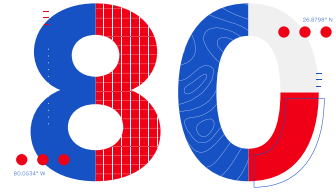




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D-DAY 80 | BE A PART OF HISTORY



# Discover France

10 days | Paris | Normandy

Bookending visits to Paris, the City of Light, provide round-trip context on this journey through Northern France. Commemorative activities in Normandy are complemented by a picturesque visit to St. Malo, as well as stops to marvel at the Palace of Versailles and the Eiffel Tower.

# Lessons come to life

On June 6, 1944, American, Canadian, and British forces made history as 156,000 soldiers landed on the heavily fortified coast of Normandy, France. This was one of the largest amphibious military assaults on record, marking the beginning of the Allied invasion of Western Europe.

In honor of D-Day's 80th anniversary in 2024, join students and educators from across the country to explore the historic sites of World War II. You'll gain a new perspective on history and your place in it as you connect with the local community, participate in ceremonies, and rediscover a significant moment that shaped decades of global affairs. EF's exclusive educational partnerships and deep local access ensure you'll be part of the action during this unforgettable event.



## What to expect on your D-Day tour

### Active participation

From commemoration ceremonies to exclusive EF-led programming, our tours are designed to prompt travelers to think critically about the past and develop an informed understanding of its impact on the present and future.

### Connections

Whether it's interacting with locals or connecting with other students on your tour, there are endless opportunities to engage with communities abroad.

### Building perspective

Develop a richer understanding of historic events on a global scale as you participate in WWII-themed activities and explore significant sites that highlight a variety of historical, social, and cultural perspectives.

### Reflection

Your Tour Director will help facilitate meaningful individual and group reflection through activities and conversations designed to fully engage travelers and instill lessons that last.



# Itinerary

June 2–11, 2024

## Days 1–2 | Paris

Fly overnight to Paris and meet your Tour Director at the airport. Take a walking tour of Montmartre, including the Sacré-Cœur Basilica.

## Day 3 | Normandy

On your way to Normandy, stop in Honfleur to explore the picturesque port town that inspired the likes of Monet and other impressionist painters. Then continue on to St Malo, a seaside city once notorious as the home of the corsairs, French privateers—and even pirates.

## Day 4 | Normandy

Enjoy a guided sightseeing tour of St. Malo, see St. Vincent Cathedral, and find charming streets lined with hotels, restaurants, and stores. You'll also travel to the border between Normandy and Brittany for a visit to Mont St. Michel. This iconic tidal island is surrounded by water at high tide and quicksand at low tide.

## Day 5 | Normandy

Join thousands for the D-Day 80 ceremonies, a once-in-a-lifetime event that commemorates the Normandy landings. Learn more about the operation known as the beginning of the end of World War II.

## Day 6 | Normandy

Continue your tour in Normandy, right where the historic landings happened. Explore the Utah Beach D-Day Museum while experiencing special World War II-themed activities and programming exclusive to EF travelers.

## Day 7 | Normandy | Paris

See more of Normandy with your Tour Director, including a visit to the American Cemetery to pay respects to fallen U.S. soldiers. Stop for photo ops at Omaha Beach and Pointe du Hoc. Then, travel back to Paris and arrive in time for dinner.

## Day 8 | Paris

Take a guided tour that includes a ride down the Champs-Élysées, where you'll pass the Place de la Concorde and the Arc de Triomphe. Strike a pose in front of the Eiffel Tower. Then, on an expert-led tour of Versailles, you'll stroll through elegantly landscaped gardens, the historic Hall of Mirrors, and the ornately decorated State Apartments.

## Day 9 | Paris

Visit the Louvre, home to treasures like Leonardo da Vinci's *Mona Lisa*. Then explore the city's rich history on a walking tour of the Latin Quarter.

## Day 10 | Depart for home

Travel to the airport and depart for home, returning with a new perspective on world history.

*Itinerary is subject to change.*



“History comes alive when you can touch, see, and feel it. That’s what we experienced. My students and I were able to see and do so much. Our Tour Director was knowledgeable and entertaining. I was simply blown away by the sights and experiences.”

—Jeremy B., D-Day 75 Group Leader

### Space is limited

Please ask your teacher for your tour number and visit [ef-tours.com](https://www.ef-tours.com) or call **800-665-5364** to enroll.



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For over 55 years, EF has been working toward one global mission: *Opening the World Through Education*. Your teacher has partnered with EF because of our unmatched worldwide presence, our focus on affordability, and our commitment to providing experiences that teach critical thinking, problem solving, collaboration, and global competence.

### Affordable

Every student should have the opportunity to travel, which is why we're dedicated to providing the lowest prices.

### Insightful

We believe in experiential learning at the most important sites. Your Tour Director is with you at every step, providing their own perspective and local tips.

### Safe

We're committed to your safety. With 600 schools and offices in over 50 countries, EF staff can react quickly and in person wherever you travel.

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## Program price includes:

### Full-time Tour Director

Trained in facilitating experiential learning

### Sightseeing

3 sightseeing tours led by a licensed local guide; 1 sightseeing tour led by your Tour Director; 2 walking tour

### Entrances

Sacré-Cœur Basilica; St. Vincent Cathedral; Mont St. Michel; official D-Day 80 ceremony; Utah Beach D-Day Museum; American Cemetery; Normandy sites; Versailles; Louvre

### All of the details are covered

Round-trip flights on major carriers; comfortable motorcoach; 8 overnight stays in hotels with private bathrooms; European breakfast and dinner daily; lunch on day 5

