

## THE ROAD OF THE GREAT WINES OF BORDEAUX

### The great wines by bike

For wine lovers, one can undoubtedly say that the Bordeaux region is by far one of the most beautiful and diversified in this field. Whether it is for its five world-famous grape varieties: Médoc, Sauternes, Grave, Entre-de-mers and Libournais or for its sumptuous wine estates and châteaux, this region never ceases to amaze. Do you want to discover the most beautiful Bordeaux detours associated with wine? Don't wait any longer and dive into the heart of the vineyards and castles of the South-West.



From 790€ per person.

### ITINERARY

#### DAY 1: ARRIVAL IN BORDEAUX

##### Welcome in Bordeaux

Welcome to Bordeaux, elegant city, capital of wine and an architectural gem!

Before arriving in our guest house or charming hotel, ideally located near the St Jean de Bordeaux train station or the city center, let yourself be tempted by a stroll through the beautiful streets of this city. Whether it is by going to see the water mirrors, the column of the Girondins or the market of the Capucins, take time to discover this marvel of the south west.

Your host will be able to advise you on possible visits, activities and restaurants not to be missed.

Your bike will be available from 7pm for a possible evening ride.

Night in Bordeaux.

Suggestion 1: Overnight and extra day in Bordeaux

Enjoy a day in the sun of Bordeaux to discover the treasures of this city.

The city of wine, the restaurants of starred chefs, the Opera or the small shopping streets are waiting for you for unforgettable moments.

#### DAY 2: FROM BORDEAUX TO MÉDOC

Distance : 47 km

It's time to head for the wine route. Leaving the beautiful city of Bordeaux behind and following the Garonne River, you will discover a more rural and natural landscape. In front of you, the Médoc region, known for its exceptional wine and its great vineyards. From the "Haut-Médoc" with its intense, powerful and tannic wines to the "Bas-Médocs" and its more colorful wines that keep a softer taste in mouth, don't hesitate to let your oenological hedonism run free.

Night in the city of arrival.

#### DAY 3: FROM MÉDOC TO BOURG SUR GIRONDE

Distance : 36 km

After a night in a charming winery, you will head to the Blayais-Bourgeois region on the other side of the estuary. Once the ferry crossing is done ( Tickets to be paid on site ), you just have to get back on your bike for a new day of escapades where many wineries are waiting for you. A few stops are to be expected if you do not want to miss the wines with notes of game, red fruits, spices and chocolate that characterize this region. Despite these somewhat unusual productions, the winegrowers' secrets of the most beautiful wine route do not stop there.

Night in the city of arrival.

#### DAY 4: FROM BOURG SUR GIRONDE TO SAINT-EMILION

Distance : 51 km

Today is a day dedicated to the Libournais region. Of course, this name calls for two other emblematic ones: Pomerol and Saint-Emilion. On your way, take the time to admire the landscape that surrounds you: castles, rivers, alluvial terraces and vineyards as far as the eye can see. You will end up in Saint-Emilion, a medieval city where old bastides and its fortified enclosure constitute a picturesque heritage known throughout the world. On these lands your nose and your palate will be put to contribution to appreciate wines of a great variety. Any wine tasting will also lead to the enjoyment of delicious food, which will complete an experience like no other.

Night in the Saint-Emilion region.

Suggestion 2: Overnight and additional day in Saint-Emilion.

What could be better than another day spent in this prestigious place of the South-West? Here, culture, oenology and gastronomy come together to form a most pleasant stopover. Our favorites to visit: the medieval city, the Cordeliers cloister, the monolithic church and catacombs, the royal tower and the ursuline convent (the origin of the local specialty: macaroons). Of course, the vineyards surrounding the city are also a must-see.

## DAY 5: FROM SAINT-EMILION TO CADILLAC

Distance : 47 km

It's our last day in this little corner of paradise for wine lovers, with a new region on the agenda: the Entre-Deux-Mers and the discovery of sweet wines. We'd like to welcome you to Cadillac, a bastide town that has turned towards modernity while preserving its strong heritage. Known in particular for its ducal château, one of the earliest examples of French-style architecture, the region is full of historical gems just waiting to be discovered in the midst of vineyards offering breathtaking views over a calm green sea.

