

# STUDY IN FRANCE

Do you have a passion for all things French? Are you learning the language and could you see yourself studying and exploring this beautiful country?

Ranked as the number one tourist destination in the world, France is a beautiful and important cultural centre - known for its elegant language, architecture, fashion and sophisticated food. France has 37 sites in the UNESCO's World Heritage List and features cities of high cultural interest, beaches, alps and rural regions that are famous for their beauty and tranquillity.

The French language has a long history as an international language of literature and is famously described as the language of love. It is also the second most studied language around the world.

France has a very diverse landscape. From beautiful beaches on the southeast coast, home to the French Riviera, to towering mountains in the south and east with the snow-capped French Alps, to the sprawling fertile lands in the north west and the sprawling, forested plateau of the Massif Central.

Can you picture yourself living in a delightful French village, immersed in the stunning language and rich traditions that the country has to offer. Imagine on your walk to school, stopping by the local *boulangeries* to pick up a sneaky croissant or *pain au chocolat*, before heading to school to learn with local students from the village.



Most students attend school from Monday to Friday between 8.30am and 5pm with a 1-2-hour lunch break. During your school stay, the opportunity may arise to assist the local teachers with their English classes, which is a great opportunity to see how they teach your native language.

Students can attend school in various regions of France, including some of our most popular locations for home-stay and schooling. These regions include Provence, Ile de France and Aquitaine.

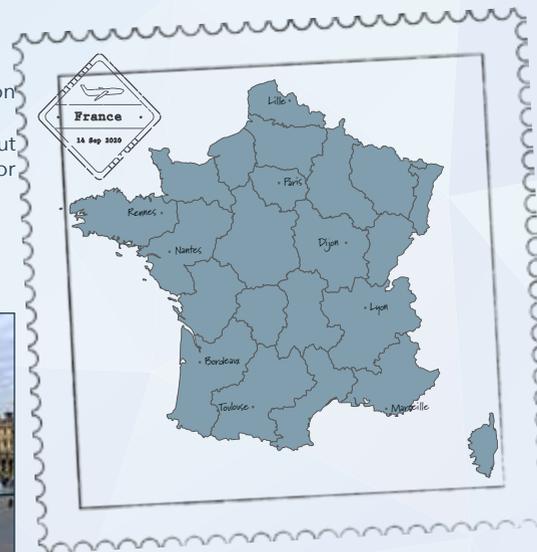


## PROGRAM INFO

Programs	Travel Dates	Application Deadline	COST (from AUD)
Two months	Mid November - mid-January	30th September 2020	\$6790
Three months	August - early November*	15th June 2020	\$7200
One Semester	September - January	15th April 2020	\$9050
One Semester	January - May	15th August 2020	\$9050
One full school year	August - May*	15th April 2020	\$10,150
One full school year	January - October	15th August 2020	\$10,150

### Important Information

- Age: Between 14 and 18 years of age on departure
- Language pre-requisite: Not required but recommended to do online course if no prior learning
- VISA required for Semester and Year students
- \* Orientation in Paris is included in the price



The population of France is 65.1 million.



The capital city of France is Paris. The official language spoken in France is French. The official money used in France is the Euro €.



France has great public transport - from the underground metro systems to their TGV (fast trains). Transport is not at a great cost and is typically easy to follow.



The French definitely know good food, from their crunchy baguettes made fresh daily, to decadent pastries and sweets, they have it all. But they really love their cheese! They eat about 25kg of cheese per person each year, making them the biggest cheese eaters in the world! They also have some other interesting dishes worth trying, such as *les escargot* and *les cuisses de grenouille*. Don't forget to say *Bon appetit* before each meal.



The weather in France can vary dramatically depending on where you are; a Mediterranean climate on the southern coast; temperate climate around the rolling hills of the east; the French Alps have more extreme weather (perfect for skiing); and Paris, north and west France have warm summers and cold winters. Something for everyone.