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New tours

Launched in September 2017

- 'Tour de France' in Paris: gourmet food and wine tour with wine tasting and lunch
- Exclusive 'Wine in Paris' tour: historic cellar visit and tasting with VIP visit to the Clos Montmartre vineyard. Includes Montmartre walking tour
- Louvre Museum highlights: skip the line tour including French breakfast at a café terrace overlooking the pyramid of the Louvre
- In the footsteps of Napoleon: Guided visit of Château de Malmaison & skip the line visit to the top of the Arc de Triomphe

Full day package savers

- In the footsteps of Napoleon: Invalides including Napoleon's tomb morning tour, with Malmaison & Arc de Triomphe afternoon tour
- Art and Wine in Paris: Louvre Museum and Paris Wine Tour including Tastings and VIP visit to a Vineyard



Upcoming April 2018

- Catacombs of Paris: the empire of Death
- Paris in a Day Package Saver: including Louvre, Eiffel Tower, Seine River cruise, Ile de la Cité with Notre Dame and optional lunch
- Cultural Quest in Paris - Season 1 "the Secret of Sainte Geneviève"
- First tour for the visually impaired in Saint Denis Cathedral





Tour de France in Paris Gourmet Food and Wine tour with wine tasting and lunch



Exclusive 'Wine in Paris' tour Historic cellar visit and tasting with VIP visit to the Clos Montmartre vineyard.





Tour de France in Paris: gourmet food and wine tour with wine tasting and lunch



Join us for a walk through the historical food district of Paris and you'll enjoy a gastronomical tour throughout France. You'll taste many regional and national delicacies, and a flight of French wines will accompany your authentic French lunch. Gourmet food, unsurpassed wines, and a tradition of culinary passion are essential to the national character of France. Strolling through the downtown district that once housed the city's central market, our professional guide will give you a memorable "Tour de France" through the food shops. Each region of the country prides itself on particular traditions, produce and recipes, as well as expert craftsmen. The resulting delicacies are all available in the capital, where we'll enjoy specialty breads, cheeses, charcuterie, pastries and chocolates from all over the nation. Our small group of visitors will be able to choose their favorite provisions, and the tour will culminate in a first-class wine bar. Here we'll be trained in pairing gourmet wines with our diverse foodstuffs and thus enjoy an authentic French lunch.

Highlights

- Visit a typically Parisian quarter famous for its food. Shop and taste with the locals for a truly authentic experience
- Take a 'Tour de France' of the best of French food and wine
- This tour includes not only tastings; we choose & buy food along the way to enjoy during lunch at the end of the tour
- Lunch will be savored in the comfort of a wine bar and accompanied by a flight of three wines from different appellations of France, served by a professional sommelier
- We have partnered with an award-winning wine bar to ensure our guests have a top class wine experience

RRP: 134,90€

Group size: 12

Operating days: Tuesday/Friday





Wine in Paris - wine cellars tour with VIP Montmartre vineyard visit and tastings



France produces some of the world's best wines. With vineyards covering famous territories from Bordeaux to Burgundy, France's image as a wine-producer is unequalled. Our tour combines two distinct wine venues in Paris, with tastings and walks in both locations. The first experience occurs in a 200-year-old wine cellar near the Louvre, used at one time to store the wine reserves of Louis XV, now upgraded into a multi-faceted wine discovery locale. Here you'll explore the grape varieties featured in French wines, talk through the winemaking processes, and get tips on tasting techniques. You'll taste a selection of 3 wines here, led by an expert sommelier. The second component will take place across town in the Montmartre district, within a little-known vineyard that operates within Paris. Here you'll have a VIP tasting of this tiny production, and learn about the personalities that made this neighborhood their home.

