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Goods and movable property can only be accepted, without exception, against presentation of an official identity card.

Goods intended for the inmates will be accepted by the remand prison only if they will not endanger the peace, order and security of the prison. In principle, only underwear, clothes, shoes, safety razors, books, wrist watches, jewellery, reading spectacles and cash are accepted.

Goods that are too large or prohibited may be rejected or returned at the expense of the sender. However, if the goods are expensive or quickly perishable, the sender may be asked to collect the goods within a reasonable period of time of not more than 14 days. After the expiry of the period or if the sender cannot be found, the goods may be either utilised, destroyed or stored with other movable property.

Special regulations apply to the acceptance of goods on the three working days before and after Easter, Christmas and birthdays.

The inmates will be informed of any receipt of goods which are not handed over to them.

The prison management decides on exceptions.

Goods accepted on birthdays, at Christmas and Easter (gifts)

Gifts for inmates are accepted only three working days before and after birthdays, Easter and Christmas. A maximum of 7 kg of goods can be dropped off per inmate. Larger quantities will be rejected.

Gifts can only be dropped off in combination with a reference to the inmate. They must be handed over to prison staff for inspection and forwarding.

All gifts must be in unopened original packaging.

No.	Permitted goods	Comments
1.	Clothes, Shoes	A number of pieces of clothes and shoes allowed in the cells is limited (space and order).
2.	Money	Handover at the gate against receipt.
3.	Books	Pornographic, sexist or violence-glorifying media are not permitted. Magazines will not be accepted.
4.	Valuables: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Neck/arm chains ▪ Watches ▪ Finger rings ▪ Earrings ▪ Glasses 	Valuables that endanger safety are not permitted. In the case of valuable items, the prison management decides on permission or rejection.
5.	Electric shavers	Beard & hair cutting devices as well as any battery-powered devices are not permitted.
6.	Medicines / Medicines	Accepted only by order of the prison medical officer
7.	Toiletries: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Shampoo / conditioner ▪ Shower products ▪ Toothpaste ▪ Toothbrush ▪ Mouthwash ▪ Body cream ▪ Facial / hand cream ▪ Deodorant ▪ Hair gel (tube) ▪ Hair rubber bands ▪ Comb 	Alcoholic body care products and toiletries are not permitted Only in unopened original packaging Any types of pressure vessels, cans and glasses will not be accepted
8.	Food: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Chocolate ▪ Biscuits, cake, bars ▪ Candy ▪ Nut mixtures with raisins ▪ Dried fruit ▪ Chips ▪ Olives pitted ▪ Dried meat cut ▪ Mostbröckli dry-cured meat cut ▪ Bündnerfleisch air-dried meat cut ▪ Salami sticks ▪ Landjäger air-dried sausages ▪ Salsiz air-dried smoked sausage ▪ Tuna in bags ▪ Water-soluble instant soups ▪ Beverages (PET bottles up to 0.5l) 	Only in unopened original packaging. No alcoholic or home-baked or home-made goods (pastries must be shrink-wrapped) No jars, glass bottles, tin cans or aluminium cans, tubular containers or aluminium tubs Asian instant soups are not permitted

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