

# ARTHUR BOSKAMP-STIFTUNG M.1 HOHENLOCKSTEDT

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## Residency Program *Parents in Arts* FAQ – Frequently Asked Questions



### Accommodation and travelling

#### **Where is the M.1 located?**

The Arthur Boskamp-Stiftung's M.1 is located in Hohenlockstedt, a small municipality in Schleswig-Holstein with around 6000 inhabitants. Located in the district of Steinburg and in the 'Holsteiner Auenland' region between Itzehoe and Kellinghusen on the edge of the Aukrug Nature Park, the town has a well-functioning infrastructure with businesses, craft enterprises, kindergardens, schools, doctors, restaurants, shopping facilities and a beautiful small lake, the Lohmühle.

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## How do you get there?

By car, the journey from Hamburg takes about an hour (via the A23 motorway). By public transport (HVV area) you can reach the M.1 in about 1:15 h with the RE70 in the direction of Kiel (once an hour), change in Wrist to bus 6180, and get off at Helgolandstraße, Hohenlockstedt. The bus stop is directly in front of the building. Alternatively, there are also connections from Hamburg via Itzehoe, also in the HVV area. All shopping facilities are within walking distance. There are two large supermarkets right next to M.1.

## How is the house organised?

The Arthur Boskamp Stiftung is housed in the former barrack M.1 which was part of the military training ground 'Lockstedter Lager' in the early 20th century. A modern extension from the 1970s houses the exhibition hall, which, like the adjoining exhibition spaces of the historic building, is used for the artistic programme. There is also a café on the ground floor, which is open during the exhibition opening hours. This is also where events of the M.1 local programme take place, such as the monthly repair café or the film club. Adjacent on the ground floor is a workshop room, where weekly comic courses for children and young people take place. There is also a small library and a room for children to play, run around and cuddle. Adjacent to the foundation's offices on the first floor, there is a communal kitchen, which can also be used by the residents.

## Who is in the house?

The institution's office is staffed 3 days a week in the mornings. During the week, a caretaker is usually on site in the mornings.

## What is available for individual guests?

There are two separate guest apartments on the 2nd floor for the residents, with two and three bedrooms, each has a living room and their own bathroom and kitchen. In addition to the guest apartments, the library on the ground floor, and an approx. 120 square metre room on the top floor can also be used as workspaces. All guests are welcome in the large garden of M.1, which is also a great place for children to play and run around.

## How are the rooms furnished?

### Flat 1 (60 sqm)

The flat has an open-plan kitchen to the living/dining room, which is connected to an open-plan bedroom with two separate beds. Adjacent is another bedroom with a double bed. The flat has a bathroom with bath and shower.

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## Flat 2 (80 sqm)

This flat consists of a living room, a small kitchen, a bathroom with shower tray and three separate bedrooms. One of them can be used by one person, the other two are furnished for two people.



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## **How are the kitchens equipped?**

The kitchens are equipped with a fridge, hob, oven, dishwasher, coffee machine and microwave. Basic equipment with vinegar, oil, salt and sugar is available, herbs can be freshly harvested from the garden.

## **What does the garden offer?**

The garden is approx. 1,000 square metres in size, overgrown with fruit trees, flowers, herbs and, depending on the season, vegetables in the raised beds. It has a fire pit, garden furniture and a sandpit. A table tennis rack can be set up in the garden and used indoors in bad weather.

## **Are there any vehicles?**

Two bicycles for adults and a children's bicycle (from approx. 10 years) are available. If required and by prior arrangement, a van with 9 seats and a car are available for excursions. Child seats in different sizes are available.

## **Do I need to bring towels/bed linen?**

Bed linen and towels are available.

## **Is it possible to do laundry?**

There is a washing machine in the house that can be used by guests.

## **Are there baby cots and high chairs?**

There is a baby cot and two high chairs.

## **Who does the house cleaning?**

During the stay, the residents themselves are responsible for tidiness and cleanliness. If necessary, cleaning can be done once in between. On the day of departure, the rooms will be left tidy (rubbish emptied, crockery cleaned, put away as found). A basic supply of cleaning materials, toilet and kitchen paper is available.

## **Where and how is the rubbish emptied?**

We attach great importance to sustainable waste disposal. Appropriate waste separation is labelled on site.

## **Infrastructure and work opportunities**

### **Where is the nearest supermarket/bakery/café etc.?**

All important shopping facilities are within walking distance within the village. There are two large supermarkets right next to M.1 (open 7 am - 10 pm). There are three bakeries in the village, which are also open on Sundays. The village has a pharmacy, a library, a cheese shop, several restaurants, hairdressers and other shops.

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## **What about healthcare?**

Doctors' surgeries and a pharmacy are within walking distance of the village. The nearest hospital with emergency rooms is in Itzehoe, 12 km away.

## **Is there an internet connection in the house?**

Yes, there is a WLAN connection throughout the house.

## **What workshop facilities do I have as a visual artist?**

The workshop and the studio can be used for large-format work or handicraft work. Special requirements should be discussed individually in advance.

## Childcare and leisure activities

### **Who looks after the children?**

Childcare is provided by an experienced and qualified person.

### **From when to when are the children looked after?**

Childcare is provided from Monday to Saturday from 10 am to 6 pm.

### **Who takes care of the children's meals?**

The childcare provides lunch and an afternoon snack.

### **How is the childcare organised?**

The organisation of the day's activities is tailored to the age of the children. There is plenty of space to play in the house and in the garden, and excursions into the surrounding area are also possible depending on the age of the children.

### **What excursions are available in the surrounding area?**

There are several options in the surrounding area, such as

- the Lohmühle bathing lake in Hohenlockstedt
- the outdoor pool in Kellinghusen (8 km)
- the indoor and outdoor pool in Itzehoe (12 km)
- Spa/sauna at the Hotel Breitenburg (14 km)

An extensive list of museums and cultural sites in the region as well as excursion destinations and local restaurants are available to guests on site.

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## General information

### **What happens in the event of illness at short notice before departure?**

In this case, the Arthur Boskamp-Stiftung will endeavour to find individual solutions with the residents concerned.

### **What happens if a child falls ill on site?**

In this case, it will be discussed with the childcare whether the child can still attend or whether the parent will take care of the child themselves during the illness.

### **Can families/friends come to visit?**

The stay is intended for an intensive work phase. Visits from friends, family members or work colleagues are possible on an individual basis after consultation with the other residents, but must not interfere with their stay. It is necessary to inform the foundation's team about the scholarship holders' guests.