Highlights

- Guided visit of an 18th century royal wine cellar, featuring an interactive modern wine experience
- Tasting of three AOC French wines, conducted by an expert sommelier
- Two concise, enjoyable guided walks: the Tuileries Gardens and the Montmartre neighborhood
- Exclusive VIP access to the Clos Montmartre vineyard, with guided tour
- One-way transportation between venues via Métro
- Dedicated, English-speaking guide
- Guaranteed small group size: 15 persons maximum
- Transmitter headsets when appropriate so you don't miss a word

RRP: 129,90€

Group size: 15

Operating days: Monday/Friday





Louvre highlights: skip the line guided tour with French breakfast at the Louvre



The Louvre Museum is a must see for any visitor to Paris. Yet the 9 miles of corridors and over 35,000 artworks can be a challenge for even the most seasoned travelers. Experience this amazing museum in a relaxed and different way. Start your day with a delicious French breakfast on the terrace of a beautiful café overlooking the iconic glass pyramid of the Louvre. Then, relaxed and ready to go, join our 2.5 hour guided tour, and let an expert local guide lead you through the crowds to the most important works in this incredible museum. A relaxing breakfast in the Louvre, skip the line access, and electronic headsets ensure that your morning will be one to remember.

Highlights

- Avoid the opening time rush and crowds in the Louvre
- Enjoy a typical French breakfast on a spectacular café terrace overlooking the courtyard and pyramid of the Louvre
- Enter the Louvre refreshed and relaxed
- A 2.5 hour tour allows you to see all the major highlights, including the Napoleon apartments, but avoids the fatigue of longer tours
- Fully accredited guides offer high quality tours

RRP: 91,90€

Group size: 25

Operating days: Monday/Friday

Tour can also be booked without breakfast (59,90€), as a small group tour of 6 pax (99,90€) and as a private tour.





In the footsteps of Napoleon The Château de Malmaison & the Arc de Triomphe



Join us for a visit to a delightful chateau on the edge of Paris, as we follow in the footsteps of one of the most remarkable men in history, Napoleon Bonaparte, and his beloved wife Josephine. Learn about not only his awe-inspiring military and political career and eventual downfall, but also the more intimate side of his life at the Chateau of Malmaison, set in gorgeous, tranquil gardens. Return to Paris to conclude your day on the top of the magnificent Arc de Triomphe, constructed to proclaim Napoleon's triumphs, Learn about when and why the Arc was built and what the low reliefs and inscriptions on it tell us about the Emperor, before enjoying skip the line access to the top, from where you will enjoy some of the best views across the city.

Highlights

- Join an afternoon excursion to a hidden gem on the edge of the city - the Chateau of Malmaison
- The chateau remains fully furnished; a rarity amongst French chateaux open to the public
- The beautiful gardens and tranquil surroundings make for a relaxing escape from the city, just a short ride away
- Luxury coach transfers allow for a smooth and easy journey
- End the afternoon at the spectacular Arc de Triomphe, including skip the line access tickets to the top of the Arc
- Spend your evening on the elegant Champs Elysées, one of the most famous avenues in the world

RRP: 119,90€

Group size: 25

Operating days: Monday





Spend a day exploring the life and extraordinary career of the most famous man in French history – Napoleon Bonaparte. Visit the spectacular gold domed Invalides, where you will learn about his military campaigns and many victories. It is here that he lies in an enormous sarcophagus. Explore the more intimate side of his life at the beautiful Chateau de Malmaison, which he shared with the love of his life Josephine. End your day admiring the spectacular views of Paris from the top of the Arc de Triomphe, once the biggest arch in the world, built to celebrate his glorious victories.

Highlights

- A full day tour offering 3 very varied but cohesive visits make for a complete and fascinating day
- Visit the spectacular museum of the Invalides in central Paris, including Napoleon's tomb
- Escape the city for a tranquil visit to the beautiful Chateau of Malmaison and its gorgeous gardens
- End the day at the top of the Arc de Triomphe, admiring the sweeping views of the city including the Eiffel Tower
- Spend an evening on the magical Champs Elysées
- Fully guided by an expert, accredited guide
- Luxury coach transfers between sites allow for a relaxing and seamless day

RRP: 144,90€

Group size: 25

Operating days: Monday

The Invalides tour is also sold separately as a morning tour (slide 11).





Spend a day enjoying France's most famous treasures - art and wine. Start your day in the company of the Mona Lisa and her world famous friends. Skip the long lines and embark on a journey through the world's largest museum, in the company of an expert and fully accredited local guide. Let them lead you through the corridors and share their passion and knowledge of this awe-inspiring museum and the masterpieces it contains.

