

**A School
Visit to Normandy**

5 day tour

ITINERARY

Leader A Teacher

Address Somewhere in the UK

Telephone – 01234 567 890

Accommodation La Grange d’Espins, 14250 Espins, FRANCE

Telephone – 00 33 2 31 39 65 98

Coach Operator H Atkinson & Sons, Ingleby Arncliffe, Northallerton DL6 3LN

Telephone – 01609 882222

A 49 seat executive touring coach with reclining seats, seat belts, WC, DVD and hot/cold drinks facilities. Drinks may be purchased as required. **Please bring your own choice of DVDs for the journeys.**

Travel Company **Brittany Ferries** **Booking ref:**
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Outward: Portsmouth – Caen 0845

Inward: Caen - Portsmouth 0900

Tickets are at the port and are to be collected by the driver.
Group leader to fill in the ferry passenger form to hand in on arrival

Day 1

With a pick up from your school, depart in time to catch your chosen ferry

0700 Arrive in Portsmouth and check in Brittany Ferries

0845 Ferry sails to Caen

1545 Arrive in Caen and depart for Espins

Check into la Grange d'Espins, ***14250 Espins, FRANCE***

Rest of the afternoon and evening at leisure at the Centre

Evening meal is served at the Centre

Coach not available on this evening

Day 2

0800 Breakfast is served and collect packed lunches

Depart for day excursion with possible visits to:-

360 Cinema at Arromanches

Experience the heart of the battle for the liberation of France by being totally surrounded by film of the action.

Musee du Debarquement, Arromanches

On site explanation of the D Day landings with models, visual aids and outdoor exhibits

Evening meal is served back at the Centre

Bowling de Caen evening activity

Day 3

0800 Breakfast is served and collect packed lunches

0900 Depart for day excursion with possible visits to:-

Memorial de Caen

This superb museum to peace is a must for all those wanting to understand the part of Normandy during WWII and the role of the Allies in the liberation of France. Pre booked Cinema time is a must. Educational booklets for the students to complete can be pre ordered and collected at reception.

Pegasus Bridge Memorial, Ranville.

On site commemoration of the RAF's role in the liberation of Normandy in 1944

Evening meal is served back at the Centre

Evening activity at the centre with outdoor games

Day 4

- 0800 Breakfast is served and collect packed lunches
0900 Depart for day excursion with possible visits to:-

Mont St Michel

One of France's most known and most visited tourist attractions dominates the area between Normandy and Brittany. This important pilgrimage centre is a remarkable example of medieval architecture and a UNESCO World Heritage Site.

Fromagerie

A visit to a camembert cheese making factory which explains the processes necessary to attain the registered trade mark for a traditional camembert. There are also opportunities for tasting

Evening meal is served back at the Centre
Evening activity at the centre with outdoor games

Day 5

- Breakfast is served and collect packed lunches
Depart in time to check in at 0800
0900 Ferry sails from Caen to Portsmouth
1345 Arrive Portsmouth and return to school