

# Brochure

Programmes in France

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# SUMMER PROGRAMMES

## Homestay with a host family

Students live with a French family following their daily activities and rhythms and enjoying their summer family plans.

Our host families have children of the same age or around the same age as the participant, or can be adults without children

**Dates:** 1 to 6 weeks in June, July or August

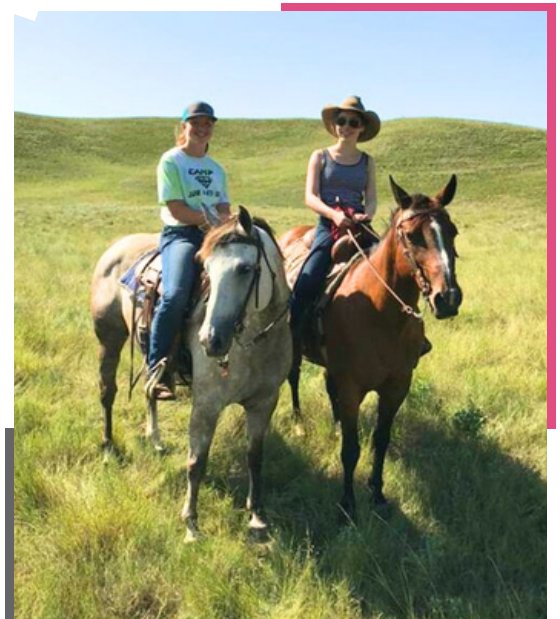
**Ages:** 10 to 18 years

**Location:** Families can be anywhere in France but most of them are located in Brittany, Atlantic Loire valley and it can also be in the Southwestern region of the country.

**Airports:** depending on the location of the family (Nantes Atlantique for Brittany and Atlantic Loire valley).

**Arrivals and departures:** Saturdays or Sundays ideally, from 10 am to 5 pm.

**Option:** It is possible to organise cultural and sport activities, on demand and with an extra charge: golf, tennis, rowing, kayaking, horse riding, sailing, and more.



### INCLUDED



- Full board and accommodation
- Regular family life activities and local visits
- Mobiliteen coordinator to contact for any assistance
- Taxes

### NOT INCLUDED



- Flights
- Pocket money
- Airport transfers
- Extracurricular activities
- Insurance





# SUMMER PROGRAMMES

## Summer camp in Western Loire

Western Loire (also known as Atlantic Loire valley) is a region rich in history, covered with castles and with stunning beaches too!

The Summer camp in the Western Loire includes FFL classes in the morning, sports and games in the afternoon and day trips during the week end.

All students are located in a beautiful boarding school in the countryside. Accommodation in shared dormitories.

**Dates:** 1 to 3 weeks in July or August (From July 1st to August 15th).

**Ages:** 11 to 18 years

**Location:** Atlantic Loire valley

**Airport:** Nantes Atlantique

**Arrivals and departures:** Saturdays or Sundays ideally from 10 am to 5 pm



**Activities** during the week include: bowling, multisport, bubble foot, paintball, basketball, beach volley, badminton.

During the weekend, excursions to historic cities like Angers, Saint Malo, or daytrips to Le Puy du Fou (a historic theme park), Le Mont Saint Michel, or even Paris!

### INCLUDED



- Full board and accommodation
- All plans, trips and activities organised by the camp
- Airport transfers to and from Nantes airport
- Taxes

### NOT INCLUDED



- Flights
- Pocket money
- Insurance



## ACADEMIC PROGRAMMES

Our academic programme is for students aged 11 to 18 years old who are willing to experience French immersion and discover school life in France.

They are enrolled in a local French school and integrate a class with French students of similar age. They have compulsory and optional subjects.

Their stay can last from 1 to 10 months depending on the student's preferences and availability.

We have two different school standards:

- Regular schools are the typical city schools: public, private or semi-private. The majority of schools in France respond to these standards.
- Premium schools are higher standard private schools with quality services and options; they are usually located in the city center.

We can offer 3 different locations, mainly situated in the West of France:

- Brittany
- Atlantic Loire valley
- The Southwestern region of the Pyrenees (French mountain range)

Mobiliteen has several local representatives in these regions. They are close to the host families and personally support and supervise the participants.

Regarding transfers:

- Nantes or Rennes airports for Brittany and Atlantic Loire valley.
- Toulouse and Pau airports for the southwestern region.







# ACADEMIC PROGRAMMES

## OUR OBJECTIVES

- To offer a unique cultural and linguistic experience
- To provide the opportunity to experience the French educational system as well as sports and activities enjoyed by French students
- To make long lasting friendships

## OUR COMMITMENTS

- A careful selection of a host family that matches the student's personality
- A personalised follow-up of the student during the stay; this includes regular contact with the student, the host family and the school, with at least 3 written reports during the academic year.

