

PRIVATE GUIDED TOURS & GROUPS

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With you in your visit

Do you come in group, with family or friends? and dream of a private visit ?

The Colmar Tourist Office will help you book the exclusive services of a guide and help you discover Colmar and its region:

- A unique consultant who knows the destination perfectly
- A wide range of guided tours for all tastes
- Listening and advices adapted to each public

In the language of your choice:



Our Guides love Heritage !

Specialists in heritage and local traditions, they will help you discover the secrets of Colmar's architecture and its exciting history..

GROUPS



SCHOOLS



Groups are limited to 30 people per guide for the tours in the streets of the city. For the museum visits, they are limited to 25 people per guide and to 19 people for the Bartholdi Museum.
Private visits for 1 or 2 people are possible.

Your contact at the Guided Tours service

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Pratical information

- The guided tours leave from Colmar Tourist Office, place Unterlinden except in exceptional cases which will be indicated to you.
- The guided tours are on foot.
- The bus parking is the "Parking Lacarre", located between the "Place Lacarre" and the "Rue de la Cavalerie", less than 10 minutes walk from the Tourist Office.

For your stay or excursion projects

INCOMING AGENCY

The Tourist Office of Colmar and its region puts at your disposal its know-how and its thorough knowledge of the territory to compose, at your side, a program adapted to your desires for a successful stay.

As a single point of contact, we offer a tailor-made stay and centralize reservations including accommodation, catering, visits, transfers...

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Colmar, the authentic



1h

136 €

Colmar Discovery

Stroll through the picturesque streets for a first discovery. Discover the rich merchants' houses and the magnificent collegiate church of St. Martin. End your visit in front of the magnificent Koifhus or old customs house, once a symbol of political and economic power.



1h30

166 €

Must of Colmar

Discover the emblematic monuments of the old town: the church of the Dominicans, the astonishing Bartholdi museum, the very high half-timbered houses located in the tanners' district. End of the visit at the covered market.



1h

189 €

Colmar by night

Let yourself be charmed by the romanticism of the old town and discover in the evening the architectural heritage of the historic center from another angle. Guided tour only after 8pm.



2h

190 €

Colmar & the little Venice

Discover the-in-depth your walking tour by strolling through the charming alleys of the Little Venice crossed by the river "La Lauch" in addition to the discovery of emblematic monuments. This district, known worldwide for its colorful half-timbered houses, was once inhabited by fishermen, boatmen and market gardeners. End of the tour at the Place des Six Montagnes Noires.

Thematic Guided Tours in Colmar



1h30

166 €

Unusual

Move away from a traditional circuit ! Anecdotes, curiosities, hidden faces of the city, private mansions are revealed.

End your visit in front of the collegiate church St-Martin sculpted with curious gargoyles.



1h30

166 €

A new conception of the city : the German District (1870-1918)

Departure from the Place de la Gare in Colmar in front of the fountain. End at the water tower, in the park of the water tower. Discover the history of the emergence of an airy residential area equipped with innovative modernism. The architectural diversity of these houses of character built by architects-engineers demonstrates today a whole art of living



1h30

166 €

Colmar, capital of Alsace Wines

Visit only available in French and German

Colmar, the capital of Alsace wines, reveals itself thanks to its rich historical heritage related to the history of the vine in Alsace. Discover the main remarkable monuments.



1h30

166 €

On the traces of Judaism in Colmar

Why are there so many synagogues in Alsace ? What is the history of the Jewish community of Colmar ? Discover it with a guide who will clarify you on its specificity, its festivals, its daily life. While walking in the footsteps of Judaism in Colmar, you will visit the synagogue of Colmar, a building dating from 1843.

Thematic Guided Tours in Colmar



1h30

166 €

Bartholdi, on the tracks of the sculptor of Miss Liberty

Come and discover the heritage of the sculptor Auguste Bartholdi, famous for the Statue of Liberty. An extraordinary personality, discover his statues exhibited on monuments and squares in Colmar. The visit will end in the courtyard of the Bartholdi museum, his birthplace, now a museum. You will have the opportunity to visit this place on your own to complete this visit.

(This price does not include the entrance to the Bartholdi Museum).



1h30

166 €

Corporate brands (signs)

Raise your head and admire the many polychrome signs that describe the history of corporations.

Designed by the Alsatian artist Jean-Jacques Waltz (Hansi), a native of Colmar, they will seduce you with their finesse and humor. So open your eyes and find the coat of arms of Colmar.



