



France

Age : 13 to 17



HIGH SCHOOL ABROAD

High school exchange in France (English and Spanish native speakers)

SCHOOL EXPERIENCE

We place our students across France.

Our host families are volunteer, all really enthusiastic to offer a warm welcome to the student. The student will be given the chance to go to a local French school - "collège" or "lycée".

SCHOOL SYSTEM

French secondary education is divided into two tiers: the "collège" for the first four years (Grades 6-9); and the "lycée" for the last three years (Grades 10-12).

The school director makes the decision regarding grade and placement level for international students, taking into account the school organization, the students' transcripts and their French level. Students attend **mandatory subjects** : French, English and one extra Foreign Language, Mathematics, History/Geography, P.E. ; and 3 so called "spécialités" in grade 11 (2 in grade 12) among a 7 to 12 choices.

Graduation from French secondary schools is only possible after at least **two years of studies**. Please note that we also offer international students to attend a short term homestay and

school integration program (from 2 up to 10 weeks).

INTENSIVE FRENCH COURSE

Students are encouraged to attend a non-mandatory intensive French course before school starts. The course takes place during the last two weeks of August, in Paris.

We highly recommend this course to our students so they may be better prepared for their school year in France, especially if their French level is limited.

NACEL SUPPORT TEAM AND PROCESSES

A Nacel coordinator will be in touch with the student and the host family once a month, usually per phone, WhatsApp or email.

A visit is arranged once per term (3 times a year).

The national Nacel coordinator is also available at all times on weekdays, working hours. Outside of French working hours (evenings, nights and weekends), a French hotline is available for students, host families and schools.

Location : All over France

Boarding : Full board

Accommodation : Host family

Length : Fall or Spring term / School Semester Abroad France / School Year Abroad France

Type : Public and Private



International students will have the opportunity to live with a volunteer French host family and go to a local high school (Lycée) or middle school (Collège) like any French student.

Students will see their French language skills improve quickly and efficiently due to the constant immersion in the French language.

Application deadline : January 30th for arrival in August, July 30th for arrival in January. Late application may be accepted, depending on availability and visa processing times. Limited numbers of spaces, please apply early. 3 months before arrival for stays up to 10 weeks.

Requirements : Students must be interviewed in their home country before being accepted on the program. A minimum of two years of French study (A2 Level) and good academic results are required.

PROGRAM	REF.	PRICE
Public and Private <i>Fall or Spring term</i>	ZFT1P/ZFT2P	5 540 EUR
Public and Private <i>School Semester Abroad France</i>	ZFS1P/ZFS2P	7 090 EUR
Public and Private <i>School Year Abroad France</i>	ZFY2P	10 840 EUR