



KUTNOHORSKO KOLÍNSKO

The area, inhabited in the distant past, offers unusual and unforgettable experiences for everyone. The region spread between the Elbe and Sázava rivers is full of mysterious stories, landmarks, and architectural and natural gems. It has the largest concentration of royal towns in Central Bohemia, among which UNESCO World Heritage listed Kutná Hora stands out.

Map Scale 1 : 120,000
0 1 2 3 4 5 6 km (3.7 mi)



1. MALEŠOV

Visit the medieval **Malešov fortress** near Kutná Hora. Check out the interesting interiors of the fortress, taste the famous **Malešov beer**, or stay in medieval tents that provide all of today's comfort. Around the corner, you will find the **Malešov Museum**, presenting local residents and comic works by Czech artists. Follow the **educational Along the Hussite Captains' Route circuit trail**, which will take you to the **Sion Castle ruins**. There, you will find a relief of the former castle owner, Jan Roháč of Dubé, or a replica of gallows where the Hussite captain was executed. The littlest family members will enjoy a visit to the **Heroland** fun park in nearby Březová.



3. KOLÍN

Tour "**Jerusalem on the Elbe River**" – the Kolín Jewish landmarks, such as the synagogue, and the new and old Jewish cemeteries. Look at the royal town from the **Vodárna** or **Práchevna lookout tower**. Explore the mysterious **ossuary at Bartolomějské návrší**, climb up the **bell tower**, visit the **Church of St Bartholomew** by Petr Parléř, or the expositions of the **Old Parish School** and the **Regional Museum**. Find the rose and herb garden in the green bailey. Take your children to nearby Sendražice for a ride on a narrow-gauge train. Special period-costume tours await you at **Radim Chateau**. Walk the Markoman trail in Dobříčov. Finish your day by climbing up **Bedřich's scenic viewpoint tower**.



5. SUDĚJOV

Taste the curative spring from the well by the **Church of St Anne** in Sudějov. Combine the pilgrimage trail with a tour of **Uhlířské Janovice** with the Church of St Alois Gonzaga, a Baroque vicarage and the Church of St Giles. Enjoy the view from the **Březina lookout tower**, the highest peak in the Kutná Hora region. Explore the surroundings of Bohdaneč along the **Wandering around Lakes** and **History of Czech Glass-making educational trails**. Have a beer from **chateau brewery** in Zbraslavice at hotel Hubertus. In summer, jump into Starý pond near Zbraslavice with a sandy entry and grassy beaches.



7. RATAJE NAD SÁZAVOU

The inconspicuous town on the bank of Sázava River has recently been made famous by Kingdom Come: Deliverance, a computer game. Visit the original **Woodcutting Museum** at the Renaissance chateau. **Pirkštejn Castle** is a dominant feature of the town. Follow the tracks of the main game character to the **ruins of Talmberk Castle**, or to the **Sázava monastery**. If you do not want to walk or cycle, you can take a boat down the **Sázava River**, or hop on the **Posázaví Pacific train**. Complete your collection of regional castles with a visit to the large **Český Šternberk Castle**.



9. ČÁSLAV

Walk through the interesting royal town of **Čáslav**. The gateway to the Iron Mountains has preserved **town walls** with 15 bastions and the Gothic **Ottokar Tower**. Enjoy the views from the tower of the **Church of St Peter and St Paul**. Visit **Žižka Hall**, where you can see the skull of the famous commander. The most famous person born in Čáslav is Miloš Forman, whose work is celebrated by the **Forman's Čáslav Festival**. Find an interesting **synagogue** near the **Municipal Museum** built in the Moorish style. Check out historical and modern farming machines at the **National Museum of Agriculture**. Continue to the romantic **Žleby Chateau**. You can see rare white deer in the chateau game preserve.



2. KUTNÁ HORA

The royal town is justly inscribed in the UNESCO World Heritage List. Walk through the historical centre from the **Church of St Barbara**, past the **Corpus Christi Chapel**, with a view of the vineyards, continue along the Jesuit College with the **Gallery of the Central Bohemian Region**, and to the centre. Descend to the medieval silver mines in Hrádek, where the **Czech Museum of Silver** resides. Discover sweet secrets at the **Chocolate Museum**. Check what you know about UNESCO sites at **Dačický House**. Mint your own silver coin at **Vlašský dvůr**. Taste the wine of Kutná Hora in the **Cloister of St Ursula**. Or print your own postcard in **Knihtiskárna**.



4. SEDLEC

Continue exploring Kutná Hora in Sedlec with another UNESCO site – the **Cathedral of the Assumption of the Virgin Mary and St John the Baptist**. The Baroque cathedral and the famous **ossuary** were designed by Jan Blažej Santini. Climb up **Kaňk hill**, with a restaurant and a lookout tower. The Silver circuit trail will take you to the **basilica in Grunt**, one of the largest rural churches in the country. Gourmets will appreciate the **coffee-roasting shop in the Přitoky fortress**. The **Vysoká lookout tower** offers bird's eye views, including over the nearby concealed **Belvedere ruin**. Or climb up the tower of the Romanesque **Church of St Jacob** in Církvice. Take your children to the **Louisiana Ranch Children's Park**.



6. KAČINA CHÂTEAU

The Empire-style gem of Bohemia – this is **Kačina Chateau**. Walk through the chateau rooms where the noble Chotek family used to live, explore the farming facilities of the chateau, the carpentry shop and the stables. Learn about insects and the rich flora when walking through the English park. Take your children to **Minizoo Ringelland** in Habrkovice, or to **Starý Kolín Farm**. Discover an unusual bell tower in the Moorish style at the **Church of St Mark** in Žehušice. Check out the shiny motorcycles and old tractors in the **Vintage Car Museum** in Radovesnice II. Enjoy the view of the Iron Mountains from the **tower of the Gothic fortress** in Semtěš.



8. KOUŘIM

Visit the **Kouřim Regional Museum** at the royal town's centre and learn about its history. Admire the valuable mural paintings in the **Basilica of St Stephen**. Learn about the unique bells, hung upside down, during a tour of the **bell tower**. Walk through the **Museum of Vernacular Houses** and learn about the everyday life of our ancestors, traditional customs and folk architecture. The **Old Kouřim trail** will take you to the largest medieval hillfort in Bohemia; enjoy the view of the town from Lech's stone. Take a pleasant stroll through the Království settlement, all the way to the cairn honouring the **Battle of Lipany**. Visit the National Brewing Museum, which is part of the **Černý Kostelec Brewery**.



10. ČESKÝ BROD

Explore the **medieval underground** of Český Brod. Learn about the history of this royal town in the **Podlipanské Museum**. At the square, visit the **Church of St Gothard with a Renaissance bell tower**. Continue to Jirásek's orchards with another interesting square bell tower. Buy a special beer at the **Český Brod Brewery**. The aroma of freshly baked bread will take you to **Štolmíř**, a small village one kilometre away. The bread there is made in a Baroque oven replica. One of the most beautiful **Romanesque churches** can be found in Tismice, from where you can easily walk to the Gothic **Tuchoraz fortress**. From there, follow the Through the Šembera Valley educational trail leading to the **Šember Castle ruins**.



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