# Chateau Cote D'Or

Region: France Sleeps: 12

### Overview

In a lovely setting overlooking vineyards, in the village of Puligny-Montrachet, Château Cote D'Or is a beautifully restored family home in an ideal location for exploring this stunning part of Burgundy.

The family château dates back to the 15th century and has recently undergone a remarkable transformation which has resulted in a charming place to stay. The limestone walls and large oak door remind you of the château's rich past, yet the home now has a contemporary yet classic feel. 21st-century features include Apple TV and an amazingly well-equipped kitchen, perfect for keen chefs to create a Burgundian feast. Each of the six double bedrooms has an ensuite bath or shower room whilst kids will adore the spacious dorm-style room under the eaves at the very top.

Outside you can gaze at the views of the vineyards as you enjoy leisurely meals al-fresco or relax on the terrace, perhaps drinking one of the most famous white wines of the world which is produced in the surrounding vines. On cooler evenings, dine by candle-light in the elegant dining room, followed by board games or films in the cosy TV den.

Here you are in the heart of the Côte de Beaune's wine region, with many wineries and a couple of restaurants, including one with a Michelin star, within walking distance. Indeed, private wine tastings can even be arranged in the château's own wine cellar or head to some of France's most famous vineyards nearby.

Follow the Burgundy wine road, Route des Grands Crus, visiting idyllic villages such as Pommard, Volnay and Meursault, all within ten minutes. The most famous wine-town of all, Beaune, is 12km away where you can admire the stunning historical buildings, enjoy the atmospheric market and try one of the Michelin-starred establishments. Better still, head to Chagny, only 5km away, to dine in its 100-year old restaurant with 3 Michelin stars!

There's also cycling along nearby canals, horse-riding in the beautiful countryside and hot-air balloons over stunning landscapes. This is Burgundy at its very best and Château Cote D'Or offers a warm and inviting home from which to enjoy this fantastic region.

### **Facilities**

Chateaux & Castles • Ideal for Xmas/NY • Wi-Fi/Internet • Golf Nearby • Wine Tasting • Cycling • Historical Sites • Horse Riding • Walking/Hiking Paths • Maid Service Available • Private Pool • Cots (Cribs) • Indoor Games • Walk to Village • Heritage Collection • Catering Available • Board games • Children's videos/DVDs • Heated Pool • Ideal for Babies & Toddlers • Ideal for Kids • Ideal for Teens • Walk to Restaurant • Wine







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## **Interior & Grounds**

#### Château Interior

Ground Floor (via steps from outside)

- Large entrance hall
- Living room with piano with doors leading to terrace
- Dining room with doors leading to terrace
- TV room
- Kitchen-diner, well-equipped, with doors leading outside
- Guest WC
- Utility room
- Access to wine cellar in basement (wine-tastings can be arranged on request)

First Floor (via stone spiral staircase, shared with adjoining apartment)

- Double bedroom with ensuite shower
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- Double bedroom with ensuite shower and separate WC
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- Double bedroom with ensuite bathroom with bath, shower and separate  $\ensuremath{\mathsf{WC}}$
- Separate WC

Second Floor (via stone spiral staircase, shared with adjoining apartment)

- Dorm style bedroom with 3 x single beds (suitable for children extra cost applies)
- Connecting double bedroom
- Shower room and separate WC (located between the two bedrooms)

#### **Outside Grounds**

- Heated swimming pool (4m x 10m, depth: max. 1.6m) with hard cover
- Al-fresco dining area
- BBC
- Private car parking

#### Facilities

- Wi-Fi
- Heating
- Apple TV
- Board games
- DVDs for kids









### **Location & Local Information**

Château Cote D'Or is situated in the heart of Burgundy's Côte de Beaune wine-growing region, in the charming village of Puligny-Montrachet.

Puligny-Montrachet is famous for its excellent wines, especially four of its grand crus. There is a lovely wine trail to follow and it goes without saying that there are numerous wine-makers in the village where you can sample wines from the surrounding vineyards. There are a couple of restaurants within walking distance as well, one boasting a Michelin star.

Puligny-Montrachet is part of the famous wine road, Route des Grands Crus, which includes other wonderful villages such as Pommard (9km), Volnay (8km), Meursault (5km) as well as idyllic vineyards across the Côte de Nuits and Côte de Beaune region where wine tastings can of course be arranged.