1h30

166 €

Easter customs

From 6th to 30th April 2023

"Colmar celebrates Spring" and your guide will show you the old town, its picturesque neighborhoods and its remarkable monuments, while revealing the rites of spring and local Easter customs.



1h30

166 €

Magic of Christmas

From 23rd November to 29th December 2023

During the Advent period, let us tell you about the Christmas traditions in Alsace during a stroll through the typical streets and discover the city in its magical winter decor.

Its Museums

Do you prefer museums ? Visit 7 cultural places in the historic center.

The price of the guided tour does not include the entrance tickets for the museums and the Dominican Church. The entrance tickets are to be paid in addition by the customer on the day of the guided tour. For a comfortable visit, our groups are limited to 25 people per guide. (except for the Bartholdi Museum which is limited to 19 people).

Unterlinden Museum



This museum of fine arts covers 7000 years of history from prehistory to 20th century art. Formerly a 13th century convent, the Unterlinden Museum houses collections of ancient art including the restored Issenheim Altarpiece (1512-1516). Enlarged by the architects Herzog and de Meuron, an underground gallery gives access to the contemporary part where works by major artists such as Monet, Picasso, de Staël, Matthieu, Dubuffet, Dix, Soulages, and more recently Yan Pei Ming are exhibited. The old bathhouse houses temporary exhibitions.



3 choices

1h Choice between the medieval part or the contemporary part.
Count 1 hour to discover the altarpiece of Issenheim

136 €

1h30 45 mn medieval part and 45 mn contemporary part

166 €

2h in-depth visit to the collections

190 €

Its Museums



1h

136 €

Hansi Museum

Jean-Jacques Waltz, known as Hansi, delivers colorful testimonies of popular traditions and daily life in Alsatian villages in the 19th century. Naïve and incisive, the cartoonist presents an enchanting world for children and a caustic reading with tasty winks about the annexation of Alsace for adults. Exhibition of drawings, etchings and watercolors.



1h

136 €

Bartholdi Museum

Enter the house where the famous sculptor of the Statue of Liberty was born and discover his masterful work through sketches and reproductions of his miniature sculptures and personal effects. Immerse yourself in the everyday world of this extraordinary sculptor.



2h

190 €

Bartholdi, in the footsteps of the sculptor of Miss Liberty City tour + visit of the museum

Discover the multiple works of the famous sculptor Bartholdi exposed on monuments and squares of Colmar. During this city tour, enter the birthplace of the illustrious sculptor Bartholdi transformed into a museum. Sketches, models and reproductions of the sculptures in miniature will be revealed to you.

Its Museums



136 €

Dominican Church

Come into this major work of the architecture of the mendicant orders of the Upper Rhine. This church houses a remarkable altarpiece from 1473: "Mdonna of the Rose Bush" by Martin Schongauer (1473). Admire also the sumptuous stained glass windows from the 14th century.



136 €

Toy Museum

Enter this playful and animated museum. Immerse yourself in the enchanted world of childhood and discover new collectibles while having fun. Dolls, trains, construction games, board games, figurines are waiting for you.



166 €

Choco Story

In the center of Colmar, take part in an interactive and immersive visit including a fun and educational tour, tastings (as many as you like!), meetings... A unique and exciting adventure that will make you real cocoa experts!



166 €

Dominican Library

The Dominicans of Colmar have a strong but well-founded ambition: to build on the exceptional heritage Colmar has inherited to create an active and attractive center devoted to the scientific study and dissemination of knowledge about books and images, from the Middle Ages to the present day. Discover this restored and renovated library through a new permanent exhibition, its cloister and its garden.

City Tours & Museums



3h

238 €

Must of Colmar (1h30) + Unterlinden Museum (1h30)



Stroll through the picturesque streets of its remarkable historic center. Colmar's fascinating history opens up to you through its eclectic monuments. Continue with an interior visit of the eminent Musée Unterlinden, a museum of fine arts that houses quality medieval and contemporary collections. Entrance to the museum not included - 25 pers / max



3h

238 €

Colmar & the little Venise (2h) + Dominican Church (1h)



Discovery of the multiple facets of the historical center from the medieval period to the 19th century: Renaissance houses, traditional half-timbered houses, St-Martin collegiate church. Interior visit of the Dominican church which houses the famous painting "Madonna with the rose bush" by Martin Schongauer and the splendid by Martin Schongauer and splendid stained glass windows from the 14th century. Entrance to the church not included - 25 people

