





Collections

The Musée d'Orsay presents the whole range of the fine arts between 1848 and 1914.

The galleries are numbered in chronological order, starting at ground level, taking the lift or stairs to level 5 (direct access to the Impressionists by escalator at the far end of the museum) then working down to level 2.

Visitor-aid cards are available in the galleries.

Some works may not be on display because of restoration work or loans. Please check at the information desk.

Paintings, sculptures and the decorative arts are on permanent display. Pastels are fragile and require dim lighting. Drawings and photographs are displayed on rotation in specific galleries.

Events

Temporary exhibitions are presented on levels 0 and 2.

Concerts, shows, conferences, courses, symposiums and movie projections are held in the auditorium (level -2). Access via gate C.

Guided tours to the permanent collections and temporary exhibitions are offered to all visitors: individuals, groups, adults, children and the hard-of-hearing.

Detailed programs are available on request at the information desks.

Security

For everyone's safety and comfort, please comply with requests from surveillance staff and the following rules:

- turn off mobile phones at the entrance,
- bags and baggage of medium size and large umbrellas to be left in the cloakroom (large bags are not accepted inside the museum),
- no flash photography,
- no smoking,
- no eating or drinking in the galleries,
- do not touch the works as they are fragile and handle sharp objects with care

Reception

Entrance

The main entrance
1, rue de la Légion d'Honneur
75007 Paris

Opening times

Open every day from 9.30 a.m.
to 6 p.m., except Mondays.
Thursday evenings to 9.45 p.m.

Closure of ticket desks

At 5 p.m. and 9 p.m. Thursdays
Evacuation of the rooms
5.30 p.m., Thursdays at 9.15 p.m.

Information

- Switchboard:
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- Individual visitors:
+33 (0) 1 40 49 48 00
/ 48 48 / 49 78
- Internet: www.musee-orsay.fr

Postal address

Musée d'Orsay
62, rue de Lille
75343 Paris cedex 07

Services

Bookshop, cardshop, boutique

Reference bookshop for
the period 1848 to 1914.
Postcards, posters, moulds,
jewelry and gifts.

- Free access via the main
entrance, 9.30 a.m. to 6.30 p.m.,
to 9.30 Thursdays, gate C.
- Bookshop:
+33 (0) 1 40 49 47 26

Restaurants and cafés

- Level 2, *Restaurant*
Lunch: 11.45 a.m. to 2.45 p.m.
Dinner, Thursday: 7 p.m.
to 9.30 p.m.
Tearoom: 3 p.m. to 5.30 p.m.,
except Thursdays.
Gourmet dinner
on Thursday evenings
Group reservations:
+33 (0) 1 45 49 47 03
- Level 5, *Café des Hauteurs*
fast-food, 10.30 a.m. to 5 p.m.,
to 9.30 p.m. Thursdays
- Level 6, *Mezzanine*,
fast-food 9.30 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Audioguide

Available in nine languages:
English, French, Spanish, Italian,
German, Dutch, Japanese,
Chinese, Russian.

Visitor's book

Visitors wishing to make
suggestions or observations may
do so in a visitor's book put at
their disposal at the information
desk.

Reduced mobility visitors

- The museum is equipped with
a number of lifts, automatic
doors, access ramps and adapted
washrooms (washrooms close at
5.30 p.m.).
- Wheelchairs and pushchairs
(prams and baby carriers are not
accepted) are available from the
cloakroom on presentation of a
piece of identity.
- A map/guide specifically for
handicapped visitors is available
from the information desks.



Updated July 2008: subject to change - enquire at reception.