Welcome to Amsterdam
Enjoy your stay!
The city of Amsterdam, famous as a tolerant city with an international reputation for freedom to be who you are and say what you think, welcomes all visitors with open arms. But this freedom depends on a crucial precondition: mutual respect. Since you are staying in a holiday rental home, you are part of the local community. Be aware of the local regulations and do not cause a nuisance. Enjoy our city, respect the rules.

Where to go?
We want you to enjoy the city to the fullest. in Amsterdam there is never a shortage of things to do. Take in an exhibition at a famous museum, go for a walk on the canals or relax in one of the parks. Here are some must sees you might not have thought of yet.

The NDSM area
Hop on a free ferry to a place where artists and musicians find inspiration and visitors find a place to have fun. Transformed from industrial shipyard into cultural hotspot, the NDSM neighbourhood in Amsterdam Noord has become a haven for creatives and a vibrant social space.

Amsterdam Beach
Just a short distance away from the canals and cobbles of Amsterdam city centre lies one of the most unspilt coastlines in Northern Europe.
Old Holland destinations
With its countless windmills, churches and old-fashioned farmhouses, stepping out into Old Holland can feel like being in a Golden Age painting.

Amsterdam Castles and Gardens
Castles and majestic country estates are dotted through the countryside in the Amsterdam Area – some are even within cycling distance of Amsterdam.
**Local regulations**

When you stay in a holiday rental home, you are much more integrated into the local community and some local rules apply for you.

An important local regulation is that of household waste. Since different rules for dumping household waste apply for the different districts in Amsterdam, please ask your host about the local standards.

Please be aware that violating the local rules will result in a fine. Not dumping your rubbish in the correct garbage ban can cost you €140. Other fines regarding nuisance are:

- Public urinating: €140
- Public drinking: €95
- Too much noise in the street: €140

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