



# France/Disney

## GROUP INFORMATION



**Trip ID:**  
Meldrum-967

**Departing From:**  
Phoenix

**Departing:**  
March 14, 2025

**Returning:**  
March 21, 2025

**Sign Up Deadline**  
March 30, 2023

**Total Fee: \* \$3,855.00**

### Program Quote Breakdown

The following fees apply to your full-paying participants:

Program Fee*	\$3,853.00
Loire Valley band performance*	\$2.00

**Total Fee\* \$3,855.00**

OR 23 monthly payments of \$163.30  
After initial payment of \$99.00

\* Last day for this Program Fee is Mar 30, 2023.

### Free Chaperones

15 Travelers = 1 Free Chaperone

Your free place ratio is such that your group will fully contribute towards 3 free place(s), and partially contribute to an additional free place. We reimburse this partial contribution to you as a Cash Stipend.

3 Free Chaperones

### Private Group Fees:

#### Your Tour is a Private Group Tour

As a Private Group, the cost of your tour will be based on the final group size. The Private Group amount in bold below has been included in the total cost of the trip quoted above and this is based on your estimated group size. If the final group size is smaller or larger than estimated, the Private Group amount will be updated on each participant's account the day after the final enrollment deadline.

10-14 Travelers	\$970
15-19 Travelers	\$562
20-24 Travelers	\$339
25-29 Travelers	\$202
30-34 Travelers	\$105
35-39 Travelers	\$34

## PROGRAM ITINERARY (DETAILED)

### Day 1 Start tour

### Day 2 Bonjour Paris

Meet your tour director and check into hotel

Paris city walk

Île de la Cité, Notre-Dame Cathedral, Île St. Louis, Latin Quarter visit

#### Details: Paris city walk

This city was made for walking. Stroll grand boulevards with sweeping views of the city, pristine parks with trees planted in perfect rows, and narrow streets crowded with vendors selling flowers, pastries and cheese. Then head to the Île de la Cité, a small island in the Seine, to see Notre Dame Cathedral. Please note Notre Dame Cathedral is currently closed due to fire damage.

#### Details: Notre-Dame Cathedral

View the Notre-Dame Cathedral. Work began in 1163 on a spot that had been a holy shrine since Roman times. Over the centuries, the cathedral has been the scene of some of France's most momentous occasions, including the coronation of Napoleon.

### Day 3 Paris

Louvre visit

Paris band performance

*Details: Louvre visit*

The world's largest art museum, the Louvre is housed in a Medieval fortress-turned-castle so grand it's worth a tour itself. You walk through the 71-foot glass pyramid designed by I.M. Pei and added in 1989, and step into another world—one with carved ceilings, deep-set windows, and so many architectural details you could spend a week just admiring the rooms. The Mona Lisa is here, as well as the Venus de Milo and Winged Victory (the headless statue, circa 200 BC, discovered at Samothrace). The Louvre has seven different departments of paintings, prints, drawings, sculptures and antiquities. Don't miss the Egyptian collection, complete with creepy sarcophagi, or the collection of Greek ceramics, one of the largest in the world. (Please note the Louvre is closed on Tuesdays.)

*Details: Paris band performance*

In Paris, venue options include, but are not limited to: La Trinité, where Messiaen served as organist and where Hector Berlioz had his funeral, Saint-Étienne-du-Mont, The American Church in Paris, and the Église de la Madeleine, which is another of our most popular venues for attracting good audiences. Finally, the Église St-Roch regularly hosts concerts. It is an excellent venue for visiting choirs and has good facilities and very organized publicity. Also possible is an exchange with a local school, university or community group.

**Day 4 Paris**

Loire Valley full day excursion  
Chartres Cathedral visit, Château de Chenonceau visit, Château d'Amboise visit  
Loire Valley band performance

*Details: Loire Valley full day excursion*

Appreciate centuries of history in the beautiful chateau of Chenonceau. Visit Chartres Cathedral to see its lofty stained glass windows. Admire the contrasting spires and flying buttresses that make it one of the world's finest examples of Gothic architecture.

*Details: Chartres Cathedral visit*

Built on an ancient worshipping ground to house a piece of the Virgin Mary's veil (which is still on display), this 13th-century Gothic church is best known for its windows. With over 20,000 square feet of stained glass, visiting Chartres can be like walking around inside a large jewel. But don't spend all your time looking up—on the floor is the only surviving medieval labyrinth. The faithful travel the winding 300-yard path on their knees to reach the image of paradise at the centre. Ouch.

**Day 5 Paris**

Paris Sewer Museum visit  
Tour Director-led Marais sightseeing

*Details: Paris Sewer Museum visit*

The curious have been touring the Paris sewers since the 1850's. Visit what Victor Hugo called the Paris below Paris,

**PROGRAM FEE INCLUDES:**

- Round-trip airfare and other transportation described in the itinerary
- Traveler Assistance, Medical Insurance & Travel Insurance
- Three college credits upon completion of on-line course (grades 9-12 eligible)
- Centrally located three- and four-star hotels
- Plentiful daily breakfast to start the day energized and ready to go
- Appetizing, culturally representative, three-course dinner daily
- Full time, multilingual, WorldStrides tour director who is LEAP-trained in experiential education
- Local guide at sites and on city tours as described in the itinerary
- Local guide and local bus driver tips; see note regarding other important tips
- LEAP! Learning through Exploration and Active Participation; trademarked immersive approach of learning by doing

"...a Paris of sewers; which has its streets, its crossings, its squares, its blind alleys, its arteries, and its circulation, which is slime, minus the human form." Experience the Paris Sewers Museum, which is located beneath the Quai d'Orsay on the Left Bank, is a popular destination for anyone interested in how a major metropolitan city manages its waste and water recycling.

*Details: Tour Director-led Marais sightseeing*

The fashionable Marais district in the 4th arrondissement, also known as SoMa (South Marais), is filled with hip boutiques and galleries. Once the city's Jewish quarter, the area still hosts numerous kosher restaurants.

## Day 6 Paris

Musée de la Musique visit  
Seine Cruise & Eiffel Tower

*Details: Musée de la Musique visit*

Since its opening in 1997, the Museum of Music has become world-renowned for its collection and presentation of musical instruments. The historical heritage within its walls spans centuries, from the 16th century to today, and is a testament to the wealth of musical invention in every culture in the world.

*Details: Seine Cruise & Eiffel Tower*

Cruise the scenic Seine River before taking in breathtaking views of Paris from atop of the Eiffel Tower.

## Day 7 Paris

Disneyland Paris excursion - 1 Park Pass  
Paris band performance

*Details: Disneyland Paris excursion - 1 Park Pass*

Explore the land of fairytales across 5 amazing lands filled with classic attractions, shows and street parades. Please note that this excursion includes entrance to Disneyland Park. Entrance to Walt Disney Studios Park is not included.

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## Day 8 End tour