

Authentic NORMANDY

Autumn scents

A day in the Pays d'Auge

1 day
22 km
From €35
driver gratuity
Based on 30 pax



ON THE AGENDA

10am to 11.30am: Storytelling tour - Crèvecœur Castle

Discover the small seigniory of Crèvecœur, over the story of the 'Baker's Son'. Your visit comes to an end over a taste of medieval biscuits and hippocras by the fireside in the 15th century farm.

12pm to 2pm: Brunch by the stills - Pierre Huet Calvados distillery

Arouse your five senses and relish in a taste of the treasures of the Pays d'Auge! Come and observe the entire distilling process, and inhale the sweet smell of our freshly distilled apple brandy. By the stills, you can then enjoy a seated brunch, comprised of local fare, to deliciously accompany the estate's cider, pommeau and calvados.

2pm to 3pm: Guided tour - Pierre Huet Distillery

Over a guided tour, discover the various stages in transforming apples into calvados, from the press to the ageing cellars.

3.30pm to 5pm: Lisieux, yesterday and today

Panorama and tour of the Basilica of St. Thérèse of Lisieux.

A lecturing guide takes you through the city streets over a delve into its history and heritage: the Gallo-Roman city, the episcopal palace and garden, the cathedral, canonical houses and private mansions, the fifties town and the Basilica. From the antique to the modern town, you will come to understand why Lisieux is reborn from its ashes.

GOURMET BRUNCH

Andouille de Vire chitterling sausage, smoked ham from Manche, potted goose, camembert, pont-l'évêque, livarot and tomme cheeses from Normandy, bread.

Calvados cake, Normandy apple tart or teurgoule rice pudding (depending on stock).

Coffee or tea
Sparkling and still water included
Huet cider, pommeau and calvados.



Further information and booking

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Rates include the visits and tasting sessions mentioned in the programme, together with meals including drinks. Rates do not include transport, personal expenses, travel insurance, luggage insurance and afternoon snack. Each service provider is to be paid direct. Booking at the latest 72 hours in advance. Cancellations within 72 hours of the tour will be invoiced. A 50% deposit is requested upon booking as firm confirmation.