#
A la Francaise! Provence - Avignon, St Rémy, Les Baux de Provence & Pont du Gard

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| **Location:**
Avignon, France
**Language:**
English
**Duration:**
9.0 hours
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**Highlights:**

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Afterward, travel to the foothills of the Alpilles mountain range (Chaîne des Alpilles) to tour a distinguished winery. While at the estate, you’ll learn about the complex characteristics that makes up the region’s rich soil and define Les Baux wines, 85 percent of which is organic and biodynamic. After a stroll through the facilities, indulge in a sampling of several fine wines. You’ll have a short break for lunch (own expense) before the heritage portion of the tour.

Next, travel west of Les Baux to the ancient Roman city of Nîmes, home to some of France's best-preserved ancient monuments. Pop on headphones and lose yourself in the audio narration as you view the city’s relics! See Maison Carrée, a temple honoring Emperor Augustus’ two heirs, and the formidable Roman amphitheater when the film Gladiator was famously set.

Finish in the quaint medieval town of Uzès, France’s first duchy (residence of a duke or duchess). Stroll narrow streets through honey-colored buildings to visit the Fenestrelle Tower, Place aux Herbes (the main square) and Uzès Cathedral. Then travel to the stunning UNESCO-listed Pont du Gard aqueduct on your way back to Avignon.

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Combine Roman and historical heritage on this full-day trip from Avignon!

Explore the former city of the Pope : Avignon, with its Popes Palace. Enjoy a glass of wine of Côtes du Rhône after your walking tour. In the afternoon, you will be in the Alpilles area. First stop will be in Saint-Rémy de Provence to picture the Antiques monuments, then you will visit the pretty village of Les Baux de Provence. Before the return in Avignon, admire the UNESCO World Heritage-listed Pont du Gard aqueduct.

**Inclusions:**

Transport by air-conditioned minivan

Driver/guide

Entrance ticket to Pont du Gard

Entrance ticket to Popes Palace

One glass of Côtes du Rhône wine

Entry/Admission - Palais des Papes

Entry/Admission - Pont du Gard

**Exclusions:**

Gratuities

Food and drinks, unless specified

Lunch

Hotel pick up / drop off

**Know Before You Book:**

- Duration: 9h

- Mobile tickets accepted

- Instant confirmation

**Health items:**

Guides required to regularly wash hands, Hand sanitizer available to travelers and staff, Transportation vehicles regularly sanitized

### Locations:

**Pickup:**
none

**Starts Notes:**
4 Rue de la République, 84000 Avignon, France
Meet your guide at our office A La Française Provence located 4 rue de la république 84000 Avignon.<br>Office de Tourisme d'Avignon, 41 Cr Jean Jaurès, 84000 Avignon, France
Participants will be dropped off in front of Avignon Tourism Office

**Instant Confirmation:**
Yes

### Cancellation

**Cancellation Policy:**
standard

**Cancellation Cut-off:**
24
hours

**Cancellation Notes:**
For a full refund, cancel at least 24 hours in advance of the start date of the experience.

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