



G·E·T
Educational Tours

NEW CALEDONIA



2018-19 SCHOOL EDUCATIONAL PROGRAMS

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'Our students appreciated the tours, lessons, hotel accommodation and restaurant dinners and especially the opportunities to speak French and learn about the Kanak culture.'

Stella Maris College, New Caledonia tour

Providing *'Living Lessons'* around the world.



Why do schools choose to travel with G.E.T Educational Tours?

- Saving schools **TIME** and **MONEY**- Proudly Australian owned and operated, we offer international and domestic educational student tours in line with the Australian school curriculum. Our expertise in creating experiential learning opportunities for schools is unrivaled and over 13,000 students and teachers benefit from this each and every year
- **LOCAL SUPPORT** - For more than 55 years we have been providing schools support from our local staff and local offices when and where you need it including hosting parent and student information nights, pre-departure document review with lead teacher and support with airport departures should it be required
- G.E.T has developed **LONG TERM** and **TRUSTED** relationships with our ground partners to ensure that your school receives the most competitive rates available
- Our number one priority is the **SAFETY** and **SECURITY** of students and teachers. G.E.T selects all our partners carefully on the basis of their risk management process and ability to provide comprehensive support to groups when travelling
- Travel with **PEACE OF MIND** - Both local and international 24-hour emergency contact information is provided to teachers on all tour documentation for contact at any time, for any reason

Tour Focus

Many of our itineraries are based on key Australian curriculum requirements. Our current range of educational programs have been designed based on teacher feedback and evolve each year, remaining relevant to curriculum and in line with expected outcomes of teachers and parents.

- Language
- STEM & STEAM
- Visual & Performing Arts
- History
- Adventure & Leadership
- Social Justice & Human Rights
- Culture
- Music
- Sporting Tours



Tjibaou Cultural Centre

G.E.T is a proud member of the following professional industry associations.



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Simply Noumea from \$1,519* pp

This itinerary has been designed to use in conjunction with our French language worksheets. Exclusive to G.E.T, they are designed in step with current curriculum guidelines and teachers can select from a range of topics and materials suited to their own groups and language standards (more information on page 4).

For more information visit: www.getours.com.au/tour-focus/language

DAY 1

French Language Student Worksheet: Pre-Departure & In Flight

- Fly directly from Sydney, Melbourne or Brisbane to Noumea with Airalin
- Transfer by private coach to your hotel accommodation on the idyllic Anse Vata beachfront
- Dinner at own arrangements this evening, there are many well-priced options outside the hotel you can choose from

DAY 2 (B)

French Language Student Worksheet:

Le Supermarché (AM) & World War II Museum (PM)

- After breakfast, catch the local bus to the Geant Supermarché
- Obtain audio and visual content for your worksheet and digital diary. Pick up some baguettes and cheese for lunch.
- After lunch, head by local bus to the WWII Museum, and learn about the important role New Caledonia played in the Second World War. There is an excellent audio guide available. Return to your hotel by local bus.
- Dinner tonight is at own arrangements

DAY 3 (B)

French Language Student Worksheet: Tjibaou Cultural Centre

- Take the local bus to the Tjibaou Cultural Centre and learn about the Kanak people through participation in one of the cultural classes on offer (teachers to select). A fascinating and enjoyable 2 hour program.
- We recommend lunch at the excellent café on-site, offering toasted Panini and drinks for a reasonable price
- This afternoon has been allocated as leisure time to complete your morning worksheets and at your teachers' discretion perhaps a swim in the hotel pool

DAY 4 (B, D)

French Language Student Worksheet: Le Parc Forestier and Le Cagou

- Catch the local bus to Le Parc Forestier to see the symbol of Noumea, Le Cagou. Enjoy your time in the beautiful zoo and botanical gardens.
- Afternoon – self guided walking tour of Noumea, with maps in French provided
- Dinner provided at hotel

DAY 5 (B)

French Language Student Worksheet: Amédée Island (Optional)

- Today is a free day to explore Noumea. It is also a great chance to work on your digital presentations and worksheet tasks
- This day is also set aside for those schools who wish to visit Amédée Island and to complete their Amédée Island worksheet

DAY 6 (B, D)

