity flourish at the brushstrokes workshop.

[www.belvedere.at](http://www.belvedere.at)

16 3, Prinz-Eugen-Strasse 27  
tel. 795 57-134

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17 3, Schweizergarten  
Arsenalstrasse 1  
tel. 795 57-700

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18 1, Himmelpfortgasse 8  
tel. 795 57-134

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### 19 Albertina

Immerse yourself in the spellbinding world of art at the Albertina where modernist masterpieces from Monet to Picasso line the walls. The family program includes interactive tours of the latest exhibitions, creative workshops in the studio and art courses for the grand masters of tomorrow. Treasure hunts (available for free from the ticket office) add even more excitement to your visit.

[www.albertina.at](http://www.albertina.at)



1, Albertinaplatz 1  
tel. 534 83-540

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### 20 Museum of Technology

How much does the Ajax steam train weigh? What does a mine look like? And how do planes stay in the air? Interactive info points, hands-on experiments and impressive exhibits shed light on the scientific and historic background to the various technological wonders on show. Get the most out of the museum with family workshops and guided tours for children. The little ones will love the "mini" – an experience for all the senses with highlights including a fire truck, building site and screw cylinder.

[www.technischesmuseum.at](http://www.technischesmuseum.at)



14, Mariahilfer Strasse 212  
tel. 899 98-0

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### 21 Kunst Haus Wien

During the regular Sunday children's tours, artist Friedrich Hundertwasser takes children and their parents and guardians on an exciting journey through his museum. This is followed by a creative workshop in which children make painter's hats to take home as souvenirs.

*Tip:* Anyone wishing for refreshment will enjoy the vegetarian delicacies on offer at the black and white Tian bistro in its jungle setting.

[www.kunsthausewien.com](http://www.kunsthausewien.com)



3, Untere Weissgerberstr. 13  
tel. 712 04 95  Vienna Card

### 22 Wien Museum

During the winter season the Wien Museum offers play and learning activities for three to eight-year-olds. The focus of the activities is always linked in some way to the museum's current exhibitions. Other locations such as the Hermesvilla, the Roman Museum and the various musicians' apartments offer programs and tours for kids throughout the year.

[www.wienmuseum.at](http://www.wienmuseum.at)

4, Karlsplatz  
tel. 505 87 47-85180

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### 23 Remise

Exhibits at the Wiener Linien Transport Museum cover everything from horse-drawn trams dating back to Imperial times to the opening of Vienna's underground in 1978 to the present day.

[www.remise.wien](http://www.remise.wien)

3., Ludwig-Koebler-Platz,  
tel. 7909 46 803  
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## 24 MAK – Museum of Applied Arts/ Contemporary Art

Tours, treasure hunts and workshops await kids aged four and over in the monthly MINI MAK sessions. MAK4FAMILY stages tours of the collections and exhibitions for all the family.

[www.mak.at](http://www.mak.at)

1, Stubenring 5  
tel. 711 36-298

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## High times at the Prater!



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## 25 Vienna's Prater Park

Reach new heights (e.g. aboard the "Ejection Seat", the Black Mamba or a carousel), test your courage (on the ghost train), enjoy a jungle river trip or treat your children to a pony ride. Experience the thrills and spills of the Prater with your children. With more than 250 different rides and attractions to choose from, it's the ideal family day out.

Mid-March to the end of October.  
10:00–midnight daily

[www.praterservice.at](http://www.praterservice.at) and  
[www.prater.wien.info](http://www.prater.wien.info)

26 *Tip:* go for a leisurely spin aboard the historic **Giant Ferris Wheel**, taking in the stunning views of the city from 64.75 meters above ground as Vienna's trademark Riesenrad revolves at a pedestrian 2.7 km/h.

[www.wienerriesenrad.com](http://www.wienerriesenrad.com)

Don't miss the beautiful meadows and play areas dotted around the six square kilometers that make up the **Green Prater**.

*Tip:* hire your own bike rickshaw (near the roller-coaster) and explore the parts of the Prater park on and around the 4.5 kilometer Hauptallee – the park's tree-lined main thoroughfare.