Overnight in Cadillac.

## DAY 6: FROM CADILLAC TO BORDEAUX

Distance : 45 km

Today you leave Cadillac behind you and finish this tour of the grands crus in style with, in part, a new range of wines: dry whites made from Sauvignon and Semillon grapes. In the distance, Bordeaux again takes shape as you leave behind the relaxing seas of vines that surrounded the cycle path. Return to the city of wine, its secrets of history and its typical architecture.

Want to keep the adventure going? Check out our itinerary on the Canal de la Garonne or the Vélodyssée !

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### Disclaimer

*The stages and partner accommodations mentioned on the site are those we prefer. Depending on your registration date, we may have to reserve for you another accommodation of the same category or different stages. For "last minute" registrations, we may have to offer you less comfortable accommodations, especially during the high summer season. We know perfectly well the different accommodation options available for each stage: we will choose for you the best offer available at the time of your registration.*

## DATES & PRICES

We propose 2 ranges of accommodation for this stay:

Package	Double room 2 pers.	Twin room 2 pers.	Triple room 3 pers.	Single room 1 pers.
<b>Comfort range</b>				
The wine route of Bordeaux (Low season) 6 days / 5 nights	€790	€800	€740	€1,290
The wine route of Bordeaux (High season) 6 days / 5 nights	€830	€850	€760	€1,370
<b>Premium range</b>				
The wine route of Bordeaux (Low season) 6 days / 5 nights	€1,090	€1,120	€990	€1,990
The wine route of Bordeaux (High season) 6 days / 5 nights	€1,230	€1,250	€1,060	€2,260

NB: prices shown are per person.

**Discount from 4 participants.**

Depending on availability at the time of booking, you may be charged a supplement for some of your services.

**Low season: from 12/04 to 31/05/2026 and from 01/10 to 14/10/2026**

**High season: from 01/06 to 30/09/2026**

Departure on the day of your choice (departure possible on weekends).

*NB: These supplements are justified by the fact that we organize private transfers for your group during the low season. During this period, the taxi transfers only your luggage.*

**Outside these periods, please contact us.**

For "last minute" bookings (less than 15 days before the departure date), supplements relating to the transport/transfer of your luggage may apply depending on the number of people and the number of stops on the tour.

#### **OUR PRICE INCLUDES:**

- The 5 nights in guest houses or hotel\*\*
- Breakfasts
- Luggage transfer (1 labelled bag per person, max 23km per bag)
- Telephone assistance 7 days a week
- Registration fees
- Tourist taxes
- Your road-book in digital version on your smartphone.

#### **OUR PRICE DOES NOT INCLUDE:**

- Bike hire throughout the trip
- Wine tasting
- Saddling up
- Travel between your home and the start and end of the holiday
- Lunches and dinners
- Spending on personal items such as souvenirs and drinks
- Travel insurance covering cancellation, illness and repatriation
- Our bicycle insurance. For more information, please [click here](#).
- Generally, all that is not mentioned in 'Our Price Includes'

## **OPTIONS**

### **OPTIONS, SUPPLEMENTS AND REDUCTIONS:**

<b>COMFORT RANGE</b>	
<b>REDUCTIONS</b>	
Discount: No luggage transfer	-€120
Discount: groups of more than 4 people	-€30
<b>SUPPLEMENTS</b>	
Early baggage delivery before 1 p.m. (by transfer, excluding public holidays)	€150
<b>EQUIPMENT HIRE</b>	
Hybrid bike rental (including delivery to the start and its collection) - 6 days	€245
Extra bike hire for one day	€12
Comfort e-bike rental (including delivery to the start and its collection) - 6 days	€335
Extra comfort E-bike rental day	€20
Luxury E-bike rental (including delivery to the start and its collection) - 6 days	€395
Extra Luxury E-bike rental day	€25
Extra waterproof rear bag (20L) for the whole trip	€15
Premium e-bike rental (including delivery to the start and its collection) - 6 days	€350
Extra premium E-bike rental day	€22
Gravel bike rental for the whole trip (delivery & return included) - 6 days	€325
Additional day of Gravel bike rental	€16

