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Specializing in customized group tours

TERMS & CONDITIONS

Tour: Paris & Southern France
Dates: February 16 – 24, 2018
Group: School Group
Tour #: 021618 xx

Price PP – Triple/Quad Occ.
\$3,395.00 with 18 travelers
\$3,270.00 with 24 travelers
+\$210.00 Double Occ. Supp. PP
+\$95.00 Adult Admissions Supp. PP

Registration & Deposit Deadline: Friday, October 6, 2017

To Register: Submit a **\$500.00 deposit (plus insurance premium)****, a completed Tour Application, and a signed Agreement & Release form to your group leader by the date listed above.

Payment of Balance: Travelers will be invoiced for the balance of the program fee in **3 monthly installments (approx. \$965 each)** due from Nov. 2017 through January 2018. Balance must be paid **45 days** prior to departure

Payment Details: Acceptable forms of payment include check or money order made payable to Group Tours, Inc. Visa, Mastercard or Discover are also accepted by telephone to the Group Tours office or online at www.grouptoursinc.com. When submitting a payment, please indicate the traveler's name, group name, and the tour **#021618 xx** to ensure your account is properly credited. A \$25.00 fee will be charged for returned checks.

Price: The price listed is specific to this custom itinerary and dates, and, as indicated is based on a minimum group size. If enrollments do not reach **18** participants, the agency will work with group leaders to make adjustments to operate the tour within the specified price/budget.

Participant Responsibility: All participants and his/her family are required to read this page of tour information, terms and conditions, and the Agreement & Release (on the reverse of the Tour Application). By completing and submitting the Tour Application, the tour participant and his/her family agrees to all the information and terms as outlined in this document, (including the Cancellation & Refund Policy) and the Agreement & Release. **Families are required to obtain and submit a copy of the traveler's Passports no later than 90 days prior to tour departure. All Passports must be valid until 90 days following your tour return date or passengers may be denied boarding by the airlines on your departure, and program fees would be non-refundable at that time. Submit passports by email to passports.grouptours@outlook.com.**

Program Materials: Participants will receive a tour Final Itinerary in addition to a variety of trip preparation materials and luggage tags at the mandatory group final informational meeting, 3-4 weeks prior to tour departure.

Price Includes: Round-trip transatlantic airfare between the US and Paris/Nice, (including domestic and foreign airport, airline, and government taxes, security fees, passenger facility charges and fuel surcharges (see below*); accommodations for 7 nights in 3-star, centrally located hotels (triple/quad occ. for students, double for group leaders); ground transportation for included sightseeing activities and airport transfers as indicated in the itinerary (a combination of public and private transportation); continental breakfast daily and 6 dinners (including 2 upgraded dinners); guided tours of Paris, the Louvre, Avignon, Arles, Aix-en-Provence, Nice, and Monaco; admissions to Notre Dame, Arc de Triomphe, the Louvre, the 2nd level of the Eiffel Tower, the Pope's Palace, Arles Arenes, Pont du Gard, and Prince Rainier's Palace; a Bateau Mouche ride on the Seine; a French Cooking Class; services of a full-time tour director, local guides and your group leaders (1 per 8 students); and all hotel, driver, and meal taxes and gratuities.

**Current airline imposed taxes and fuel surcharges have been included in the tour price. However, this amount is subject to change over time. At the time of airline ticketing and traveler final payment, participants will be notified of any change and their balance due will be adjusted accordingly.*

Not Included: Lunches (except 1), 1 dinner, luggage handling, excess luggage fees charged by the airlines; passport fees, beverages other than water with dinners, spending money, a customary tip to your tour director (recommended \$50 pp), and **travel insurance (see below**).**

CANCELLATION & REFUND POLICY

All cancellations **must be made in writing** and indicate the travelers name, school or group name, tour # and reason for cancellation. Cancellation notices will be **accepted by mail, fax, or email (to cancels.grouptours@outlook.com)**. Refunds will be issued 45-60 days from the date the cancellation notice is received. All cancellations are subject to the following penalties **in addition to the non-refundable insurance premium**:**

Days Prior To Departure	Cancellation Fee
180 or more	\$250.00
120-179	25% of price
90-119	50% of price
45-89	75% of price
<45	100% of price

****Please see the separate handout regarding group travel insurance that will provide additional cancellation coverage.**