

PROGRAMME OF CULTURAL ACTIVITIES

August 2025



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Free cultural activities



Welcome breakfast - Monday, August 4th

Vicat Room (A030-A031), 8:30 – 9:00 AM
Registration not required

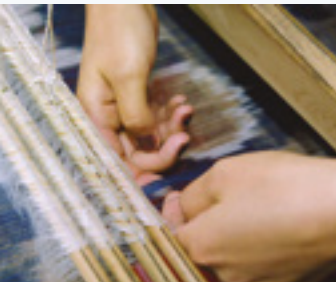
Welcome to Lyon! To celebrate this new promotion and your arrival, we're offering you a snack so that you can get to know each other and get the month off to a good start!



Lyon discovery walk - Wednesday, August 6th

Meeting point: 1:20 PM, Place Bellecour / 1:20 PM – 3:30 PM
Registration: Monday, August 4th in person, during lunchtime

Let's discover historic Lyon and its UNESCO World Heritage-listed treasures! We'll wander through the Renaissance district of Saint Jean and slip through the famous traboules (hidden passageways) of Lyon.



Guided tour of the Maison des Canuts - Wednesday, August 13th

Meeting point depending on the group at 10 Rue d'Ivry
Registration: Monday, August 4th in person, during lunchtime

Dive into the history of silk in Lyon by visiting the Maison des Canuts. Discover a 19th-century weaving workshop with a demonstration on a Jacquard loom, and explore the evolution of Lyon's silk industry and its social impact. A fascinating immersion into Lyon's heritage.



Annecy, the Little Venice of the Alps - Wednesday, August 20th

Place Bellecour – Statue of the Little Prince and Antoine de St Exupéry, at 8:00 a.m. / 8:00 a.m. – 7:15 p.m.
Registration: Monday, August 4th in person, during lunchtime

The Little Venice of the Alps awaits you for a dream day between lake and mountains! Swimming, a walk through the old town, and a visit to the Château d'Annecy: a postcard setting and a journey through time await you. Don't miss this unforgettable getaway!
Lunch not provided – please bring your own.



Cruise on the Saône - Wednesday, August 27th

Meeting point: 10:40 a.m. at 2 quai des Célestins / 10:40 a.m. – 12:15 p.m.
Registration: Monday, August 4th in person, during lunchtime

Sit back and relax as you glide along the Saône and discover Lyon from a new perspective! A guided cruise along historical riverbanks, colorful façades, and hidden secrets... A peaceful journey through Lyon's history and architecture.



Farewell gathering - Thursday, August 28th

**Salle Vicat (A030-A031), from 12:30 p.m. – 1:30 p.m.
Registration not required**

Let's share a final moment together to say goodbye and close the month of August with a little buffet!

Paid activity



Avignon: In the Heart of the Popes and Legends!

**Saturday, August 23rd / Meeting point: Place Bellecour – Statue of the Little Prince and Antoine de St Exupéry, 7:00 a.m. – 7:45 p.m.
Registration: Monday, August 4th in person, at lunchtime
Price: €55 by credit card.**

Explore the majestic Palais des Papes, the largest Gothic fortress in Europe, stroll through its gardens, and admire the famous Pont d'Avignon. Then, enjoy your free time wandering the charming streets and discovering this history-rich city!

Transport and guided visits are included in the price. Lunch not provided – please bring your own.

Further information

To take part in an activity, registration is **mandatory**. You are free to sign up for as **many activities** as you like.

Please note: places are limited / Everything is free of charge except for the paid activity.

Registration is a **commitment** on your part to come on the day of the activity. If you are unable to attend, please **let us know by e-mail** so that we can make room for other people.

Please respect the meeting time. Students who arrive late will not be expected.

There will be no refund for paid activities (except for medical reasons, with a doctor's note).

The ILCF accompanies students during activities, but is not responsible for them.



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