

Practical information 2022

# Les jardins suspendus de Marqueyssac

BELVÉDÈRE DE LA DORDOGNE

Marqueyssac is one of the most beautiful romantic gardens in France. Today it is the most visited garden in Périgord.

Listed as a national historical monument thanks to its 54 acre park, Marqueyssac's gardens offer more than 6 kilometres of shaded paths, in a maze of 150 000 hand-pruned boxwoods.

From the belvedere, 130 metres above the Dordogne river, you will see the most spectacular panorama in Périgord. This is the testimony of a rich bygone history and a beautiful natural heritage. It's also an exceptional viewpoint over the Dordogne Valley. You will see the Dordogne's most beautiful villages : Domme, Castelnaud, Beynac, Fayrac, La Roque-Gageac and their castles.

## Two ways to visit

The visit has been created for everyone to enjoy. You will particularly appreciate the peace and calm walking through the greenery, by the waterfalls and along the waterways.

### Individual visit (1h 30):

along the walkways, signs are placed to promote the panorama and underline the beauty of the Dordogne Valley, the geography, the history and the life of its inhabitants. Information also develops around the discovery of nature. Pretty illustrated messages inform our visitors about the main animal and plant species that are likely to be encountered along the walk.

### Guided tour (35 min):

in addition to the individual visit. The guided tour takes place around the house and gives the foundations for a better understanding of the site : its history, its evolution, the upkeep of boxwoods and the restoration work which began in 1996.

### Individual prices

In July and August, to avoid waiting, buy your ticket online : [marqueyssac.com](http://marqueyssac.com)

#### FROM NOVEMBER 14TH UNTIL MARCH 31ST 2022

Adults ..... 9,90 €  
Children (10 to 17 years old) ..... 5 €

#### FROM APRIL 1ST UNTIL NOVEMBER 13TH 2022

Adults ..... 11,90 €  
Children (10 to 17 years old) ..... 6 €

Children (under 10 years old) ..... Free  
Regular customer's discount card : the third visit is free  
"Friend of Marqueyssac" pass (yearly subscription) . 25 €  
Twin ticket with Castelnaud castle (available 1 year)

### Candlelight evenings

(every Thursday of July and August)

Adults ..... 20 €  
Children (10 to 17 years old) ..... 10 €  
Children (under 10 years old) ..... Free

### Group prices

Adults ..... 7,50 €  
(one group leader free of charge for each group of 20 adults)  
Additional guided visit ..... set price 40 €  
Additional price for lunch (for less than 15 people) . 16,90 €  
(meal served in the restaurant-tearoom in the château or on the panoramic terrace ; ask us for more information)

Restaurant and tearoom open from 12.00 p.m.  
from February to the 13th of November.

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|--------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------|
| April, May, June and September | July and August<br>Candlelight nights every Thursday<br>from 7.00 pm to midnight | February, March and from October to the 13th of November | From the 14th of November to the end of January |
| 10.00 a.m. to 7.00 p.m.        | 9.00 a.m. to 8.00 p.m.                                                           | 10.00 a.m. to 6.00 p.m.                                  | 2.00 p.m. to 5.00 p.m.                          |

OPEN EVERY DAY OF THE YEAR (Last admission 1 hour before closing time)

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