

MUSÉES, VALLORBE

IRON AND RAILWAY MUSEUM

Visitors to the Vallorbe Iron and Railway Museum in the Yverdon-les-Bains region are fascinated to see the blacksmith in action or the miniature train rushing past. There's so much to see here, with the history of the railway told in five rooms and 227 metres of miniature tracks with all types of trains from Switzerland and elsewhere, while blacksmiths repeat their precise but powerful gestures for fascinated children. Artisans create personalised medals on request or other magnificent pieces which can be purchased at the museum shop.

The Iron and Railway Museum is located on the magnificent site of Les Grandes Forges with its six working water wheels on the river Orbe. Built in 1495, the site dates from the time when Vallorbe became the "City of Iron" due to its favourable natural location and ore-rich soil.

OPENING HOURS

From 1 Nov 2021 to 11 Apr 2022

Tuesday - Friday 13:00 - 17:00

Saturday - Sunday 10:00 - 17:00

From 12 Apr 2022 to 30 Oct 2022

Tuesday - Sunday 10:00 - 18:00

PRICES

Individual

Adult CHF 12.-

Child CHF 6.-

Pen./Inv./Apprentice/Student CHF 10.-

Group (from 12 pers.)

Adult CHF 10.-

Child CHF 5.-

Apprentice/Student CHF 8.-

Family

2 adults + 2 children (or more) CHF 27.-

Guided visit (on request)

Per guide (+ entrance fee) CHF 80.-

GOOD TO KNOW

- Open on public holidays
- Closed on 25 and 26 December 2021 and on 01 and 02 January 2022
- Special openings on request



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