Colmar & the little Venise (2h) + 1 Museum of your choice (1h)



3h

238 €

Hansi Museum



or Bartholdi Museum

or Toy Museum

Listen to the exciting history of Colmar through its picturesque alleyways, its Renaissance residences and its authentic half-timbered houses with its bright colours. You will have the choice during the guided tour to visit one of these 3 museums : Bartholdi Museum dedicated to a sculptor from Colmar or the Hansi Museum dedicated to the artist Jean Jacques Waltz. Or become a child again and visit the Toy Museum. Entrance to the church not included - 25 people max / 19 people max at the Bartholdi Museum

Excursions on the Alsace Wine Route



Located in the center of the wine road, nestled at the foot of the Vosges mountains, Colmar is the ideal starting point for an excursion on the 170 km long Alsace Wine Route from north to south. Stroll through its flowery fortified villages where you will admire the typical half-timbered houses in bright colors. Taste the 7 Alsatian grape varieties in one of the many famous cellars (to be chosen and booked by you). Tour with your own car, minibus or coach. Departure from Colmar and return to Colmar. Possibility to combine several visits.

- Half day (2 villages)



4h

260€

- A day (3 or 4 villages)



6h

339€



8h

415 €

- A day (half day in Colmar, half day on the Alsace Wine Route)



8h

415 €



1h30

166 €

Turckheim, a mediæval city

Hanged out in the heart of the Alsatian vineyards, Turckheim is a small mediæval city of character, charming for its heritage linked to the history of the vine. Former city of the Decapole, come to discover its 3 imposing doors, witnesses of the old fortifications. You will be seduced by its civil monuments of the XVIIth and XVIIIth centuries such as the Guardhouse, the Town Hall, half-timbered houses typical of the Alsatian architecture, the Ste-Anne church with a Romanesque bell tower.



1h30

166 €

Kaysersberg, birthplace of Albert Schweitzer

Former imperial city, Kaysersberg, surprises by the mediæval charm of its half-timbered houses, its church with a beautiful altarpiece, its fortified towers. Its fortified bridge of the XVIth century connects the lower town to the upper town dominated by the ruins of its castle. At the top, a splendid panorama on Kaysersberg and its vineyard.

Escape on the Alsace Wine Route



Eguisheim in the shape of a snail

Eguisheim is one of the most beautiful and typical villages of Alsace with its concentric alleys with half-timbered houses richly decorated with flowers. The city surrounded by hills covered with vineyards is overhung by the Three Castles which watch over it.



Ribeauvillé, Ribeaupierre's city

This medieval city, seat of the seigniorship of the Ribeaupierre family, gave its name to the city. Famous for its three castles which dominate it, its renowned wine heritage and its authentic half-timbered houses. Still today, it keeps a part of its ramparts including its defensive towers like the "Tour des Bouchers".



4h

260 €



6h

339 €



Riquewihr, the pearl of the vineyard

This medieval city located in the heart of the Alsatian vineyard is classified among the "Most Beautiful Villages of France". Known worldwide for its famous wines, called "Pearl of the Alsatian vineyard", it preserves today its authenticity behind its double enclosure thanks to its rich heritage from the 15th to the 18th centuries.



Mont Saint-Odile & Obernai

Obernai, the legendary birthplace of Saint Odile, is located 25 km southwest of Strasbourg. This fortified city was at its peak in the 16th century thanks to the craft industry and wine growing. Former city of the Decapolis, its belfry dominates the historical center rich of its half-timbered houses from the Middle Ages to the Renaissance. Find the emblems of the corporations on the facades.

Continue your visit by going to the Mont Saint-Odile, high place of pilgrimage dedicated to Saint Odile, patron saint of Alsacians. Splendid view over the Alsace plain to the Black Forest. Walking tour in the sanctuary: discovery of the tomb of Saint Odile, the chapels of the Tears and the Angels, the panoramic terrace and the miraculous spring (15 minutes walk).

