

# Schweinfurt, Bavaria, Germany

A hidden gem of the Main River, Schweinfurt punches well above its size — a Renaissance town hall that survived WWII, the world's finest 19th-century German art collection, and a riverfront promenade steps from the dock.

Docked (pier)

Typical call: 6–8 hrs

Euro (€)

German

Very walkable

## 🚢 MY DAY IN PORT

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| Ship/Date: _____ | Arrive: _____ | All aboard: _____ |
| Excursion: _____ | Notes: _____  |                   |

## GETTING ASHORE

**Docking:** Pier — Gutermann-Promenade along the Main River

**Best For:** Art lovers, history, Franconian wine & cuisine

**Walk to center:** 5–10 min (~600 m, flat) to Marktplatz

**Don't Miss:** Museum Georg Schäfer — world's best 19th-century German art collection

Getting around: **Taxi** €7–€10 · **Rideshare** not available

## TOP THINGS TO DO

- **Museum Georg Schäfer** — One of Germany's most important private art collections — 19th-century German masters including the world's largest...
- **Renaissance Marktplatz & Rathaus** — Schweinfurt's late-16th-century town hall is one of southern Germany's finest Renaissance civic buildings.
- **Kunsthalle Schweinfurt** — Post-1945 German art displayed inside a spectacularly converted 1930s indoor swimming pool.
- **Medieval City Walls & Schroturm** — Follow surviving stretches of Schweinfurt's medieval fortifications, including the 1611 Shot Tower (Schroturm) — a...
- **Franconian Wine & Cuisine Tasting** — Lower Franconia is one of Germany's most distinctive wine regions — try bone-dry Silvaner in its signature flat...

## BEST WALKS

- **Pier to Marktplatz Old Town Loop** ~2 km | 45–60 min | Flat | No hills — A simple circuit from the pier through the heart of Schweinfurt.
- **Museum Row Walk** ~1.5 km | 30 min walking + museum time | Flat — Walk from the pier to Museum Georg Schäfer, then continue a few minutes to the Kunsthalle Schweinfurt.

## WEATHER · DAYLIGHT · MONEY

**CLIMATE (AVG °F · RAINY DAYS)**

| Mon | High | Low | Rain |
|-----|------|-----|------|
| Apr | 58°  | 39° | 10d  |
| Jun | 74°  | 56° | 10d  |
| Aug | 76°  | 58° | 11d  |
| Sep | 69°  | 51° | 8d   |
| Oct | 59°  | 45° | 11d  |

**DAYLIGHT & MONEY**

Apr 6:26AM–8:13PM · Jun 5:09AM–9:30PM · Aug 6:09AM–8:36PM · Sep 6:55AM–7:32PM · Oct 7:41AM–6:27PM

Euro (€)

