

# PASSPORT TO GLOBAL GETAWAY -

# FRANCE



## FRENCH HISTORY

France was originally called Gaul by the Romans who gave the name to the entire area where the Celts lived. This was at the time of Julius Caesar's conquest of the area in 51-58 BC.



## FRENCH TOURISM

France is known all around the world for Paris and its monuments such as the Eiffel Tower and the Notre-Dame cathedral. French people are very passionate about their culture and art, which is showcased in many museums like the Louvre.



## FRENCH CUISINE

Traditional French favorites: Coq au vin, the Provençal fish stew bouillabaisse, French onion soup, and forget the croissant and baguette. French dishes often use simple ingredients transformed by artful techniques.



## FASHION, FASHION, FASHION

Fashion in France is very important to its culture and country's social life, as well, being a key component of its economy. Fashion design and production became prominent in France since 15th century.



## CHEESE

There are more than 1,000 kinds of cheese in France! 96% of French people regularly eat cheese. With 26.7kg of cheese eaten per person per year, the French are amongst the highest consumers of cheese in the world.