Memory Sites & Crest Road

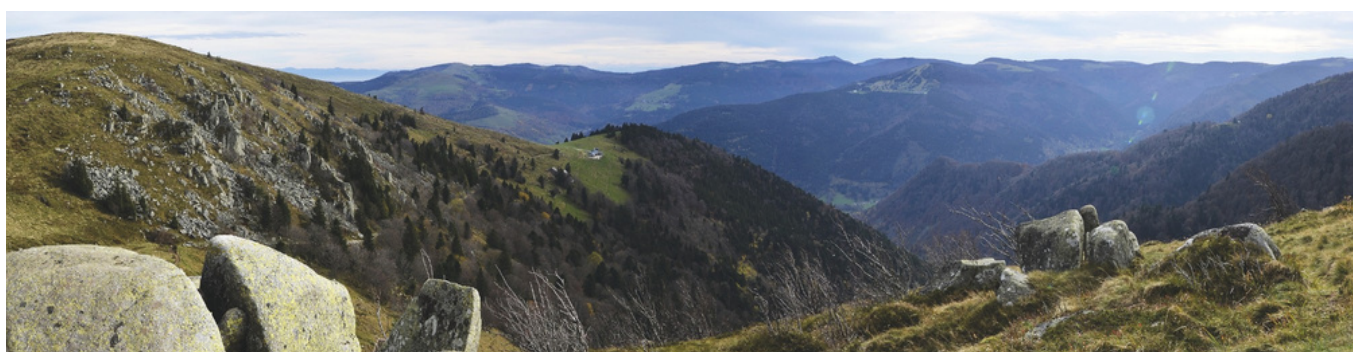
Formerly a strategic route, the Route des Crêtes offers breathtaking views of the summits of the Vosges mountains, the lakes, the Alsace plain and the Black Forest.

Discover and visit its high places of memory, witnesses of the fights of the First World War. Tour with your own coach. The Route des Crêtes is closed during the winter season by decision of the CEA (Collectivité Européenne d'Alsace).



8h

415 €



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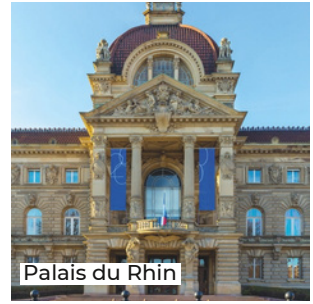
The first Franco-German memorial of the First World War, erected at an altitude of 956 meters, it was the stake of furious battles because of its strategic position. Also called the "Viel Armand" during the First World War, it presents a permanent exhibition, a national monument and a necropolis, battlefields. Today it symbolizes the Franco-German peace. Magnificent view of the Vosges mountains and the Alsace plain.



Linge Museum

This museum-memorial located at an altitude of 1000 meters explains the conditions of life and combat of soldiers in 1915 during the First World War. Visit outside the trenches, shelters and blockhouses which testify to the shelters left by the "Poilus" soldiers, from 1915 to 1918.

Full Day in Colmar & in Strasbourg



8h

415 €

Discover the historic center of Colmar on foot. Admire the most emblematic monuments of this charming city which embodies an art of living. Visit the different districts inhabited in the past by the guilds of merchants and tanners. End your visit with the inescapable district of Little Venice. The capital of Alsace wines is revealed before your eyes.

Arrival in Strasbourg, a European city classified as a UNESCO World Heritage Site.

Walking tour of the exceptional historic center of the "Grande Île" and its prestigious Gothic cathedral. Discover the "Petite France" district, the "Vauban" dam and the covered bridges. Then panoramic tour with your own coach around the European Institutions and the "Neustadt New City" built under Kaiser Wilhelm II from 1872.

Departure from Colmar and return to Colmar.

Prices 2023

Prices	BASIC PRICES		INCREASED PRICES*	
	Prices including all taxes	Prices excluding taxes	Prices including all taxes	Prices excluding taxes
1 hour	136 €	113,33 €	204 €	170 €
1 hour (from 8.30pm)	189 €	157,50 €	283,50 €	236,25 €
1 hour 30	166 €	138,33 €	249 €	207,50 €
2 hours	190 €	158,33 €	285 €	237,50 €
3 hours	238 €	198,33 €	357 €	297,50 €
4 hours	260 €	216,67 €	390 €	325 €
6 hours	339 €	282,50 €	508,50 €	423,75 €
8 hours	415 €	345,83 €	622,50 €	518,75 €
Additional hour	54 €	45 €	81 €	67,50 €

*Increased prices : guided tours 01st/01 - 01st/05 - Easter Monday and 25th/12.

PRICES SHOWN INCLUDE ONLY THE GUIDED TOUR.

EXCURSIONS:

The guide's lunch is the responsibility of the customer or will be charged 24,50 €.

Travels expenses will be charged to the client in case the guide has to meet the group outside Colmar. This amount will be calculated according to the distance and the transportation the guide needs. The travels ex- penses are not included in the guided tour and have to be paid in addition.

