

Domaine Lazarus

Region: Aquitaine Sleeps: 17

Overview

North of Bordeaux, Domaine Lazarus rises from three hectares of private grounds as a historic sanctuary in the heart of the Médoc. With its classical 19th-century form reimagined in modern tones, this elegant residence unfolds across three levels, offering a refined setting for family gatherings, wine holidays with friends or atmospheric French weddings.

Hosting up to 17 guests, spacious living areas create room to gather and unwind. Two separate lounges invite both quiet conversation and movie nights, one equipped with a Smart TV and Sonos soundbar. The open-plan kitchen, centred around a large island, is designed for convivial cooking, flowing into a generous dining space that opens to the outdoors. Eight double en suite bedrooms, one with an extra single bed, ensure every guest enjoys both comfort and privacy, while a hammam on the lower ground floor adds a tranquil spa-like dimension.

Outside, the estate offers space and seclusion, with an 18-metre swimming pool, children's play area (with zipline!) and wonderful terraces made for long lunches and afternoons in the sun. North-facing at the entrance and south-facing at the estuary, the *domaine* is bathed in natural light and framed by wide, open views.

Domaine Lazarus is perfectly placed for exploring the famed wine country of Margaux, just a 10-minute drive away. Neighbouring Grand Cru Classé estates such as Château Giscours, Château Ferrière and Château Kirwan offer immersive tasting experiences, vineyard strolls or even cycling tours through the vines. The region's seasonal events and festivals, quiet villages and scenic estuary crossings add further colour to your stay.

Tailor-made activities can be arranged to elevate the experience: craft your own blend in a private wine workshop, take to the skies in a hot air balloon or enjoy a gourmet picnic among the vines. For unforgettable moments, a professional photo shoot can be arranged to capture the magic.

Whether celebrating a special occasion or retreating in refined seclusion, Domaine Lazarus offers a stay that is deeply rooted in the pleasures of southwest France.

Facilities

Wine Tasting • Canoeing/Kayaking • Historical Sites • Ideal for Kids • Cycling • Watersports • Boat Trips • Private Pool • Golf Nearby • Romantic • Walking/Hiking Paths • Weddings • Golf Villa • Marquee Hire Permitted • Ideal for Teens • Cots (Cribs) • Maid Service Available • Chef/Cook Available • All Bedrooms En-Suite • Outdoor Ceremony • <1hr to Airport • Heritage Collection • Pool Safety Feature • Wi-Fi/Internet •



Country Estate • Waterfront • BBQ • Rural Location • Washing Machine •
Indoor Reception Available • Outstanding Landscapes • Outdoor Pursuit &
Activities • Tourist Towns & Villages • Tumble Dryer • Smart TV •
Sauna/Steam • Heating • Water excursions/Boat trips • Cooking Classes
Available • Wine-Tasting Available • Transfers Available • Playground •
Ideal for Babies & Toddlers • High Chair(s)

Interior & Grounds

House Interiors (400m2, across three floors)

- Stairs to main entrance
- Living room with sofa, armchairs and feature fireplace
- Second living room with sofas, chairs, small table and entertainment system (Smart TV and Sonos soundbar)
- Dining area with large dining table, Sonos speaker and doors opening to outdoors
- Open-plan kitchen, fully-equipped including a large central island and induction hob
- Guest WC
- 2 x bedrooms (30m2) with king-size double bed (180cm) and en suite bathroom
- 3 x bedrooms (25m2) with queen-size double bed (160cm) and en suite bathroom
- 3 x bedrooms (15m2) with queen-size double bed (160cm) and en suite bathroom

One bedroom on the second floor also features an additional single bed. All bathrooms feature a WC, wash basin and either a bath or shower

Lower Level

- Guest WCs (x2)
- Hammam
- Laundry area (sink, fridge, washing machine, dryer)

Outside Grounds (3 hectares of land)

- Swimming pool (18x4m) with safety alarm, open approximately February and October
- Poolside loungers and deck
- Raised dining terrace with table and chairs (with stairs down to pool area)
- Barbecue
- Large grounds (sloping in parts)
- Children's play area with large play house and zip line
- South-facing exposure on estuary side (with open views)

Additional Facilities

- Air-conditioning (top floor only)
- Smart TV (use your own log-ins for streaming platforms)



Location & Local Information

Set on the banks of the Gironde estuary, Domaine Lazarus is a captivating escape in a fine location for visiting the prestigious vineyards and beautiful landscapes of the Médoc. Just 5km from the village of Margaux, this private estate sits at the gateway to world-renowned Grand Cru Classé châteaux and the rolling vine-laced countryside of southwest France. With its refined setting and proximity to Bordeaux's famed terroirs, it's an exceptional base for wine lovers and culture seekers alike.

