

Early booking is recommended due to limited availabilities

### Salon de Provence Viala Lacoste

Viala Lacoste school is located in the south eastern France, on the Mediterranean coast. It has been founded in 1887 and is situated in the center of the town.

- ► Number of students: 625
- Part of international students: 2,7%
- ► Baccalaureat success rate: 100%
- French as a foreign language course: On demand upon arrival, from 2 to 6 hours per week, and at students' expenses (not included)
- Durations offered: Academic year, semester and terms depending on availabilities
- Number of WEP students per classroom: average of 1
- ► Average cost of a lunch at school: 6,25€
- School uniform: no
- ► **Religion classes**: catholic (optional)

Why do students choose this school? To be sure to get as much sun as possible during the program and enjoy the city.

### Good to know

Students can be prepared to take the aeronautical initiation certificate at the end of the academic year.



### Anguages taught درایة tanguages taught at school

All the lessons are taught in French. English, Spanish and German are offered as 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> foreign languages. Italian, Chinese and Russian are also offered. Latin and Greek options can be attended as well.



- Student lounge
- Library
- Computers room
- Gymnasium
- Cafeteria
- Snacking area

# Optional subjects

Options offered to students depending on availabilities upon arrival

Arts, maths expert, Latin, Greek, aeronautics, national IT skills certification...



Swimming, judo, basketball, gym, handball, pétanque, field hockey, archery, table tennis, badminton..

Options offered to students are subject to availabilities upon arrival. Lessons can be attended at school or in clubs depending on the activities. Registration and transportation fees may be charged to the student for activities attended outside school. Acceptance is at the discretion of the club.

# Salon de Provence

How many people live there? 45.000 inhabitants

What is the nearest arrival point? Aix-en-Provence TGV train station Marseille airport

#### What is this area known for?

- Lavender fiels of Provence
- Marseille soap manufactories
- Place of living of the famous astrologer and writer Nostradamus
- Château de l'Emperi (medieval fortress)
- Place Morgan (events, shops, leisure...)
- ...

## What are the other cities around to visit?

Marseille (50km), Avignon (55km), Arles (43km)

#### Gastronomy

Provence herbs, olive oil, calissons of Aix, Camargue rice, Cavaillon melon...

#### Experience the local lifestyle

- Play a game of *Pétanque* with friends
- Appreciate the song of cicadas
- Collect traditional santos for Christmas
- Attend a traditionnal Provençal event
- Visit the local market to smell and taste great food...