





A beautiful st^ory at the h^eart of the Ch^ampagne region!

Troyes, European capital of stained glass

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Troyes owes its nickname of European capital of stained glass to its exceptional wealth of stained glass, dating from the 12th to the 21st century. With 9000 m² of stained-glass windows classified as "Historical monuments", including 1500 m² in the cathedral of Troyes alone, the Aube department is home to more than a third of all listed stained-glass windows on the planet!

THE CITE DU VITRAIL

Unique in its genre, this stained-glass interpretation centre offers visitors a 3000 m² space entirely dedicated to the art of stained glass in general, and to Troyes' stained-glass-making heritage in particular. You'll have the chance to explore the history of stained glass and its techniques, with an interpretation of its images and a reconstructed workshop, as well as experiences immersed in the light of stained glass through works, film and hands-on games. (Price of entry to the Cité du Vitrail to be added to the price of the guided tour)

*2 options : cathedral / St Urbain and Ste Madeleine / St Pantaléon



MASTERPIECES OF STAINED GLASS IN TROYES

Discover nine centuries of the history of stained glass, from the Middle Ages to the present day, all coming together to make Troyes the European capital of stained glass. From the majestic listed windows of the cathedral, the delicate greyness of the Saint-Pantaléon church and the Saint-Urbain basilica, to the astonishing stained-glass windows of the Sainte-Madeleine church: you'll be amazed!



The Must dos

You're sure to be charmed by the richness of the heart of this historic Champagne capital, home to the largest concentration of half-timbered houses in France! Troyes also offers up its majestic cathedral, rich Renaissance mansions, flamboyant churches, picturesque alleys and intimate courtyards ... Discover all the authentic charms of the city of a thousand colours!



THE MAGNIFICENT TROYES

An unmissable exploration of the historic heart of the city, with its colourful half-timbered houses from the 16th century, the picturesque Ruelle des Chats, the Cour du Mortier d'Or, the Hôtel du Lion Noir and the Sainte-Madeleine church.

THE CATHEDRAL DISTRICT

This unmissable walk in the city's oldest district will allow you to discover the cathedral and its 1500 m² of listed stained-glass windows, the remarkable 14th century homes and the courtyard of the former episcopal palace (opening in 2023).

Our suggestions for themed tours

Are you looking to enrich your discovery in a particular area? A choice of specific tours will unveil the history and treasures of this city endowed with such a rich architectural and historical past.

THE INDUSTRIAL AND HOSIER HERITAGE OF THE 19TH CENTURY

Discover the city's 19th century architecture – simultaneously industrial, with its old fabric factories, and touristic, with its mansions and the working-class districts made up of traditional houses. This tour may be complemented with a guided tour of the Hosiery Museum (please contact us).

TROYES, CRADLE OF THE TEMPLARS

From the cathedral where the Council of Troyes was held in 1129 to formalise the Order of the Templars, to the outside of the former Temple Commandery, passing by the St Jean-au-Marché district where the Champagne fairs were once held, immerse yourself in the fascinating story of the Templars!

Discover all our themed tours







Our day pa^{Ck}ages to suit every budget!

For groups of 20 to 35 people maximum, smart packages that include:

- Screening of the "The Secrets of Troyes La Champagne" film
- Guided tour of the city according to your chosen theme
- Lunch (three courses, drinks included)/Three ranges of restaurants
- Free or guided visit of a museum according to your chosen package

The Treasures of Troyes

From €34 / pers. *

A journey through Troyes – an authentic medieval town with its preserved historic heart, its many architectural treasures and its remarkable museum collections. Self-guided visit of your choice: the Maison de l'Outil et de la Pensée Ouvrière (Tool museum) or the Musée de la Bonneterie (Hosiery museum).

Package available according to the chosen museum's opening days.

Troyes, the city of a thousand colours



From €40/ pers.*

As you stroll through the heart of the city, you'll discover the colourful half-timbered houses of the 16th century and the dazzling stained-glass windows of Troyes' churches. Guided tour of your choice at either the Modern Art Museum (MAM) or the Fine Arts Museum (Musée St Loup).

Package available every day except Monday or Tuesday, depending on the chosen museum.

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From €40 / pers. *

Discover the exceptional wealth bequeathed to the city of Troyes over the years by its master glassmakers. Guided tour of the Cité du Vitrail (Stained glass Centre).

Package available every day except Tuesday

The "Champagne cork"

From €37 / pers. *

The colourful timber-framed houses, the flamboyant churches, the charming medieval narrow streets, the magnificient cathedral...Discover the whole of the historic centre which, seen from the air, is shaped like a champagne cork!

Package available every day.

* depending on the range of restaurants selected.

Discover all our day packages and rates





Troyes City Pass

See more, spend less!

Our "City Pass" makes discovering the city much easier!

For an attractive price of €15, €20 or €25 depending on your chosen duration (24, 48 or 72 hours), benefit from a choice of unique and varied offers to enjoy at your own pace. With this pass, you can join a guided (or audio-guided) tour of the town, see a film about Troyes (in French and English), visit the museums of your choice, enjoy chocolate and champagne* and benefit from discounts in the outlet shopping centres.

Details of the offer available at www.troyeslachampagne.com/city-pass





G^{OU}rmet Pass package



A smart package to make the most of your day trip to Troyes in total peace of mind!

With the **Gourmet Pass package**, all you have to worry about is **ENJOYING** your day in Troves, because everything is included!

SEE THE SIGHTS with your City Pass 24h in your pocket. We'll leave it up to you to plan your day exploring the city at your own pace.

SAVOUR a menu of local products from the Champagne region (three courses, drinks not included) in a selected restaurant in the town's historic heart.

Gr^oup rates

Duration of our guided tours (in consecutive hours unless stated otherwise*)	Weekdays (from 8 am to 9 pm)	Sundays, public holidays and after 9 pm
1h30	120€	165€
3h	165€	250€
7h*	330€	440€

Groups of up to 30 people per guide. A second guide will be required for larger groups. Guided tours available in:













The Troyes La Champagne Tourisme Groups service is at your disposal to help you plan your trips, seminars or events and provide you with all the best spots to visit in the destination.

^{*} Alcohol abuse is bad for your health. Please consume in moderation.

The "little ext^{ra}s" of Troyes La Champagne Tourisme

RECREATIONAL OFFERS

Guided bike or segway tour

Discover restored old quarters, landscaped parks, the welcoming banks of the Seine and the city's grands boulevards.

Route of around 5 km Groups of up to 19 people. Segway circuit exploring the city's historic heart

Offers excluding equipment rental

Bike rental

La Maison du vélo Tél: +33 (0)3 25 80 00 80

Segway rental

Sté Mobilboard Troves (Ora Aventure) Tél: +33 (0)6 22 77 74 13

Duration: 1 hour 30

Sightseeing hike

Accompanied by a hiking guide, you'll travel through the city's districts in search of unusual places, historic sites and preserved natural spaces, each one imbued with its own little piece of history, a legend or an event

Circuit of around 5 km in the city.



Duration: 3 hours







"The Secrets of Troyes La Champagne" film

Discover the region's evolution from prehistory to the present day, and in particular its metamorphosis from Augustobona Tricassium to Troves with the fiesty time-traveller Isidore.

Screening at Troyes La Champagne Tourisme. Film free with any guided-tour booking, available in French and English.



Duration: 16 minutes



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Our Groups service is open all year round from Monday to Friday, 9 am to 12:30 pm and 2 pm to 6 pm.

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