- After breakfast, catch the local bus to the Museum of New Caledonia (open 9 to 11.30am) before finding a local cafe for lunch (own expense)
- After lunch, catch the local bus from Place des Cocotiers to Mt. Ouen Toro for spectacular views of Noumea, the bay and the southern lagoon
- Buffet dinner tonight is at your hotel

DAY 7 (B)

- After breakfast, we recommend a walk to the Noumea Aquarium (small entrance fee charged)
- The afternoon can be spent reviewing your digital diaries and worksheets as a group and consolidate your learnings

DAY 8 (B)

- It is time to say goodbye to New Caledonia and transfer by coach to Tontouta Airport for your flight home to Australia

TOUR INCLUSIONS:

- Return economy airfares ex Sydney Brisbane and Melbourne
- Pre-paid taxes, levies & charges
- Return airport transfers by coach
- All other transport is by local bus unless otherwise mentioned in the above itinerary (own expense)
- 7 nights at Nouvata with buffet breakfast daily (triple share)
- Twin share accommodation for teachers
- 2 x dinners at your hotel
- The use of G.E.T's exclusive French Language worksheets

**Prices correct on September 30th 2017 and is based on low season airfare. Variation in price may occur due to changes such as departure city, seasonality and fluctuations in currency exchanges. Price is based on 22 paying passengers.*

UPGRADE OPTION

SEJOUR NOUMEA from \$235 pp

- Suited for secondary school students at beginner to intermediate level
- All groups stay at the Nouvata Hotel Complex
- 3 x 1 hour language lessons at your hotel
- 2 x additional dinners
- 1 x full day Amédée Island tour (weekday)

Nouvata Hotel Complex is the safe and ideal place for schools to stay and has been G.E.T's first accommodation preference for students and teachers for over 20 years. Nouvata offers guaranteed refurbished rooms for G.E.T groups, buffet breakfast and dinner and is conveniently located just walking distance to most restaurants and attractions.



Intensive French Language with Homestay from \$1,863*

Our homestay families are carefully selected to provide students with a safe and comfortable family environment in convenient locations. The homestay program is run in conjunction with our language school partners in Noumea.

- We offer schools flexibility with their choice of language school – Creipac or Institut Voltaire
- The homestay program is designed to suit Intermediate and Advanced level students (years 9-12 – minimum age is 15 years)

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DAY 1 AUSTRALIA – NOUMEA

- On arrival at Tontouta Airport transfer by coach to your hotel accommodation on the idyllic Anse Vata beachfront

DAY 2 HOMESTAY (B, D)

- After breakfast transfer by coach to your chosen language centre for your first 3 hour French lesson
- Following your morning lesson, this afternoon is at leisure. Meet your homestay families at 4.30pm as a group and return to their home for the next 5 nights.
- Teachers will be accommodated at the hotel during this time

DAYS 3 & 4 HOMESTAY (B, D)

- Each morning after breakfast, homestay families will deliver students to the language centre for their morning lessons
- Following the lesson, students will enjoy some leisure time this afternoon at their teachers' discretion
- At 4.30pm, your host family will pick students up from the agreed meeting point and return to their home for the rest of the evening. Enjoy dinner with the family and have a chance to practise all of the French that you have been learning in class.

DAY 5 AMÉDÉE ISLAND (B, L, D)

- The host family will drop students at Port Moselle at 8am for a full day excursion to Amédée Island
- This excursion also includes a tropical island buffet lunch and Pacific cultural performances on the beach

Did You know: Minimum age for homestay is 15 years. Homestays are arranged with 2 students per family, or 3 in some cases. Students will spend time with their host families participating in their everyday lives and activities.

DAY 6 HOMESTAY (B, L, D)

- Spend the day with your host family and have a unique opportunity to experience what daily life is like for locals in Noumea. The host families will provide all meals on this day.

DAY 7 NOUMEA (B, D)

- Homestay families will take students to the language centre for their final language lesson and say their goodbyes
- Following the lesson, transfer by coach to the hotel. Enjoy some free time during your final afternoon in Noumea. Dinner at hotel.

