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Dinard, set on the dramatic coastline of Brittany in northern France, has long been a fashionable destination for holidaying French urbanites. Characterised by its long and wide, tree-lined boulevards that converge on elegant squares full of chic restaurants and creperies, the city juts out seawards and is, therefore, surrounded on three sides by beaches and the sea. For sailing, water sport and beach enthusiasts, it means that the coast is always within easy walking distance.



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THE CITY



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Dinard can trace its history back a good few centuries, but it is only in more recent times that the elegant resort has come to the fore. It is rather like a typical Victorian upmarket seaside holiday destination - long stretches of sandy beaches, coves, cliffs to explore and seemingly endless esplanades with continental style cafés, architectural street lamps and gardens full of flowers and shrubs. The waters are superb for sailing, and as such a number of marinas and mooring bays have emerged, complemented by facilities to enjoy water sports.

Dinard offers a fine dining experience, with countless à la carte restaurants offering fish and seafood dishes - often a speciality - along with grills, traditional French cuisine and dishes from around the world. Shoppers delight in the many designer items available in Dinard's excellent specialist shops - everything from fashions and leather goods to jewellery can be found. Wine shops sell great selections of wines, while delis are a must for unusual food items and markets offer an experience of lively French life as well as the chance to shop for antiques.

DO & SEE



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Dinard's most attractive site is the Promenade du Clair de Lune, a pleasant seaside walkway that stretches all along the shoreline, passing through the beaches (plage) du Prieuré, de l'Écluse, and, finally, Plage de St-Énogat. Beaches are another major draw - as a seaside resort, Dinard is primarily known for its excellent sandy shoreline teeming with vacationers all through the high season. Many visitors to Dinard also write a trip to neighbouring fortified town of Saint-Malo into their itineraries.

Parc de Port Breton



The largest expanse of parkland in Dinard, the Parc de Port Breton has an equestrian centre, children's play area, water features, zoological park with around 40 species of animal and birds, and a plant nursery - an all-around great field trip idea for the whole family.

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Phone: +33 2 99 46 74 64

Eglise Notre-Dame



This is a beautiful Gothic-style church in the south of Dinard. Its insides are packed with fine carvings and stained glass windows. The church is also known to play host to concerts every once in a while, musical performances including orchestras and choir.

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Phone: +33 2 99 46 13 32

Internet: www.paroisses-dinard.catholique.fr

Promenade du Clair de Lune



With its gardens, natural greenery and views of the bay, the exceptionally long Promenade du Clair de Lune offers one of the finest coastal walks for visitors to Dinard. Parts of the promenade are set directly on the cliff rocks (the promenade itself is completely secure).

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Address: Bord sur Mer, Dinard

La Vicomté



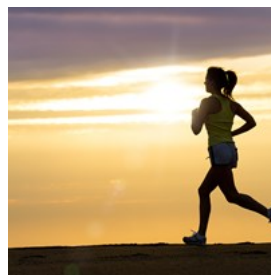
Enthusiasts of traditional French architecture will be enthralled by the elegant houses in the La Vicomté district. The area is located close to the

beach (Plage du Prieuré) and Dinard's most attractive park (Parc de Port Breton), both of which are attractive local sites.

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Address: La Vicomté, Dinard

La Pointe de la Malouine



La Pointe de la Malouine is located on a piece of headland next to the Plage de Saint Enogat, to the north of the city. It is an ideal spot for walking, admiring the wildlife and taking in the atmosphere of Dinard. Locals often go out on jogs around here.

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Address: La Pointe de la Malouine, Dinard

Le Barrage de la Rance



This was one of the first hydroelectric power stations in the world when it first opened in 1966. Today it is the world's second biggest tidal power station. There are boat tours up the river during high season, during which you can enjoy a lovely view of the bay.

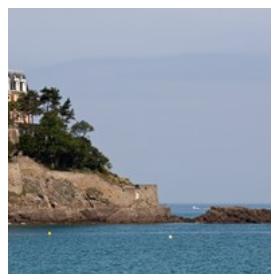
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Address: La Richardais, Dinard

Phone: +33 2 99 16 37 14

Internet: energie.edf.com

Villa les Roches Brunes

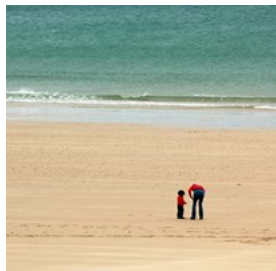


This beautiful villa, built in neoclassical style between 1893 and 1896, is open to the public via guided tours. It houses different exhibitions and from its location on the edge of a cliff, it offers breathtaking views of the bay from its peaceful terrace.

