

BRILLIANT BORDEAUX

8 Days // S.S. Bon Voyage

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Connoisseur Collection: Enjoy a culinary-focused French cruise that will take you on a Bordeaux walking tour with complimentary caviar tasting, to an open deck bus tour through Bordeaux, to Remy Martin for Cognac samples and more.

Delight in a **Masterpiece Collection** cooking lesson and lunch at Château Ambe Tour Pourret, Saint-Émilion.

Meditate at sunrise on Europe's highest sand dune, Dune du Pilat, as part of a **Masterpiece Collection** excursion.



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DAY ① BORDEAUX (EMBARK) D

Arrive at Bordeaux-Mérignac International Airport. If your cruise package includes a group arrival transfer or if you have purchased a private arrival transfer, you will be greeted by a Uniworld representative and transferred to the ship.

DAY ② BLAYE » BOURG SUR GIRONDE BB L WD

The Route de la Corniche Fleurie...could this be the most beautiful road you've ever travelled? Find out today on the drive to Blaye Fortress, passing through one impossibly picturesque hamlet after another. Once you arrive, you'll find your centre with a unique and expertly led yoga session in the heart of this historic fortress, a UNESCO-designated citadel that once protected Bordeaux from attacks by sea.

Featured Excursions: Choice of panoramas of Route de la Corniche Fleurie with Blaye Fortress or "Let's Go" yoga in the historic heart of Blaye Fortress, and Bourg sur Gironde walking tour.

Back Onboard: Delight in the chance to partake in an exhilarating French cancan lesson.

DAY ③ CUSSAC FORT MÉDOC » PAUILLAC-LA-FAYETTE

 BB L D

The legendary Médoc region abounds with prestigious wine châteaux in a dizzying array of architectural styles, as well as miles of grapevines stretching to infinity. Take a scenic drive through the storied Médoc wine route, followed by a wine tasting at a beautiful wine estate. Enjoy the waters of the Garonne River and the Gironde Estuary before heading to the pretty town of Pauillac, gateway to the storied Médoc wine route, the Atlantic coast and remnants of the Atlantic Wall erected during WWII.

Featured Excursions: Choice of Médoc Châteaux route with private wine tasting or bunker archaeology tour or "Let's Go" bike in the Médoc vineyards.

DAY ④ CADILLAC* » LIBOURNE BB L D

The French phrase "la douceur de vivre" is an accurate description for your time in Cadillac, known for its deliciously flavoured dessert wines. Visit Château Royal de Cazeneuve, site of Henry IV and Queen Margot's tempestuous love. Meet the owner around a glass of Sauternes in the reception hall.

Featured Excursions: Choice of Sauternes vineyard visit with private tasting at Château de Cazeneuve or the colourful life of Toulouse-Lautrec at Château de Malromé.

DAY ⑤ LIBOURNE (SAINT-ÉMILION) BB D

The medieval town of Saint-Émilion is an ideal place to linger. Wander its cobblestone lanes lined with wine shops and bakeries, and stop to admire the amazing rock-hewn church that extends beneath the city's streets. Another treasure awaiting you underground? A wine tasting in the cellars of a Grand Cru estate. With Libourne as your base, travel to nearby breathtaking Saint-Émilion and immerse yourself more deeply in the region's history and wine culture.

Featured Excursion: Saint-Émilion walking tour with wine tasting.

DAY ⑥ LIBOURNE » BORDEAUX BB L D

France's rich agricultural tradition is the heart and soul of the region's exquisite cuisine—and what better way to get a taste for the freshest vegetables, cheeses, breads and fruits than with a visit to Libourne's lively farmers' market?

Featured Excursions: Libourne "Village Day" with farmers' market and Bordeaux night stroll.

DAY ⑦ BORDEAUX BB L FD

Discover Bordeaux's many charms today, either on foot with a local expert or on two wheels—the locals' preferred way to navigate the city's charming backstreets. You have a wonderful selection of active opportunities to see this magnificent UNESCO World Heritage Site.

Featured Excursions: Choice of "Do as the Locals Do" Bordeaux walking tour or "Let's Go" bike Bordeaux's backstreets, and Cité du Vin Museum visit.

Your Call: Choose to participate in an optional "Masterpiece Collection" hike up the Dune du Pilat, Europe's highest sand dune. As the sun rises, take in the energy; feel on top of the world while embracing the views over the massive pine forest, Atlantic Ocean, Arcachon Bay and beyond.

DAY ⑧ BORDEAUX (DISEMBARK) CB/BB

Disembark the ship. If your cruise package includes a group departure transfer or if you have purchased a private departure transfer, you will be transferred to Bordeaux-Mérignac International Airport for your flight home.

**Sailing this stretch of the Garonne depends on the tides. If it is not possible to sail to Cadillac, you will be transferred to your destination via motorcoach.*

CRUISE SNAPSHOT



7 Nights Cruising



2 Private Experiences



19 Meals
Including 1 Welcome Dinner
and 1 Farewell Dinner



3 UNESCO Heritage Sites



14 Included Excursions

Cruise Start Dates

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Mar 29 **Apr** 5, 12, 19, 26 **May** 3,
10, 24, 31 **Jun** 7, 14, 21, 28 **Jul** 5,
12, 19, 26 **Aug** 2, 9, 16, 23, 30
Sep 6, 13, 20, 27 **Oct** 4, 11, 18,
25 **Nov** 1

Pre-Cruise Extension

3-Day Paris

*Additional fees apply.
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CONNOISSEUR COLLECTION DATES

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Jul 19, 26 **Aug** 2, 9, 16

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-  Embark/Disembark
-  UNESCO Site
-  Motorcoach
-  Flight
-  Boat

- CB/BB** Contl Breakfast/Buffer
- L** Lunch
- D** Dinner
- WD/FD** Welcome/Farewell Dinner