



family city guide

Marseille



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A trip to Marseille made easy

Adagio and Auzou Éditions are pleased to offer every budding globetrotter their very own Family City Guide dedicated to Marseille! Follow Wolf as he explores the city and check out his suggestions for the best things to do with your family!

From sports and sightseeing to hands-on activities and restaurants, the team at your Adagio aparthotel have thought of everything to make sure your city break is a breeze. All that's left is to make the most of your trip!

Ready to go?

It's time to have fun!

Let's go!

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Did you know?

Do you know the story of the famous sardine that was so big it completely blocked the entrance to the Old Port of Marseille? That's right! The 'sardine' in question is actually a ship named 'The Sartine' with a 't' and not a 'd', which sank at the entrance.





Mucem

Midway between sky and sea, this museum is dedicated to the cultures of Europe and the Mediterranean, and is unique in the world. More than a museum, Mucem is a true cultural gem. Extending over 1,600 m², discover the great phases in history of the civilisations that have lived and thrived in and around the Mediterranean. Throughout the year, the museum presents temporary exhibitions as well as conferences, films, documentaries, shows, etc. A fun interactive trail also invites children to travel around the Mediterranean, stopping off at seven different places to examine a selection of objects from the museum, accompanied by many characters: kings, sultans, pirates, doges or merchants who will unveil their secrets along the way.



Mucem

7 Promenade Robert Laffont
(esplanade du J4), 13002 Marseille
tel. (+33)4 84 35 13 13
www.mucem.org/en



Metro: Vieux-Port (line 1), Joliette (line 2)



Typical opening hours:

Every day, except Tuesday
November to April: 10am - 6pm
May, June, September and October: 10am - 7pm
July and August: 10am - 8pm
(last entry 45 min before closing)
Closed on 1 May and 25 December



Typical prices:

Adults: €11
Family ticket (2 adults and
5 children max): €18
Free for children under 18 and
on the first Sunday of the month



Available languages:

French, English

Hurray!

Every weekend, a host of activities for kids await at Mucem: fun tours, clever workshops, a games booklet and "L'île aux trésors", a space designed for little adventurers!



Préau des Accoules

At the heart of Marseille old town, in the former hall of the Académie de Marseille, the Préau des Accoules offers a space dedicated to young visitors. The Préau collaborates with the Museums of Marseille to devise innovative educational trails around the Museums' high-quality objects so that the rich reservoir of collections they hold can be explored effectively by the children. Everything has been designed to ensure that their first visit to the museum is fun and full of discoveries that will encourage them to come back again and again. The Préau des Accoules thus aims to be a museum 'playground' where children can contemplate, dream and come into contact with new things as their curiosity is piqued.



Préau des Accoules

29 Montée des Accoules, 13002 Marseille
tel. (+33)4 13 94 83 85
musees.marseille.fr/musee-des-enfants-preau-des-accoules-0



Metro: Vieux-Port (line 1), Joliette (line 2)



Typical opening hours:

Self-guided tours from Tuesday to Saturday, 4pm - 6pm
Subject to booking (by phone):
Wednesday and Saturday at 2pm and Tuesday to Saturday at 2pm during school holidays
Closed on Sundays, Mondays, 1 January, 1 May, 1 and 11 November and 25 December



Typical prices:

Free



Cool :)

Fun games booklets to download!





Petit Train de Marseille

Two lovely train rides await adults and children alike when you climb aboard the Petit Train de Marseille (Marseille's miniature train) to discover the city, steeped in history. The first tour takes you past the Vieux Port (Old Port) and on to the Notre Dame de la Garde basilica via a coastal road that runs past the sea. You can admire sights such as Fort St Nicolas and the Palais du Pharo before reaching La Bonne Mère at 162 metres of altitude. The second tour takes you into Marseille's old quarters, where you will see the Hôtel de Cabre, the Hôtel Dieu, the Cathédrale de la Major, etc.



Petit Train de Marseille

174 quai du Port, 13002 Marseille
tel. (+33)4 91 25 24 69

www.petit-train-marseille.com



Metro: Vieux-Port (line 1)



Typical opening hours:

Every day, all year round
Departures depend on the season
and crowds, check the website

Circuit duration: approx.

1 hour 15 minutes to 1 hour 45 minutes



Typical prices:

Adults: €9

Children (aged 3-11): €5



Available languages:

Multilingual commentary:

French, Italian, English, Russian,
German, Chinese



Yes!

Handy! Take a break at Notre-Dame-de-la-Garde, in the Panier district or at the Terrasses du Port, depending on the route, and leave on the next train!



