

Travel & study abroad in *Montpellier, France*

Los Angeles Valley College - Summer 2009



Itinerary:

Depart U.S.: Friday, June 12, 2009
Arrive Montpellier: Saturday, June 13, 2009
Depart Montpellier: Saturday, July 11, 2009

Fees

In return for the services set forth above, based on an enrollment of 15-25 participants, the program fees are:

Housing Option	Program Fee
Single room in university dorm	\$3,300
Single studio in student residence	\$3,525
Shared studio in student residence	\$3,450
Host family with meals	\$3,850

These fees do not include airfare, a refundable \$125 damage deposit, optional medical insurance upgrade (\$65) or optional personal effects coverage (\$90), passport or visa fees, meals other than those indicated, personal expenses, textbooks and any administrative fees/tuition fees that may be levied by LAVC.

These fees are guaranteed not to change as a result of fluctuations in the dollar exchange rate.

Deadline to apply is:
Monday, March 30, 2009

For more information and an application, contact:

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In the summer of 2009, LA Valley College is offering an unforgettable French immersion experience in Montpellier, France. This month-long study abroad program combines French language and civilization classes, lodging in either campus housing or with a French family, a full schedule of tours and activities, weekend travel excursions, and plenty of time to explore France on your own and with new friends from around the world. Excursion costs are included in the program fee to ensure you get the most out of your Mediterranean college experience.

Take advantage of this opportunity to develop real fluency, earn up to 6 units of transferable credit, and discover one of Europe's most beautiful and historic regions! Space in the program is limited, so reserve your spot now by completing a program application, available from Professor Merrill.

Included:

- Round-trip airport transfers by private bus between the Paris airport and the train station for students on the group flight. An AIFS representative will meet the students at the airport.
- Round-trip transfer from Paris to Montpellier by TGV.
- Accommodation options including a shared studio residence with cooking facilities, with typically two LAVC students sharing; in a single studio; in a single university dorm room or with a host family (this is the only option to include meals.)
- An orientation program in Montpellier consisting of an orientation meeting with AIFS staff, student information packet including comprehensive student handbook, local area information, and a half-day guided sightseeing tour of Montpellier.
- Four weeks of intensive French language study at the Institute Linguistique du Peyrou (3 hours a day for a total of 60 hours.) Classes will range from beginning to advanced, and placement tests will be held upon arrival.
- Four cultural workshops for the civilization course.
- Study center with computer access.
- Six half-day visits to locations such as: Nîmes, Sète, Saint Guilhem and a visit to the Grottes de Clamouse, Aigues-Mortes, Château de Flaugergues, and Pézenas including all transportation and entrances.
- Three full-day excursions to Avignon including a visit to Palais des Papes, Arles – La Camargue and Uzès - Pont du Gard including all transportation and entrances.
- Montpellier travel pass.
- \$50 non-refundable application fee.
- Student medical and program fee refund insurance policies.

