

Maison d'Ernest Renan à Tréguier



Come and discover the house where Ernest Renan spent his childhood in Tréguier, a small historic Breton town a few kilometres from Guingamp in the Côtes-d'Armor.

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Opening / Closing

Times may vary

Open

April, May, June and September : wednesday to sunday, 10 am to 12 and 2-6 pm

July and August : every day, 10 am to 12 and 2-6 pm

1st October to 31 March : groups on reservation

Closed

1st January 1st May 1st and 11 Novembre, 25 December

Prices

Adult rate :3 €

Reduced rate :2,50 €

Adult group rate :**2,80 €** (minimum 20 persons)

School group rate :**20 €** (maximum 35 persons)

Free admission :

Minors under 18 (family visit)

18-25 years old (for people under 26 years old who are citizens of one of the 27 countries of EU or are non-European permanent residents of France)

Disabled visitors and their escorts

Unemployed persons

Going there

From Saint-Brieuc: secondary road D 786

From Perros-Guirec: secondary roads D 6 and D 786

From Guingamp: secondary road D 8

Localisation

Maison d'Ernest Renan

20 rue Ernest Renan

22220 Tréguier

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Coordonnées GPS

Latitude : 48.7885

Longitude : -3.2272

Discover

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Understanding Ernest Renan and his house in Tréguier

- **A 'secular saint' of the 3rd Republic.** Born into an impoverished family, Ernest Renan (1823-1892) was a brilliant scholar destined for the priesthood. However, he left the seminary in 1845. His works subjected the Gospels to scientific critical examination, and enraged the clergy and right-wing Royalists and Catholics. Renan was a respected scholar throughout Europe and received a multitude of honours: he was a member of the Académie des inscriptions et belles lettres, a Professor at the Collège de France, a member of the Académie Française and an officer of the Légion d'honneur.

- **A local dignitary's townhouse.**

The house was built at the end of the 16th century and the architecture is typical of the Trégor area. It was bought in 1780 by Renan's grandparents. Renan left it for good at the age of 15. It became a museum in 1947. In 1992, on the occasion of the centenary of his death, sculpted wood decoration was added to the street facade.

Visits

Guided visit

français, anglais (en juillet et août)

sur réservation : 3 semaines

durée : 45 mn

Gift and book shop

Guide Dog allowed

Dogs excluded

Accessibilité

Nombre d'étages pendant la visite : 3

Services

Toilettes Possibilité de repos pendant la visite et dans le jardin Librairie-boutique Parking pour autocars sur les quais, 300 m en forte pente ou parking du lycée, 800 m par chemin plat 1 place GIC-GIG réservée