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## Charles Bridge, Old Town Square and Prague Castle

 Prague (Praha), Czech Republic



**Walking  
route**



**7,255 km**



**Easy**




**73 m**





## Itinerary

 Prague (Praha), Czech Republic



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### Prague Main Railway Station

**10 m**

From the entrance to the new building of the Main Railway Station turn left and go along Washington Street towards Vaclavské square.



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### National Museum

**455 m**

From the building of museum cross the street and go to Václavské square with the dominant statue of St. Václav riding a horse.



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### Metro station of lines A and C - Muzeum

**513 m**

Transit metro station of lines A and C Muzeum.

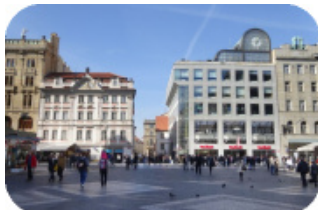


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### Wenceslas Square (Václavské náměstí)

**541 m**

Go across the square from the museum down.

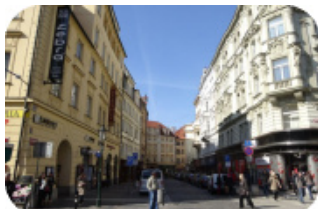


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### End of the square

**1,221 km**

At the end of Vaclavské Square continue straight into the street Na Můstku.

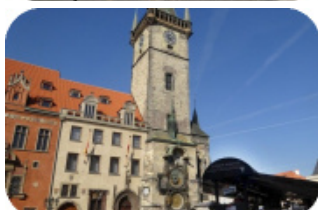


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### Melantrichova Street

**1,349 km**

Go through the intersection and continue straight on Melantrichova street to the Old Town Square.

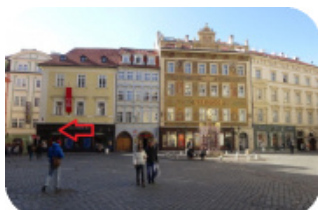


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### Old Town Square

**1,840 km**

After visiting the square and all its interesting places go back to the Astronomical clock and continue in the direction from the square to Malé Square. (Facing the Astronomical Clock the Malé Square will be on your left hand side)

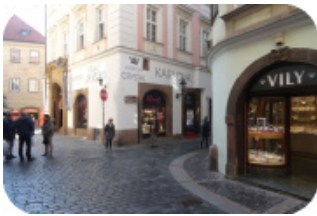


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### Malé Square

**2,487 km**

Go straight across the small square to Karlova street, which will lead you all the way to the Karlův bridge.



### **Absintherie**

At the hotel U Kočků turn right still along the Karlova street.

**2,608 km**



### **The intersection with Husova Street**

At this intersection turn right then left still keeping on Karlova street. You will reach the Karlův Bridge at the end of the street.

**2,619 km**



### **Charles Bridge (Karlův most)**

Walk across the Charles Bridge (Karlův most) and continue straight along Mostecká street.

**2,960 km**



### **Malostranské Square**

You will arrive at Malostranské náměstí (Lesser Town Square). Continue straight through the square past the church.

**3,690 km**



### **Malostranské Square 2**

At the end of the square near the Plague Column turn right into Zámecká Street.

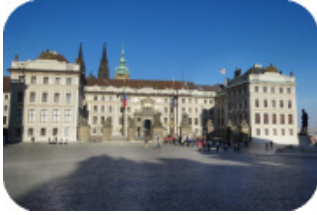
**3,887 km**



### **Castle Stairs**

The stairs will take you to the Prague Castle.

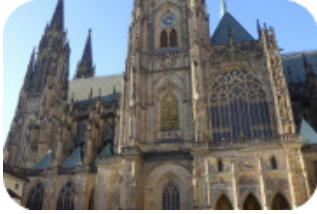
**3,955 km**



### **Prague Castle**

Go through the main gate of Prague Castle to the courtyard and continue through the archway to the inner courtyard in front of the Cathedral of St. Vít.

**4,780 km**



### **St. Vitus Cathedral**

Go past the side of the Cathedral to the small square behind it which leads to Jiřská street. At the first intersection turn left to the Golden Lane entrance.

**5,422 km**



### **Golden Lane**

Walk down the aisle to the exit from the castle. If you do not want to visit the Golden Lane for any reason, or if it is closed, you can get to the back gate using the same street you used to leave the cathedral and exit the Prague Castle through the back gate. Then walk down the Old Castle Steps (Stairs)

**6,802 km**



### **To the metro station**

At the end of the Old Castle Steps, turn right. Go along the road up to the Metro station.

