

Travel Guide



Read the Travel Guide

Read the Guide to practise and Improve your Reading Skills. Complete the Lesson Activity to test your level.

Introduction

Paris is the capital city of France and one of the most visited cities in the world. Called "The City of Light" because of its spectacular night lighting, it offers historical monuments, incredible gastronomy and extraordinary museums.

Historical monuments

This city stands out due to the large number of monuments and artistic works that are distributed throughout the city. Among the most important are the Eiffel Tower, the Arc de Triomphe, the Sacre Coeur Basilica , the Notre Dame Cathedral and the famous Alexandre III Bridge.

Where to stay

The city is made up of 20 districts that surround the Seine River. In each of them there is a very important monument, park or site. Among the most prominent we find District I (Louvre), District IV (Notre Dame), District VII (Eiffel Tower), District IX (Opera).

Gastronomy

The country has a world-renowned and award-winning gastronomy. Their bread, cheese and wines come first but most tourists want to try dishes like Foie Gras, Quiche Lorraine, Croque-Monsieur, Ratatouille and Soupe au oignons. We can't forget about sweets like Croissants, Éclair and Macaroon.

ACTIVITIES

Choose True or False

- Paris is called the city of lights.
 True
 False
- The city is made up of 15 districts.
 True
 False
- Pizza is one of their main meals.
 True
 False
- The Alexandre III bridge is one of its main monuments.
 True
 False
- The Louvre Palace and Museum is located in District I.
 True
 False
- The Arc de Triomphe is on the outskirts of the city.
 True
 False

Complete the Sentences

- The Seine River _____ the city creating a special visual attraction.
 runs through
 run through
 swims on
- Croissant is one of the _____ in the French pastry.
 less chosen
 museums
 main choices
- The Latin Quarter is in District five. One of the places _____ nightlife.
 the most
 with the more
 with the most
- Paris is one of the cities with most Michelin Stars _____ gastronomy.
 due to its
 due its
 does to its
- The Notre Dame Cathedral _____ into the Seine River.
 in under an island
 is behind an island
 is on an island
- The Eiffel Tower _____ for the World's Fair in 1889.
 was built
 was build
 were built

Correct answers on bottom page.

CORRECT ANSWERS

- True
- False
- False
- True
- True
- False
- runs through
- main choices
- with the most
- due to its
- is on an island
- was built