

# Meissen

**Meissen** (German spelling *Meißen*) is one of the oldest towns in Saxony, Germany. It was once home to the local bishop and has a huge medieval cathedral and adjoining castle. It is also the place where the first European porcelain was invented! The china factory is still producing today and you can visit it and get to know more about it.

<http://www.meissen-tourist.de/>

## Get in

You can get to Meissen by car or by train. The nearest international airport is in Dresden.

## See

- The porcelain factory and museum, Talstrasse 9, +49 3521 468-0, A museum dedicated to the porcelain that has made the town famous.  
[http://english.meissen.com/engl/rds\\_index.html](http://english.meissen.com/engl/rds_index.html)
- Albrechtsburg. A castle in Meissen.
- Besides this, it is also worth to take a look at the town itself and its old beautiful houses.

For more info see: [www.wikipedia.org](http://www.wikipedia.org)

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