

Aachen Christmas Market 2010

On a cold Friday evening 26th November, Ms Holley, Dr Pugh and Mr and Mrs Harrison took 43 students to Aachen in Germany. It was a great trip!

We arrived at at 9.45 to set off at 10pm traveling on a deluxe coach. The journey was amazing! Chatting! Eating! Watching a movie! Not much sleep!! We arrived at the Euro Tunnel at 4.15am and then into France at 6am. We stopped at service station in Belgium to have our breakfast and finally arrived in Aachen Germany at 12pm..

We walked up through the town and went around the markets, buying presents, eating German sausages and exploring the beautiful town. Then we had a history/walking tour directed by Mr Harrison and learned that Aachen is a Spa town (like Buxton) and then we went around the Cathedral- it was incredible. After that we had half an hour to do some more shopping then we went bowling at Interbowling.

At 5pm we went for our tea at La Finestra Restaurant and ate pizza, pasta and ice cream .Full and warm we went back into the markets and explored some more; but in the dark.. They looked stunning with all the lights. After that back to the coach for the long tiring journey home.

We arrived back in Macclesfield to find it covered in snow yet we'd seen none in Germany!

A fantastic experience , which really sounds as if all we did was eat!!

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