After lunch, re-join us for a guided tour of an historic 18th century wine cellar, once used to store the wines of King Louis XV, now transformed into a spectacular wine experience. Learn about the grape varieties that grow across the country, the centuries old craft of winemaking and the fine art of wine tasting. Your visit will include a sommelier led tasting of 3 wines that have been carefully selected for you. Then it's time to head across the city to Montmartre, to one of the best-kept secrets in the city. Visit a beautiful working vineyard closed to the public, taste its wine and learn about the fascinating history of the famous artists quarter.

Highlights

- Enjoy a full day combination of the best of French art and wine
- Exceptionally varied tour, with a major museum visit, a wine cellar visit and tasting and Montmartre walking tour
- VIP access to the Clos Montmartre vineyard, usually closed to the public, including tasting

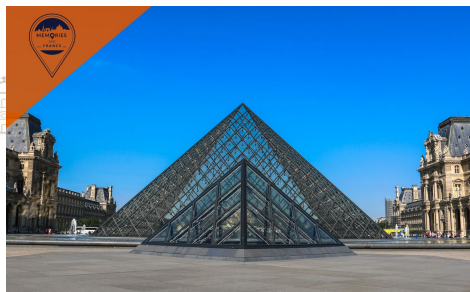
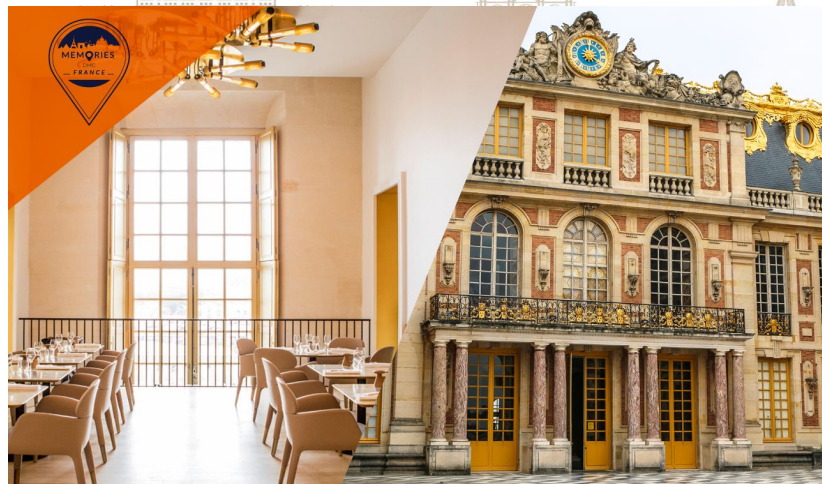
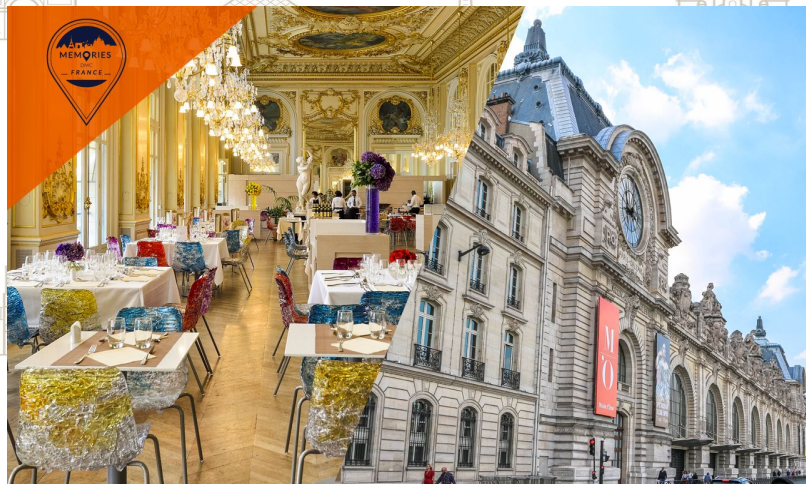
RRP: 169,90€

Group size: 25/15

Operating days: Monday/Friday



Tours





In the footsteps of Napoleon: The Invalides Army Museum



Most tourists to Paris are impressed by the 26 pounds of gold leaf that make the Invalides it stand out against the skyline, and take a photo of the dome. But few visitors realize the multiple facets of our society on display within. Originally constructed under Louis XIV, the dome contains the tomb of Napoleon Bonaparte. The vast complex surrounding the cathedral is dedicated to preserving and exhibiting the many chapters of French military history, including the jousting of medieval knights, the Emperor's European conquests, and the World Wars of the 20th century. Our guided visit of the site lasts 2.5 hours, and features meaningful stories not only about the French but also about the many nations that have come to fight on French soil. Of particular interest are the exhibits about the D-Day Landings in Normandy and the Liberation of Paris in 1944.