Rental of a helmet for the whole trip	€5
<b>SUPPLEMENTARY NIGHTS AT THE BEGINNING OR END OF YOUR TRIP</b>	
Extra night in Bordeaux in double/twin room (breakfast included) - Low season	€80
Extra night in Bordeaux in double/twin room (breakfast included) - High season	€95
Extra night in Bordeaux in triple room (breakfast included) - Low season	€60
Extra night in Bordeaux in triple room (breakfast included) - High season	€65
Extra night in Bordeaux in single room (breakfast included) - Low season	€140
Extra night in Bordeaux in single room (breakfast included) - High season	€150
<b>OUR SUGGESTIONS DURING YOUR HOLIDAY</b>	
Extra night in Saint-Émilion in double/twin room (breakfast included)	€90
Extra night in Saint-Émilion in triple room (breakfast included)	€60
Extra night in Saint-Émilion in single room (breakfast included)	€150
<b>PREMIUM RANGE</b>	
<b>REDUCTIONS</b>	
Discount: No luggage transfer	-€120
Discount: groups of more than 4 people	-€40
<b>SUPPLEMENTS</b>	
Early baggage delivery before 1 p.m. (by transfer, excluding public holidays)	€150
<b>EQUIPMENT HIRE</b>	
Hybrid bike rental (including delivery to the start and its collection) - 6 days	€245
Extra bike hire for one day	€12
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Extra night in Bordeaux in double/twin room (breakfast included) - Low season	€90
Extra night in Bordeaux in double/twin room (breakfast included) - High season	€105
Extra night in Bordeaux in triple room (breakfast included) - Low season	€70
Extra night in Bordeaux in triple room (breakfast included) - High season	€75
Extra night in Bordeaux in single room (breakfast included) - Low season	€160
Extra night in Bordeaux in single room (breakfast included) - High season	€170
<b>OUR SUGGESTIONS DURING YOUR HOLIDAY</b>	
Extra night in Saint-Émilion in double/twin room (breakfast included)	€120
Extra night in Saint-Émilion in triple room (breakfast included)	€80
Extra night in Saint-Émilion in single room (breakfast included)	€170

NB: prices are per person.

## HOSTS

Comfort range

## HÔTEL IN BORDEAUX

You will enjoy a stay in the heart of Bordeaux, in a hotel rich in history. Built from the city's iconic golden stone, this establishment has stood since 1850. You will quickly feel at home and particularly appreciate the warm, friendly, and attentive welcome, as well as the high standards of cleanliness for which the hotel is known. The décor, the emblematic golden stone of Bordeaux, the bright common areas, the charming staircase, and the guesthouse-style atmosphere will all delight you and provide the perfect setting to begin your stay.



Double Room - Confort Range

## DOMAINE IN LISTRAC-MÉDOC

In the heart of the Médoc vineyards, this wine estate offers a peaceful retreat in an elegant and authentic setting. Carefully appointed rooms open onto a lush, green environment ideal for rest and relaxation. The outdoor swimming pool invites you to unwind after a day of exploring châteaux, villages, and wine routes, for a stay infused with the gentle pace and art de vivre of the Médoc.



Guesthouse - Confort Range

## GUESTHOUSE IN BOURG SUR GIRONDE

Nestled in a green haven just steps from the Gironde estuary, this guesthouse charms visitors with its peaceful and welcoming atmosphere. Comfortable rooms, a jacuzzi, and a garden invite you to relax, while the nearby village of Bourg-sur-Gironde offers lovely strolls through charming streets, scenic river views, and a gentle local way of life.



Double Room - Confort Range

## GUESTHOUSE IN SAINT-EMILION

This charming accommodation is ideally located in the heart of Bordeaux's historic city center, just steps from the Garonne riverbanks and the Saint-Pierre district. Housed in an elegant historic building, it stands out for its intimate atmosphere, peaceful setting, and refined décor. The rooms provide a comfortable cocoon, perfect for exploring the city on foot and enjoying its heritage, restaurants, and authentic Bordeaux.

