



# Moszna Castle Accessibility card

#### **Basic information**

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## **Description**

Moszna Castle is the largest castle in the Opole Voivodeship. The castle is attractive for tourists thanks to its architecture and extensive park with centuries-old oaks and lime trees. The castle has 365 rooms and 99 towers. It was built in the mid-18th century. It is partly open to tours. Music concerts and art exhibition take place in the gallery. Since 2013, the castle has a hotel, a restaurant and a café. The property has conference rooms and lounges for family events. There is a state stud farm in the park. Guided tours of the castle are multimedia and takes place without guide.

## **Accessibility**

#### **Entrance**

- There is a threshold of 10 cm at the entrance, which can be overcome with a ramp (width 130 cm, length 70 cm, height 10 cm, without handrails).
- The entrance door is min. 80 cm wide, opening inwards, threshold lower than 2 cm.
- The area in front of the entrance is made of granite cubes.





The entrance, the ramp

## Interior premises – part of the castle available to visitors

- Behind the entrance door, there is one more double-sided door without a threshold to enter the main hall with the reception. On the ground floor of the castle there is a conference room, a café, a restaurant, toilets and entrance to the courtyard.
- There is a lift in the castle. The entrance to the lift is min. 90 cm wide. The lift cabin has a width of 145 cm and a depth of 100 cm. The lift connects the basement with the third floor. A wheelchair user gets to all parts of the castle during a tour except the chapel and gold suite.
- All castle corridors are min. 110 cm wide.

- ❖ All doors and passages are min. 80 cm wide.
- ❖ The surface of the lock paths is rigid and non-slippery. Material: parquet and carpets.
- There are various types of stairs in the castle: straight, spiral, wooden, stone.
- ❖ There is sufficient manipulating area to move people in the wheelchair. Visiting rules of the castle do not allow entry with prams to the tour.
- There are relaxing areas for sitting in the castle.
- ❖ You cannot touch the exhibits. Touch models of exhibits are not available.







Communication paths





The exhibition halls

## Exterior premises – park

- The castle is surrounded by a park.
- ❖ The park is basically wheelchair accessible, without stairs / thresholds higher than 5 cm and other obstacles.
- The surface of the pathways in the park is solid and straight (no defects), min. 150 cm wide.
- The paths are flat or slightly undulating level (with a slope of up to 6%) and do not complicate the movement of people in wheelchairs or prams.
- Information and orientation boards in Polish are easy to read and understand on pathways in the park. They will also be available in Czech, English, and German once the revitalization is complete.

There are resting places for sitting (benches) in the park.





#### **Accessible toilet**

- A wheelchair accessible toilet is located next to the restaurant and does not require a special key.
- The cabin entrance door is min. 80 cm wide and it opens outwards (from the cab).
- Cabin dimensions are min. 160x160 cm.
- Next to the toilet, there is free space for the wheelchair (width min. 90 cm), which does not interfere with any equipment (waste bin, washbasin, baby changing unit, etc.).
- There are handrails on both sides of the toilet.
- ❖ A baby changing unit is available.



## **Services and equipment**

- An individual visit to the castle is possible without prior agreement. Reservations in advance are required for foreign and organized groups.
- Visiting the castle without a guide. On the route there are written tables in Polish, German and English. In addition, a recording of the lecturer's voice about the place to be visited (in Polish language) is played in each room. Those with a smartphone can download the Smart Guide app, which enables listening to recordings in multiple languages.
- Guide and registered support dogs are permitted entry.
- Wheelchair accessible entry available: a reception / a ticket office, a cloakroom, a souvenir shop, conference halls, gastronomic facilities (a café, a restaurant).
- ❖ Virtual tour: https://www.opolskie.pl/wirtualne/zm\_start.html.
- Wheelchair rental available.
- Playground, children's corner available

- Special programs and information material for children.
- Parking with reserved parking spaces.
- Induction loops are not installed in the building.
- ❖ A printed version of the guide in Polish is not available.
- ❖ For individual foreign visitors there is not available an audio-visual guide or printed version of the guide.

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