

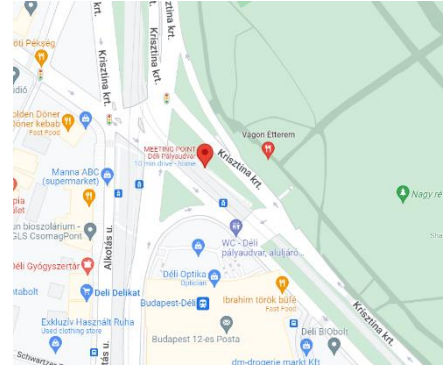
DAY TRIP TO VISEGRÁD

FRIDAY 9 SEPTEMBER 2022

Meeting point:

8.30 am at the bus stop in front of Vagon Étterem
(at the corner of Krisztina krt. and Alkotás utca, to the left of Déli Railway Station; see the red mark on the map)

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Program:

- Visit to the Visegrád Citadel (guided castle tour in English)
- Lunch at Mogyoróhegy Restaurant (hosted by PPKE)
- Recommended afternoon program: Summer Bobsleigh (at your own expense)
- Alternative afternoon program: socializing, enjoying the beautiful vistas, hiking etc.
- Return to Budapest: around 6 pm

VISEGRÁD is a small castle town in the Danube Bend region, north of Budapest. The Visegrád double castle system, including the Citadel (Fellegvár) and the Lower Castle, is one of the castles built by Béla IV in the 13th century, after the Mongol invasion. Visegrád was made the royal seat of Hungary in 1325. The town is famous for the remains of the Early Renaissance summer palace of King Matthias Corvinus of Hungary (end of 15th century) and the medieval citadel. From its courtyard, you can admire the wonderful panorama of the Danube Bend. The castle still emanates the atmosphere of historical times.



SUMMER BOBSLEIGH: Winding through the trees on Nagy-Villám Hill is the Bobsleigh Run: the 700-meter bobsled (toboggan) track, on which you wend your way down a metal chute while sitting on a felt-bottomed cart, is on the hillside below a lookout point. One ride takes about 5-6 minutes. Ticket prices: 700 HUF / 1 ride; 3.500 HUF / 6 rides, 5.600 HUF / 10 rides.