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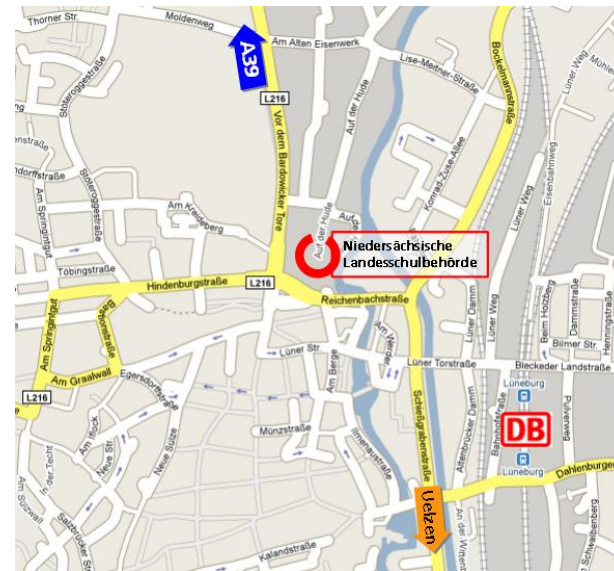
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How to find us



... by car

- A7 (from Hannover):

Take the A7 direction of Hamburg. Leave the motorway at exit Soltau-Ost. At the junction turn right onto the B 71. After about 2.5 km turn onto the B 209. Drive through Amelinghausen and Drögnennindorf onto the B 4 dual carriageway. Leave the dual carriageway at exit Lüneburg Nord (Bardowick, Ochtmissen). At the junction turn left into Hamburger Straße. After about 2 km turn left at the traffic lights.

- A1 (from Bremen / Hamburg):

Take the A 1 to Maschener Kreuz. Follow the A 250 and continue to the exit Lüneburg Nord. At the junction turn right into Hamburger Straße. After about 2 km turn left at the traffic lights.

Parking facilities can be found in front of the building.

... by public transport:

Lüneburg is on the main Hamburg – Hannover rail connection. The Education Authority is about 10 minutes walking distance from the railway station. When you leave the station keep to the right (Bahnhofstraße). At the end of Bahnhofstraße turn left into Lünertorstraße. At the end of Lünertorstraße, go straight on at the traffic lights. Keep to the right into Reichenbachstraße and then go straight on at these traffic lights. After about 250 m you will see the Education Authority building on the right-hand side.

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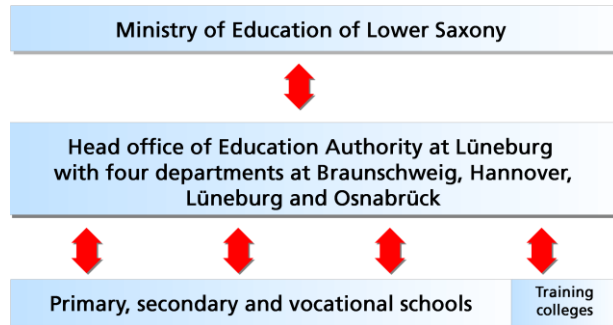
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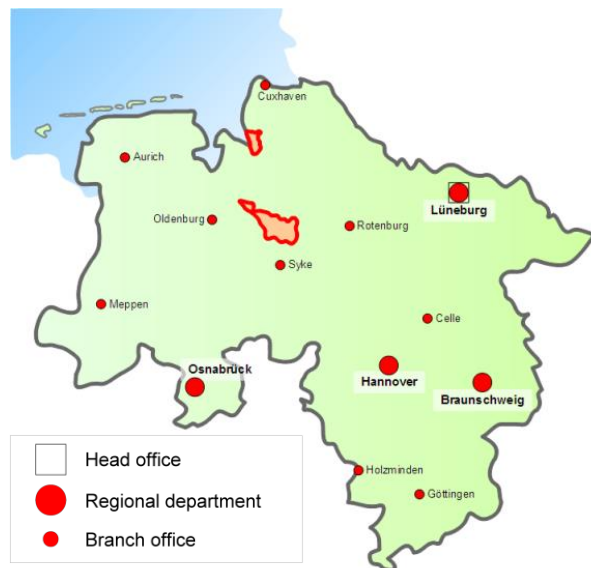
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Education Authority of Lower Saxony

The Education Authority of Lower Saxony is the subordinated department of the Ministry of Education of Lower Saxony. It supervises all of Lower Saxony's schools, advises and supports them and provides them with staff. In addition, necessary funds are allocated within the budget and additional benefits are granted.



Its head office is located in Lüneburg. There are four regional departments in Braunschweig, Hannover, Lüneburg and Osnabrück plus nine branch offices shown in the map below.



Supervision as duty and challenge

The Education Authority of Lower Saxony is responsible for the supervision of primary, secondary and vocational schools plus the supervision of teacher training colleges.

Supervision implies

- advice and support
- controlling und structuring
- if necessary: intervention

Further responsibilities are:

- school organization, legislation and budget
- allocation of staff and administration of personnel records
- funding of Pre-Schools

Main Idea

The Education Authority aims at securing

- equal opportunities in education
- equal learning opportunities in every region of the federal state
- the quality of the educational achievements.

School Statistics in Lower Saxony

- about 3,000 primary and secondary schools
- about 270 vocational schools
- 50 teacher training colleges
- about 87,000 teaching staff
- about 890,000 pupils in primary and secondary schools
- about 280,000 students in vocational schools

Website

On its website the Education Authority of Lower Saxony provides general information on all kind of school issues for every interested person.



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- information system for schools, teachers, pupils and parents
- information on support and training
- support for head teachers
- range of services for schools (legal support, organisational issues, access to forms and printouts for teachers and schools (password protected))

Personnel in the Education Authority of Lower Saxony

- 750 staff members in total
- departments for school legislation, organisation and budget issues
- administrative staff for internal organisation
- subject advisors and educational psychologists
- advisory and support teachers in part and full-time posts