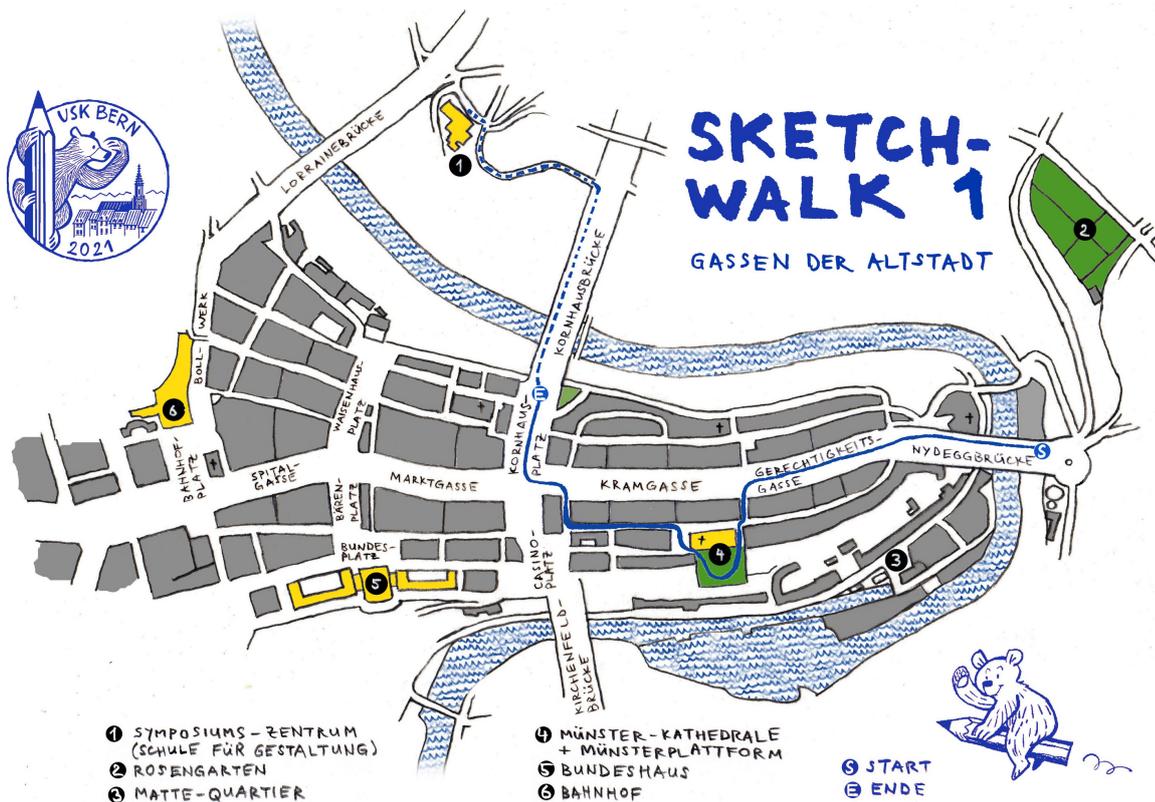


# SKETCHWALK 1: Streets of the Old Town



- Take the no. 12 bus from the railway station to the **Bärenpark** stop, the starting point of our sketchwalk.
- Additional option: you might want to make a detour to the Bear Park on the opposite side of the street.
- Walk back across Nydeggbrücke (Nydegg Bridge). The view from the bridge offers a variety of subjects for sketching.
- In Gerechtigkeitsgasse you will find subjects such as picturesque houses, facades, arcades, and the Justice Fountain (Gerechtigkeitsbrunnen) with a figure of Lady Justice on top.
- Where Gerechtigkeitsgasse becomes Kramgasse, turn left into Kreuzgasse. Pass the back of Minster Cathedral to reach the Minster Terrace.
- You will find a large number of subjects worth sketching on Minster Terrace, among them views of the Aare, of Bern's "local mountain" the Gurten, and in fine weather of the Alps, as well as lots of visitors engaged in different activities.
- Alternative: instead of turning left to the Minster from Gerechtigkeitsgasse, you can turn right into Town Hall Square (Rathausplatz) where you can see the Town Hall, the Banneret Fountain (Vennerbrunnen), and the church of St. Peter and Paul.
- Continue to Minster Square (Münsterplatz) and walk down Münstergasse (market on Saturday mornings) to the Clock Tower (Zytglogge), with numerous subjects along the way.
- From the Clock Tower it is just a few steps to **Kornhausplatz** (Granary Square), where our sketchwalk ends at the Ogre Fountain (Kindlifresser-Brunnen).
- From Kornhausplatz a 15 minute walk will take you to the symposium hub, the Schule für Gestaltung Bern-Biel (SfG): cross Kornhausbrücke and take the first left (Schänzlihalde). At the end of this street you will find the SfG.
- As an alternative, take a tram or bus from Casinoplatz to the railway station, and from there the no. 20 bus to Gewerbeschule, which is right next to SfG.