

Guided tour: Imprisoned in the middle of East Berlin

Between 1951 and 1990, a remand centre (UHA) was located in Keibelstraße in Berlin-Mitte. It was attached to the neighbouring Volkspolizei (People's Police) headquarters and was the only East Berlin pre-trial detention centre where women were also imprisoned. Since 1990, film and music producers have used the former prison as a backdrop. The cells on the sixth floor served as police and deportation detention from 1992 to 1996. The learning site was opened in February 2019.

A maximum of 25 people are allowed on the two-hour tours (guided tour 80 minutes plus time to explore the place themselves). General hygiene and distance rules apply. Wearing a medical mouth-nose mask is compulsory. There are sufficient disinfection containers in the rooms of the Senate Administration. We make every effort to provide disinfection in the detention hall. If you have symptoms or suspect a Covid-19 infection, we ask that you stay home.

We ask for an informal registration with the following information: Size of the group and the country the group is from at least 10 days before the tour at anmeldung@keibelstrasse.de. Tours are for groups with adults, for school classes we offer a 1.5-hour seminar.

Registrations under:

anmeldung@keibelstrasse.de or 030 - 28 09 80 11

Venue:

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Prices: free of charge

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