











# FRENCH PROMENADE

10 or 13 days | France | Spain | Monaco | Extension to Italy

From one corner of France to the other, see the many shades of French culture. Paris is the center of it all—feel its significance in the intricate architecture of the Eiffel Tower and the famous smile of the Mona Lisa. Down south, Biarritz has grown from a fishing village to a world-famous seaside resort. In Provence and the Riviera, the picturesque landscapes recall France's artistic heritage.

## EVERYTHING YOU GET:

-  **Full-time Tour Director**
-  **Sightseeing:** 1 sightseeing tour led by an expert, licensed local guide (2 with extension); 6 sightseeing tours led by your Tour Director (7 with extension); 2 walking tours
-  **Entrances:** Louvre; Palais de Papes; Pont du Gard; Nîmes Amphitheater; Calanques; Perfume factory; with extension: Milan Duomo
-  **Personalized learning guide:** Our personalized learning experience engages students before, during, and after tour, with the option to create a final, reflective project for academic credit.
-   **All of the details are covered:** Round-trip flights on major carriers; Comfortable motorcoach; TGV high-speed train; 8 overnight stays in hotels with private bathrooms (11 with extension); European breakfast daily, dinner days 1-4 and 6-9, lunch day 5
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# YOU'RE GOING TO EXPERIENCE IT.

As you can see, your EF tour includes visits to the places you've learned about in school. That's a given. But it's so much more than that. Immersing yourself in new cultures—surrounded by the people, the language, the food, the way of life—creates inspirational moments that can't be listed in an itinerary. They can only be experienced.

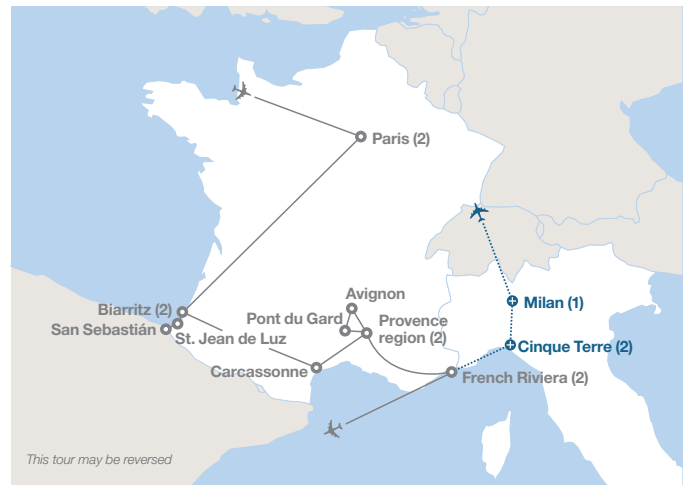
And the experience begins long before you get your passport stamped and meet your Tour Director in your arrival city. It begins the moment you decide to go. Whether it's connecting with other travelers on Facebook, Twitter, or Instagram, or delving deeper into your destinations with our personalized learning experience, the excitement will hit you long before you pack your suitcase.

When your group arrives abroad, everything is taken care of so you can relax and enjoy the experience. Your full-time Tour Director is with your group around the clock, handling local transportation, hotels, and meals while also providing their own insight into the local history and culture. Expert local guides will lead your group on sightseeing tours, providing detailed views on history, art, architecture, or anything you may have a question about.

When your journey is over and you're unpacking your suitcase at home, you'll realize the benefits of your life-changing experience do not end. They have just begun.

*@EFtours I attribute my college semester abroad to the love for travel I discovered on an EF Tour in high school #traveltuesday*

– MELISSA, TRAVELER



Learn from your Tour Director and expert local guides



Via Instagram



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## What you'll experience on your tour

### Day 1: Fly overnight to France

#### Day 2: Paris

- Meet your Tour Director at the airport in Paris, the City of Light. During your stay you'll get a taste of Parisian style as you ride down the Champs-Élysées, an elegant boulevard packed with high-fashion boutiques. Pass the Place de la Concorde and the Arc de Triomphe and strike a pose in front of the Eiffel Tower. At the École Militaire, see where a promising young Napoleon launched his rise to power. I.M. Pei's iconic glass pyramid marks the entrance to the renowned Louvre, home to treasures like Leonardo da Vinci's *Mona Lisa*.
- Take a walking tour of Paris: Opéra district; Place Vendôme.
- Visit the Louvre.