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Double Room - Comfort Range

#### CASTEL\*\*\* IN CADILLAC

Set in a peaceful setting at the heart of the Entre-deux-Mers vineyards, this property charms guests with its serene atmosphere. It also features an outdoor swimming pool, ideal for relaxing after a day of exploring the Garonne valley, charming villages, and vineyard landscapes. An elegant and restful place – perfect for ending your cycling holiday.



Castel - Confort Range

#### Premium range

#### HOTEL IN BORDEAUX

This unique property is set in a former university building elegantly renovated to blend architectural heritage with contemporary design. Generous spaces, natural light, and raw materials create an atmosphere that is both urban and soothing. The hotel offers spacious and comfortable rooms, carefully designed common areas, a welcoming restaurant, and facilities dedicated to well-being, providing a modern and refined hotel experience in the heart of Bordeaux.



Reception - Premium Range

#### DOMAINE IN MOULIS EN MEDOC

This property is a beautiful character residence located in the heart of the Médoc, surrounded by vineyards and the typical landscapes of the Margaux appellation. It charms guests with its peaceful atmosphere, swimming pool, authentic character, and lush setting, an ideal retreat for

a quiet escape combining wine heritage, nature, and the Bordeaux art of living.



Swimming pool - Premium Range

#### CASTEL IN BOURG SUR GIRONDE

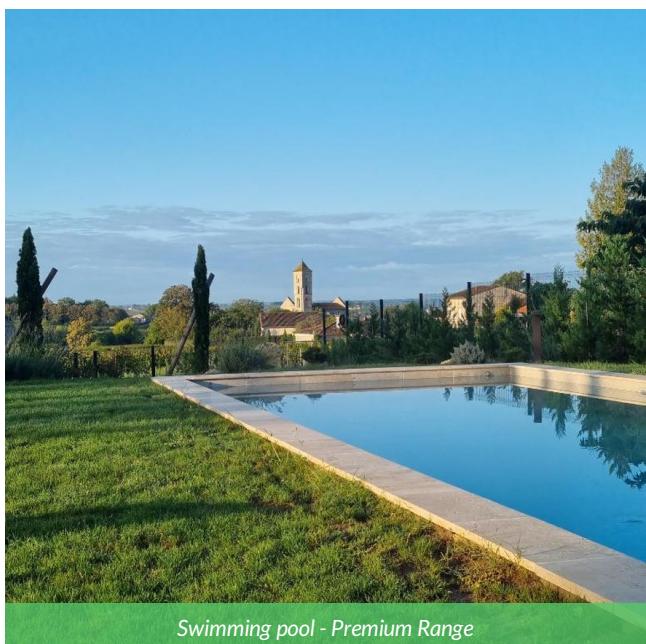
This character residence is set within a vast, tree-lined park on the outskirts of Bordeaux. The property combines the charm of classical architecture with contemporary features designed for comfort, including elegant and well-equipped rooms, bright communal areas, terraces, and an outdoor swimming pool for relaxing during the warmer months. Its peaceful surroundings, while remaining close to the city center and the vineyards, make it an ideal stopover for combining rest, nature, and discovery of the Bordeaux region.



Vineyard - Premium Range

#### HÔTEL\*\*\*\* IN SAINT EMILION

It offers an elegant and restful setting in the heart of the vineyards. The property features comfortable, well-appointed rooms overlooking a tree-lined park, as well as an outdoor swimming pool that is especially enjoyable in fine weather. The common areas invite you to relax after a day of cycling discoveries, and breakfast allows you to start the day gently in the peaceful atmosphere typical of the Bordeaux region



Swimming pool - Premium Range

## CASTEL IN CADILLAC

This elegant character residence is located in the heart of the Sainte-Croix-du-Mont vineyards, overlooking the Garonne Valley. The accommodation charms guests with its comfortable and refined rooms, welcoming common areas, and peaceful surroundings. The tree-lined garden and wine estate provide an ideal setting to relax at the end of your cycling journey.



Garden - Premium Range

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\*NB: this is our preferred accommodation. Depending on your registration date, we may be able to reserve other accommodation of the same category for you.