## THE FRENCH SCHOOL SYSTEM

The school year in France runs from early September to early July. However, different areas in the country have different holidays during the academic year.

These are the main holiday breaks:

- All Saints (la Toussaint): two weeks around the end of October and the beginning of November
- Christmas (Noël): two weeks at Christmas
- Winter break (hiver): two weeks around mid-February
- Easter (Paques): two weeks around mid-April
- Summer (été): two months starting in early July or mid-June for sixth form students



## ACADEMIC

## PROGRAMMES

# Academic programme with homestay

This school programme is intended for middle and high school students. It allows them to discover the French culture while fully integrating a host family in the evenings, weekends and during the school holidays.

The student goes to school and has the same rhythm of activities as the other children in the family. They may or not go to the same school. It depends on the availability of each school.

Our host families are caring families with or without children, not necessarily same gender or age as the student.

### INCLUDED



- Full board and accommodation
- School fees and enrolment
- School transportation
- School books
- Mobiliteen coordinator to contact for any assistance
- Taxes

### NOT INCLUDED



- Flights
- Pocket money
- Airport transfers
- Insurance
- Tracksuit
- Extra curricular activities
- Extra expenses or visits with the school
- School material (pencil case, notebooks, backpack, etc...)





## ACADEMIC

## PROGRAMMES

# Academic programme with 5 day boarding school and homestay

The student lives in a boarding school during the week, from Monday to Friday afternoon. Then he stays with a host family during the weekend and for the holidays (If he/she should choose not to go back to his country).

At the boarding school there are many activities, and it's a great environment for building friendships. French boarding schools have homework time every evening.

Our host families are caring families with or without children, not necessarily of the same gender and age as the student.

The families who host young boarders are often busy during the week while the students are at school but enjoy spending time with family and doing activities on the weekends.

### INCLUDED



- Full board and accommodation
- School fees and enrolment
- School books
- Mobiliteen coordinator to contact for any assistance
- Taxes

### NOT INCLUDED



- Flights
- Pocket money
- Airport transfers
- Insurance
- Tracksuit
- Extra curricular activities
- Extra expenses or visits with the school
- School material
- (pencil case, notebooks, backpack, etc...)



## ACADEMIC

## PROGRAMMES

# Academic programme with 7 day boarding school

Students have room and board accommodation all week and throughout the year, in a school with a boarding facility open all year. During holidays, accommodation in the school or in a homestay depending on schools and availabilities.

This programme is possible for middle-school or high school students, from 6th to 12th grade (6ème à la terminale).

We can offer a premium school and a regular school, both available in the West of France. One in Western Loire and the second in the South West.

### INCLUDED



- Full board and accommodation
- School fees and enrolment
- School books
- Mobiliteen coordinator to contact for any assistance
- Taxes

### NOT INCLUDED



- Flights
- School trips
- Pocket money
- Airport transfers
- School transportation
- Extra curricular activities
- Extra expenses or visits with the school
- Insurance





# RECIPROCAL EXCHANGE PROGRAMME

## CULTURAL AND LINGUISTIC EXCHANGE PROGRAMME FOR CHILDREN AND ADOLESCENTS AGES 8 TO 17

### 6 months for children programme 10 to 14

This is a one year exchange programme. The European child stays for 6 months abroad, and the foreign child will stay in Europe for the remaining half year.

The children are challenged to integrate themselves to the best of their ability, to accept the foreign lifestyle habits and make the most of their exchange. They should comprehend that they will need to adapt to the new family, not the other way around. The families on the other side take full responsibility for the foreign child and treat the child like one of their own – with all rights and responsibilities. The exchange child is part of the family – not a guest !

The children communicate regularly with their biological families, but it is recommended that this does not occur more than once a week. Visits back home would be counter-productive and are not encouraged. The host parents choose an appropriate school for the exchange student together with Aventuro.

The child continues to attend school, does his /her homework, writes exams etc. The free time is filled with hobbies, meeting friends, and of course the child spends holidays, weekends, parties and family reunions together with the host family.

The children should simply forget about their native language for 6 months in order to completely immerse themselves in the new language and its sound.

### Flexible, up to 6 months for teenagers up to 17

Our exchange programme for teenagers differs mainly due to its flexibility in duration.

The procedure itself is similar to the one for younger children, but the duration and the timing of the exchange is determined by the families.

In other words: the maximum duration is 6 months, everything else is subject to personal preferences.







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