## 27 Madame Tussauds

Ever dreamed of introducing your children to Emperor Franz Joseph and Empress Sisi, Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart, Angelina Jolie or Michael Jackson? A collection of 75 uncannily lifelike waxworks of famous people are waiting to make your acquaintance at Madame Tussauds. You can pit your wits against Albert Einstein in an intelligence test, conduct the Blue Danube Waltz with Johann Strauss or try to outplay Austrian soccer legend Hans Krankel in a gripping penalty shoot out.

[www.madametussauds.com/wien](http://www.madametussauds.com/wien)



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2, Riesenradplatz in the  
Prater park, tel. 890 33 66

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## Well worth a visit

## 28 Summer toboggan run / Fun on the piste

The 850-meter long summer toboggan run is an unforgettable experience for all the family. Prepare to hit speeds of up to 40 km/h as you hurtle down the valley in one of the 25 state-of-the-art toboggans. 14 turns and a white-knuckle jump ensure this is a trip to remember!

Visitors can also ski here in winter. A drag lift takes you up the snow-covered slope, and the "High Hills Stub'n" restaurant is a welcoming stopping point for guests to take refreshments.

Toboggan run from Easter to October, skiing dependent upon weather conditions

[www.highhills.at](http://www.highhills.at)



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14., Mauerbachstraße 174  
tel. 979 00 25

## 29 Children's farm at the Wien Cobenzl Estate

Children have the chance to come face to face with sheep, goats, rabbits, ducks and all kinds of other animals at the Children's Farm on the Cobenzl Estate. Highlights include tours of the stables and pony rides.

[www.landgutcobenzl.at](http://www.landgutcobenzl.at)

*Tip:* visit the Cobenzl woods playground and enjoy a picnic on the Am Himmel meadow with wonderful views of the city.

In the nearby **Waldseilpark Kahlenberg** children can climb, balance and have fun in a safe environment. There is also a gnome course for infants to enjoy!

[www.waldseilpark-kahlenberg.at](http://www.waldseilpark-kahlenberg.at)



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19, Am Cobenzl 96a  
tel. 328 94 04-20

## Summer, sun and water

## 30 Danube Island outdoor paradise

The Danube Island is a mecca for swimmers, rowers, cyclists, joggers, skaters and beach volleyball players. But if you prefer, you can simply pack a picnic and take some time out from your sightseeing tour. Fun, action and relaxation for all the family.

At the 5,000m<sup>2</sup> **water park** children can play in the water, cross the pond aboard a rope ferry or rope bridge and conduct various hydrological experiments (there are also showers where you can clean up before returning to the city center).

[www.wien.gv.at](http://www.wien.gv.at)

*Tip:* anyone with a head for heights should head for the **Donauinsel-Kletterpark** or the **Hochseilklettergarten** at the Gänsehäufelbad open-air pool.

[www.donauinsel-kletterpark.at](http://www.donauinsel-kletterpark.at) and  
[www.hochseilklettergarten.at](http://www.hochseilklettergarten.at)



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22, Danube Island,  
300 meters downstream  
from the Reichsbrücke  
bridge, tel. 4000-96500



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22, Donauturmstrasse 4  
tel. 263 35 72  
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### 31 Old Danube

Relax on one of the numerous public lidos, cool off with a dip in the Old Danube or treat yourself to a boat trip (pedalos and electric and row boats available for hire).

[www.alte-donau.info](http://www.alte-donau.info)

32 And if your children have a head for heights then make your way to the nearby **Danube Tower** and enjoy amazing views of the city from the observation decks 150 meters above ground.

*Tip:* go for a leisurely spin aboard the Danube Park Train in the Donaupark, which is also home to a large playground.

[www.donauturm.at](http://www.donauturm.at)



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10., Windtenstraße 3  
tel. 4000-8042

### 33 Wasserturm water playground

The Wasserturm water playground – at 15,000m<sup>2</sup> the largest of its kind in Europe – is brimming with waterfalls, streams, ponds, bridges and countless places to spread out a blanket, lie back and relax. A slide from the six meter high water tower and an extensive wet zone with plenty of sand to play with are among the most popular attractions.

Open May-September.

