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Willkommen in NRW



Youth Hostel
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Welcome Essen!

Located at the southern edge of the Ruhr Area, Essen was named European Capital of Culture 2010. Whether it's excitement or relaxation you're after, you'll find it here. There are so many attractive options for leisure activities in a place where the shift from industrial city to cultural metropolis can be felt everywhere.

The hostel is located in Essen-Werden, near Lake Baldeney, in the midst of nature yet close to the city. We look forward to hosting anyone who wants to dive into the culture of the Ruhr metropolis and is looking for the right mix of art, history, nature adventure, and big-city action. A robust program offering provides both kids and teenagers and also adults the opportunity to interact with different cultures, eras, and historical issues through engaging outdoor, action, and city experiences.



The Location

The hostel is located south of the city centre, above the Werden neighborhood. It's surrounded by forest yet easy to reach by public transportation. It's only a 30-45 minute walk to Lake Baldeney or Villa Hügel.

The Amenities

Expect a top-tier hostel that is attractive, inviting, and friendly. All rooms are modern with private showers and toilets to ensure a pleasant stay.

Total numbers: 48 rooms with 185 beds, all with showers and toilets

- ▶ 10 double rooms
- ▶ 4 three-bed-rooms
- ▶ 18 four-bed-rooms
- ▶ 16 five- and six-bed-rooms
- ▶ 6 wheelchair-accessible rooms
- ▶ 6 meeting rooms
- ▶ Bistro
- ▶ Sun terrace
- ▶ Internet terminal, free WiFi in public space



The Service

Youth-Hostel Essen is open from 7:00 - 24:00, and the reception is staffed from 8:00 - 22:00. Even before your trip, our team gladly assists you with planning your leisure activities, meetings, and family excursions.



Food

We offer a varied selection of meals, all of them buffet-style. Breads and rolls are sourced from a local whole-grain bakery.

- ▶ Special meals: lactose, pork, and gluten-free meals and vegetarian options can be ordered in advance

Games & Leisure

Essen invites you to dive into a pulsating art and culture scene. Back at the hostel, you'll find popular and relaxing meeting spots, including a barbeque area, sun terrace, and a bistro in the evening.

- ▶ Small playing field with artificial turf (20 x 40 m)
- ▶ Football field, exercise equipment, table tennis table, games
- ▶ Barbeque area
- ▶ Table football, pinbal
- ▶ Piano

Workshops & Conferences

We have everything on the premises for you to hold a successful meeting: a country-like setting with close proximity to the city, comfortable rooms, and state-of-the-art meeting technology.

- ▶ 6 meeting rooms (30 - 72 m²)
- ▶ Groups of up to 72 people
- ▶ Ideal for supplementary programmes and classes

Programmes

Programmes and services with cultural relevance are a cornerstone of our hostel – from industrial history to current topics in youth culture. During the holidays, the area with its unique mix of industry and nature becomes an adventure park with exciting options for survival training. Activity modules such as „Paddling the Ruhr Area in a Skiff“ or „Cross-Beach-Challenge“ offer unusual perspectives on the Ruhr area and are made for leisure and family groups who want to spend the weekend together. Plus, school groups can turn Essen and the Ruhr area into a classroom so they can discover, experience, and be moved.



Attractions

Essen's main attractions include Villa Hügel, Grugapark, the Ruhr-Museum, Museum Folkwang, and Zollverein Coal Mine and its special exhibits – just to name a few.

- ▶ Take a bike ride: Bike trail Ruhrtal (0.5 km)
- ▶ Explore experimental dance and music: Folkwang School (1 km)
- ▶ Experience Werden: Historic trail of Essen's gems
- ▶ See art: Museum Folkwang (10 km)
- ▶ Experience history: Ruhr-Museum (14 km)
- ▶ Set sail: Lake Baldeney (2 km)
- ▶ Follow the footsteps of the Krupp Family: Villa Hügel (3 km)

How to get there by car or coach:

Traveling on Highway A52

Take exit 26 Essen-Kettwig. Turn right at the exit, then left at the intersection/traffic light to Essen-Werden. Go on Schuirweg until the intersection Ruhrtalstrasse, turn left there, and at tram Station (S-Bahnhof) Essen-Werden turn right towards Solingen/Wuppertal (B224), then follow the signs. Coaches: please follow the second sign, about 3 km behind the Ruhr-bridge. There is no way for coaches to turn at the hostel.

Traveling on Highway A40:

Take exit Essen-Zentrum (city-centre), then drive in the direction of Solingen/Wuppertal (B 224). Coaches please follow the second sign, about 3 km behind the Ruhr-bridge. There is no way for coaches to turn at the hostel.

How to get there by public transportation:

Take the train to Essen main train station (Essen Hbf). Take the tram (S-Bahn) line S6 to the „Essen-Werden“ stop, then take the city bus 190 to „Ruhlandklinik“, exit at stop „Jugendherberge“.

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