

Short Report



Technical Museum of Pforzheim's Jewellery and Watchmaking Industries
| Technisches Museum der Pforzheimer Uhren- und Schmuckindustrie

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Welcome!

The museum radiates an aura of vibrant activity; it smells like oil and metal in here, and the machines make a lot of noise! In the building of the former Kollmar Jourdan jewellery manufactory, visitors have an opportunity to gain insights into the world of Pforzheim's traditional jewellery and watchmaking industries, which once dominated the global market. It's a place where history comes alive, where visitors can witness how pieces of jewellery are created, how metal is melted and shaped, and how complex movement blanks, watch dials or cases are made. Whether it's sand casting, electroplating or rolling: the manufacture of jewellery and watches has always involved many processes and techniques. Starting from the drawing of an initial sketch all the way through to the production process itself, visitors can observe the individual worksteps involved and marvel at traditional manufacturing techniques employed using original historical machines.

TEST RESULT

for

Technisches Museum der Pforzheimer Schmuck- und Uhrenindustrie

75173 Pforzheim, Certificate-ID: PA-13330-2026



This offer was classified according to
the criteria of the nationwide label

»Tourism for All«

and, in the period from

June 2026 – May 2029

is entitled to use the label

»Accessibility checked«

and the associated pictograms

in accordance with the contract.



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Overview

- Distance to the jewellery museum 5 minutes (combined ticket)
- Black Forest Card attraction

Accessibility at a glance

- stepless access to the building (via the side entrance) and all rooms
- 85 cm minimum width of all passages/doors
- WC for people with disabilities
- assistance dogs welcome
- inductive hearing system at the ticket office and devices for guided tours

Information for people with walking difficulties and wheelchair users

All areas relevant for testing meet the quality criteria of the label "**Accessibility certified – partially accessible for people with walking disabilities**".

Some **information on accessibility** are listed below. For detailed information please see the evaluation report.

- There is no parking lot available.
- The bus stop "Rodstraße" is 50 m away.
- There is a higher threshold at the main entrance.
- There are several steps in front of the cash desk.
- Barrier-free access to the exhibition is possible via the side entrance. Please register in advance to be able to use this entrance. There is a ramp with a 12% incline in front of the side entrance.
- All guest-accessible rooms and facilities on the ground floor are accessible without steps. The first floor is accessible only via stairs.
- All evaluated passageways/doors available to the guests are at least 85 cm wide.
- The exhibits are predominately visible when seated. Information is predominately readable when seated.
- Guided tours for people with walking impairments and wheelchair users are offered on request. A reservation in advance is necessary.
- Offered aids: folding stools
- There is a public restroom for people with disabilities that is accessible from one side (at least 80 cm). There are fold-down grab bars on the left and right sides of the restroom.

Information for people with hearing impairments and deaf people

All areas relevant for testing meet the quality criteria of the label "**Accessibility certified – accessible for people with hearing impairment**".

Some **information on accessibility** are listed below. For detailed information please see the evaluation report.

- There is an audio induction loop system at the cash desk.
- The information on the exhibits is predominately provided in writing.
- Guided tours for people with hearing disabilities using inductive devices are available upon request. A reservation in advance is necessary.

Information for visually impaired and blind people

Some **information on accessibility** are listed below. For detailed information please see the evaluation report.

- Assistance dogs are welcome.
- The entrance area is designed with high visual contrast.
- The signage (for wayfinding) is designed with easy-to-read, high-contrast lettering.
- All elevated areas accessible to guests are illuminated with bright, glare-free lighting.
- Stairs have visually contrasting edges on at least the first and last steps.
- Some stairs have handrails.
- Information about the exhibits is presented with high visual contrast.
- Information is not available in braille or raised lettering.

Information for guests with cognitive impairments

Some **information on accessibility** are listed below. For detailed information please see the evaluation report.

- The name of the museum is clearly recognizable from the outside.
- The information on the exhibits is predominately provided in writing, but not in easy language.

Image Gallery

We have put together some photos from the company / offer for you. You can find more photos in the detailed reports.



Main entrance

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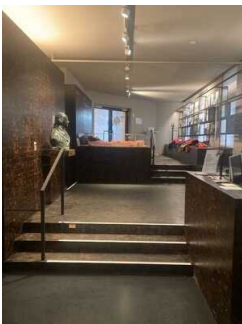
stepless side entrance

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Cash desk / Ticket counter

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Showrooms

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Public toilet

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Information on the "Tourism for All" labeling system

All establishments and locations certified with the label "Tourism for All" meet the following quality criteria:

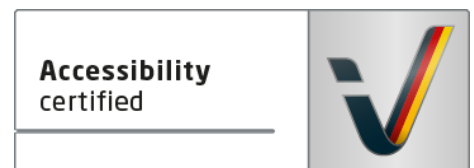
- Data and information on accessibility are collected and checked on site by **external, specially trained evaluators**. The method is not based on self-assessments.
- Data on accessibility is available **in detail** and can be viewed by the guests.
- At least one staff member has successfully passed a **training** on "**Accessibility as a comfort and quality feature**".

The labeling – explanation of the logos and pictograms

The label "**Information about Accessibility**" indicates that detailed and verified information on accessibility is available for all groups of people.



The label "**Accessibility certified**" is based on "Information about Accessibility". It means that the quality criteria defined for specific groups of people are met partially or completely.



The label "**Accessibility certified**" is available in two requirement levels:

"Accessibility certified: partially accessible".

The quality criteria are partially fulfilled for the pictured group of people, i.e. the establishment/location is partially accessible for wheelchair users. The "i" in the pictogram indicates that it is recommended to read again carefully whether the offer meets all (your oder the guest's) individual requirements.



"Accessibility certified: accessible".

The quality criteria are fulfilled for the pictured group of people, i.e. the establishment/location is accessible for wheelchair users.



There are defined quality criteria for **seven groups of people** and a **specific pictogram** for each group.

People with walking disabilities



Wheelchair users



People with hearing impairment



Deaf people



People with visual impairments



Blind people



People with cognitive impairments

