



CATHEDRAL OF BOURGES

CRYPT AND TOWER

Journey through several centuries of architectural wonders,
with wonderful views over Bourges.

The crypt and the tower are the two treasures of Bourges Cathedral. The crypt, the bedrock of the Cathedral's choir, displays fragments of the rood screen destroyed in the 18th century, the tomb of Duke Jean de Berry and the stained glass windows of the ducal Holy Chapel. From the top of the tower, there are wonderful panoramic views over Bourges.

Cathedral designated world heritage site by UNESCO.

RECEPTION

Subject to modification.

Open

2nd May to 31st August: from 9.30 a.m. to 11.30 a.m.
and from 2 p.m. to 5.45 p.m.

1st October to 31st March: from 9.30 a.m. to 11.30 a.m.
and from 2 p.m. to 4.45 p.m.

1st to 30th April and from 1st to 30th September:
from 10 a.m. to 11.45 a.m. and from 2 p.m. to 5.30 p.m.

Last admission 30 min before closing time.

Closed

Sunday mornings

1st January, 1st May, 1st November, 11th November
and 25th December

Accessibility

Number of steps during the tour: 396

Number of floors in the crypt: 2

Steps between coach park and monument

FACILITIES

- Parking for coaches 200 m (avenue Eugène Brisson)

ACCESS



At the intersection between the three roads
between Orléans/Lyon via Clermont-Ferrand,
Troyes/Poitiers and Beune/Tours

INFORMATION

CRYPTE ET TOUR DE LA CATHÉDRALE
DE BOURGES

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TOURS

Unaccompanied tour of the North Tower with a tour document

French, English, German, Italian, Spanish, Dutch, Japanese

Duration: between 30 and 45 min

Access limited to 19 people simultaneously

Lecture tour of the gothic and norman crypt

French

Guided tour (booking required) with the “Ville d’Art et d’Histoire” tour guide from Berry Tourist Board



RATES 2021 CATEGORY 4

Crypt and tower

Rate for groups (minimum 20 people)

6,5 €

Pro E-ticketing



Adults

8 €

Joint ticket: Crypt and tower of the Cathedral and Palais Jacques Cœur

Rate for groups (minimum 20 people)

10 €

Adults

12 €

Free admission: minors under 18*

Free admission: 18-25 years old

(EU nationals and regularised EU residents)

* excluding school groups



USEFUL ADDRESSES

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Nearby national monuments:

500 m - Palais Jacques Cœur in Bourges

60 km - Château of Bouges

76 km - George Sand's house in Nohant