Photo: Martin Kemp/Shutterstock.com

Address: 1 Allée des Douaniers, Dinard

Longchamps Beach



Just 6 kilometres to the west from Dinard, in St Lunaire, lies the lovely, long sandy beach of Longchamps. There is a restaurant and rental outlets for water sports equipment. This is a perfect place for a relaxed day out in the sun - the beach is perfectly suitable for families with children, too.

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Address: Longchamps Beach, St Lunaire

Manoli, Musée et Jardin de Sculptures



Here at the Manoli museum, visitors can stroll through a heavenly garden with almost 300 different imaginative art objects to enjoy. There are guided tours during July and August but guests can also find information in leaflets in French, English and German or in audio-guides in French and English.

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Address: 9 Rue du Suet, La Richardais

Phone: +33 2 99 88 55 53

Internet: www.manoli.org

St Vincent Cathedral



This Roman Catholic church had to be rebuilt after suffering severe damage from the war - the mix of old and new is what makes it so unique. The bishop seat is made of steel, and the windows are stained glass. Come here for a moment of peace and tranquillity.

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Address: 12 Rue Saint-Benoist, Saint-Malo

Phone: +33 2 99 40 82 31

Fort National (Saint-Malo)



Fort National, built in the late 17th century to protect St Malo, is a landmark of the city. If you decide to visit the museum do not forget to take the long spiral staircase to the top of the building, from an astonishing view of the city and the coastline unfolds.

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Address: Fort National, Saint-Malo

Phone: +33 6 72 46 66 26

Internet: www.fortnational.com

Grand Aquarium



The Grand Aquarium is an attraction enjoyable to the whole family. Here you can see 600 different species of marine animals and watch them up close - there is even a contact basin where visitors can touch the fish directly. Do not miss the underwater ride in the submarine at the end.

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Address: Avenue du Général Patton, Saint Malo

Phone: +33 2 99 21 19 07

Internet: www.aquarium-st-malo.com

Plage de l'Ecluse



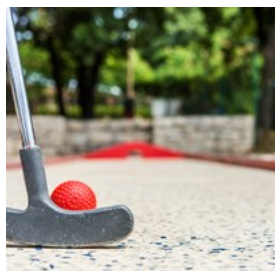
There are several beaches to choose from in the area, but if you are looking for a place within Dinard city limits this is a perfect option. In the

summer season this sandy beach is a popular meeting spot and visitors can join a gym class or attend any other of the activities held here.

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Address: Plage de l'Ecluse, Dinard

Mini Golf de Saint-Enogat



Close to the Saint-Enogat beach, to the north of Dinard, you can challenge your friends to a tournament of mini golf on a course overlooking

the ocean. After a tough game, guests can enjoy a light snack or a refreshing drink at the small café with sea view.

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Address: Rue Roger Verceel, Dinard

Internet: minigolfdinard.free.fr

Casino Barrière de Dinard



If you're feeling lucky or just want to feel the air of glamour for a moment, pay a visit to the casino.

In addition to the traditional games, the casino also hosts different shows and cabaret performances, and there is also a fine dining restaurant with magnificent sea view on-site.

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Address: 4 Boulevard Wilson, Dinard

Phone: +33 2 99 16 30 30

Internet: www.lucienbarriere.com

Saint-Malo



Only a couple of kilometers away from Dinard lies the fortified town of Saint-Malo, which offers further sights and attractions to visitors.

Walk the cobbled streets of the historic town contained within the ramparts, visit the St Vincent Cathedral, and explore the city's fine dining scene.

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Address: Saint-Malo, France

DINING



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Dinard's residents and visitors tend to follow the French tradition of eating out at every opportunity - and it's something to be taken very seriously. A la carte restaurants serve fine French cuisine as well as fresh fish and seafood, which is a speciality on many restaurants' menus. Most of Dinard's restaurants have impressive wine lists. For a lighter meal, the city has a good choice of creperies and fast food establishments.

Le Balafon



The hidden gem of a restaurant comes highly recommended by local connoisseurs. Its remote location makes it difficult

to simply stumble upon, so do venture away from the main visitor strip for some excellent French cuisine made with locally-sourced market ingredients.