**7,149 km**




### **Metro A line station - Malostranská**

**7,244 km**

The entrance to the metro station is located in the courtyard of Wallenstein Riding School. Here our trip ends. If you have enough time and energy you can extend your trip around the Wallenstein Riding School Street back to Malostranské Square under the Prague Castle and then go back in the opposite direction of the route.



## Points of Interest

 Prague (Praha), Czech Republic



### Prague Main Railway Station

The most important railway station in Prague was opened in 1871. Originally named after the emperor František Josef. Inside the station hall you can find the metro station of the C line Hlavní nádraží, shops, restaurants, chemist's, ATMs and WC. There is also a direct bus line to the Airport.

**10 m**



### National Museum

The National Museum in Prague was built in 1891. Currently it is undergoing an overall reconstruction which should be finished in 2018. For this reason visiting the museum is possible only through the New building which is located on the left hand side (in direction to the Main Railway Station).

**455 m**



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**513 m**



### Wenceslas Square (Václavské náměstí)

The main Prague square with length of 682m. A dominant of the square is a statue of St. Václav riding a horse by Josef Vaclav Myslbek from the year 1912.

**541 m**

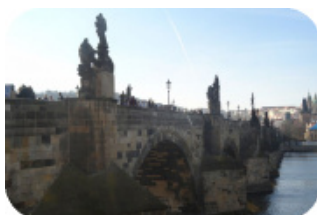


### Old Town Square

The dominant feature of the Old Town Square is the Old Town Hall with the Astronomical Clock from the early 15th century. The parade of the Twelve Apostles occurs every time the clock strikes the hours. The square itself is full of galleries, restaurants and interesting sights.

**1,840 km**

**Halls Mon 11 - 18, Tue - Sun 9 - 18 Tower Mon 11 - 22, Tue - Sun 9 - 22 Halls 100 Kč Tower 130 Kč**



### Charles Bridge (Karlův most)

The oldest stone bridge over the Vltava River in Prague. It was completed in 1402 and connects the Old Town with Mala Strana. The bridge is completed by three towers with a tour option. By the late 17th century, about 30 mostly baroque statues were added. The bridge acquired its present name around 1870, at the initiative of Karel Havlicek Borovsky. The bridge's towers are ideal for taking pictures of the Prague city center.

**2,960 km**

**Towers of the bridge Oct, Mar: Mon-Sun 10-20 Nov-Feb: Mon-Sun 10-18 Apr-Sept: Mon-Sun 10-22**

**Towers of the bridge Adults 90 Kč Children, Students 6-26, pensioners 65 Kč Children 3-6 years old 25 Kč Family (2+4) 250 Kč**



### **Malostranské Square**

**3,690 km**

In the past, this square carried different names - Rynk, St. Stephen's Square or Marshal Radlicky's Square. In fact, it is rather a pair of squares divided by St. Nicholas Church. Along the square there are many historical buildings and palaces. In the past the square served as a market square area, or for various social events, including executions. There is a tram stop "Malostranské náměstí" lines 12, 20, 22, 57 and also a large number of restaurants.



### **Prague Castle**

**4,780 km**

The most significant Czech castle and the seat of Czech rulers and, nowadays, presidents. The Prague Castle area has been inhabited since the Neolithic period. The construction of the castle itself was probably begun by Svyatopluk I.

**Summer Tourist Season (April 1 till October 31) Prague Castle complex 6.00 - 22.00 Historical buildings 9.00 - 17.00 Winter Tourist Season (November 1 till March 31) Prague Castle complex 6.00 - 22.00 Historical buildings 9.00 - 16.00 Prague Castle - Circuit A: CZK 350 Prague Castle - Circuit B: CZK 250 Prague Castle - Circuit C: CZK 350 Prague Castle Picture Gallery: CZK 100 Powder Tower: CZK 70 Great South Tower with a View Gallery: CZK 150**



### **St. Vitus Cathedral**

**5,422 km**

The three-nave Gothic cathedral with three spires of the church and the seat of the Archbishop of Prague. Construction took place in several stages and lasted nearly 600 years.

**Mon - Sat 9:00 - 16:40 Sun 12:00 - 16:40**



### **Golden Lane**

**6,802 km**

Golden Lane was created after the construction of the northern wall of the Castle. This space was used to build the modest dwellings incorporated into the castle walls, which are the last remnants of small buildings of the Prague Castle. The street got its name probably after goldsmiths that used to live there. Houses were inhabited until the Second World War. In house No. 22 lived in the years 1916-17 the writer Franz Kafka.

**9.00 - 17.00**



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