Highlights

- 2.5 hour guided tour of the spectacular gold domed Invalides, home to the military museum
- See the final resting place of Napoleon Bonaparte
- Fully accredited local guide
- Reserved access and all entrance fees

RRP: 49,90€

Group size: 20

Operating days: Monday/Thursday





Necropolis of the Kings & Queens – the Basilica of St Denis



Your local guide will meet you in downtown Paris, and escort you on a 2.5-hour visit to the world's first Gothic cathedral, the burial site of the kings and queens of France. This official necropolis of the French Monarchy features the tombs of 43 kings and 32 queens, going back to 7th century king Dagobert and extending through to Louis XVI and Marie Antoinette. Built in the 12th century, well before Notre Dame, the uniquely beautiful architecture of the structure will take your breath away, and the fascinating and often poignant stories of the powerful personalities buried there will inspire you with over 1500 years of royal grandeur.

Highlights

- 2.5 hour guided tour of the Basilica of St Denis
- See the royal tombs of the kings and queens of France
- Fully accredited local guide
- Reserved access and all entrance fees

RRP: 49,90€

Group size: 20

Operating days: Wednesday/Sunday





Eiffel Tower Tour with skip the line, summit access & Seine river champagne cruise



Your visit to Paris wouldn't be complete without a visit to the top of the world-famous icon of France, the Eiffel Tower. Why not guarantee that your visit will be convenient and interesting? We offer limited group size, a professional guide, and direct access tickets! Discover the fascinating stories behind the construction of the 'Iron Lady', and gaze upon the Paris skyline as your guide discusses the many monuments on display. Following the guided experience, continue your ascension to the summit and behold the City of Lights extending at your feet.

Having enjoyed the Tower for as long as you wish, you'll cross the street to the riverside where you'll appreciate another skip-the-line access to the one-hour scenic river cruise. Floating along on the Seine, you'll sip chic champagne as the beautiful Paris cityscape rolls along.

Highlights

- Skip the long lines with priority access to the 2nd level of the Eiffel Tower
- Enjoy spectacular views of Paris from the summit of the tower, included in your ticket
- Enjoy a fully guided tour of the tower with an accredited, English speaking guide
- Sip a glass of champagne during a 1 hour Seine river cruise, passing all the major sights in the city. The cruise can be taken at the time of your choice, including evening

RRP: 77,90€

Group size: 20

Operating days: Monday/Thursday

The Eiffel tower tour can also be booked without cruise. RRP: 59,90€





Impressionist treasures at the Musée d'Orsay, including gourmet lunch



The famous Orsay Museum houses the world's most complete collection of Impressionist and Post-Impressionist art. You won't want to miss the famous masterpieces by Manet, Monet, Renoir and Van Gogh, to name a few. Your local guide will accompany you on a two-hour tour through this tumultuous period in French culture, within one of the most beautiful museum facilities in the world. Following your tour, you'll sit down to a lovely lunch in the Orsay's classy restaurant.

Highlights

- Enjoy a 2 hour fully guided tour of the Orsay Museum with a passionate, fully accredited local guide
- See the world's greatest collection of Impressionist paintings, including works by masters such as Monet, Manet, Renoir, and Van Gogh
- Skip the line access takes you straight into the museum
- Enjoy a delicious gourmet lunch in the museum's spectacular restaurant, opened in 1900 and classified as a historic monument
- Lunch includes 3 courses with wine and coffee

RRP: 118,90€

Group size: 25

Operating days: Wednesday

The Musée d'Orsay tour can also be booked without lunch. RRP: 53,90€





Versailles Palace & Gardens half day tour with skip the line and Gourmet lunch at Ore, restaurant of chef Ducasse



Set out for our guided visit to the Château de Versailles, the world-renowned royal residence of Louis XIV. Admire the shining Hall of Mirrors, designed to infinitely reflect the Sun King's brilliance across the world. Wander through the richly appointed state apartments, where kings and queens once received the elite. Your certified English-language guide will make the French royals come alive for you, in all their extravagance and excess. We guarantee ideal visiting conditions by limiting group size. Once you've enjoyed your experience in the palace and the gardens, a final experience is included: a refined gourmet lunch within the palace, at the splendid Ore restaurant managed by famous master chef Alain Ducasse.