Château d'If

Discover the Château d'If fortress built by François I, located just off the coast of Marseille and made famous by Alexandre Dumas in his novel *The Count of Monte Cristo*. Just like the valiant knight in the story, the entire family will love this visit! Come and be captivated by the fortress's legends and exceptional views over Marseille and the Frioul Islands.



Château d'If

Boarding: Quai de la Fraternité,
Gare maritime, Vieux-Port
ponton du Frioul, 13001 Marseille
tel. (+33)6 03 06 25 26
www.chateau-if.fr



Metro: Vieux-Port (line 1)



Typical opening hours:

April to September: every day, 10.30am - 6pm
October to March:
Tuesday to Sunday, 10.30am - 5.15pm
Closed during bad weather



Typical prices:

Adults: €6
Free for children under 18
Boat crossing is not included



Available languages:

French, English, German, Italian, Spanish,
Dutch, Japanese, Chinese, Russian, Czech, Portuguese

Wow!

A booklet for young visitors is available in French at the monument ticket office (€2).



Aqualand - Saint-Cyr-sur-Mer

Adventure is on the programme at Aqualand, which promises a lovely family day out. A vast number of water activities and games await, such as the Kamikaze waterslide, the King Cobra, the Niagara, etc. Aqualand also offers an area entirely dedicated to toddlers: the 'Children's Paradise' with its dedicated play areas, pool and waterslide.



Aqualand - Saint-Cyr-sur-Mer

ZAC des Pradeaux, 83270 Saint-Cyr-sur-Mer
tel. (+33)4 94 32 08 32

www.aqualand.fr/saint-cyr-sur-mer



30 mins by car from your aparthotel



Typical opening hours:

Mid-June to mid-July:

every day, 10am - 6pm

Mid-July to early September:

every day, 10am - 7pm



Typical prices:

Adults (aged 11 and over): €29

Children (aged 4-10): €23.50

Family ticket (2 adults

and 2 children): €106

Yum!

Enjoy pizzas, sandwiches, snacks, ice creams or cold drinks on one of the shaded terraces! A picnic area is also available!



Pastré Aventure

In the middle of the forest, set off on an exciting treetop adventure with this fun treetop trail complete with its fantastic view of the sea. Whether you sporty or not, Pastré Aventure welcomes adults and children alike for a truly thrilling experience! Several trails and workshops are available with plenty of instruction provided, meaning that budding explorers can safely enjoy all the fun of being high up in the trees.



Pastré Aventure

155 av. de Montredon, 13008 Marseille

tel. (+33)6 27 41 06 21

www.pastreaventure.com



Vieux Port boat shuttle:

Pointe Rouge stop

Metro: Rond-point du Prado (line 2) + Bus:

Montredon-Pastré (line 19)



Typical opening hours:

Open February to December,

1pm - 7pm

Closes at 6pm from October

to December

Contact Pastré Aventure for the exact

opening and closing dates

(last entry 2 hrs before closing)



Typical prices:

From €14 to €23, equipment supplied



Activities for children aged **5+**



Cool :)

Pastré Aventure offers paninis, sandwiches and drinks to enjoy on site. And make the most of the large green spaces around the park with tables and benches for picnics.



L'Éléphant Rose à Pois Blancs

At L'Éléphant Rose à Pois Blancs, they make heart-warming ice creams. Prepare for a taste sensation with 15 to 30 original ice cream flavours (depending on the season), made on site with ingredients carefully selected for their quality taste and authenticity: with fruit from the market, spices of the world, La Baleine à Cabosse chocolate made in Marseille, and more, take your taste buds on a mad journey with frozen treats! Belgian waffles, ice cream logs, original creations, ice cream cakes and homemade chocolates round off the menu depending on the holiday.



L'Éléphant Rose à Pois Blancs

25 rue des Trois Rois et 12 rue Poggioli
13006 Marseille

tel. (+33)4 91 47 34 68

www.elephantroseglaquier.fr



Metro: Notre Dame du Mont (line 2)

Tram: Eugène Pierre (line 1)

Buses: Place Jean Jaures (line 74)



Typical opening hours:

Tuesday to Saturday,

11.30am - midnight

Sunday: 11.30am - 7.30pm

Opening times vary according to season, check the Facebook page



Typical prices:

1 scoop: €3.50, 2 scoops: €5.50

3 scoops: €8, Topping: €1



Wow!

Street art fans take note!
Discover the different
frescoes and graffiti around
Place Paul Cézanne, Rue
des Trois Rois, Rue André
Poggioli, Rue Pastoret, Rue
Bussy l'Indien and Rue
Crudère.



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