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Address: 31 Rue de la Vallée, Dinard

Phone: +33 2 99 46 14 81

Internet: www.lebalafon-restaurant-dinard.fr

La Gonelle



The fabled seafood restaurant is partially set on a cliff, with an airy terrace overlooking the bay. Oysters, clams, mussels, lobster, and, of

course, catch-of-the-day fish are prepared in a variety of mouthwatering ways in the open kitchen - diners are welcome to take a peek.

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Address: Promenade Clair de Lune, Dinard

Phone: +33 2 99 16 40 47

Internet: www.lagonelle.com

More Info: Operates 15 Apr-30 Sept

La Passerelle Du Clair De Lune



Enter through the kitchen and indulge in some excellent fine dining only several minutes away from the center of Dinard. The reputable

restaurant serves modern French cuisine with an emphasis on seafood (try the mussels and clams in beurre blanc sauce).

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Address: 3 Avenue George V, Dinard

Opening hours: Thu-Mon 12-2pm & 8-9.30pm

Phone: +33 2 99 16 96 37

Internet: www.la-passerelle-restaurant.com

More Info: Promenade Clair de Lune

L'Appel du Large



This restaurant is located at the Casino Barriere de Dinard. The décor is bright and cheerful and the restaurant provides great views of the sea.

L'Appel du Large specialises in seafood dishes, but meat-lovers will not be disappointed with the selection either. Offers classic French flavors.

Photo: Kzenon/Shutterstock.com

Address: 4 Boulevard Wilson, Dinard

Opening hours: Sat-Wed 11am-2am, Thurs-Fri 11am-3am

Phone: +33 2 99 16 30 38

Internet: www.lucienbarriere.com

Le Cancaven



Mussels (moules) head the menu at the Le Cancaven, but an assortment of other seafood dishes, fish, and salads prominently

feature on it as well. Set menus are great value, try one of those or opt for the a la carte service. The restaurant is very centrally located.

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Address: 3 Place de la République, Dinard

Phone: +33 2 99 46 15 45

Castor Bellux



For an informal meal on a day out shopping, head for the Castor Bellux, an Italian eatery serving pizzas, pasta and other dishes from Italy. Service is known to be delightfully friendly, serving sizes are large, so it's no surprise the restaurant buzzes with diners nearly every night of the week.

Photo: Denizo71/Shutterstock.com

Address: 5 Rue Winston Churchill, Dinard

Public Transport: Car or bus to Rue Winston Churchill

Opening hours: Daily 12pm-2.30pm & 7pm-11pm

Phone: +33 2 99 46 25 72

Internet: www.castorbellux.com

Buffalo Grill



Buffalo Grill is a restaurant chain specializing on open-fire grilled meat and fish. The menu features succulent cuts grilled to perfection.

If the weather allows, you can enjoy your food out on the terrace. Open all year however off-season it is closed on Sunday and Monday evenings and Tuesdays.

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Address: ZAC de la Ville Es Meniers, Pleurtuit

Phone: +33 2 99 16 13 85

Internet: www.buffalo-grill.fr

Le Grill Cote Soleil



The efficient and professional personnel at Le Grill Cote Soleil serves scrumptious grilled meat and seafood dishes to their guests, in an often

busy but still very welcoming atmosphere. Set menus of different price ranges are available, as well as a daily changing "menu du jour".

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Address: 2 Place de la République, Dinard

Opening hours: Daily 12-2pm & 7pm-9.30pm

Phone: +33 2 99 16 00 01

Internet: www.le-grill-cote-soleil.com

Le Yacht Restaurant



This elegant restaurant is located just above the Dinard Yacht Club. The menu is rather concise, with an emphasis on seafood - they even serve fresh oysters. From the outside terrace guests can enjoy one of the best views of the bay and boats passing.

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Address: Promenade du Clair de Lune, Dinard

Phone: +33 2 23 18 12 08

Internet: www.dinard-restaurant-le-yacht.fr

L'Abri des Flots



L'Abri des Flots is a reputable restaurant highly popular among Dinard residents and is, therefore, often quite busy. The menu gives guests a choice from several regional dishes. The food is of high quality, service is efficient and all of it at reasonable prices.

