Alpine **French School** a Gallico company

# Summer Camp 2024

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#### **Our Teaching Methods**

Our team is made up of professional and qualified native French speakers, who ensure that each lesson delivers on interaction, proactivity and excellence all in an environment designed to challenge the students.

#### **Outdoor Activities**

In partnership with some of the leaders of children's outdoor mountain activities in France.

#### Admin and bookings

Our year round administrative lead is Grace, who will be your 'go-to' for enquiries and bookings. All members of our administrative team have excellent customer service and are happy to help with any questions you may have.



Christelle Thorel Programme Director Director of Studies & Linguistics

### Morzine



Morzine is ideally located in the heart of the Northern Alps in France. Ski resort by winter, Alpine village by summer, Morzine has lots of activities to offer families, all year round.

A wide variety of restaurants, shops and community services make up the village centre which retains all its charms, ready for you and your family to enjoy!

#### Weather

The weather in Morzine is mostly warm and sunny during July and August. Temperatures range from 20°C to 30°C but evenings can be cooler.

We also get occasional thunderstorms which can be quite impressive! Details of suitable clothing can be found on the "What to Bring" page.

### **A Typical Week**

There's never a dull moment at our camps! Here's an example schedule...



Time	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
8:30 - 8:45	Registration				
9:00 - 10:30	Evaluations	French Lesson			
10:30 - 11:00	Break Time				
11:00 - 12:30	French Lesson				
12:30 - 13:30	Lunchtime				
13:30 - 16:30	AFTERNOON ACTIVITIES DEPENDENT ON THE AGE OF YOUR CHILD				

Lessons in the mornings are with our experienced team of teachers, they understand the challenges of learning French and are able to instill confidence in students as well as helping them overcome mental blocks and bring a sense of purpose to students learning.

The afternoon activities are in partnership with **ESF** and **Evolution 2**, leaders in outdoor activities for children. All the instructors are French-speaking.

\*Students can also opt for our **Mornings only** option and leave camp at 12.30 after their French lessons.

### What to pack ?

#### Key items

- Factor 50 suncream
- A hat or cap
- Sunglasses
- snacks
- water bottles

#### **For lessons**

- A pencil case including:
- Pens, pencils, sharpener, highlighter, rubber, glue, scissors, ruler...
- Small dictionary FR-EN (optional

Please do not bring valuable items to Camp. If possible, please label your child's clothes with their name.

#### - For the activities

- Comfy clothes suitable for activities (that can get dirty or wet)
- A swimming costume suitable for swimming pools
- A jumper or fleece depending on the weather conditions
- A water bottle, snacks, and a picnic lunch
- A waterproof jacket
- Plenty of snacks and water bottle
- Trainers or walking shoes,
   including a pair for •water activities
   (that can get dirty or wet)



## **Code of Conduct**

#### Juniors agree to:

- Make an effort to communicate in French where and when possible.
- Ensure that they have understood, and to ask for help or for the speaker to repeat, explain and translate if necessary.
- Respect the timetable of the Summer Camp, lesson or activities.
- Respect the staff, the teachers and activity Leaders and their fellow classmates.
- Respect the environment (buildings, equipment and materials).
- Behave in a polite and courteous manner with people from outside the centre.
- Respect all safety regulations at all times.
- Use electronic devices (mobile phone) reasonably during free time and according to the instructions of our Staff.
- Swearing / Offensive language and inappropriate behaviour will not be tolerated
- Bullying will not be tolerated

### **Legal Requirements**

The following are strictly forbidden:

- The consumption of alcohol, smoking or using banned substances.
- Bringing the above products onto any of the Alpine French School's premises.
- Visit websites not suitable for under 18s.
- Violence, sexual harassment, racism and all other forms of discrimination.

### Protocol in the event of a breach of the Code of Conduct

- 1 The Camp Management Team will evaluate the situation.
- 2 The Camp Management Team will take the necessary measures to resolve the situation. In some cases, we withhold the right to exclude students for example: when a situation or behavior impacts other students or staff members
- 3 In the event of an exclusion, all costs forthwith, are at the expense of the parents or guardians of the Junior.