[www.wien.gv.at](http://www.wien.gv.at)



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tel. 588 80  
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### 34 Ship ahoy on the Danube and Danube Canal

DDSG Blue Danube offers a number of themed cruises for children – including Easter Bunny and St. Nicholas trips.

Departs from the Handelskai near the Reichsbrücke bridge

[www.ddsg-blue-danube.at](http://www.ddsg-blue-danube.at)

## Where children take centerstage

### Classical music for children – world class!

Young opera fans can enjoy specially-adapted performances inside the Children's Opera Tent on the **Vienna State Opera's** 35 rooftop terrace and, from autumn 2015 onwards, at the StadtTheater, close by in the Walfischgasse. Workshops at the **Wiener Volksoper** 36 give young music buffs a chance to play alongside members of the Volksoper orchestra and singers. The Vienna Boys' Choir – probably the world's oldest boy band – can be heard live at **MuTh** 37, their new concert hall. The **Musikverein** 38 and **Wiener Konzerthaus** 39 also offer children the opportunity to take part in concerts and exciting sound experiences.

[www.wiener-staatsoper.at](http://www.wiener-staatsoper.at)

[www.volksoper.at](http://www.volksoper.at)  Vienna Card

[www.muth.at](http://www.muth.at)  Vienna Card

[www.musikverein.at](http://www.musikverein.at)

[www.konzerthaus.at](http://www.konzerthaus.at)  Vienna Card



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### 40 Theater Museum

Shadow, improv and puppet theater: children are given an unparalleled insight into different theatrical forms through dressing up, acting and arts and crafts.

[www.theatermuseum.at](http://www.theatermuseum.at)

1, Palais Lobkowitz  
Lobkowitzplatz 2  
tel. 525 24-5310  
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### 41 LILARUM puppet theater

Vienna's largest children's theater stages puppet shows for kids from three to ten – and parents will be enchanted too. Puppeteers bring the hand puppets and marionettes to life and keep visitors perched on the edge of their seats with their deft movements, voices and music.

[www.lilarum.at](http://www.lilarum.at)



© LILARUM

3, Göllnergasse 8  
tel. 710 26 66

### 42 cinemagic – cinema seasons for young people

From storybook cinema to crazy cartoon capers, award-winning kids' and youth cinema, and film versions of literary classics – cinemagic has something interesting for every age group.

[www.cinemagic.at](http://www.cinemagic.at)

Urania Cinema:  
1, Uraniastrasse 8  
tel. 4000-83400

## Experiences the weather can't spoil



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### 43 House of the Sea

Want to get to grips with a shark or get up close and personal with a piranha? Or maybe witness the fearless divers in the shark pool? You and your children can come face to face with any of the 10,000 creatures that call the House of the Sea home: fish from Austria and faraway countries, tortoises, crocodiles, venomous snakes and constrictors, leaf cutter ants, free-flying birds and roving monkeys.

*Tip:* check out the views of Vienna from the rooftop terrace... and the playground in the Esterházy park

[www.haus-des-meeres.at](http://www.haus-des-meeres.at)

6, Esterházypark  
tel. 587 14 17  
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### 44 Therme Wien

The Therme Wien spa is the perfect place to unwind – or to have fun in the water. At the Adventure Stone kids' zone, young explorers can swim against the current in a wild water torrent, jump from one of the four meter high diving boards or hurtle down the water slide. There is a water park, an infant and toddler pool, free children's entertainment and a large outdoor area. Meanwhile, parents can relax in one of the spacious spa zones.

[www.thermewien.at](http://www.thermewien.at)

10, Kurbadstrasse 14  
tel. 680 09-9600



### 45 Dianabad water park

Take the plunge! Palm trees, 870 m<sup>2</sup> of pools and a wave machine give the Dianabad a truly tropical feel. Kids just love to play on the 125 meter water slide, and let their imagination run riot as they storm the pirate ship and water castle. The spa with sauna and steam room gives parents a chance to get away from it all and take a break from everyday stresses and strains.

