

# France 2016

Students are expected to be in good academic standing, show a keen interest in learning and improving their French and will serve as good ambassadors for Riverside Secondary.

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## Basic Information

When?	May 8-23, 2016
Where?	France (Nîmes, Caen, St. Malo, Paris)
Who?	Grade 10-12 French Immersion students
How much?	The approximated cost of \$2900 includes flight, hotels, a tour bus, all group outings (museums, parks, attractions), public transit and teacher coverage.

The annual trip to France has been a longstanding tradition here in the Communications program at Riverside Secondary. This trip gives an opportunity to students to explore a new culture and apply all the lessons they have learned in French Immersion over the years. Over two weeks, the students will visit different regions of France which each have a distinct character and cultural importance.

Students will spend a week in the South of France in Nîmes and its surrounding areas, discovering remnants of the Roman Empire and historic sites such as the Palace of the Popes in Avignon. The trip then brings them through Carcassonne and Oradour-sur-Glane to spend some time in the North in Brittany. A short trip then brings us to Normandy where we spend time visiting war cemeteries and museums, learning about the role Canada played in the Second World War. Finally, a few days are spent in Paris where we visit some of the main sites before heading home.



If you are interested in having your son or daughter to join the 2016 trip to France, please leave your child's name and email address below for updates about upcoming meetings.

Child's name: \_\_\_\_\_ Parent email: \_\_\_\_\_