

# Aquarius

## Student residences in France

You are a student or a young worker (18-35), you plan to be in France for a language course, a work program, an internship or on vacation. Are you looking for a place to stay? **We offer independent (one person) furnished studios in student residences** in the following cities: Aix-en-Provence, Bordeaux, Clermont-Ferrand, Dijon, Grenoble, Lyon, Montpellier, Nevers, Paris, Rouen, Saint-Etienne, Toulouse.



Residences are located in the city or outside (prices vary accordingly).

Each studio has basic furniture, a kitchen as well as an independent bathroom, and you can easily access Internet (Wifi connexion). Surface: between 18 and 23 square meters. Linen is provided. All the residences have a laundry.

Minimum stay is one month.

Prices:

- Studios: between 400 and 750 Euros/month
- Electricity: 50 Euros/month
- Insurance: 50 Euros for the whole stay
- Aquarius admin fee: 150 Euros

A security deposit of 800 Euros will be requested with your payment. The security deposit will be returned to you, if nothing has been damaged, between one and two months after you quit the studio.

We cannot guarantee availability of all studios at all times. Please check availability and prices with us at [info@aquariusabroad.org](mailto:info@aquariusabroad.org) or +33 1 42 87 49 78. Videos of the residences are available on request! You must book your studio at least one month before arrival in France.

A detailed contract between you, the residence and Aquarius will be signed on arrival.



# Application form

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Arrival date:

Last Day:

### PERSONAL INFORMATION

(PLEASE WRITE IN CAPITAL LETTERS)

Last Name

First Name

Address

Zip Code

Country

Tel

Cell

Email

Date of birth

Nationality

Studies/profession

Describe your personality

Are you independent?  Yes  No  Intermediate

What is the purpose of your stay in France?

How many years have you been studying French?

What is your proficiency level in French?

Other languages spoken

Do you smoke?  Yes  No  Sometimes

Do you need any medical treatment?  Yes  No

If yes, specify

Where in France would you like to stay? (city)

1<sup>st</sup> Choice

2<sup>nd</sup> Choice

3<sup>rd</sup> Choice

### DOCUMENTS TO HAND IN WITH YOUR INSCRIPTION

- Signed application form
- One passport-size photo
- Your program payment

### PAYMENT

- Studio  €
  - Electricity  €
  - Insurance 50 €
  - Aquarius admin fee 150 €
  - Security deposit 800 €
- (check prices on page 1)

### TOTAL €

Credit card : Visa or Mastercard

Credit card number

Security Code (3 numbers on the back of the card)

Expiration Date (Month/Year)

Cardholder's Name

Cardholder's Signature

I have read, understood and accept the housing conditions

\_\_\_\_\_ *Place*

\_\_\_\_\_ *Date*

\_\_\_\_\_ *Signature*

# Housing rules

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The following items will help you better adapt to your new housing and make your stay a success. Here are some basic rules you should follow:

- INSURANCE** - All students are required to have an insurance for the studio that is provided by the residence.
- PHONE** - You do not have phone in the studio. We advise you to buy or rent a cell phone.
- INTERNET** - You have access to Internet in your studio.
- ELECTRICITY** - Electricity is very costly in France, so we ask you to turn your heat off when opening your window in winter and to switch your lights off when you leave a room in the apartment.
- WALLS** - Please do not put anything on your bedroom walls to avoid any wholes or stains.
- TV** - Most residences have a TV room and you can have access.
- YOUR ROOM** - You will need to lock your door when you leave. As a general rule, keep your room tidy and clean.
- NOISE** - Be discreet when you come home at night. Do not blast your stereo!
- LAUNDRY** - Sheets and towels will be provided. All residences have a laundry.
- VISITS** - You cannot invite your parents, family nor your friends to sleep over at your studio.
- FRIENDS** - During the day, you need prior agreement of the residence to invite someone into your room.
- LOOSING & BREAKING** - You are responsible for anything you break or lose (including the keys). Please be aware that loosing the keys could end up being very costly since it implies in most cases the whole door lock to be replaced.
- PRACTICAL ISSUES** - Do not hesitate to address material and practical issues directly to the person responsible of the residence. Only in the event of difficulty will you need to appeal to Aquarius.
- SECURITY** - If you are returning late at night, we urge you to take a taxi. You can share the cost of a taxi with another student living in the same area. Do not carry a lot of cash on you, and if at all possible, leave your passport at home and carry with you only the photocopies of your identity papers.
- CANCELLATION OF CONTRACT** - The student is legally bound to stay at the residence for a period determined in advance, which cannot be broken, except in cases of unavoidable circumstances. A stay already begun has to be completed as stated in the contract.

Please do not hesitate to ask Aquarius for help and advice.

Have a GOOD STAY in France!