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Address: 6 Place de la République, Dinard

Opening hours: Daily 12pm-2.30pm & 7pm-10.30pm

Phone: +33 2 99 16 99 48

Internet: www.abridesflots.fr

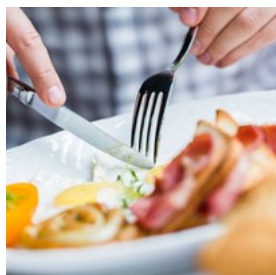
Restaurant de la Vallee



This restaurant is located in the harbour, close to the city centre. The menu focus lies on fish and seafood, and the Tapas Marin is a rather popular choice. The interior is modern and guests can choose to sit inside the restaurant or out on the terrace facing the harbour.

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Address: 6 Avenue George V, Dinard
Phone: +33 2 99 46 94 00
Internet: www.hoteldelavallee.com

Le Petit Montmartre



This small restaurant, close to the beach of the Prieuré, is only open for lunch. They offer a buffet with selections of cheeses, meats, salads etc. as starters and for the main course, guests can choose from two or three different dishes. Arrive early as it tends to get crowded quickly.

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Address: 1 Rue de la Haute Guais, Dinard
Phone: +33 2 99 46 16 50
Internet: www.lepetitmontmartre.net

Le Chalut



A proud Michelin star holder, Le Chalut is a fine dining restaurant with a homely feel that specializes on seafood from local waters (some meat options are available as well). Dishes are cooked to perfection, and multiple-course menus are on offer. Mind that there is currently no children's menu.

Photo: Semen Kuzmin/Shutterstock.com
Address: 8 Rue de la Corne de Cerf, Saint-Malo
Opening hours: Wed-Sun 12.15-1.15pm & 7.15-9.15pm
Phone: +33 2 99 56 71 58

Le Bistro de Jean



An excellent dining location in Saint-Malo, Bistro de Jean is a classic French bistro with a concise menu featuring only a handful of starters and mains - a sign that the dishes that did make the cut are given utmost attention. Try the signature scallops or sea bass, or opt for the game or lamb.

Photo: RBerger/Shutterstock.com
Address: 6 Rue de la Corne de Cerf, Saint-Malo
Opening hours: Mon, Tue, Thu & Fri 12pm-1.45pm, Mon-Sat 7-9.45pm
Phone: +33 2 99 40 98 68

Bouche en Folie



Another great find in Saint-Malo, the Bouche en Folie is a restaurant that immediately charms anyone who enters with its interior, only to enchant them further with the excellent modern French cuisine served here. Seating is limited, so do make sure to book in advance.

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Address: 14 Rue du Boyer, Saint-Malo
Opening hours: Thu-Mon 12-2pm & 7-10pm
Phone: +33 6 72 49 08 89

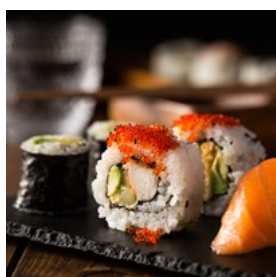
L'Arganier



L'Arganier stands in refreshing contrast to the ubiquitous classic French flavours found at every corner is Dinard. The couscous and traditional tajine dishes are excellent, and so are the meats. The restaurant is also featured in the Michelin guide.

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Address: 3 Rue Winston Churchill, Dinard
Phone: +33 2 99 16 90 39

Thai & Sushi



The restaurant provides yet another alternative for those looking to change it up and savour flavors that aren't the brilliant regional seafood.

The menu features an array of Thai dishes, sushi, rolls, sashimi, tartar, and a variety of other Asian delicacies.

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Address: 13 Rue Henri Maulion, Dinard
Opening hours: Tue-Sun 12-2pm & 6-10pm
Phone: +33 2 99 16 40 53
Internet: www.dinard-sushi-thai.com

CAFES



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Regional specialties include the ubiquitous crepes and, of course, galettes - pancakes made with buckwheat flour, which come with a variety of (usually savoury) fillings. In both Dinard and Saint-Malo, creperies await at nearly every turn, some offering pleasant outdoor seating with a view.

Crêperie Côté Mer



Côté Mer is an attractive crêperie within easy reach of both the shops and beach, great for informal dining. The galettes are traditionally

prepared and cooked on demand. There is an extensive selection of sweet and savoury crepes, as well as a couple grill varieties.

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Address: 29 Boulevard Wilson, Dinard
Phone: +33 2 99 16 80 30
Internet: www.creperie-cote-mer.com

Crêperie Du Roy



This is a crêperie with a true traditional French atmosphere. They offer a good choice of flavoursome crepes and galettes that come with a side salad. This one is a longstanding local establishment, with fast, attentive service and honest portions.

