

Visit the “City of Light” and explore the most eclectic collection of artwork, mouthwatering bakers’ delights, and abundantly colorful flower markets.



BIENVENUE À PARIS

DAY 1: DEPART USA

Board your overnight transatlantic flight.

DAY 2: PARIS

Arrive today in Paris. Meet your Program Director upon passing through customs. Enjoy some free time this afternoon in Paris to use your Métro ticket to explore the city. This evening join your Program Director for a walking tour of the Latin Quarter followed by dinner.

DAY 3: PARIS

Discover the world capital of chic and style with a Local Guide and admire its most famous sights: Place de la Concorde, Arc de Triomphe, Champs-Élysées, Les Invalides and more. For a bird's-eye view, take the elevator to the second floor of the EIFFEL TOWER. A short journey from Paris with your local guide to the lavish 17th-century VERSAILLES built by Sun King Louis XIV, with its magnificent State Apartments, Hall of Mirrors, and the Royal Chapel. Time to stroll through parts of the elegant 250-acre gardens before returning to Paris. This evening enjoy dinner at the HARD ROCK CAFÉ.

DAY 4: PARIS. OPTIONAL EXCURSION TO NORMANDY

Enjoy free time in Paris or take our optional excursion to Normandy. This full-day excursion includes a visit to Pointe du Hoc, known for the assault of the heroic Rangers, and the American Cemetery in Colleville, where immaculately kept rows of white crosses and Stars of David commemorate the Americans who died. Also see Omaha Beach, the code name for one of the main landing points of the Allied invasion of German-occupied France in the Normandy landings on June 6 1944. After an included lunch in the village of Crepón, see the ruins of the Arromanches’ artificial harbor built by the allies in 15 days. Also, view the film *The Price of Freedom* in the cinema Arromanches 360. Stop at Juno Beach for a guided visit and explore the remains of the Atlantic Wall before returning to Paris.

DAY 5: PARIS

Let your guide bring to life the most celebrated treasures of the impressive LOUVRE MUSEUM including the famous *Mona Lisa*, the masterpiece of Leonardo Da Vinci. Walk with your Tour Director to the Ile de Cité for a visit to NOTRE DAME CATHEDRAL. This evening, enjoy dinner at a crêperie followed

by a CRUISE on the Seine.

DAY 6: PARIS . OPTIONAL EXCURSION TO GIVERNY

Enjoy free time in Paris or take our optional excursion to Giverny to visit Claude Monet’s house and stunning gardens. Reunite with your Program Director and fellow traveling companions this afternoon and head via Métro to the most artistic and picturesque district in Paris. Located on the high hill famous for the white-domed BASILICA OF THE SACRE COEUR, you’ll have time to stroll around Place du Tertre and watch bohemian street artists at work. Admire a spectacular view over the roofs of the City of Light and love prior to your farewell dinner in Montmartre.

DAY 7: DEPART FOR HOME

Your homebound flight arrives today.

VALUE

6 Days/5 Nights

Priced from
\$1 135 US per double

World-Class MOMENTS

Personalize your itinerary by adding your own set of activities or excursions tailored to your class’ interests. Please contact your Custom Tour Specialist for pricing.

WHAT’S INCLUDED

More Features

Visits to special attractions per itinerary

Meals

5 breakfasts

5 dinners

Hotels

5 nights hotel accommodation in moderate first class or superior tourist class hotels

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Group airport transfer included upon arrival and departure

Standard Amenities & Services

Professional Student Discoveries Program Director throughout
Transportation via air-conditioned motorcoach

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World-Class MOMENTS

Special educational experiences designed to match class curriculum in Social Studies, Math/Science and Language Arts. Please visit www.studentdiscoveries.com for a full listing of World-Class Moments by theme and destination.

Cultural Cuisine Paris Market Discovery. Walk as real Parisians through the medieval part of the Latin Quarter, a familial neighborhood famous for the high quality and large choice of food produce. Students will explore the market with their guide, visiting the cheese dairy, several bakers’ and confectioner’s, and finally in a regional specialty shop. Students will be introduced to the French gourmandize! After the tour it’s time to try out their language skills and new foodie knowledge, and shop for their picnic lunch!

Footsteps of Legends Paris in the 40s. The World War II Walk takes us back to Paris’s darkest hours—the Nazi occupation. We will explore subjects such as the invasion of France, the Resistance, and life in Paris during the occupation, the D-Day invasion and of course the Liberation itself. Also included are visits to specific Paris sites related to this historical time period. A must for any history student, and brought to life through local guides.