NOT INCLUDE :

Entrance fees in the monuments & museums.
Reservations must be confirmed in writing. Any cancellation less than 4 days before the scheduled date will result in full payment of the guided tour.

Conditions of Sales

Association de droit local
Loi 1908 N° Siret : 387 698 871 00010 Code APE : 633
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BOOKING :

The reservation becomes effective when the confirmation signed by the client has been returned to Colmar Tourist Office (except for last minute visits).

NUMBER OF PERSONS ON A TOUR :

30 persons maximum per guide for outside tours.
25 persons maximum per guide inside the museums
(19 persons in Bartholdi Museum)

The exact number of participants must be necessarily provided 7 days before the date of the arrival of the group (except for last minute visits).

MEETING POINT OF GUIDED TOURS :

Every guided tour leaves from Colmar Tourist Office, place Unterlinden.

It is recommended to the group leader to come
10 minutes before the tour starts.

DURATION OF GUIDED TOURS :

The length of the tour will be that mentioned on the confirmation. For a full day visit, lunch time is included in the price.

Guide service time imperatively begins at the time of meeting.

IN CASE OF DELAY :

please contact us immediately :
+ 33 (0)3 89 20 68 95 (From Monday to Friday 9am till 1pm and 2pm till 5pm)
+ 33 (0) 3 89 20 69 18 ((Saturday from 9am to 1pm and 2pm till 5pm – Sunday and bank holiday 10am – 1pm)

In case of delay of the group,:

- The tour may be shortened by the time equivalent to the delay – with full payment of the tour price. The reference time of the visit is written on the confirmation.
- The tour can be extended – with prior approval of the guide
The additional time will be charged based on the rates in effect

DESCRIPTION OF THE TOURS :

The visits are described in the Tourist Office's brochure. It is an indicative content.

With the client's agreement, the guide can adapt the tour depending on the group and/or special circumstances. On site the guide will not be obliged to accept changes of the content from the guided tour chosen as set out in the tour confirmation.

PAYMENT :

The total payment of the tour must be made at latest 15 days before the date of the guided tour (except for the last-minute guided tours)

- By credit card (bank fees must be paid by the client)
- By bank transfer (bank fees must be paid by the client)

In case of non-payment 15 days before the date of the guided tour, it will be automatically canceled (excepted for the last-minute guided tours).

CANCELLATION :

Any cancellation must be notified in writing to the Colmar Tourist Office.

1. Cancellation by the client :

In case of cancellation by the client within 4 to 7 days, Colmar Tourist Office in Colmar will retain 50 % of guided tour.

In case of cancellation by the client less than 4 days before the guided tour, 100 % of the guided tour fee will be kept and can't be refunded.

Colmar Tourist Office is not responsible for such cancellations due to weather conditions.

2. Cancellation by Colmar Tourist Office:

In case of cancellation by Colmar Tourist Office (absence of the guide due to illness or accident), the guided tour fee will be refunded to the client upon sending his bank account.

3. Modification of guided tour demanded by the client :

Administrative charges of 50 € will be requested to the client if the client asks for any modifications (date, time, theme of the guided tour, meeting point) on a signed tour confirmation.

BASED AND INCREASED PRICES :

Guided tours are invoiced at the rate including of VAT (TTC)

Customer from other than EU countries with an EU VAT number (to be provided when the order is placed) are invoiced excluding of VAT (HT).

Surcharge for guided tours on the 01/01 – Easter Monday – 01/05 and 25/12 (see table of prices)

Prices shown include only the guided tour.

Entrance fees to sites and museums are not included in the guided tour. If time is exceeded, every subsequent hour will be charged (see table of prices).

For a full day guided tour (if meal is not provided on place) a lump sum of 24,50 € will be charged to the customer on behalf of tourist guide's meal.

Travels expenses will be charged to the client in case the guide has to meet the group outside Colmar. This amount will be calculated according to the time and distance and the transportation the guide needs. The travels expenses are not included in the guided tour and have to be paid in addition.

APPLICABLE LAW – PLACE OF JURISDICTION :

French law is applicable and, in the event of a dispute and/or disagreement, the courts of Colmar shall be the sole jurisdiction.