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Address: 9 Boulevard Féart, Dinard

Phone: +33 2 99 46 10 57

L'Amiraute



A crêperie with a view, L'Amiraute is located in Saint-Lunaire, to the west of Dinard. Seating is available on the sun terrace overlooking the bay, with full sea view. On the menu you will find pancakes, desserts, various seafood dishes, salads and drinks.

Photo: Andrey Bayda/Shutterstock.com

Address: 1 Pointe du Décollé, Saint-Lunaire

Opening hours: Daily 10am-12am

Phone: +33 2 99 46 33 38

Le Marégraphe



This place is located close to the beach and offers an outside terrace where you can enjoy your food and drink. Crêperie le Marégraphe is a pleasant cafe with friendly and welcoming staff, offering a selection of sweet and savoury crepes to fit anyone's taste.

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Address: 8 Place du Calvaire, Dinard

Phone: +33 2 99 46 94 92

Balthazar - le Bar à Chocolat



If you like chocolate, you have come to the right place. Their speciality is hot chocolate made with cacao beans from South America and Africa. The cafe is known for its quirky chocolate creations, such as funny little figurines and even chocolate lipstick. Offers several flavours of ice cream.

Photo: HandmadePictures/Shutterstock.com

Address: 32 Rue Levavasseur, Dinard

Opening hours: Tue-Sat 10am-12.30pm, 3pm-7pm

Phone: +33 2 90 10 28 14

Internet: www.balthazar-chocolat.fr

Le Hautecloque



This small and quiet creperie lies close to the beach in Dinard and serves as a perfect lunch venue, a great place to try Brittany's signature crepe variety. There is a wide array of galettes and crepes to choose from and the menu also contains a new "dish of the day", every day.

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Address: 3 Rue du Marechal Leclerc, Dinard

Phone: +33 2 99 48 31 35

Côt & Plage



In the area of Saint-Enogat you can find this small upper-range eatery serving crepes, pizzas and galettes. There is a wide selection of toppings to choose from and you will definitely

find something to tease your taste-buds. Seating only available indoors.

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Address: 6 rue Garnider, Dinard

Phone: +33 2 30 25 22 30

Bergamote



Bergamote is located in St. Malo, a town in very close proximity to Dinard.

This tea room and crêperie also serves salads and other lighter

snacks for lunch together with delicious pastries and cakes. Appealing presentation is at the forefront here - desserts look exceptionally stunning.

Photo: Wiro.Klyngz/Shutterstock.com

Address: 3 Place Jean de Chatillon, Saint Malo

Opening hours: Daily 11am-7pm

Phone: +33 2 99402814

Le Corps de Garde



Set on the old ramparts of Saint-Malo, this attractive creperie serves a selection of sweet crepes and savoury galettes, all on a pleasant terrace

overlooking the bay. Come here to enjoy a light meal or dessert and take in the rays of the setting sun.

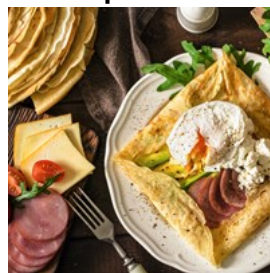
Photo: Slawomir Fajer/Shutterstock.com

Address: 3 Montee Notre Dame, Saint-Malo

Opening hours: Daily 12pm-10pm

Phone: +33 2 99 40 91 46

Le Comptoir Breizh Cafe



The unique cafe fuses together two seemingly polar opposite culinary traditions - the French and Japanese ones. The peculiar blend results in some of the most one-of-a-kind flavors, both sweet and savoury - try the excellent "crepe rolls" or mouthwatering galettes.

Photo: Vladislav Nosik/Shutterstock.com

Address: 6 Rue de l Orme, Saint-Malo

Phone: +33 2 99 56 96 08

Internet: www.breizhcafe.com

Le Cafe Rouge



Le Cafe Rouge isn't just another hotel restaurant, as it may seem at first glance - the establishment serves excellent seafood, and is

one of the good choices for lunch in the area. The "plat du jour" (dish of the day) is often a great choice, but a la carte dining is available as well.

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Address: 3 Boulevard Feart, Dinard

Phone: +33 2 99 46 70 52

Pizzeria Santa Lucia



The Italian eatery is known for its excellent pizzas - the selection is rather impressive (some pizzas even feature the very Breton egg on top),

and serving sizes generous (one pizza may easily be shared among two guests). Other dishes served include pasta, salads, and meats.