Highlights

- Enjoy a guided visit to the spectacular Palace of Versailles, home of the Sun King Louis XIV
- Your tour also features a guided walk through the magnificent gardens
- Skip the famously long lines with reserved entry times
- Includes all tickets to the Palace and Gardens of Versailles, including the Musical Gardens and Fountain shows when running
- Gourmet 3 course lunch including drinks in the Alain Ducasse restaurant Ore inside the palace

RRP: 144,90€

Group size: 25

Running days: Tuesday/Saturday (+ Fri July -Sept)

The Versailles Palace & Gardens tour can also be booked without lunch. RRP: 89,90€





Versailles Palace & Gardens including VIP access to the King's Private Apartments and Gourmet lunch at Ore, restaurant of Chef Ducasse



Set out for our guided visit to the Château de Versailles, renowned royal residence of Louis XIV. Admire the shining Hall of Mirrors, designed to infinitely reflect the Sun King's brilliance across the world. Wander through the richly appointed state apartments, where kings and queens once received the elite. Your certified English-language guide will make the French royals come alive for you, in all their extravagance and excess. We guarantee ideal visiting conditions by limiting group size. Once you've enjoyed your experience in the palace and the gardens, a final experience is included: a refined gourmet lunch within the palace, at the splendid Ore restaurant managed by famous master chef Alain Ducasse.

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RRP: 164,90€

Group size: 20

Operating days: Saturday

The VIP Versailles Palace & Gardens with King's apartments tour can also be booked without lunch. RRP: 109,90 €





An afternoon in the private estate of Marie Antoinette – the Petit Trianon and hamlet



To round out your experience at Versailles, pursue your passion for 18th century luxury and Marie Antoinette's rise and fall, and get the best value out of your day, you can treat yourself to an afternoon excursion to the queen's personal domain. During this three-hour tour you'll visit the Petit Trianon, an exquisite private palace set in a luxuriant garden where Marie Antoinette spent much of her time. You won't want to miss her private theatre, one of the most remarkable venues in the entire estate. You'll also wander through the queen's ersatz Normandy village, featuring a vineyard, a dairy, and a vegetable farm, arranged for her to simulate the healthy simplicity of country life.

Highlights

- This tour is sold as an add on to all of our morning Versailles tours, choose your morning tour to make your perfect day in Versailles
- Guided visit to the beautiful gardens of Versailles,
- Guided visit to the Petit Trianon, Marie-Antoinette's private mansion
- Guided visit Marie-Antoinette's gardens, private hamlet and farm
- See her personal theatre, known as the 'jewel of Versailles'
- Chauffeur driven ride from the Petit Trianon to the Versailles train station for your return journey to Paris

RRP: 69,90€

Group size: 20

Operating days: Tuesday/Saturday (+ Fri July -Sept)

This tour is also available as a full day **Package Saver** with both morning Versailles visits.





Ile de la Cité tour including Notre Dame & Towers, Sainte Chapelle and Conciergerie



This in-depth 3.5-hour walking tour will reveal all about the historical center of Paris. Visit Notre Dame Cathedral and enjoy reserved access to the towers; gaze at the dazzling stained glass of the Sainte Chapelle, and enter the medieval Conciergerie Palace that was ultimately the prison of Marie Antoinette.

Highlights

- Fully guided tour of the historic heart of Paris, the Ile de la Cité including Notre Dame Cathedral, the Sainte Chapelle and the Conciergerie
- Climb the towers of Notre Dame for some of the best views of the city, including gargoyles!
- Marvel at the exceptional stained glass windows - amongst the most spectacular in the world, in the Sainte Chapelle
- Visit the prison cell where Marie-Antoinette spent her final days in the Conciergerie
- Skip the long lines at the towers of Notre Dame and the Sainte Chapelle
- Fully accredited local guide

RRP: 64,90€

Group size: 20

Operating days: Tuesday

Upgrade

End your tour on a high note sampling delicious French pastries while admiring the city through the emporium's panoramic windows! **RRP: 99,90€**





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