



CHÂTEAU OF OIRON

This unique château houses a marvellous collection of art and curiosities.

This castle was one of the great Châteaux of the Loire built by the high dignitaries of the kingdom. It was constructed in the 16th century to house the large collection of paintings and objets d'art of Claude Gouffier, chief equerry to Henri II. The sumptuous decorations and an exceptional gallery of Renaissance paintings in the style of the Fontainebleau school are complemented by fine, carved and painted panelling. The Château is now home to Curios and Mirabilia, a remarkable collection of contemporary art and curiosities.

RECEPTION

Subject to modification.

Open

1st June to 30th September: from 10.30 a.m. to 6.30 p.m.

1st October to 31st May: from 10.30 a.m. to 5.30 p.m.

Last admission 1 hour before closing time.

Closed

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

Accessibility 

Number of floors visited during tour: 2

Monument partially accessible to people of reduced mobility

FACILITIES

- Seating available during the tour and in park
- Lavatories
- Gift shop
- Parking for coaches 50 m
- **Function room rental:** capacity from 50 to 150 seated people and from 80 to 300 people up

ACCESS



Main road between Angers and Poitiers, 40 km to the south of Saumur and 43 km north-west of Poitiers

From Saumur: RN147, Montreuil-Bellay then D938, Thouars then D377

From Poitiers: RN147, Thouars then D18 and D37 then D64

INFORMATION

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TOURS

Unaccompanied tour with guide booklet

French, English, Spanish, German, Dutch

Reservations: 2 weeks

Duration: 1 hr 30 min

Guided tour

French, English

Reservations: 1 week

Duration: 1 hr 30 min

Adapted tours and workshops

Information: (33) (0)5 49 96 57 42



RATES 2020 CATEGORY 4

Rate for groups (minimum 20 people)
6,5 €

Adults
8 €

Free admission: minors under 18*

Free admission: 18-25 years old

(EU nationals and regularised EU residents)

* excluding school groups

USEFUL ADDRESSES

Thouars Tourist Office

tel.: (33) (0)5 49 66 17 65

www.tourisme-pays-thouarsais.fr

Departemental Agency for the Economic and Tourist Development of Deux-Sèvres

tel.: (33) (0)5 49 77 87 79

www.tourisme-deux-sevres.com

Association of the Friends of Oiron

www.amisdeoiron.eu

Nearby national monument:

50 km - Château of Azay-le-Rideau