Booking Form

Please, send all information requested below to the following address :
guide@tourisme-colmar.com

CONTACT:

PRIVATE/ COMPANY/ ASSOCIATION :

Name of the group:

First name / Last name of the contact:

Phone:

Mobile :

E-mail:

Adress :

Postal Code:

City:

Country:

BILLING ADDRESS

(TO BE COMPLETED IF DIFFERENT FROM THE SOCIAL ADDRESS)

PRIVATE/ COMPANY/ ASSOCIATION:

Adress:

Postal Code:

City:

Country:

YOUR GUIDED TOUR

Topic of your trip:

Desired visit(s):

Date:

Hour:

Number of persons:

Language:

Other information:

Made in :

Date:

Name:

Company stamp

Signature :

«THE PERSONAL INFORMATION YOU HAVE PROVIDED IS NECESSARY FOR THE PROCESSING OF YOUR RESERVATION BY THE TOURIST OFFICE OF COLMAR & ITS REGION AND THE MANAGEMENT OF YOUR COMMERCIAL RELATIONS WITH THIS ORGANIZATION. THIS PERSONAL INFORMATION MAY BE USED FOR DIRECT MARKETING PURPOSES (E-MAIL, SMS, MMS, OR FAX) RELATED TO THE PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITY BY THE TOURIST OFFICE OF COLMAR & ITS REGION UNLESS YOU CHECK THE BOX BELOW. AFTER » I.



Colmar in the heart of Europe

HIGHWAYS...

A35

Strasbourg (1 hour) and Mulhouse (40 minutes) Direct access to all major cities in Europe

AIRPORTS...

Strasbourg-Entzheim : 70km

Euroairport (Bâle-Mulhouse-Freiburg) : 70km Colmar-Houssen airport : business trip

TRAINS...

Regional trains every 30 minutes

TGV Est : Paris-Colmar in 2:50

TGV Rhin-Rhône : Lyon-Colmar in 3:15

BOATS

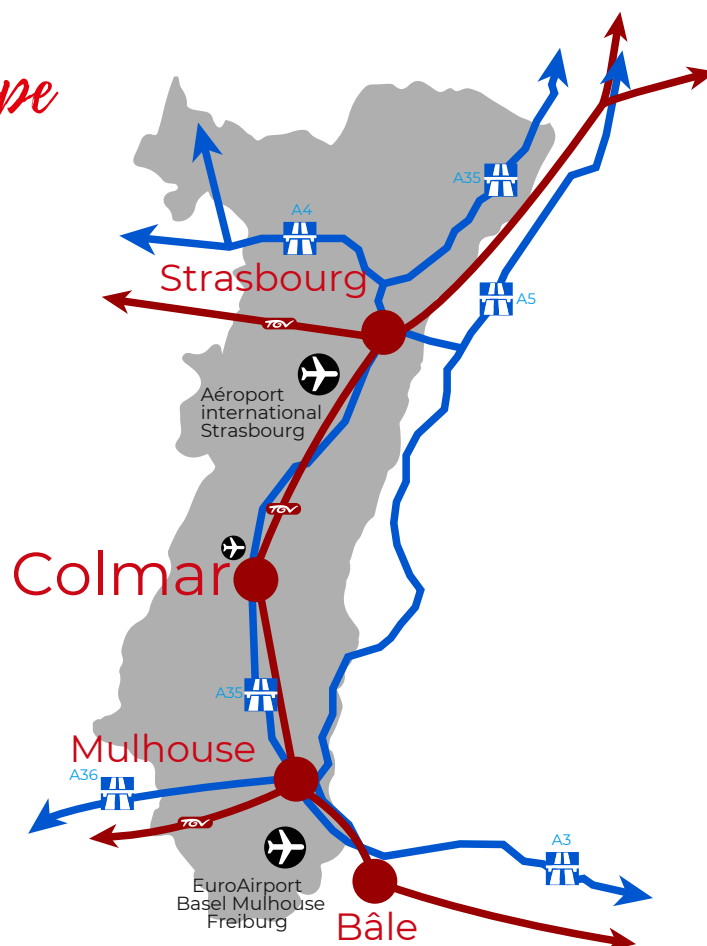
Marina of 8 boat pontoons

Mooring for 60 boats

Reception, toilets, showers, laundry

« Pavillon bleu d'Europe »

Motorhomes places



Colmar et sa région
L'Alsace essentielle



Bâle: 67 km
Strasbourg: 74 km
Zurich: 151 km
Bern: 160 km
Luxembourg: 294 km
Frankfort: 291 km

Genève: 317 km
Milan: 405 km
Lyon: 422 km
Munich: 440 km
Paris: 441 km
Bruxelles: 500 km