DAY 8 NOUMEA – AUSTRALIA

- Transfer by coach to Tontouta Airport for your flight home

Please note:

- Breakfast and dinner will be provided each day during student's homestay
- Minimum age for homestay is 15 years old
- Teachers are requested to nominate the language level of students prior to arrival
- Teachers to make their own way to the language school each day

DYK: For those schools who would like to take the intensive French Language classes but do not wish to undertake a family homestay, there is an optional 7 nights accommodation package available. Contact us for more information.

TOUR INCLUSIONS:

- Return economy fares ex Sydney, Brisbane & Melbourne
- Pre-paid taxes, levies & charges
- Return airport transfers
- 2 nights at Novata hotel with buffet breakfast daily
- 5 nights homestay with breakfast & dinner daily
- 7 nights at Novata hotel with breakfast daily for teachers
- Twin share accommodation for teachers (single room option available at additional cost)
- 1 x dinner at the hotel
- 1 x full day Amédée Island tour (teacher transfers provided)
- 4 x 3 hour French language lessons

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Extra Activities & Programs

French Language Worksheets

Language worksheets are a great way to teach students French language skills while in an interactive and engaging environment.

The subjects covered in our French Language Worksheets include:

- Pre-departure and in-flight (What have I packed? Start thinking in French!)
- Environment and Conservation (Amédée Island, Le Parc Forestier, Le Cagou)
- Shopping at a French supermarket (Work together to buy ingredients for lunch)
- Local market shopping (Le Marché)
- Local culture (Tjibaou Cultural Centre)
- History of New Caledonia (Museum activities)
- Conversation and interaction with local people

Teachers can select a combination of as many worksheets as their itinerary will allow and are designed to reinforce learning through group activities and creation of a 'digital diary', which will also provide students with a memento of their trip.



NEW for 2018 – School visits and Bougna at Creipac

We are pleased to present two NEW options for schools attending language classes at Creipac in 2018!

- Visit to a local school
- Prepare and enjoy New Caledonia's national dish, the 'Bougna'

Students will enjoy practising their language skills with the children from a nearby school, it's a great way to improve their conversational French, as well as making new friends!

A visit to Le Marché is a key component of the preparation of the Bougna. Students will purchase all ingredients before returning to Creipac to cook their meal, before sharing it together on the seafront at Creipac.



'The North'

Give your students the experience of a lifetime on this 3D/2N trip to the North. Experience the hospitality of the local tribes as you share their national dish together and marvel at the spectacular limestone rock formations.

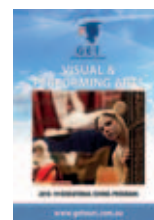
UNESCO listed lagoons and the diversity of the Flora and Fauna unlike anywhere else in the Pacific. Highlights include:

- Visit Turtle Bay in Bourail, and walk along the spectacular cliff top
- Prepare and enjoy the Bougna with the local village chief and his family in the Napoemien Valley
- Walk through the village, meet the local tribe folk, catch freshwater prawns, see diverse flora and fauna, and stop to see the Petroglyph
- Take the boat across to Tibarama Island for the environmental walk and reef snorkelling
- Paddle through the mangroves on the Odyssey Sea Kayak adventure

Price on request.



Travel with confidence on a G.E.T Educational Tours 'Living Lesson'



Within our tours

- Each destination is visited and inspected by our staff for safety, security, location and standard
- We attend your school during the evening to host school information nights and answer every question you may have and build some excitement for the trip ahead!
- We provide you with a comprehensive pre and post departure service

- Teachers - we provide you with all necessary documentation and information to assist in completing your risk management reports and travel submissions
- We offer a unique teacher and parent on-line resource area where you can access updated itineraries, student language worksheets and other useful information when arranging your trip

International Booking Conditions

- **Prices are not final until full payment is received**
- **Amendment & cancellation fees and charges will apply**
- **Student & escort/s names must be exactly the same as the passenger's passport**

Once we have confirmed your itinerary, G.E.T Educational Tours will make payments on your behalf which may incur cancellation and other charges, which we will pass on to you.

Prices

Prices are based on your quoted itinerary including economy class fares, multi-share accommodation and return airport transfers as indicated in your personalised itinerary. We will amend the price to reflect our costs at the time you request a quote. Pre-payable charges including Australian Departure Tax, airport charges, insurance levies and fuel surcharges are included in the total package price. There may also be additional foreign taxes. The tour price does not include the cost of travelling to or from departure and arrival ports, passport and re-entry fees, visa fees, travel insurance, personal expenses and excess baggage charges. When comparing prices, we advise that you ensure that airport transfers and other standard G.E.T Educational Tours inclusions are included in the comparative price.

