

# Bordeaux Simply Red Two days food & wine tours in Medoc & St Emilion vineyards

2 nights

This tour is a very good way to discover the Medoc & St Emilion wines and famous Grands Crus Classes wineries. The Chateaux visited are all very different, giving you the opportunity to taste many varieties of fine wines based on terroir and individual winemaking process.

Day 1 Arrival day Check in & overnight at your hotel in Bordeaux

# Day 2 Medoc, Margaux & Pauillac (left bank)

A sightseeing on the Chateaux wine road will show you the most prestigious and beautiful estates (Margaux, Palmer, Lafite, Latour, Mouton...). During this day you could experience wine tastings and guided tours to some of them in different appellation such as Margaux & Pauillac. The Medoc wines are mostly blended with Cabernet Sauvignon & Merlot.





- Pick up from your hotel (private vehicle & personal guide)
  Visit & wine tasting session in a Chateau Grand Cru Classe 1855
  Lunch in a local gourmet restaurant
  Visit & wine tasting session in a Chateau Grand Cru Classe 1855
  Wine tasting in a Chateau Grand Cru Classe 1855
- Overnight at your **hotel in Bordeaux**

### Day 3 St Emilion & Pomerol (right bank)

Saint-Emilion is one of the oldest wine area of the Bordeaux region. The medieval city, the vineyard and the landscape are listed by the UNESCO as World Heritage site. Visit, stay and taste this unique spot, which is as much a village as an extraordinary nectar. Pomerol & St Emilion wines are mostly blended with Merlot.





- Pick up from your hotel
- Visit & wine tasting session in a St Emilion Grand Cru Classé \*
- Lunch in a local gourmet restaurant
- Free time for personal discovery of the village
- Wine tasting in a St Emilion or Pomerol "Petit Chateau"
- 5:30 / 6 pm Return to Bordeaux (Train station, airport)

End of our services

# \*Option 1 : Grand Tasting (option € 15 pp)

Upon request, we can organize a visit to a **Premier Grand Cru Classe** followed by a **private tasting at a local wine shop** in Saint Emilion. Leaded by a Bordeaux wines specialist, this "Grand Tasting" will give you the opportunity to learn more and travel over the Bordeaux vineyards, taste and discover a selection of unknown good-value "Petits Chateaux" as well as famous Grands Crus Classes . Easy shipping all over the world.



# Option 2 : Upgrade your Tasting (€ 150 pp)

The regular visit & tasting includes usually 2 wines. For some more fees, some vineyards offer to upgrade their tasting with either old vintages or vertical tasting or barrel tasting. Choose this option if you want to experience more wines.



### Option 3 :Blending Workshop, Be your own wine maker (€ 150 pp)

Learn about the great wines of Bordeaux. You will be guided by a wine specialist to identify the characteristics of each grape variety used in the blend (Merlot, Cabernet Sauvignon, Cabernet Franc and Petit Verdot). Make your own wine and compare it with the one from the Chateau.





# Example of Châteaux visited (wines tasted are usually rated **90-100 pts** )

Pauillac : Lynch Bages, Pichon Longueville , Pedesclaux... Margaux : Giscours, Cantenac Brown, Lascombes ... St Estèphe : Lafon Rochet, Phelan Segur ... St Julien : Beychevelle, Lagrange, Gruaud Larose ... St Emilion : Bellefont, Gaffeliere, St Christophe ... Pomerol : Gazin, Petit Village, Tailhas ...



- Visits some of the most famous Chateaux
- Learn a lot about region, history & wine
- Experience wines from diffrent region
- Exclusive private A/C car transportation
- Personal local guide & wine expert
- 2 gourmet lunches
- Possibility to choose your wineries
- Become a Bordeaux wine expert
- Early booking = best visits
- Private tour = limited availabilities

Visits are not private and only by appointment. Chateaux & schedule depend on availabilities but most of them are members of **"Union des Grands Crus de Bordeaux"** which is a mark of quality.

"Don't hesitate to let us know in your request if you have any preference for specific wineries but, visit to First Growth (Lafite, Latour, Margaux) can not be guaranteed & depend on their own discretion .

### Price listed per persons for the whole tour, based on double occupancy

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Hotel category	3***	4****	Deluxe	
Price per person	€ 885	€ 945	€1250	tri



Accommodation Your hotel or B&B is located in Bordeaux close from all the main centers of interest. We have selected it on quality, services & strict standards of comfort.

### Included

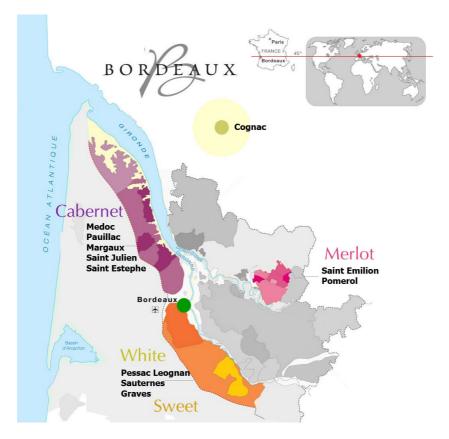
2 nights accommodation, 2 breakfasts, 2 lunches (set menu), 2 days transportation private exclusive minivan (days 2 & 3), personal friendly driver wine guide, visits & tasting fees, Wifi access, insurance, taxes.

### Extra charge

Drinks for lunch / dinner, arrival day transfer, any personal expenses, option & generally speaking any service not mentionned in the itinerary.



This offer is a not a reservation and depends on availabilities at the moment of your booking





### **COVID Safe**

Be assured that our company takes all the proper measures to keep our vehicles clean and tours safe. We provide masks, gel we keep social distancing and our vehicles are sanitised everyday. But the most important it is that all our tours are private which is the best way to respect sanitary rules !

This offer is not a reservation, it depends on availability at the moment of your booking and will be confirmed after an advance fee payment (30% of total amount). Balance has to be paid 15 days before the beginning of our services. We can only confirm visited wineries after your payment and a definitive itinerary will be sent to you before your arrival. We are flexible and we can accept some modification in limit of 2 changes. Any extra change or modification will be charged  $20 \in$  each.



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