Chagny is only 5km away where you will find further facilities such as supermarkets and further places to eat. This delightful town has a wonderful market on a Sunday morning and the town features a 100-year old restaurant with 3 Michelin stars! If you love walking or cycling, head to the town's lovely canal with its gentle towpaths and fantastic fishing nearby.

The capital of this wine-producing region is the famous town of Beaune (12km), where you can visit the amazing Hospices de Beaune, one of France's most stunning historical buildings. Don't miss the great market on Wednesday and Saturday mornings and food-lovers should also try and get to one of the many Michelin starred establishments in the town and surrounding villages.

Furthermore, just 40-minutes by car is the fascinating town of Autun (40km), founded by the Romans and full of historical sights, including a beautiful cathedral in the old town as well as a lovely central square which hosts a market on a Wednesday and Friday morning. There are hot-air balloon rides leaving from Autun, an amazing way to see some of the breath-taking vistas around you.

Dijon (60km), just under an hour away (or forty minutes by train from Chagny), is a historical town with a delightful old quarter and of course famous mustard stores whilst Cluny (68km) to the south is a stunning medieval village most famous for its abbey, a National Monument of France, once the largest in the western world.

Within about an hour you can also be entering the incredible Parc Naturel Régional du Morvan where you can discover woodlands, streams and waterfalls, gentle rolling hills and hidden villages. This region is perfect for hikers, horse-riders and cyclists and there's a great variety of watersports on one of the lakes or rivers.

### **Local Amenities**

Nearest Airport	Lyon (170km)
Nearest Airport 2	Geneva (227km)









Nearest Golf	Golf de Beaune (17km)
Nearest Restaurant	Puligny-Montrachet (5-minute walk)
Nearest Shop	Boulangerie, wine shop (5-minute walk)
Nearest Supermarket	Chagny (5km)
Nearest Town/City	Chagny/Beaune (5km/12km)
Nearest Train Station	Gare de Chagny (7.5km)
Nearest Village	Puligny-Montrachet (In the village)

### What we love

- This is the perfect location for the famous Côte de Beaune wine-making region in Burgundy, with many wonderful wineries within walking distance
- Enjoy the vineyard whilst dining al-fresco
- Beaune, a wine-lovers paradise, is just a 15-minute drive away
- Food lovers, don't miss Chagny (5km) with it's 3 Michelin starred restaurant and lovely weekly market

# What you should know...

- Please note that Chateau Cote D'Or accommodates 12 guests (included in the rental price) plus 3 young people/children in the dormitory style bedroom (subject to an additional cost please enquire for pricing).
- There is an adjoining apartment available sleeping an additional two guests please enquire for further information.
- Please note that due to the layout of the château, the old stone spiral staircase can also be used by the adjoining apartment. However, each floor can be locked.
- There are some low beams in the bedrooms on the top floor under the eaves.

### **Terms & Conditions**

- Security deposit: €1000 payable by credit card to the owner 4 weeks before arrival and refunded 2 weeks after departure subject to full inspection.
- Arrival time: After 5.00 p.m.
- Departure time: 10.00 a.m.
- Energy costs included?: Yes, including heating.
- Linen & towels included?: Yes. Weekly linen change for guests staying more than 10 nights.
- Pets welcome?: On request only and with prior agreement with the owner. If accepted, they will not be permitted in the bedrooms or on the sofas.
- Other Ts and Cs: Weddings and any special events are on request only and subject to prior arrangement with the owner and additional charges. Please note that like all heated pools, pool heating and water temperature are reliant on weather and outside temperatures. Please note that Chateau Cote D'Or accommodates 12 guests (included in the rental price) plus 3 young people/children in the dormitory style bedroom (subject to an additional cost please enquire for pricing).
- Changeover day: Saturday approximately late-June to end-August/beginning of September. Flexible during all other periods.
- End of stay cleaning available?: Yes and weekly mid-stay clean included for guests staying more than 10 nights. Please note 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 garbage disposal required will be charged against the security deposit.
- Smoking Allowed?: Strictly no smoking inside the house. Smoking is permitted outside as long as cigarette butts are disposed of.
- Minimum stay: 6 nights from late June to end of August/beginning of September. 4 nights during all other periods.
- Pool heating charge?: Included.
- Tax: French Visitors Tax payable locally in cash (typically costs €1-€10 per adult per night please enquire if exact amount is required).
- Pool opening dates?: Please note that pool opening dates are subject to local weather conditions and pool maintenance requirements and that cooler months may not be suitable for swimming.