5 reasons Germany should top your 'moving abroad list'

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Thinking of living overseas? Worried about the cost of international removals?

Well, in 2020, migration has never been easier. And if moving abroad is something you are seriously considering, then we think one of the best places to choose is Germany.

So here are 5 reasons why you will love your new life in Deutschland.

1. Opportunities for international travel

Situated in the heart of Europe's mainland, Germany borders nine other countries, including Italy, Greece, Denmark and Switzerland. Basically, moving to Germany makes an afternoon shopping in Milan, a day sailing around your favourite Greek islands, or a long weekend in Copenhagen cheaper and more convenient than ever.

2. Job opportunities and workers' rights

Germany's strong economy and very low unemployment levels are hardly a secret, making moving abroad and finding work far easier than in most other Western countries.

But perhaps more of a secret is how well Germany treats its workers. They work fewer hours on average than those in the UK and have more guaranteed days of annual leave. Germany also has one of the world's most advanced healthcare systems, where every citizen is insured against all medical conditions by law, whether they are employed or not.

3. Low cost of living



When compared to the UK, Germany is overall a cheaper place to live. In a 2020 *Cost of Living Survey* by consulting firm Mercer, London was ranked the 19th most expensive place to live across 209 cities worldwide. Germany's most expensive – Munich – was 72nd, while Frankfurt (76), Berlin (82) and Dusseldorf (100) were all cheaper too.

So if you are looking at living overseas in a country where you can save some of your income and still enjoy plenty of opportunities to eat out and have fun, then Germany is the place for you.

4. Language barrier

We all know that one of the most difficult things about international travel is the language barrier. Well, as a native English speaker, Germany will pose you almost no problems at all.

Virtually everyone in Germany speaks English – many to a very competent level. And even learning German is really easy. You can find language classes across the country and many of them are free!

5. The beer's rather good too!



Germans are rightly proud of their beer, with more than 4000 different brands to choose from in pubs and bars across the country. Let's not forget that Germany is also home to #Oktoberfest, the world's largest beer festival.

And beer is really cheap in Germany too, with the average price of a pint costing just 2.67EUR (about £2.40). Incredible when you consider its high quality and premium taste!

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