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Address: 23 Boulevard Wilson, Dinard

Phone: +33 2 99 46 87 77

Internet: www.santalucia-dinard.com

BARS & NIGHTLIFE



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Dinard's nightlife tends to revolve around its restaurants, both in the city centre and on the beachside, where crowds of friends, couples and families can often be seen enjoying the atmosphere. There are a handful of lively bars and nightspots. Some are atmospheric little venues while others have a more modern wine bar style.

La Suite Club



La Suite is a very popular local disco club, one of the few prominent venues on the Dinard nightlife scene. The club has a great vibe and good

selection of drinks. One of its biggest perks is the free transfer service to and from Dinard and Saint-Malo. See their web page for themed party schedules.

Photo: Pressmaster/Shutterstock.com

Address: 2 Rue la ville Biais, Dinard

Opening hours: Thurs-Sun

Phone: +33 2 99 46 46 46

More Info: La Richardais

Le Casino Barrière



Much of the nightlife excitement in Dinard revolves around the Casino Barrière, a venue that tends to get especially busy during high season (from roughly May to late October). There are a couple of bars and a restaurant on-site, and the usual casino suspects: roulette, card games, and machines.

Photo: Kzenon/Shutterstock.com

Address: 4 Boulevard Du Président-Wilson, Dinard

Opening hours: Sun-Thurs 11am-2am, Fri-Sat 11am-3am

Phone: +33 2 99 16 30 30

Internet: www.lucienbarriere.com

Bar Le Skipper



Bar Le Skipper is a nautical-themed bar located in the centre of Dinard. The place is lively both day and night, and the staff is friendly and welcoming. The bar is very popular with locals, and has a very laid-back, unpretentious vibe. Great for lunch.

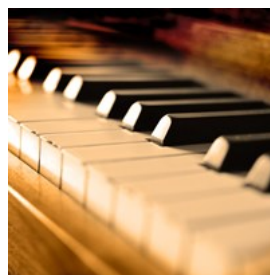
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Address: 8 Place de la République, Dinard

Public Transport: Car or bus to Place de la République

Phone: +33 2 99 46 84 99

Royal Emeraude

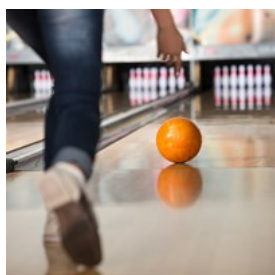


This elegant lounge bar is located at luxury Hotel Royal Emeraude in Dinard. Here you can enjoy a warm cup of tea with scones or homemade cakes during the daytime, and stay for some classy evening entertainment in the form of soft

piano music and well-crafted drinks.

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Address: 1 Boulevard Albert 1er, Dinard
Phone: +33 2 99 46 19 19
Internet: www.royalemeraudedinard.com

West Bowling



If you like Rock'n'Roll and bowling you have just found the right spot - the bowling alley is fully equipped for laser tag, "bubble foot" (indoor zorbing), and has an on-site diner and bar. The place is great for both family occasions and hanging out with friends.

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Address: Rue des Villes Billy, La Richardais
Phone: +33 2 99 73 41 91
Internet: www.westbowling.fr

Le Sadi 2



The very hip Sadi 2 is an establishment dramatically different from Dinard's polished fine dining venues - the vibe here is very relaxed, the atmosphere reminiscent more of a cool bar than a proper restaurant - although very decent food is served as well. Drinks range from beers to cocktails.

Photo: Syda Productions/Shutterstock.com
Address: 14 Rue de Saint Enogat, Dinard
Opening hours: Mon-Sat 11am-2.30pm & 6.30pm-12am, Sun 7pm-12am
Phone: +33 2 99 46 87 25
Internet: www.dinard-sadi2.fr

Le Huit Bis



The quirky restaurant and bar is packed to the brim with curiosities attached directly to its walls, giving plenty of places to rest the eyes as guests await their orders of food and drinks (daily specials vary, but seafood - mussels in particular - come highly recommended).

Photo: Joshua Resnick/Shutterstock.com
Address: 8 Bis Rue Yves Verney, Dinard
Phone: +33 2 99 46 48 88

Le 333 Cafe



The cafe offers seating on one of the finest scenic terraces in town, overlooking the bay below. For a snack, try the classic burger or the moules-frites (mussels with potato fries). In the evenings, good cocktails and drinks are served. Pricing is on the upper range.