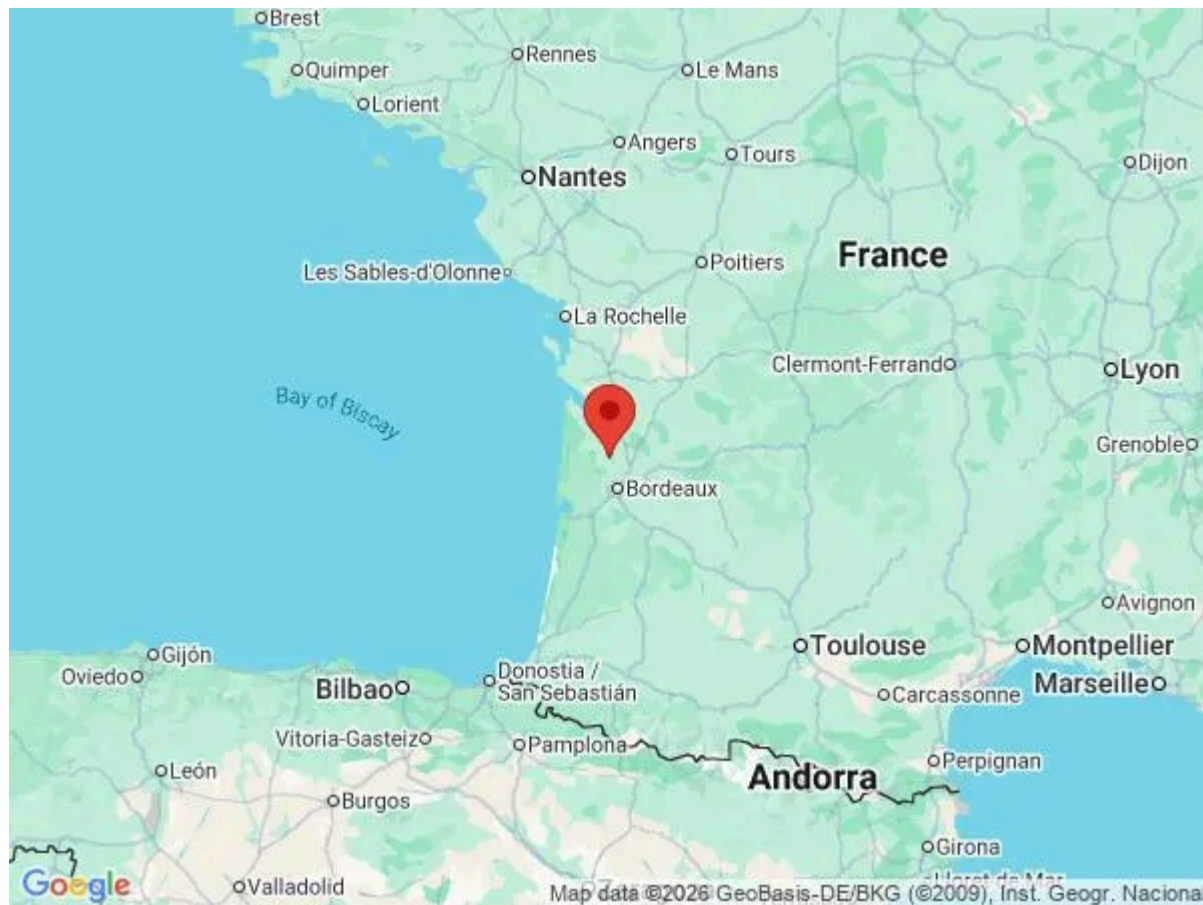
In terms of practicalities, there is a small grocery shop in the local village just a 5-minute drive away, a bakery (closed Mondays) just a little further in Margaux and a good sized supermarket in less than 10 minutes by car. Meanwhile, a variety of restaurants from local bistros to high-end establishments can be found across nearby villages, wineries and towns.

