



Eiffel tower bateaux mouches

French Exchange Program in Paris

13 Mar 2026 - 22 Mar 2026 | 10 days

If you want to immerse your students in the French culture, there's no better way than to visit France and experience it firsthand among the locals. From the D-Day beaches of Normandy to the charming châteaux of the Loire Valley – historical teaching moments in France are easy to come by.



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WHY SEND YOUR STUDENTS ON A FORUM LANGUAGE EXPERIENCE?

you will benefit from...

***E**xpertise of more than 30 years in the field,
More value for your investment in education,*

while students benefit from...

***P**rivate tailor-made educational tours,
Opportunities to engage with locals,
Wisdom and a greater interest in learning,
Enhancement on college applications,
Respect and understanding of other cultures*



Alumnos en la escuela

Day 1 - USA - FRANCE

Friday, 13 Mar 2026

- Fly to France.

Day 2 - EXCHANGE PROGRAM

Saturday, 14 Mar 2026

- **Bienvenue en France!** Upon arrival, you will be greeted by your bilingual **Forum Tour Manager** who will help you board your bus to transfer to your partner school.
- Meet your **host family** and your **exchange partners** .
- Start your **exchange program**. While living with your host family, you'll eat home-cooked meals, interact in French daily, and experience life as a true local!
- Dinner and night accommodation with your host family.

Day 3 - WEEKEND WITH HOST FAMILY

Sunday, 15 Mar 2026

- Spend **Sunday with your host family** and learn more about the local culture while practicing your French!

Day 4 - EXCHANGE PROGRAM

Monday, 16 Mar 2026

- Have breakfast at home.



- ❑ Attend school with your exchange partner. Activities and workshops may be organized by the school during your visit (to be confirmed with your partner school).
- ❑ Dinner and night accommodation with your host family.

Day 5 - DAY EXCURSION TO PARIS

Tuesday, 17 Mar 2026

- ❑ Have breakfast at home.
- ❑ Meet at the school and board your private bus for a day excursion to Paris.
- ❑ Your **Forum Tour Manager** will be with your group for the entire day.
- ❑ Head to the highest point in the city, **Montmartre** (known locally as La Butte).
- ❑ Climb the steps to reach the **Sacré-Cœur**, Montmartre's hilltop church and most famous landmark.
- ❑ Enjoy a meal with your group at a local restaurant. (*Galleries Lafayette's cafeteria- Subject to Availability*)
- ❑ Spend some free time for shopping at the luxurious **Galleries Lafayette!**
- ❑ Visit **Palais Garnier**, the iconic Parisian opera house and the inspiration for Leroux's "Phantom of the Opera."
- ❑ Stroll through **The Île de la Cité** and **Île Saint Louis**, two historic and beautiful neighborhoods in Paris. Explore its narrow streets and see some of the main tourist attractions, like Notre Dame Cathedral, the Sainte Chapelle and the Conciergerie.
- ❑ Dinner and night accommodation with your host family.

Day 6 - EXCHANGE PROGRAM

Wednesday, 18 Mar 2026

- ❑ Have breakfast at home.



- ❑ Attend school with your exchange partner. Activities and workshops may be organized by the school during your visit (to be confirmed with your partner school).
- ❑ Dinner and night accommodation with your host family.

Day 7 - DAY EXCURSION TO PARIS

Thursday, 19 Mar 2026

- ❑ Have breakfast at home.
- ❑ Meet at the school and board your private bus for a day excursion to Paris.
- ❑ Your **Forum Tour Manager** will be with your group for the entire day.
- ❑ Visit the **Musée d'Orsay** and view its extensive collection of 19th- and 20th-century art, housed within a beautiful former railway station.
- ❑ Discover the "underside" of the Eiffel tower as you walk through the **Champ-de-Mars**, one of the largest green spaces in the capital, stretching from the Trocadéro's promenade to the École Militaire (Military School).
- ❑ Enjoy a meal with your group at a local restaurant. (*Brasserie de la Tour Eiffel- Subject to Availability*)
- ❑ Admire the view from the **third floor** of the **Eiffel Tower!** (subject to availability).
- ❑ Board a glass-topped "**bateau mouche**" and relax on a refreshing cruise through the Seine River with a superb view of Paris.
- ❑ Dinner and night accommodation with your host family.

Day 8 - DAY EXCURSION TO VERSAILLES

Friday, 20 Mar 2026

- ❑ Have breakfast at home.
- ❑ Meet at the school and board your private bus to **Versailles**.



- ❑ Your **Forum Tour Manager** will be with your group for the entire day.
- ❑ Visit the extravagant **Palace of Versailles**, where you will walk in the footsteps of French royalty.
- ❑ Pick up your **audioguides** which will help you make the most out of your visit.
- ❑ What better way to explore the enormous Versailles gardens than on a **bicycle!** (*2 hours included*)
- ❑ Visit **Le Hameau de la Reine**, the rustic retreat where Marie Antoinette sought refuge from the pressures of court life.
- ❑ Dinner and night accommodation with your host family.

Day 9 - SATURDAY WITH HOST FAMILY

Saturday, 21 Mar 2026

- ❑ Spend the **Saturday with your host family** and learn more about the local culture while practicing your French!

