

Meetings & Incentives



Aix-en-Provence & Chocolate Factory

Provençal Delight

Discover some of the hidden treasures of Provence including the traditional art of chocolate making! The region of Provence inspired Cezanne and many other artists thank to its rich historical heritage and its colourful landscape. On this tour you will see the historical village of Aix-en-Provence and the Chocolate Factory of "Puyricard" which is famous not only for its delicious chocolate but also for the "Calisson" special pastries made of almond, marzipan & candied fruits.

The Calissons are a fine sweet confectionery whose production started back in the 12th century when they were distributed by the Archbishop as a blessing during religious festivals. During this gourmet tour of the Chocolate Factory Puyricard, you will witness how the pastries are manufactured with natural ingredients and how the production techniques respect traditional methods from the Mediterranean and the Provençal region. Finally of course you will experience yourself the delicious pastries!

Tour summary:

Drive to Aix en Provence followed by approx. 1½ hour walking tour with free time for shopping in Aix en Provence. 15 min transfer to Puyricard Chocolate Factory. 1½ hour guided interactive visit of Puyricard Chocolate Factory. Return transfer to Marseille. This tour includes the visit of manufacturing workshop & chocolate ateliers followed by some chocolate tasting.

General Conditions

Group size: Maximum 40 people
Operating dates: All around the year
Guided Tour: Available in French & English. Other languages will be translated by tour guide.
Location: Puyricard (Approx. 15 min from Aix-en-Provence & 45 min from Marseille)

Bookings & Information

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