

MUNICIPAL MUSEUM



Weimar's History

Weimar Municipal Museum in Bertuch House shows the history of Weimar in the time from 1919. The rooms on the ground floor are occasionally open for the various exhibitions and public lectures organised by the museum's Association of Friends and Patrons. The impressive building, constructed between 1780 and 1803 was built by Friedrich Justin Bertuch - a citizen of Weimar. Bertuch also initiated an "Industrie Comptoir" which was intended as a trading house to give local manufacturers, artists and handworkers a place to show their wares. Bertuch's publishing house became one of the largest in Germany.

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Information

OPENING HOURS

Tue- Sun 10am - 5pm

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EXHIBITION

"Democracy of Weimar. The National Assembly 1919":
exhibition on occasion of the National Assembly and founding of the Weimar Republic in 1919.

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