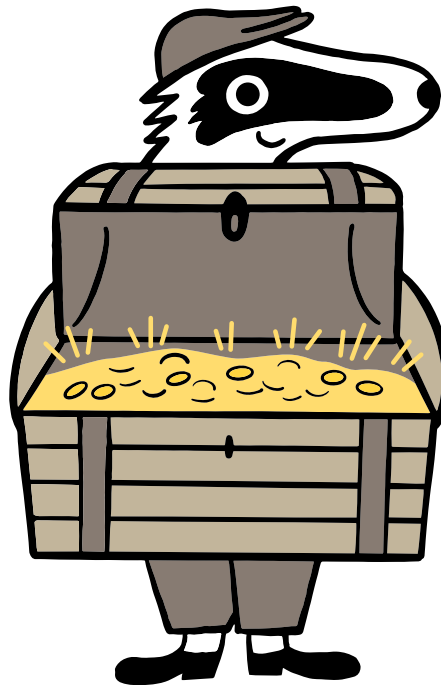


Detective-Trail

Zug

Daily open



The Detective-Trail is only available with the proof of purchase or the order confirmation which you have received by e-mail. Random checks will take place at the destination.

**Hello!
Welcome to the
Detective-Trail.**

My name is Detective Badger.
I'm looking forward to taking you on a
treasure hunt. Help me solve the
riddles and discover interesting and
surprising things.
On the next page I will explain to you
briefly how the Detective-Trail
works.

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General information

Opening hours: Open daily – time freely selectable

Access treasure chest: Monday to Friday 6.30 – 19.00,
Saturday 7.00 – 17.00, Sunday 8.00 – 12.00.
Closed on 25 December and 1 January.
Sunday opening hours apply on the other public holidays.

No responsibility is taken for the correctness of this information. If the treasure chest is not accessible, the gift will be sent to you. You will find the information regarding the forwarding on the page with the solution code.

Distance: ca. 4.5 km

Duration: ca. 3h 30 (without breaks)

Start: Zug railway station, travel centre

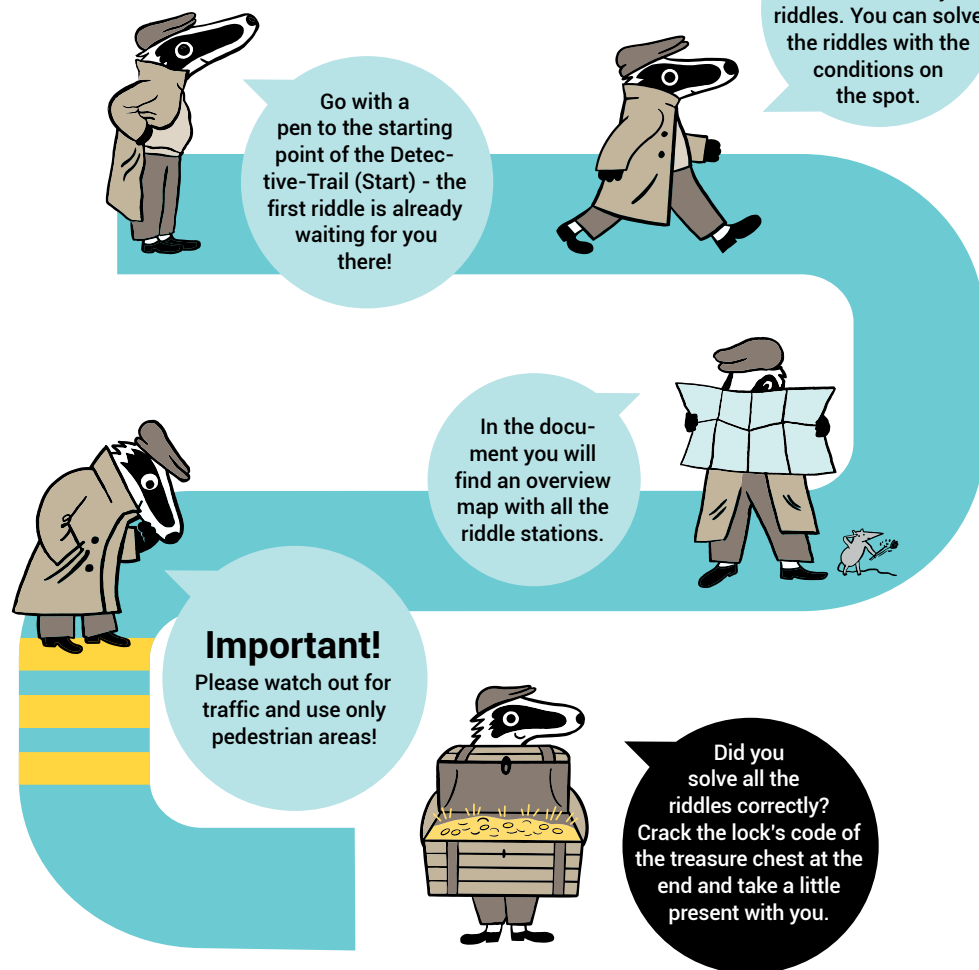
End: Confiserie Speck, 12 Alpenstrasse, 6300 Zug

Other information: Bring your swimsuit and a picnic if desired.
The trail is not suitable for prams. Difficulty level: easy - medium

Difficulty: medium

Year created: 2017

How it works



Scan the QR code and get the solutions to the riddles.

