# Made for CM01123



TRIPS 2025-2026



### Year planner

**Europa Park** 19<sup>th</sup> to 21<sup>st</sup> September 2025

**Tanzania Adventure** 11<sup>th</sup> to 25<sup>th</sup> October 2025

**Southern Spain** 11<sup>th</sup> to 25<sup>th</sup> October 2025

Barcelona 7<sup>th</sup> to 9<sup>th</sup> November 2025

**Disneyland Paris** 28<sup>th</sup> to 30<sup>th</sup> November 2025

**Greece and Crete** 21<sup>st</sup> - 28<sup>th</sup> February 2026

Lisbon 27<sup>th</sup> to 29<sup>th</sup> March 2026

**Costa Rica** 4<sup>th</sup> to 18<sup>th</sup> April 2026

**Nice & Monaco** 14<sup>th</sup> to 17<sup>th</sup> May 2026

Florence 22<sup>nd</sup> to 25<sup>th</sup> May 2026

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### EXPLORATION, GROWTH, AND CONNECTION BEYOND THE CLASSROOM



At Collège du Léman, boarding is a catalyst for experiences that reach far beyond academics. It is designed to cultivate curiosity, resilience, and perspective — the foundation for confident futures.

From the Swiss Alps to European capitals and international destinations, our travel

programme reflects a belief in learning that is lived. These curated experiences nurture independence, spark lifelong friendships, and deepen global understanding — all within a safe and structured environment.

This year's adventures invite meaningful discovery and real-world connection — a natural extension of CDL's commitment to whole-person education.

For further details, I'm always available.

Mike Brinkmeyer Boarding Activity Coordinator



### EUROPA PARK

#### EUROPA PARK, GERMANY - CHF 1250

#### 2 nights, from 19<sup>th</sup> to 21<sup>st</sup> September 2025

We kick off the year with an energising weekend at Europa Park. This trip offers a light-hearted start to the school year, giving students a chance to make new friends, enjoy thrilling rides, and explore a playful snapshot of European cultures. We'll also spend a day unwinding at Rulantica Water Park—one of the largest in Europe.

Please note: all transport, hotel accommodation, meals and attractions are included. Spending money required.

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### Highlights

#### VOLETARIUM

**BLUE FIRE** 

SILVER STAR

RULANTICA WATER PARK

Register until

31/08/2025

### TANZANIA ADVENTURE

#### TANZANIA - CHF 8050

#### 14 nights, from 11<sup>th</sup> to 25<sup>th</sup> October 2025

This two-week journey combines global learning and personal growth.

Week 1 – NAE Service Expedition: In Arusha, students take part in a community service project and explore Tarangire National Park, building confidence and leadership.

Week 2 – Zanzibar Trip: In Zanzibar, we turn to conservation work, coastal life, and cultural discovery. It's a trip that challenges, inspires, and leaves a lasting impact.

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#### Highlights

COMMUNITY SERVICE PROJECT

SAFARI

TURTLE CONSERVATION

SPICE TOUR

**STONE TOWN** 

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# SOUTHERN SPAIN

#### SOUTHERN SPAIN - CHF 5900 TBC

#### 14 nights, from 11<sup>th</sup> to 25<sup>th</sup> October 2025

Travelling through Granada, Tarifa, and Málaga, this trip brings together hands-on experiences in history, art, food, and nature. Surfing lessons, flamenco dancing, cooking classes, and a community project give students a well-rounded taste of southern Spanish life and a deeper sense of place.

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### Highlights

ALHAMBRA SURF LESSONS PADDLE BOARDING CADIZ MALAGA COOKING FLAMENCO CLASSES

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# BARCELONA

#### BARCELONA, SPAIN - CHF 1490

#### 2 nights, from 7<sup>th</sup> to 9<sup>th</sup> November 2025

Barcelona offers a rich blend of creativity and culture. Students explore iconic Gaudí landmarks, bike through historic districts, visit bustling local markets, and take in a flamenco and Spanish guitar performance at Palau de la Música Catalana.

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#### Highlights

LA SAGRADA FAMÍLIA

**BIKE TOUR** 

PARK GÜELL

BARCELONETA BEACH

PASSEIG DE GRÀCIA

Register until 30/09/2025



# DISNEYLAND PARIS

#### DISNEYLAND PARIS, FRANCE - CHF 1290

#### 2 nights, from 28<sup>th</sup> to 30<sup>th</sup> November 2025

This joyful and imaginative weekend offers a chance to explore the magic of Disneyland Paris while bonding with friends. Alongside classic attractions and lively parades, students visit Walt Disney Studios for a look behind the scenes into storytelling and creative design.

Please note: All transport, accommodation, meals, and attractions are included. Spending money required.

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### Highlights

DISNEYLAND PARK®

WALT DISNEY STUDIOS®

STREET PARADE

DISNEY ILLUMINATIONS

## GREECE AND CRETE

#### GREECE - CHF 4860

#### 7 nights, from 21<sup>st</sup> to 28<sup>th</sup> February 2026

A journey through the roots of Western civilisation. Students explore Athens through a food tour, bike rides, and ancient landmarks like the Acropolis. In Crete, we slow down with pottery and cooking classes, coastal walks, and visits to villages like Rethymno—all adding depth to the experience.