Photo: Christopher Gardiner/Shutterstock.com
Address: 46 Avenue George V, Dinard
Opening hours: Daily 11am-12am
Phone: +33 2 99 88 26 26
Internet: www.hotelsbarriere.com
More Info: Le Grand Hôtel

La Palm Night



The pleasant bar offers in- and outdoor seating on the airy terrace, regularly hosts live gigs and DJ sets, broadcasts major sporting events, and stays open till as late as 3.30am during the summer months.

Photo: Aleksandar Mijatovic/Shutterstock.com
Address: 6 Rue Yves Verney, Dinard
Phone: +33 2 99 46 84 34

La Chaumière



The upscale night club offers complimentary shuttle bus service from multiple points in Dinard and Saint-Malo (consult their web page for schedules and pick-up points). Views from here are unbeatable, and the compact dance floor gets packed with elegant party-goers as the night progresses.

Photo: Pressmaster/Shutterstock.com
Address: 1 Pointe du Decolle, Saint-Lunaire
Phone: +33 2 30 30 35 35

SHOPPING



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Dinard boasts an air of elegance which reflects in its range of shops. Larger stores to little specialist shops sell everything from designer fashions fresh from the streets of Paris to leather wear such as belts and handbags, along with silk scarves, jewellery and perfumes. Most of the shops are located around the Place du Marché Halles and the Place de la République areas. In true French tradition, Dinard has its share of markets that sell not only produce such as fresh pâtés and cheeses, vegetables, fruits and meats

(Enthusiasts of fine wine and food will be spoilt for choice), but also flowers, crafts, and antiques. Of course, Dinard has its share of larger department stores and supermarkets, such as Auchan and Carrefour.

Les Halles de la Concorde



The covered market of Les Halles is the go-to place for those looking to stock up on some excellent local delicacies. The 18 registered vendors sell everything from fresh seafood to local produce, but the two "fromageries" are the ones that deserve particular attention on the part of shoppers.

Photo: Iakov Filimonov/Shutterstock.com
Address: 22 Place Paul Crolard, Dinard
Opening hours: Daily 7am-1.30pm

Grand Marché



On Tuesdays, Thursdays, and Saturdays the square just by Les Halles comes alive when 300 vendors from the region gather to showcase some of the best local produce at what is now known as the region's largest market. Shop for everything from regional delicacies to clothing and souvenirs.

Photo: paul prescott/Shutterstock.com
Address: 22 Place Paul Crolard, Dinard
Opening hours: Tue, Thurs & Sat 7am-1pm

Cavavin Dinard



The centrally located wine boutique is a prime spot to shop for some of the finest local wines, champagne, and other liquors - local and international. Bottles make perfect gifts and souvenirs from the region. The shop packs over 900 varieties, a selection guaranteed to satisfy the finest of tastes.

Photo: Minerva Studio/Shutterstock.com
Address: 34 Rue Levavasasseur, Dinard
Opening hours: Tue-Sat 9.30am-12.30pm & 2.30-7.30pm, Sun 10am-1pm
Phone: +33 2 99 46 92 04
Internet: www.cavavin.fr

Conserverie la Belle-Iloise



The rustic Conserverie la Belle-Iloise is a must-stop for Dinard shoppers, a boutique specializing in various kinds of fish preserves, all of which come in uniquely designed tins and can be assembled into beautiful gift sets. Take your pick from a wide selection of tuna and sardine varieties.

Photo: Ivanova Julia/Shutterstock.com
Address: 21 Rue du Maréchal Leclerc, Dinard
Phone: +33 2 99 46 18 67
Internet: www.labelleiloise.fr

Biscuiterie La Trinitaine



Ever since it was first established in 1955, La Trinitaine has been selling specialty baked goods such as butter biscuits, pastries, crepes,

salted butter-flavored caramel, and a selection of sweet preserves typical of the region. Adorable gift box sets are available for purchase.

Photo: [ermess/Shutterstock.com](https://www.shutterstock.com)
Address: 4 Place de la République, Dinard
Opening hours: Daily 10am-1pm & 2-7pm
Phone: +33 2 99 16 94 74
Internet: www.latrinitaine.com

Douceurs de Bretagne



Douceurs de Bretagne brims with regional specialties from all over the province of Brittany - jams, wines, ciders, the typical caramels au beurre salé, and a plethora of further delicacies - both sweet and savoury. Multiple gift sets are available.