Day 10 - DEPART

Sunday, 22 Mar 2026

- ❑ Enjoy a final breakfast with your host family before you say good-bye.
- ❑ Meet at the school to board your private bus and transfer to the airport. A Forum representative will help you with the check in.
- ❑ Catch your flight home.

EXCHANGE OVERVIEW

An exchange program is a once-in-a-life time opportunity for students to truly explore, understand, and dive deep into another culture and language! As students fully immerse into the life of their host family and school, they'll experience a type of personal growth and empowerment that can only happen in this unique setting. Students not only travel but host their exchange partners resulting in a lifelong bond between both students and families.

HOSTING A VISITING STUDENT

Your primary responsibility as a host family is to create a welcoming and safe environment for your visiting student. We encourage you to get to know your student and spend time with her/him both inside and outside the home. Visiting students look forward to learning about American culture and customs and practicing their English in daily life. In addition to providing three daily meals for their visiting student, families also provide transportation for the French students between their homes and the school. Prior to hosting, you will receive a profile form with information about your student.

SCHOOL EXCHANGE UNDERSTANDING

Your exchange is organized directly between your school and the partner school. Schools are responsible for the exchange program portion of the itinerary and for selecting and organizing host families. Forum is responsible for flight bookings, optional excursions not organized by the schools, insurance and collecting trip payments. In regard to the exchange partnership, Forum only serves to match the partner schools and advise the schools as they organize their program together. Forum cannot be held responsible for the components organized directly by the schools.

Teachers should agree beforehand what hosting arrangements will be made if the final number of students participating in the exchange differs between schools (e.g. additional host families are recruited, the number of students traveling is reduced to match the partner school). Forum cannot guarantee that schools will have the same number of participants traveling and, therefore, cannot be held responsible if the number of traveling students differs between schools.

Program cost per person*

14+ participants	\$2869
10 - 13 participants	\$3248

Payment schedule

March 30 2025	\$500
April 30 2025	\$300
May 30 2025	\$300
June 30 2025	\$300
July 30 2025	\$300
August 30 2025	\$300
September 30 2025	\$300
October 30 2025	\$300
November 30 2025	Balance

Trip Program includes:

- ✓ Round-trip airfare* from Orlando International Airport to Paris - All airports
- ✓ Departure taxes and airline fuel surcharges of \$619 per traveler
- ✓ Accommodation with your host family during the exchange program
- ✓ Meals at hotel and local restaurants - Breakfast: 0 / Lunch: 2 / Dinner: 0 (includes one beverage and a vegetarian option).
- ✓ Meals with your host family (exceptions may apply)
- ✓ Cultural & leisure activities as per itinerary
- ✓ Classes and workshops (to be confirmed by the partner schools)
- ✓ Service of a bilingual Forum Tour Manager while on tour
- ✓ Local guides as listed in the itinerary
- ✓ 2 chaperone(s) regardless of the group size

Trip Program does not include:

- ✗ Tips are at your discretion – standard guidelines:
 - Forum Tour Manager: 5€/traveler/day
 - Bus Drivers: 1€/traveler/day
 - For all other services (restaurant staff, local guides, etc), we recommend setting aside an additional 2-5€/traveler/day to tip based on the service received.
- ✗ \$50 non-refundable registration fee

Date of quote: **Feb 03, 2025** | Prices are valid until: **Mar 30, 2025** | Your Forum Tour Consultant: **Aisling O’Callaghan**

* All services listed on the proposal are subject to availability. In the event of not being able to book a desired service or supplier, it will be replaced by a similar item of equal standard and value.

* Airlines have the legal right to increase fuel surcharges to flight tickets after bookings have been made. In the event of an increase in airline taxes and/or fuel surcharges, Forum reserves the right to update prices accordingly.

* Forum is pleased to provide the "Student Protection Plan" from Travel Insured International for all participants. You may add the **optional Cancel For Any Reason (CFAR) upgrade**, which allows you to recover 75% of your cancellation fees, provided that the additional cost is paid with or before your final payment for the trip and cancellation occurs 48 hours or more prior to departure. **The base cost for this upgrade is \$62.5. *CFAR is not available to residents of NY state***

To reserve your spot:

1 Create a user account - Scan this QR code with your smartphone
or go to: <https://enrollmentbyprometour.com/travel/3100/tk/8oFEAP>



2 Once your user account has been created, you will receive an email to activate it.

3 Complete the **Enrollment Form** online with a **\$500** deposit by **March 30, 2025**.

**Please note: the CFAR insurance upgrade was made mandatory by your group leader and will be added to your deposit payment upon your enrollment.

Additional enrollment & passport instructions:

- When you enroll, please have the following information ready:
 - Payment method (Forum Language Experience accepts credit / debit card, checks or money orders)
 - Automated monthly payment option available upon enrollment
 - Valid passport - must be valid for at least 6 months AFTER your trip return date
 - **Don't have a passport?** You can enroll now and enter your passport details later. We advise that you apply for your passport as soon as you finish the trip enrollment form. Passport information must be entered no later than three months before departure. If you do not have passport information entered at that time, your trip may be cancelled and Forum cancellation fees will apply.

- You can make payments, review your traveler information, and view trip details through your account.

Need Support? **We're here to help!** 

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