



FRENCH LANGUAGE OPEN TOUR BORDEAUX ♦ APRIL 2012

ABBEY's Bordeaux French language and culture tour is specifically designed for high school students with a focus on gaining fluency and speaking confidence as well as an appreciation of the culture. The tour is based in Bordeaux in the beautiful Aquitaine region where students will be hosted by local families on a twin share basis. It includes two weeks of fun-filled French lessons in the mornings, accommodation, most meals and a rich program of afternoon and weekend cultural and sightseeing activities including city tours, visits to museums and wine castles and a day trip to the famous village of Saint Emilion.



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FRENCH TOUR BORDEAUX French Culture & Art de Vivre

A RICH PROGRAM DESIGNED TO IMPROVE YOUR FLUENCY

Senior students in years 10, 11 and 12 (all French levels) are eligible to join the tour.

An 18-day study tour fully escorted study tour to Paris and Bordeaux.

Two weeks of French classes each morning at a French language school in the heart of Bordeaux.

Your opportunity to stay with a French family and experience provincial French 'Art de Vivre' first hand.

Visit places of cultural and historic interest in the Bordeaux region in the afternoons and weekend including St Emilion World Heritage village and Wine Château du Taillan.

Enjoy local cheeses and regional specialities. Meet students your age in a local lycée and interact with them.

Cultural and sightseeing visits are with a French language teacher and/or a professional guide.

Paris sightseeing including the famous Eiffel Tower, Notre Dame Cathedral, the Latin Quarter, Montmartre and a cruise on the Seine.

Enjoy a unique learning experience with our established partner school in Bordeaux; a nationally accredited & internationally-recognized language teaching institution.



Tour Info Pack

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SAMPLE ITINERARY 1.

Weekday mornings in Bordeaux are with French language lessons

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| 1-Fri 6 April | Depart Sydney |
| 2-Sat 7 April | Arrive Paris. Transfer to Paris Residence. Head to the Eiffel Tower for a cruise on the Seine River! Dinner at residence and early night. |
| 3-Su 8 April | Mass at Notre Dame Cathedral & enjoy a walk on the Seine River bank to the Quartier Latin. Afternoon train transfer to Bordeaux. Settle in host families |
| 4-Mo 9 April | Bordeaux Orientation: walking tour in the beautiful city centre |
| 5-Tu 10 April | Lycée exchange: meet local students your age |
| 6-Wed 11 April | Visit to the Wine Chateau du Taillan |
| 7-Thu 12 April | Board game or film afternoon at the school |
| 8-Fri 13 April | Visit to the Musée des Arts Décoratifs |
| 9-Sat 14 April | Day trip: Visit Unesco World Heritage Medieval village of Saint Emilion and its impressive underground cathedral |
| 10-Sun 15 April | Day in the host family |
| 11-Mo 16 April | Cooking Class: Make & Taste! |
| 12-Tu 17 April | Game afternoon: Treasure Hunt in the streets of Bordeaux |
| 13-Wed 18 April | Visit to Tour Pey Berland, then shopping |
| 14-Thu 19 April | Movie afternoon then School Party |
| 15-Fri 20 April | Afternoon train to Paris & settle down at Paris Residence |
| 16-Sat 21 April | Top sights of Paris: Champs Elysées, Arc de Triomphe, Eiffel Tower and Montmartre. |
| 17-Sun 22 April | Depart Paris |
| 18-Mon 23 April | Arrive Sydney |

1. Sample program only; subject to change.



* **TOUR INCLUSIONS** The Tour includes return airfares ex-Sydney (including taxes and charges at ticketing), transfers, most meals and homestay accommodation, two weeks of French lessons, sightseeing and excursions, and entrance fees (based on minimum 18 students). The Tour Price excludes pocket money. Changes in the Tour Price as a result of exchange rate fluctuation or increases in flight taxes & charges will be notified and adjusted in the Final Invoice. Refer to the Tour Information Pack for full details. "Aussie Dollar" SPECIAL PRICE is available due to the surge in the Australian Dollar. The SPECIAL PRICE is guaranteed for bookings with enrolment deposits received prior to 31 December 2011.

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