

Places in Zagreb

Here are some interesting places to see in the capital of Croatia.

Homeland Bridge



The newest Zagreb bridge is the Homeland Bridge over the River Sava. It is 840 meters long and has been in function since 2007. Its architects are two women, Rajka Veverka and Martina Balić. The lights can change colours and there are train tracks in the middle of it.

Dolac



The biggest and most famous market in Zagreb is Dolac. It is almost 90 years old! It is well-known for its variety of local fruits and vegetables, great prices and colourful flowers. The market's trademark are red umbrellas from Šestine, a Zagreb district. You can easily walk to it from the main city square, the Ban Jelačić Square.

Maksimir



Maksimir is the name of both a large park and a stadium in Zagreb. In the park, there is the city zoo and five lakes. It is a popular weekend destination. People love to go for a walk, jog, or just sit in cafes and enjoy the 200-year-old trees. The stadium is the home pitch for the football team Dinamo – that is why it is blue.

Zagreb Cathedral



The Zagreb Cathedral is the tallest building in Croatia. You can see it from almost every part of the city centre. It is also very old – at least 800 years. Many people come to pray there every day and celebrate important holidays.

Answer the questions.

1) What are the oldest and newest parts of your town?

2) What are your favourite places in your town?

3) Where do you go to most often? Who with? What do you do there?

4) Are there any places you don't like? Why?