#### Day 3: Paris

- Take an expertly guided tour of Paris: Place de la Concorde; Champs-Élysées; Arc de Triomphe; Les Invalides; Eiffel Tower.
- Catch a glimpse of Notre-Dame Cathedral.
- Time to see more of Paris or [visit Versailles](#).

#### Day 4: Paris | Biarritz

- Travel by TGV train to Bordeaux.
- Explore and climb the Dune du Pilat, a surreal desert sand dune on the edge of the French countryside.
- Continue along the south coast of France to Biarritz.

#### Day 5: Biarritz | San Sebastián

- Cross the Spanish border.
- Take a tour of San Sebastián and St. Jean de Luz.
- Take a tour of Biarritz.

#### Day 6: Provence region

- Take a tour of Carcassonne.
- Continue on to Provence region, where you'll discover for yourself what inspired Picasso and van Gogh. Painter Paul Cézanne once said of Provence: "Everywhere are the fragrances of honey, thyme, lavender, all the herbs of the nearby hills." During your stay, stroll through Avignon's magnificent Palais des Papes, home to French native Pope Clement V, who moved the papacy here from Rome in 1309. View the stunning Italian frescoes in the chapel and see the hidden vaults where the church's riches were stored. Step inside a Roman amphitheater and visit the Pont du Gard aqueduct, a marvel of civil engineering. Dating back 2,000 years, it once supplied Roman villas with running water.

#### Day 7: Provence | Nîmes

- Take a tour of Avignon.
- Visit the Palais des Papes.
- Visit the Pont du Gard.
- Take a tour of Nîmes.
- Visit the Nîmes Amphitheater.

#### Day 8: French Riviera

- Take a tour of Aix-en-Provence.
- Cruise through the Calanques.
- Continue on to the French Riviera, where you'll explore Nice and Monaco. During your stay, you'll stroll down the palm-lined Promenade des Anglais and get a taste of the Old Town. Soak up the scenery, from the white-washed villas to the flower market to the emerald waters that lap Nice's endless beaches. Monaco is a tiny principality that packs wealth, royalty, and the world-famous Casino Monte-Carlo into just 0.8 square miles. Here you'll see the Cathédrale de Monaco, where Prince Rainier wed movie star Grace Kelly, a union that ultimately sparked an influx of Hollywood stars and starlets to the French Riviera.

#### Day 9: French Riviera

- Visit the principality of Monaco: Prince's Palace; Monaco Cathedral; Monte-Carlo Casino.
- Tour a French perfume factory in Eze.
- Take a walking tour of Nice: Vieille Ville; Promenade des Anglais.

#### Day 10: Depart for home

### ☛ 3-DAY TOUR EXTENSION

#### Day 10: Nice | Cinque Terre

- Make a stop in San Remo.
- Continue on to Cinque Terre.

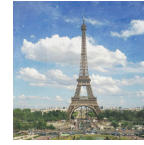
#### Day 11: Cinque Terre

- Travel by train to the five villages of Cinque Terre.

#### Day 12: Milan

- Travel to Milan.
- Take an expertly guided tour of Milan.
- Visit the Milan Duomo.
- Enjoy free time.

#### Day 13: Depart for home



*Believe me, the Eiffel Tower is even more beautiful in person. I'm having a blast in Paris! #eftours*

– JOSEPH, TRAVELER



Via Instagram

*From the moment the plane touched down in Paris, our trip was absolutely wonderful! We were greeted by our Tour Director and we were off and exploring one of the most beautiful cities in the world! I especially loved the contrast of city to country as we explored smaller cities and towns along the coast of the Atlantic and Mediterranean.*

– ANITA, GROUP LEADER



Via Facebook

### TOP THREE THINGS I WILL SEE, DO, TRY OR EXPLORE

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—CHARLOTTE, PARENT OF TRAVELER

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