

### What to see in Prague?

**Prague is crossed by the Vltava. Prague is one of UNESCO World Heritage  
Prague has also been much damaged during the war by the Warsaw Pact and the  
Prague Spring.**

**Prague is 496km<sup>2</sup> and there are 1,251,726 inhabitants.**

**Prague is a big town where the decoration is very gothic, Romans and baroque.**

**Prague is composed of 3 main quarters: the Josefov (the Jewish quarter), the old town  
and the new town.**

#### **The Charles Bridge:**

It's the most famous monument in Prague; it's a gothic bridge with Baroque Statues.

It was built the 1357 and ended in 1402.

It is 10 feet wide and 525 meters long.

It was built with rocks.

We can see a gothic tower at the end of the bridge; it's the "Lesser Town Bridge Tower" and  
the "Old town bridge tower"

The bridge was built by Peter Parler.



#### **Old Jewish Cemetery:**

The Old Jewish Cemetery was created in 1478. There are 12,000 graves.

The Nazis wanted to keep the cemetery to show the strength of the Aryans.

This is why it is still intact.



**Old town Hall:**

We can see an astronomical clock, and the Tyn church with his 2 imposing towers.  
Jan Hus was a theologian; the monument in the center of the square is dedicated to its 500th anniversary in 1915.



**Na prikope:**

Na prikope is one of the richest avenue in Europe.  
This avenue separates the Old Town and the New Town.  
We can also see the "Powder Tower" completely rebuilt in 1876



It is a street in the center of [Prague](#), [Czech Republic](#) connecting [Wenceslas Square](#) with the Square of the Republic.

It separates the [Old Town](#) from the [New Town](#), founded in 14th century. It is a place of representative buildings including the headquarters of the [Czech National Bank](#), old palaces and luxurious shops.

### **Rudolfinum:**

Rudolfinum is an imposing house of Artists.

The parliament of the Republic was there from 1918 to 1939

Now it's the where the Philharmonic orchestra plays.



Here, the map



Main Prague shopping area

- [Wenceslas Square](#)
- Na Prikope Street
- Myslbek Shopping Gallery: Na Prikope 19
- Slovansky Dum Shopping Centre: Na Prikope 22
- Palladium Shopping Centre: Republic Square
- [Old Town Square](#)
- Parizska