Should you face any difficulties during the trail, contact us at +41 (0)31 533 47 21.

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Start



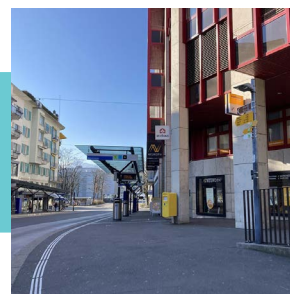
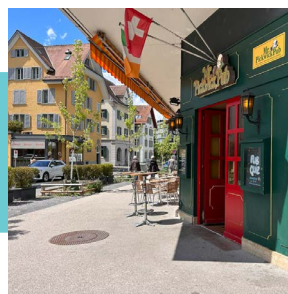
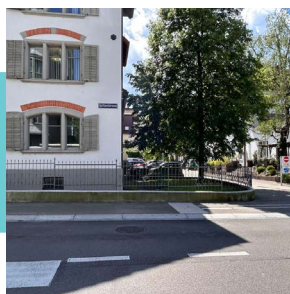
Follow the route descriptions. Every place where you see the word "RIDDLE" you will find a riddle waiting for you. You will find the first riddle right at the starting point.

The Riddle questions can be found further behind under riddle questions and answers

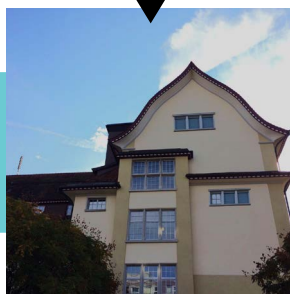
RIDDLE
1



Exit the station at the glass front and you will be at the bus turning area. Then walk along the bus stops and turn right at the English pub. Cross the street before the railway bridge and follow the Pilatusstrasse. Walk past the music school on the right and stop at the playground.



RIDDLE
2



Follow the photos and stop at the large tree next to the pebble area on the lakeshore.



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6 – This fountain is called "Kolin Fountain", named after Wolfgang Kolin. He built the neighbouring "Ochsen" hotel in the 16th century. The square seems to tell many stories. Look around. Which story DOESN'T FIT here?

- 1 = A shepherd plays a lullaby his lambs
- 2 = An old woman makes soup for her family
- 3 = Men eat together

Your answer _____

7 – The Zytturm (clock tower) is beautifully decorated with its blue and white striped roof. On the one hand, you can read the time (=Zyt) from it. On the other hand, it also shows the month, the position of the moon, the day of the week and the leap year!

It is possible to climb this landmark free of charge and enjoy a wonderful view. Just ask for the key in the Wunderbox shop (on the left in the archway of the Zytturm).

Look at the zodiac clock of the Zytturm. Instead of the zodiac signs, imagine normal numbers on a clock. Cancer would be 1, Gemini 12. Add up the time of the star signs Leo, Scorpio and Taurus and write down the solution number.



Your answer _____

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8 – You are now standing at the «Liebfrauenkapelle» (Chapel of St. Mary). Cherries play an important role in Zug. The start of the cherry season is marked by the ringing of the "Chriesigloggä" or "cherry bells". This is because in former times, cherry trees were still public property and the bells signalled that the cherries could now be harvested.



Following an old tradition, teams with 8.1 meter-long cherry ladders still run through the old town of Zug to the famous "Chriesisturm" ("cherry tower"). The good-humoured kick-off is rounded off with a cheerful lunch and the traditional "Chriesimärt" (cherry market).

Now stand exactly at the point where the picture below was taken. There you are standing on a small number, namely EN1_4D400. Which number is missing in the gap _ ?

Your answer _____

9 – This is a "Waschhüsli" (washhouse). But what was its purpose in the past? Fire and major conflagrations were one of the greatest dangers in the daily life of the people of Zug. An open stove, candles, or oil lamps could cause a catastrophic blaze in moments of inattention due to an adverse gust of wind. To reduce the risk of a town-wide fire, the population was forbidden to boil laundry in their own homes. Therefore, buildings known as wash-houses were built in many places outside the central areas.

Look at the board by the "Waschhüsli". Which word is between "gegen" and "vergrössert"?

- 1 = Osten (east)
- 2 = Süden (south)
- 3 = Westen (west)

Your answer _____

10 – This is the Pulverturm ("powder tower"). It used to be used to store gunpowder. As lightning strikes and fires could have led to dangerous explosions, the powder was moved to a magazine far away from local residents in 1857. An emergency in which the powder could be used never arose. Decades ago, a historical researcher from Zug commented: "The people of Zug's greatest enemy has always been fire!"