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#### **Highlights**

ATHENS

ACROPOLIS

CRETE

FOOD TOUR

POTTERY & COOKING CLASS

Register until 31/10/2025

Register until 30/09/2025



### LISBON

#### LISBON, PORTUGAL - CHF 1540

#### 2 nights, from 27<sup>th</sup> to 29<sup>th</sup> March 2026

This weekend is about discovery and cultural immersion. Students ride the iconic Tram 28, visit the Oceanário and Belém district, taste Pastéis de Nata, and explore Sintra's colorful castle. A Fado music performance rounds off a weekend full of local flavor.

Please note: all transport, hotel accommodation, meals and attractions are included. Spending money required.

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ALFAMA
BELÉM
AQUARIUM
TRAM 28
SINTRA
FADO MUSIC

**Register until** 

31/10/2025

### COSTA RICA

#### COSTA RICA - CHF 7900

#### 14 nights, from 4<sup>th</sup> to 18<sup>th</sup> April 2026

A deeply immersive adventure that blends outdoor challenge with cultural insight. Students hike around Arenal Volcano, zipline through rainforest, surf the Pacific, and raft local rivers. Community service and cultural connection add meaning to the breathtaking landscapes.

Please note: All transport, accommodation, meals, and attractions are included. Spending money required.

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Highlights

RAINFOREST EXPLORATION

ZIPLINES

HOT SPRINGS

RAFTING

ARENAL VOLCANO

SURFING

Register until 31/10/2025



### NICE & MONACO

#### NICE, FRANCE & MONACO - CHF 1830

#### *3 nights, from 14<sup>th</sup> to 17<sup>th</sup> May 2026*

A weekend on the French Riviera, full of Mediterranean charm. Students explore Nice's old town, stroll the Promenade, visit Eze's perfume factory, and discover Monaco's landmarks, including the Prince's Palace, Oceanographic Museum, and the famous Casino.

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### Highlights

PROMENADE DES ANGLAIS

VIEUX NICE

EZE

PALAIS DU PRINCE

OCEANOGRAPHIC MUSEUM

# FLORENCE

#### FLORENCE, ITALY - CHF 1900

#### *3 nights, from 22<sup>nd</sup> to 25<sup>th</sup> May 2026*

A cultural finale to the year. Students walk in the footsteps of Renaissance artists, see Michelangelo's David, visit iconic landmarks, and enjoy Italian cuisine. From historic gardens to gelato on the go, Florence is the perfect closing chapter.

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#### Highlights

#### DUOMO

ACCADEMIA GALLERY

PONTE VECCHIO

**BOBOLI GARDENS** 

Register until 31/01/2026

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# TERMS AND CONDITIONS

#### **Eligibility / Selection Process:**

Students are selected for trips on the basis of their exemplary behaviour, community involvement and ability to collaborate effectively, as they will benefit from and contribute positively to the trip. The school reserves the right to refuse students who do not fit this profile, without right of appeal.

#### **Parental Consent:**

Parental or guardian consent is required for participation. Consent forms must be submitted to Collège du Léman (CDL) by the deadline indicated.

#### Important:

Certain trips are exclusive to High School students, making Primary and Middle School students ineligible for these.

#### What is included in the price:

Transfers from CDL to the airport or train, flight/train costs, transport, hotels, meals, admission to attractions and supervision by experienced CDL staff.

#### **Travel Details**

You are responsible for ensuring the accuracy of your travel document details and promptly reporting any errors or discrepancies to CDL.

#### Baggage

Baggage policies vary by airline. Typically, 1 bag (Max 23 kg) is included.

#### Important: Changes beyond our control / Unforeseen Changes

Prices and trips depend on the number of students taking part. CDL reserves the right to cancel or modify the trip, with reasonable notice, if the number is insufficient. Compensation does not apply to significant changes beyond our control including, but not limited to, war, threat of war, civil unrest, severe weather conditions, outbreak of infectious diseases or other similar events.

#### Passport, Visa and Immigration Requirements

You are responsible for meeting the passport, visa, and other immigration requirements relevant to your itinerary. The school-affiliated Travel Agency can assist if requests are made at least 6 weeks before departure.

#### Insurance

Travel insurance is included in the cost of the trip, but does not cover the risk of cancellation by participants. You have the option of taking out additional private insurance for the duration of the trip.

#### **Travel Advice and Vaccinations**

Vaccinations may be required for your intended destinations. The School Health Centre can arrange necessary vaccinations at cost.

#### Behaviour

Students on CDL trips represent the school and are expected to adhere to the School Behaviour Policy and demonstrate exemplary behaviour. Failure to meet this expectation may lead to repatriation to parents at the parents' own expense.

#### **Registration and Payment**

Completing the registration form and sending payment constitutes a firm offer to contract with the school for the trip. This is not an expression of interest but a confirmed booking. Payment must be made by credit card at the time of registration. The booking will not be confirmed until full payment has been received. However, registration and payment do not guarantee a place. Places are allocated according to availability and student eligibility. If CDL is unable to accommodate your child for reasons of capacity or eligibility, the school will promptly refund the full amount paid to the credit card used to register for the trip. Late bookings may incur penalties.

#### **Cancellation fees and Refund Policy**

The school advises families to ensure that they take out private travel insurance to help in the unfortunate eventuality where a student cannot take part in a trip, either due to illness or because of changes in circumstances. Cancellations due to change of circumstances incur a 200 CHF administration fee; please notify cancellations in writing to: boardingactivities@cdl.ch From 44 days to departure: no refund From 90 to 45 days before departure: 40% refund

From 120 to 91 days before departure: 80% refund

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