## PRACTICAL INFO

### THE BIKES WE OFFER FOR YOUR STAY :

#### THE MUSCULAR BIKE :



- Arcade Escape VTC mixed model
- Multiple frame sizes to fit your height
- 21 trigger speeds
- Aluminum frame
- Frame geometry for easy straddling
- Adjustable stem (for a more reclined or upright position)
- Comfortable gel seat
- Rear stand (handy with loaded rear panniers)
- Luggage rack

This bike is light, practical and comfortable.

NB : The above bike is our preferred bike. Depending on your registration date, we may be able to reserve another bike of the same category for you.

#### THE ELECTRIC BIKE :



- Arcade Performance VAE mixed model
- At least 3 levels of assistance
- 7 speeds minimum
- 80km to 150km of autonomy
- Central motor in the pedal assembly
- Wide enough tires to guarantee extra comfort
- Aluminum frame
- Frame geometry for easy straddling
- Comfortable gel seat
- Rear stand (practical with loaded rear panniers)
- Luggage rack

This bike allows to accompany your efforts, in short a nice alternative to make a little more kilometers per day.

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#### **ALL YOUR EQUIPMENT IS INCLUDED :**

Thule waterproof rear bag of 25L

Thule waterproof handlebar bag with a smartphone/roadbook holder

Anti-theft device for two bikes

Repair kit

Helmet provided free of charge on request (please ask us when you register)

#### **THEFT AND ASSISTANCE INSURANCE: NATURE OCCITANE INSURES YOU**

In the event of an incident along the route (theft, breakage not resulting from wear and tear, etc.), we insure all equipment for only :

- 2€ per day per bike and/or per piece of equipment
- 3€ per day per electric bike

#### **AT YOUR EXPENSE IN CASE OF THEFT OF THE BIKE OR EQUIPMENT**

Deductible - Without insurance :

- Muscular bike : 595€
- Electric bike : 2 745€

Rate of repair in case of breakage

Deductible - With insurance :

- Muscular bike : 59.50€
- Electric bike : 274.50€

10% of the repair in case of breakage

At your expense in case of theft or loss of equipment :

- Rear bag : 50€
- Anti-theft : 75€
- Repair kit : 25€
- Helmet : 50€

*NB: The declaration of theft from the police station must be provided to Nature Occitane in both cases within 48 hours after the facts.*

## PARKING YOUR VEHICLE DURING YOUR STAY

### IN BORDEAUX

For more security, we can advise you a cheap secure parking, located near the Bordeaux Saint-Jean train station.

[Click here](#) to calculate the rate for your stay or reserve your place.

## HOW TO GET THERE?

In order to limit your CO2 emissions, we encourage you to use public transportation or to carpool. We will take care of returning our bikes from your arrival point.

### → IF YOU COME BY TRAIN :

Bordeaux Saint-Jean train station is the closest and most accessible station to your departure bridge. It is 02h20 from Paris and Toulouse.

### → IF YOU COME BY PLANE :

Bordeaux Mérignac airport is the closest and is served by a shuttle to the city center.

### → IF YOU COME BY CAR :

From Paris: Take the A10 towards Bordeaux.

From Toulouse : Take the A62 then the A63 towards Bordeaux.

## RECOMMENDED EQUIPMENT :

Take a travel bag or suitcase for a change of clothes for the week. You will find it in your accommodation each evening.

### CLOTHING :

- 1 sun hat or cap (helmet provided on request when you register)
- 1 scarf
- Breathable T-shirts

*NB: Avoid cotton, which takes a long time to dry; prefer short-sleeved t-shirts (breathable material)*

- 1 fleece
- 1 Gore-tex jacket, waterproof and breathable
- 2 pair of shorts (short or long), preferably padded for comfort on the bike

**NB: The shorts must be worn next to the skin.**

- 1 pair of comfortable trousers for the evening
- Underwear
- Socks

*NB: Avoid "tennis" type socks (cotton), which take a long time to dry.*

- 1 swimming costume for the pool and your arrival at the sea

### SHOES :

- 1 pair of multi-activity shoes for cycling and walking
- Tennis shoes or sandals for the evening

### EQUIPMENT :

- 1 pair of sunglasses
- 1 pocket knife (to be put in the hold luggage if you take the plane)
- Toiletries
- Toilet paper
- Sunscreen
- Soothing cream anti-friction

This list must be adapted according to the chosen season.