Stand at the exact location where Detective Badger took the photo.



Which of the following statements is true?

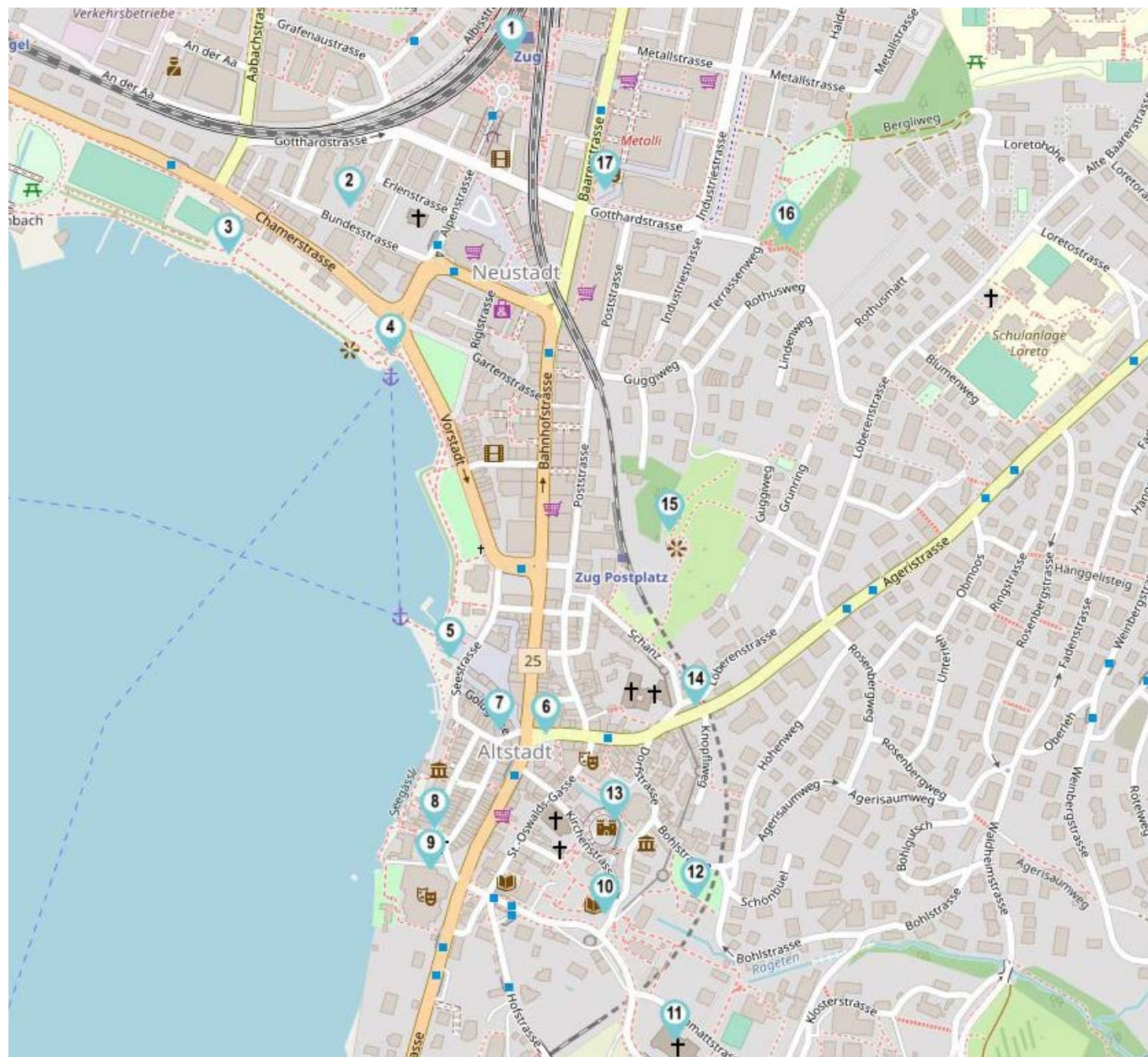
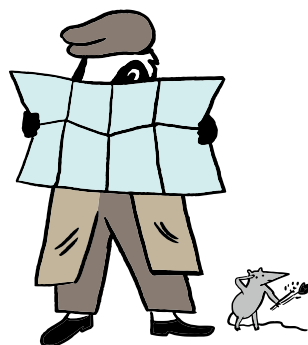
- 1 = To your right is the town hall, and to your left is the Pfarreizentrum.
- 2 = In front of and behind you are towers, and the Zeughaus has house number 6.
- 3 = On the opposite side of the street is the Zeughaus, and the St. Joseph Pfarreizentrum has house numbers 15 and 17.

Your answer _____



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