### **Medical Information**



#### **Supervision**

Our team is very attentive to all aspects of the well-being of our juniors, including, but not limited to, their safety, their integration and their feelings.

Our team is present to supervise, guide and help your child.

#### Insurance

You must take out an insurance policy which covers the duration of the stay of your child, from arrival to departure at the camp and outside of the camp.

#### Allergies and Medical Conditions

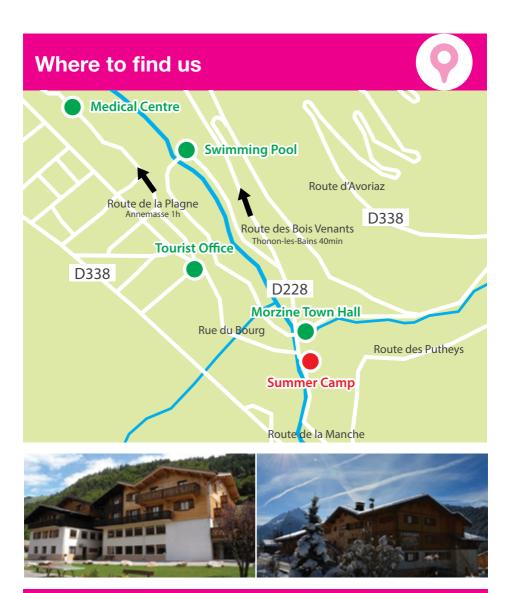
It is absolutely necessary to communicate any allergies or medical conditions prior to the arrival of your child, however minor they may be.

#### Vaccines

We strongly recommend that juniors are up to date with their vaccinations.

#### **Medications Policy**

If your child requires medication or help with a medical condition, please inform our team before arrival and they will be happy to help.



#### Summer Camp

École Sainte Marie Madeleine, 71 route de la Manche, 74110 Morzine, France

#### Information

- Please arrive from 8:30am on the Monday morning and from 8:45am the following mornings.
- Punctuality is a requisite and is appreciated.

### **Testimonials**



Some kind words from happy parents with happy children!

"My son did a week's course here in August 2022. Great experience. He enjoyed his classes and activities. Such an enjoyable way to learn french!" **Zoe**, **2022** 

"My boys, 8 and 5, spent two weeks at this camp over July & August. Both had a lot of fun; my oldest really enjoyed the Adventure Camp that took place in the afternoon. We would definitely return again; Morzine is such a wonderful place to visit with a family!" Alyssa, 2023

"What a fantastic experience! Our girls loved their French classes and even asked to go back next year. The teachers and leaders were amazing. Cannot wait to return."

#### Anne, 2022

"Perfect place to learn French. The school is very accommodating, the teachers are superb. Both my son and I had a great time. Cannot recommend it enough."

Aliz, 2023

"Our children just spent a week at their summer adventure camp. They all enjoyed their time. The teachers did a great job and the activities were entertaining." Kelly, 2023

### **Contact Us**

**Our Contact Details** 

**By email:** juniors@alpinefrenchschool.com **By phone:** +33(0)450790838 The team are available to answer any questions you may have from: **Monday to Friday / 9:00 - 13:00 / 14:00 - 17:00** 

#### How To Book

- 1. Send us an enquiry via our website, email or call us
- 2. Complete a 'Junior Enrolment Form' one per each child that you would like to enrol for our camp
- 3. On the **Junior Enrolment Form**, make sure you provide as much information as possible, to save time in the future. This includes: date of birth, medical conditions or allergies, any prior French learning experience and (if taking activities) the height of your child.
- 4. Once we've received your enrolment form, we will send you a quote within
  48 hours with a deposit amount, this is 25% of the total amount of the booking.
- 5. Pay your deposit through one of our 3 easy payment methods!
- 6. We'll send you a confirmation email once we've received your deposit, then a full payment will be required **6 weeks** before the camp start date.



We look forward to seeing you in Morzine, Summer 2024!



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