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## KRAHULETZ-MUSEUM

Eggenburg

**INTRODUCTION** The Krahuletz-Museum, about 70 km northwest of Vienna, was founded 1902 and is privately operated by the Krahuletz Society. The name of the Museum derives from Johann Krahuletz, a collector of regional paleontological, archaeological and ethnological objects. The public exhibitions are arranged in 3 floors besides a separate floor for special exhibitions and a room for workshops. The total exhibition area covers 1000m<sup>2</sup>. Besides the main building a separate building exists for scientific collections and a large regional library.



**Krahuletz-Museum**  
**A-3730 Eggenburg, Lower Austria**



Animals of the Neogene



Birth of Mankind



Workshop for children

### EXCIBITIONS

Ground floor: introduction to the geological development of Planet Earth and the region; Mineralogy of the Region, the regional minerals for industry and jewellery; the creation of rocks and the rocks of the region and their origin; rocks forming the landscape, and rocks forming the soil; Upper Carboniferous woods,; the Neogene seas and their animals, the ice ages.

1. floor: regional ethnological exhibition (furniture, ceramics, glass, copper and tin); clocks, weapons, uniforms and historical art exhibitions.

2. floor: birth of mankind in Africa; Archaeology - 35.000 years culture and living in the region

3. floor: special exhibitions and workshop room

### ACTIVITIES

Educational programs: Guided tours in the museum, to regional geology and palaeontology in the field and the historic surrounding, Excursion and field seminars. Special exhibitions in all fields of earth sciences and archaeology, ethnology and art.

### PROJECTS

Renewal of ethnological and archaeological permanent exhibitions.

Scientific projects in mineralogy, palaeontology and archaeology

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