[www.dianabad.at](http://www.dianabad.at)

2., Lilienbrunnngasse 7-9,  
tel. 219 81 81 10



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### 46 BOGI PARK

Shoes off, socks on and off you go! This 5,000m<sup>2</sup> indoor play area is always full of climbing, sliding, jumping and laughing one to 12-year-olds. A giant slide, climbing volcano, magic disco, quad track, labyrinth and soft play area for infants and toddlers ensures there is never a dull moment. Children's entertainers and face painting are also part of the fun on selected days.

[www.bogipark.at](http://www.bogipark.at)

23, Gutheil-Schoder-  
Gasse 17, tel. 23 000 00

### 47 Family Fun

Family Fun is an adventure park which has been specially designed for children aged from one to 12. In addition to a separate area for the youngest visitors, there is a 3,500m<sup>2</sup> indoor zone bursting with attractions including a climbing tower, kart track, pedal car course, slides and labyrinths. The 4,000m<sup>2</sup> outdoor area has go-karts, bumper boats, bouncy castles and a trampoline.

[www.familyfun.at](http://www.familyfun.at)



22, Breitenleerstrasse 77  
tel. 236 70 70

### 48 Time Travel Vienna

Journey through 2,000 years of Viennese history: Time Travel Vienna offers seven themed multi-media display sectors in an exhibition area of 1,300m<sup>2</sup>.

[www.timetravel-vienna.at](http://www.timetravel-vienna.at)

1., Habsburgergasse 10A  
tel. 532 15 14  
 Vienna Card

## But that's not all

### 49 Magic of Advent

This traditional Christmas market in front of City Hall is packed with stands selling toys, gifts and delicious food and drink. There is also a magical trail in the Rathauspark and a Christmas workshop inside City Hall where your children can work away on their own yuletide gifts.

Mid-November until December 24.

[www.christkindlmarkt.at](http://www.christkindlmarkt.at)



1, Rathausplatz

### 49 Vienna Ice Dream

Cut toe loops to waltz music and glide along to salsa beats at the 7,000m<sup>2</sup> ice rink on Rathausplatz in front of City Hall, and the dreamy winter trail in the neighboring Rathauspark. There is also a curling lane to enjoy.

End of January until early March, skate hire available.

[www.wienereistraum.com](http://www.wienereistraum.com)



1, Rathausplatz  
tel. 40 900 40  
 Vienna Card

### Ferienspiel vacation club

Sports, activities, adventures, voyages of discovery, theater, cinema and museum fun await children aged six to 13 during the Viennese school holidays.

[www.ferienspiel.at](http://www.ferienspiel.at)

Info: tel. 4000-84400,  
[www.ferienspiel.at](http://www.ferienspiel.at) or visit  
the wienXtra-kinderinfo  
point at the  
MuseumsQuartier.



# Best City Card.

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## Your key to Vienna

Free travel on the underground, bus and tram for 48 or 72 hours. Discounts on sights, guided tours, sightseeing tours, in shops, restaurants and wine taverns. Only € 18.90 or € 21.90.

Available at more than 250 Vienna hotels, Tourist Info (at Albertinaplatz, at the Vienna Main Station and at the Vienna Airport), Vienna Transport Authority ticket offices and **www.wienkarte.at**.

Each Vienna Card entitles one child below the age of 15 to travel with you free (ID card).

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**Schönbrunn Zoo:**

Which animal created a big stir here by producing offspring?



**Schönbrunn Palace:**

What was the name of the Empress who brought up her 16 children here?



Once you have finished, simply drop off your answers at the Tourist Info (1st district, corner of Albertinaplatz and Maysedergasse – behind the Vienna State Opera, open daily from 09:00-19:00) and collect your souvenir of Vienna. If you add your address, you'll be in with a chance of winning a trip to Vienna!

You and your family will stay for two nights in a four-star hotel, with breakfast. The prize includes return flights to Vienna (economy), transfers to and from the airport, a special welcome package and two Vienna Cards.

P.S.: You can also take your coupon home with you and mail it to us later: Vienna Tourist Board, Invalidenstrasse 6, 1030 Vienna.

