

# TOUR

## Two-day Field Trip to the West of French Guiana

### Day 1

- Breakfast
- Departure to Kourou (about 60 km from Cayenne – 1hour) in a minibus
- Visit to the European Space Centre in Kourou
- Lunch Break
- Departure to Awala (about 200 km – 2.5 hours) in a minibus
- Arrival at l'Auberge Simili
- Dinner
- Traditional evening with the Kali'na Amerindians in Awala
- Overnight stay at l'Auberge Simili either in a hammock or on a bed in a bungalow



### Day 2

- 8:45 a.m. – arrival at the Tourist Office in St.-Laurent-du-Maroni
- Boarding of Maroon boats
- Going upriver on the Maroni River in the direction of the Maroon village Apatou
- First short stop at the river island of Bastien and visit to their fields
- Second short stop at the village of Anaola to observe typical Maroon subsistence activities such as the preparation of cassava-based staples, the construction of Maroon boats, introduction to other aspects of

#### Maroon culture

- Passing by Hermina falls, the first river rapids
- Arrival at Apatou and restaurant lunch
- Visit of the Amerindian village of Bigi Stong on the Surinamese side of the river.
- Arrival at St.-Laurent-du-Maroni at around 5:00 p.m.
- Return trip to Cayenne in a minibus
- Dinner
- Overnight stay at the hotel in Cayenne

Price: **170 EUR** per person

The price includes: - overnight stay at l'Auberge Simili with breakfast  
- minibus transport Cayenne-Kourou-Awala-St.-Laurent-Cayenne  
- day-long excursion to Apatou

#### **THINGS TO TAKE ALONG**

water-resistant backpack – something to cover your head – sun screen lotion – sunglasses – shorts – t-shirts – swimsuit – trousers – towel – toiletries – torchlight – pocket-knife – mosquito repellent – track shoes – rubber sandals or slippers – umbrella or raincoat

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