**Quick facts**

- **Company:** France Explorateurs
- **Sector:** Education, Culture & Sport
- **Product / service:** Application & website
- **Type of data:** Historical monuments and museums dataset
- **Origin:** France

**Description**

France Explorateurs is an interactive application that acts as a game for users to discover exceptional tourist sites in France. Through the application, users can collect badges while visiting several sites. Users can gain points with badges and give their opinion about visiting the cultural sites. A possible future feature of the application could be to connect it to the European Heritage sites. These sites are normally closed for the public but are open during the European Heritage days (usually in September every year). Connecting the application with the European Heritage Days could increase cultural awareness of the sites in France.

**Benefits**

France Explorateurs promotes some of Europe’s greatest treasures: our vast history and collection of beautiful sites and art.

**How open data is used**

The historical monuments and museums dataset from the Ministry of Culture in France gives access to public cultural data, such as visitors numbers. The data is used in a geographical map, where users can see what sites have been visited by other users. In this way, for example, waiting times could be calculated for different sites.

**URL**

https://www.france-explorateurs.fr/