From Margaux, visitors can explore celebrated wineries such as Château Ferrière and Château Giscours or enjoy a round of golf at Golf de Margaux (3.5km), also home to a celebrated restaurant. The nearby Port de Macau (10km) and the charming wine village of Bages (20km) offer an authentic taste of local life, while the vibrant riverside town of Pauillac (31km) reveals the deeper soul of the Médoc, framed by fishing huts, marina views and countless wine estates.

You could time your stay with one of the region's iconic events, from En Primeur tastings (April) and joyful open-cellar festivals throughout summer to the lively Marathon du Médoc (September).

For a change of pace, take the scenic ferry from Lamarque to the historic Citadel of Blaye (16km), a Vauban masterpiece overlooking the estuary. Alternatively, head west and spend a day by the water at Lac d'Hourtin-Carcans (45km) and Étang de Lacanau (50km). These pine-fringed lakes and nearby Atlantic beaches are perfect for sailing, surfing or cycling through the vast forest and sand dune landscapes.

Domaine Lazarus also places you within easy reach of Bordeaux (32km), a city of grand architecture, gourmet dining and immersive wine experiences such as La Cité du Vin.



Local Amenities

Nearest Airport	Bordeaux Airport (32km)
Nearest Beach	Lacanau Océan/Carcans Plage (49km)
Nearest City	Bordeaux (33km)
Nearest Ferry Port	Bilbao/Saint-Malo (377km/554km)



Nearest Golf	Golf de Margaux (3.5km)
Nearest Restaurant	Margaux and other local villages (3-5km)
Nearest Shop	Grocery store inn local village (2.8km)
Nearest Supermarket	Near Arcins (5.5km)
Nearest Town	Margaux (5km)
Nearest Train Station	Gare de Margaux/Bordeaux Saint-Jean (5.5km/39km)
Nearest Village	Small Médoc village (2.8km)

What we love

- A grand 19th-century estate reimagined with contemporary flair, set in three hectares of private grounds by the banks of the Gironde
- Eight stylish en suite bedrooms offer comfort and privacy– ideal for families, groups of friends or special occasions
- Lounge by the stunning 18m pool or unwind in the tranquil hammam after a day exploring prestigious Médoc vineyards
- Kids will love the outdoor play area complete with a playhouse and zipline!
- A short drive from Margaux’s legendary wine estates – perfect for tastings, tours and scenic cycling through the vines
- Optional extras like wine blending workshops, hot air balloon rides and photo shoots add unforgettable touches

What you should know...

- This is a beautiful setting by the banks of the Gironde – a car is essential to be able to reach amenities and explore the area.
- Families are warmly welcomed and there’s a superb play area outside with a zipline! As always, children should be supervised, especially by the pool, hammam, play area and outdoor grounds.

Terms & Conditions

- **Security deposit:** €4000 charged to client's credit card by the owner as a pre-authorisation prior to arrival and refunded two weeks after departure, subject to full inspection.
- **Arrival time:** 4:00 p.m. Late arrivals incur an additional fee of €55 after 5:00 p.m. and €85 after 9:00 p.m.
- **Departure time:** 10:00 a.m.
- **Energy costs included?:** Yes.
- **Linen & towels included?:** Yes.
- **Pets welcome?:** Not allowed.
- **Other Ts and Cs:** Weddings are on request only and subject to prior arrangement with the owner and additional charges. Other celebrations and stag/hen parties are not allowed.
- **Changeover day:** Flexible.
- **End of stay cleaning:** Extra €560, payable to Oliver's Travels with the balance payment. Guests are required to leave the accommodation clean, tidy and in the same condition as on their arrival. Any extra cleaning, laundry, maintenance and/or rubbish disposal required will be charged against the security deposit.
- **Smoking Allowed?:** Outside only.
- **Minimum stay:** 2 nights.
- **Heating costs included?:** Yes.
- **Tax:** French Visitors Tax payable locally in cash (typically costs €1-€10 per adult per night - please enquire if exact amount is required).
- **Pool towels included?:** Yes.