

## A FOCUS ON WINE TASTING

### St Emilion, Pomerol, Premières Côtes de Bordeaux, Pessac, Bordeaux city and Médoc

**Duration:** 5 days & 4 nights. 2 nights St Emilion. 2 nights Bordeaux city.

**Dates:** Start any day of your choice - all year round, subject to availability.

**1,220€ pp**

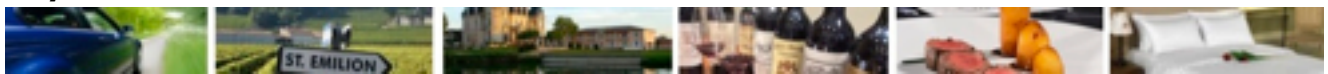
**Travel:** GPS guided self-drive - includes hire of medium-sized (manual transmission) car with insurance. Other car choices are available. Using own car 1,140€ pp. Small car 1,205€ pp. Automatic medium 1,265€ pp.

**Accomm:** Château Grand Barrail 4\* St Emilion (2 nights, superior room including breakfast & taxes).  
Hotel Majestic 3\* Bordeaux city (2 nights, superior room including breakfast & taxes).  
Upgrades to 4\* or 5\* hotels in Bordeaux city are available. Ask for more details.

**Price:** 1,220€ per person (based on two sharing). 30% deposit upon booking. Balance due 8 weeks before arrival. Payment accepted by PayPal (with 2.0% card handling fee) or electronic transfer (no handling fee).

**Included:** Hire car, accommodation, breakfasts, touring guidebook & pre-programmed GPS sent in advance of arrival, vineyard tours and tastings & meals as specified.

#### Day 1 - St Emilion



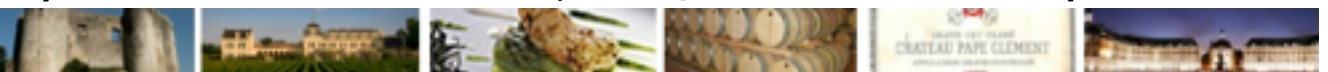
- Collect your hire car & drive to St Emilion and check in to your 4 star hotel, Château Grand Barrail, near St Emilion town.
- Pre-paid visit and tasting at an exclusive St Emilion Grand Cru Classé château.
- Dinner suggestions are provided in your guidebook (sent before you arrive). Choose to eat at your hotel, drive in to St Emilion or to a romantic restaurant in the surrounding countryside. GT can reserve your table.

#### Day 2 - Pomerol & St Emilion



- Use your GPS & guidebook to see famous châteaux of note before your first appointment.
- Pre-paid visit and tasting at a second St Emilion Grand Cru Classé château.
- Pre-paid light lunch, with wine, to be enjoyed in the grounds of a St Emilion or Pomerol château.
- Free time to wander around St Emilion's famous cobbled streets.
- Pre-paid visit and tasting at a Pomerol château.
- Dinner suggestions proposed and a table reserved for you if you wish.

#### Day 3 - Premières Côtes de Bordeaux, Pessac/Graves and Bordeaux city



- An interesting route past vineyards in the Entre-deux-Mers countryside will be proposed in your guidebook and GPS.
- Pre-paid visit and tasting at a Premières Côtes de Bordeaux or Entre-deux-Mers family run vineyard.
- Pre-paid visit and tasting at a Pessac or Graves wine château.
- Check in to Hotel Majestic in the heart of Bordeaux city centre. Evening meal recommendations provided.
- Enjoy a pre-paid dinner (excl drinks) at a wonderful gastronomic bistro in Bordeaux city centre.

#### Day 4 - Médoc - Margaux, St-Julien, Pauillac and Bordeaux city centre



- Drive up the Médoc wine region passing by many of the most famous châteaux in the world.
- Pre-paid visit and tasting to an exclusive Grand Cru Classé wine château in the Margaux appellation.
- Enjoy a pre-paid lunch (excl drinks) at an excellent restaurant in Margaux.
- Drive to St-Julien and Pauillac to experience two further pre-paid visits & tastings at excellent Cru Classé wine châteaux.
- Return to Bordeaux where you can select from dinner suggestions provided in your guidebook. GT can reserve your table.
- Evening free to enjoy Bordeaux's lively nightlife (venues recommended in your guidebook).

#### Day 5 - Bordeaux city



- Relax & enjoy Bordeaux city (a walking tour of the city can be organised for a supplement of 40€ per person).
- Return car to Bordeaux airport or train station, post the GPS in its pre-paid envelope and depart with incredible memories!