

# French Language Open Tour

## Nouméa, New Caledonia

January 2013

### French Immersion Close to Home

This language and culture tour is specifically designed for high school students with a focus on gaining fluency and speaking confidence as well as an appreciation of the unique blend of French and Melanesian cultures of New Caledonia.

The tour is based in Nouméa, the historical capital of New Caledonia, where students will be hosted by local families on a twin share basis. It includes nine days of fun-filled French lessons on weekday mornings, accommodation, most meals and a rich program of afternoon and weekend cultural and sightseeing activities including city tours, visits to museums and local attractions.

### Language, Culture & Fun!

- ✓ French classes each weekday morning at a reputed French language school in the heart of Nouméa.
- ✓ Your opportunity to stay with a nice host family and experience local 'Art de Vivre' first hand.
- ✓ Visit places of cultural and historic interest on the island in the afternoons and weekend including Nouméa, Port Moselle, the Tjibaou Cultural Center, the Amédée Lighthouse and Anse Vata!
- ✓ Discover French Polynesian culinary specialties and all aspects of the colonial French and traditional Melanesian cultures.
- ✓ Cultural and sightseeing visits are with a French language teacher and/or a professional guide.

**“A unique opportunity to discover the multifaceted Caledonian culture and boost your French”**

### REQUEST TOUR INFO PACK:

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**Tour dates: January 5 – 13, 2013**

**Price: \$ 3,150 pp \***

### Sample Itinerary

Weekday mornings are with morning French lessons

<b>1. Sat Jan 5</b>	Depart Auckland, Arrive Nouméa City tour by Tchou Tchou Train
<b>2. Sun Jan 6</b>	Day in the host families: enjoy a typical Caledonian family Sunday!
<b>3. Mon Jan 7</b>	Visit to the Tjibaou Cultural Center featuring Pacific and Melanesian cultures.
<b>4. Tue Jan 8</b>	Beach afternoon: fun in the sun!
<b>5. Wed Jan 9</b>	Half day excursion to Mount Koghi Adventure Park in the rainforest
<b>6. Thu Jan 10</b>	Free afternoon to relax or revise your French verbs!
<b>7. Fri Jan 11</b>	Visit to Aquarium des Lagons to see magnificent ocean life up close
<b>8. Sat Jan 12</b>	Day trip to Amédée Lighthouse, swimming and cruise to see the corals.
<b>9. Sun Jan 13</b>	Goodbye Party Depart Nouméa, arrive Auckland

Sample program only; subject to change

### \* TOUR INCLUSIONS

The Tour includes return airfares (including taxes and charges at ticketing), transfers, most meals and homestay accommodation, one week of French lessons, sightseeing and excursions, and entrance fees (based on minimum 18 students). The Tour Price excludes pocket money.

**NOTE** Changes in the Tour Price as a result of exchange rate fluctuation or increases in flight taxes & charges will be notified and adjusted in the Final Invoice. Refer to the Tour Information Pack for full details.

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