## Historic Handcraft in charterhouse Mauerbach (nearby Vienna)



- founded in 1314 as Carthusian monastery
- medieval monastery, manly new built in the 17<sup>th</sup> century
- 1782 abolition by Joseph II as many other monasteries in Austria too
- then home for the aged and hostel for homeless
- since 1961 owned by the state
- since 1984 used by the Federal Monuments Authority Austria
- education center for historic handcrafts

**=** Bundesdenkmalamt