**Deadline: April 30, 2016**

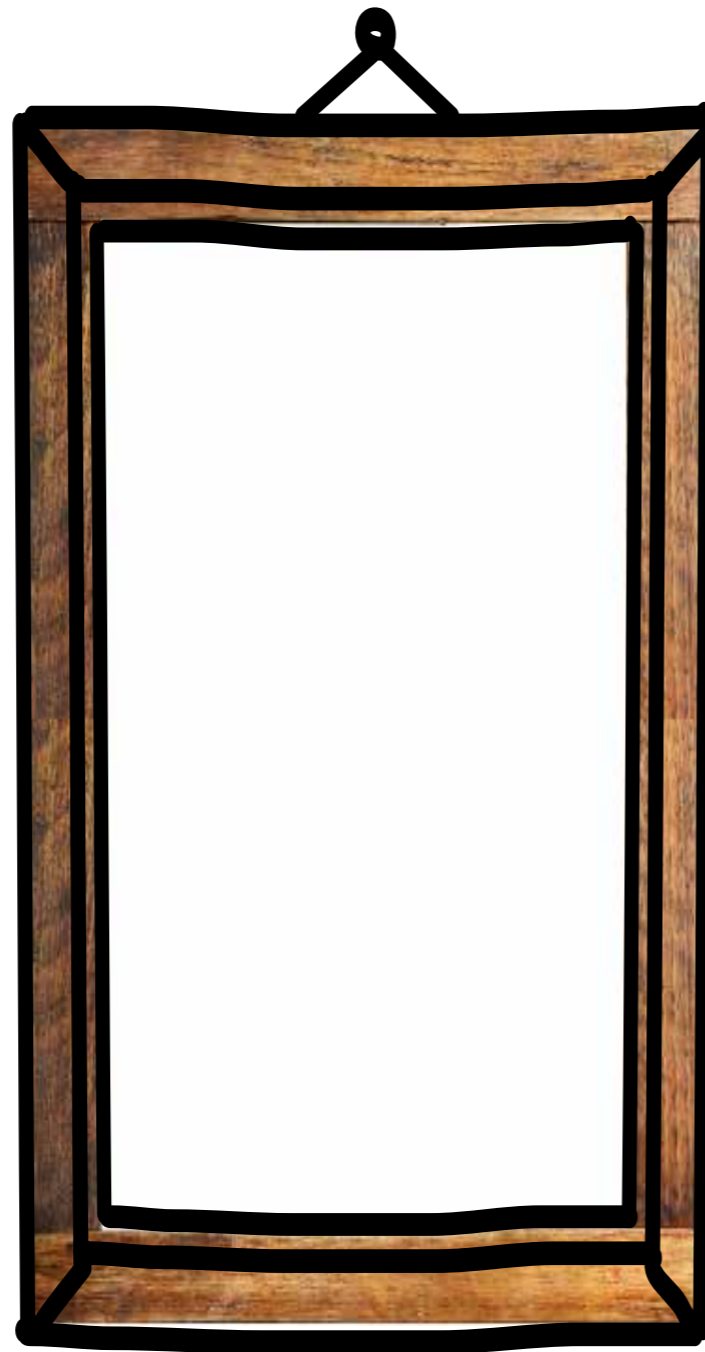
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Who I am – my name and age:

Where I live – street, zip code and town/city:

My country:

Name and e-mail of parent or guardian:



Here's some space for your own Vienna artwork!

# On your marks, set – Vienna!

## Hello Kids,

are you a **Vienna expert**, or would you like to become one? Then get sleuthing and find the answers to our tricky questions!

**Ready?** There are **souvenirs of Vienna** for the **best detectives** and there's even **a trip to the Austrian capital to be won...** Prepare yourself for all the amazing Viennese adventures ahead!

Off we go:



**House of the Sea:**

Name three species that live in the House of the Sea!



**Museum of Natural History:**

What's the name of the gigantic prehistoric creatures you can admire here?



**ZOOM Children's Museum:**

In which museum complex can you find the Zoom Children's Museum?



**St. Stephen's Cathedral:**

How many steps take you up to the Türmerstube (tower room)?



**House of Music:**

Which orchestra can you conduct at the House of Music?



**Belvedere:**

Who painted the "golden paintings" hanging in the Belvedere Palace?



**Giant Ferris Wheel:**

How high up does the Giant Ferris Wheel in the Prater take you?



**Museum of Technology:**

What is the steam train at the Museum of Technology called?