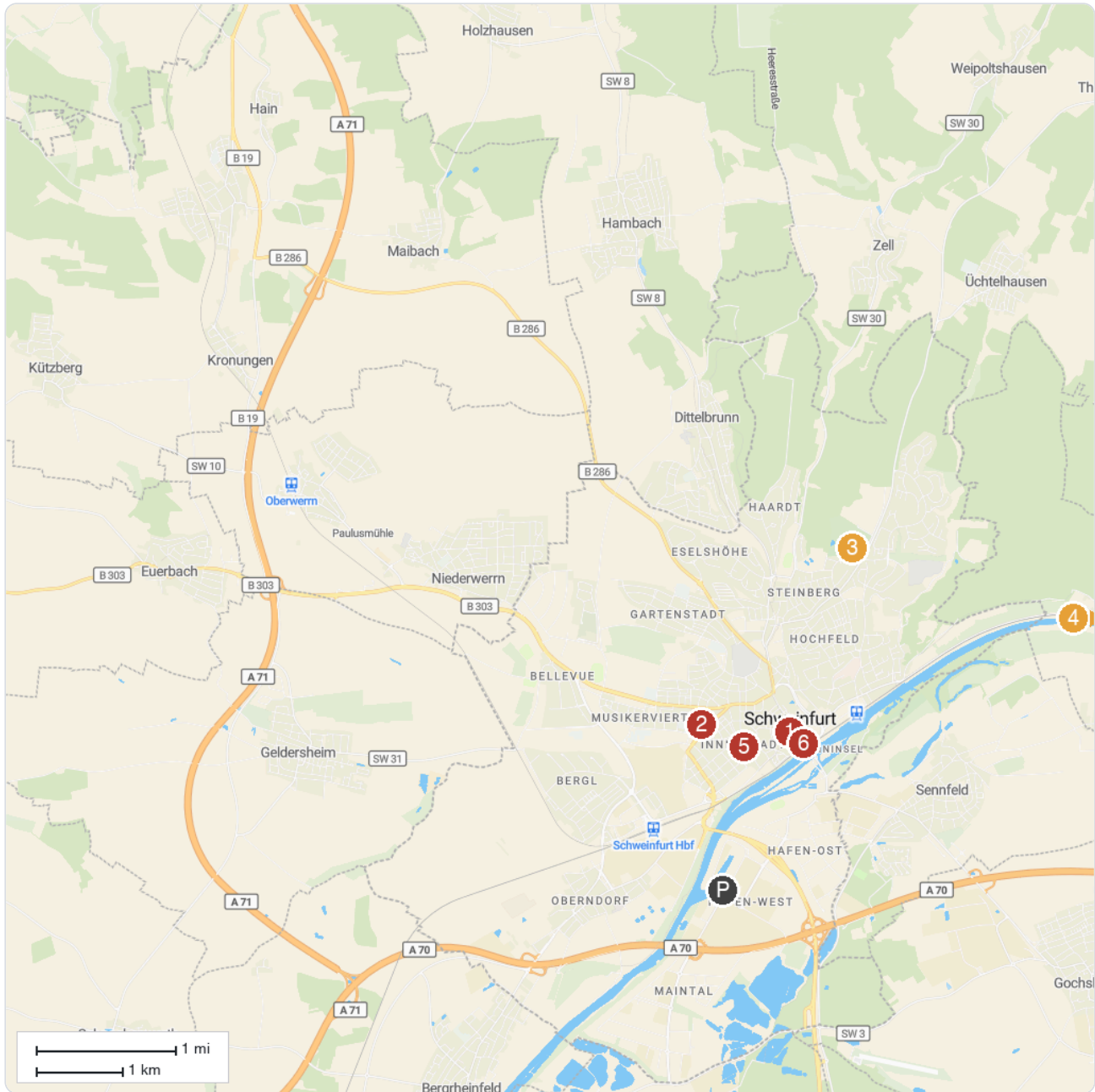
## KNOW BEFORE YOU GO

- Sunday closures apply: All retail shops and supermarkets close on Sundays in Bavaria. Restaurants, cafes, and museums remain open — plan shopping for weekdays.
- Carry cash: Smaller bakeries, market stalls, and local taverns often prefer cash. ATMs are available near the Marktplatz.

# Schweinfurt, Bavaria, Germany — Port Map

[cruiseports.org](https://cruiseports.org)

Red = walkable sights · Amber = excursions farther out · P = cruise terminal. Numbers match the order you'd typically visit.



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|------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------|
| <b>1</b> Friedrich Rückert Denkmal | A monument honoring the famous poet Friedrich Rückert.                       | <b>2</b> St. Kilian           | Historic St. Kilian Basilica is Schweinfurt's main Catholic church. |
| <b>3</b> Wildpark an den Eichen    | A wildlife park featuring native European animals and nature trails.         | <b>4</b> Schloss Mainberg     | A picturesque Renaissance castle overlooking the Main River valley. |
| <b>5</b> Kunsthalle Schweinfurt    | A modern art gallery showcasing contemporary German and international works. | <b>6</b> Museum Georg Schäfer | A museum housing a vast collection of 19th-century German art.      |
| <b>P</b> Cruise port / terminal    |                                                                              |                               |                                                                     |