- Airline fares, hotel rates, ground operators' charges and exchange rates are subject to change without notice at any time prior to full payment
- Statutory charges and levies are subject to change at any time without notice
- All prices are subject to flight schedules
- Airlines may amend fuel surcharges at any time prior to departure

All verbal quotes are only an estimate of the price and written quotes are indicative with final price subject to advice on full payment and receipt of a signed G.E.T Educational Tours booking form.

Passport & Visa Requirements

Your passport and visas are not our responsibility and we are not liable for any loss or expenses caused by your failure to comply with these requirements. Flight reservations cannot be made without passenger names. You must, at the time of booking, advise the correct names of all passengers including students and escorts. It is vital that these conform exactly to the name in each passenger's passport. Name changes after tickets have been issued will result in the issue of new tickets and vouchers and incur amendment charges and may require a higher airfare to be paid. G.E.T Educational Tours can accept no responsibility for any additional charges, or inability to travel as a result of incorrect notification of passenger names. It is the responsibility of the traveller to ensure that their passport and visa validity is in line with the requirements of the country or countries they are travelling to.

Deposits & Payments

A non-refundable deposit of \$300 per passenger for tours to Asia and New Caledonia, and \$1,000 per passenger for tours to Europe and the Americas is payable to confirm your reservation. Should any of our suppliers require additional deposit payments, then we will advise this in our deposit letter. Full payment is required a minimum 65 days prior to departure. Airfare only bookings require a non-refundable deposit of \$250 per passenger to Asia and New Caledonia and \$500 to Europe and the Americas. Bookings may be automatically cancelled if payment is not received.

Changes & Amendments

If you change your booking inside 120 days prior to departure date, we will charge a \$150 amendment fee for each change plus any additional pre-payable taxes, levies or charges. Requests for an individual to travel outside the groups designated dates is subject to availability and will incur an additional charge of \$150 per person, plus any charges that our suppliers may pass on to G.E.T Educational Tours.

Travel Insurance

It is a condition of travelling on our international tours that our passengers are fully covered by comprehensive travel insurance. This should be valid for the full duration of your itinerary. G.E.T Educational Tours offers suitable travel insurance for this tour.

Luggage

Free luggage allowances will be strictly enforced with excess baggage carried by airlines at their discretion and at passengers own expense. Note most full service airlines offer a 20kg free baggage allowance. Some low cost airlines may offer a lower allowance or levy an additional charge for baggage. Please note: in the USA, luggage fees may require payment at check-in.

Cancellations & Refunds

A cancellation fee equal to the deposit and any airfares paid will apply until final payment due date. Bookings cancelled inside this final payment due date will be charged a fee equal to 100% of the land content price and all airline cancellation fees.

Please note: Airlines, ground handling companies, hotels, hostels, homestay accommodation operators, restaurants and tour operators may impose additional cancellation fees inside full payment due date.

We will not refund any unused part of your itinerary including accommodation, transfers, tours and airfares. Airline refunds following cancellations will be made when the airline completes the refund transaction (this may be in excess of 60 days). The price of your tour is not guaranteed until full payment is received.

Special Dietary Requirements

G.E.T Educational Tours requires a medical certificate to support special dietary requirements (excluding religious and vegetarian).

Law of Contract

G.E.T Educational Tours and its suppliers, including airlines, do not accept liability in contract or in tort (actionable wrong) for any injury, damage, loss, delay, additional expense or inconvenience caused directly, or indirectly by force majeure or other events beyond our control, or which are not preventable by reasonable diligence on its part including, but not limited to, war, civil disturbance, fire, flood, unusually severe weather, acts of God, acts of Government or other authorities, accident to or failure of machinery or equipment, or industrial action (whether or not involving its employees and even though such action may be settled by acceding to the demands of a labour group). G.E.T Educational Tours cannot accept responsibility for subsequent changes or withdrawal of prices, details or services which are subject to change without notice. This contract is governed by the law of the State of Victoria.

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