Photo: J. Helgason/Shutterstock.com
Address: 35 Rue Levavasasseur, Dinard
Opening hours: Daily 9.30am-1pm & 2.30-7pm
Phone: +33 2 96 72 05 06
Internet: www.bretagne-specialites.fr

La Maison Guella



The longstanding sweet and confectionery producer La Maison Guella enjoys a presence in both Dinard and Saint-Malo. Its assortment ranges from cookies and biscuits (the traditional "galette Bretonne", salted butter cookies, caramels, jams, and more.

Photo: [pixinoo/Shutterstock.com](https://www.shutterstock.com)
Address: 29 Rue Levavasasseur, Dinard
Phone: +33 2 99 40 83 43
Internet: www.lamaisonguella.com

Saint-Malo



Saint-Malo, only a couple of kilometers away from Dinard, offers a plethora of good shopping opportunities. If you're arriving from Jersey of the UK, Saint-Malo might be your main point of entry or departure.

Photo: EpicStockMedia/Shutterstock.com

Address: Saint-Malo, France

Centre Commercial la Madeleine-Carrefour (Saint-Malo)



Centre Commercial la Madeleine-Carrefour is conveniently located close to the road leading into Saint-Malo. Here you can go shopping for brands such as Yves Rocher, Clair's, Etam, Morgan, Calzedonia, and more. If you are hungry, feel free to stop for a coffee or lunch at one of its many eateries.

Photo: michaeljung/Shutterstock.com

Address: Avenue de la Flaudais, Saint-Malo

Phone: +33 2 99 82 36 10

Internet: www.la-madeleine-carrefour.com

Indoor Market at Halle au Blé (Saint-Malo)



The Saint-Malo indoor market is held at Halle au Blé on Tuesdays and Fridays. The product selection is mainly fresh local produce. On those same days, fish and seafood are sold at the Place de la Poissonnerie, only a few blocks up from the market's location.

Photo: Rick Lewis/Shutterstock.com

Address: Rue des Cordiers, St-Malo

Opening hours: Tue & Fri 8am-1pm

La Maison du Beurre (Saint-Malo)



The deli is a unique shopping spot in Saint-Malo, a tiny boutique where celebrated chef Jean-Yves Bordier showcases the wide variety of cheeses and butters of his own creations. Reputable eateries from around the world receive regular shipments from here, but anyone is welcome to make a purchase.

Photo: ILEISH ANNA/Shutterstock.com

Address: 7 Rue de l Orme, Saint-Malo

Opening hours: Tue-Sat 9am-1pm & 3.30-7.30pm, Mon & Sun 9am-1pm

Phone: +33 2 23 18 25 81

Internet: www.lebeurrebordier.com

Rennes



If you want to go shopping in a bigger city Rennes is only 1 hour away by car. The city (with its over 200,000 inhabitants) packs a punch with international brand boutiques, farmer's markets, local delis - and more - represented.

Photo: LuckyImages/Shutterstock.com

Address: Rennes, France

TOURIST INFORMATION



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Dinard Bretagne Airport



The Dinard Bretagne Airport (Aéroport Dinard-Pleurtuit-Saint-Malo) is situated just 4 kilometres south of the Dinard city centre. Taxis are

available outside the terminal. There is no bus or rail connection from the airport to Dinard but there is a shuttle service, scheduled after the arriving flights, that leaves for the bigger city of Saint-Malo. The ticket is purchased from the driver. From Saint-Malo station there are buses to Dinard.

Photo: Juan Garces

Address: Dinard Bretagne Airport, Dinard

Phone: +33 2 99 46 18 46

Internet: www.dinard.aeroport.fr

Public Transport



Good bus service links all parts of Dinard to one another, along with a train service from the Gare Maritime La Richardais off the Route

du Barrage for journeys further afield.

Remember that all bus tickets must be validated when entering the vehicle.

Car parks are in the Place de Gaulle, the Place du Marché Halles and off the Place de la République, along with the beaches.

Photo: Pierre-Luc Auclair

Taxi



Taxis are available from outside the airport and the taxi station in the Place de la République. The official taxi companies have a taxi

sign on the roof of the cars and the fare is decided by a metre. The rate depends on day and time.

Bedel Taxi

+33 6 60 42 04 15

Taxi Delommez

+33 6 03 47 84 66

Taxi Dinard

+33 660 420 415

Photo: ArrivalGuides

Internet: www.taxi-dinard.com

Post



You can buy stamps at tobacco shops and the mailboxes are yellow. Main Post Office:

Photo: Andy Fuchs

Address: 8 Place Rochaid, Dinard

Phone: +33 2 99 16 34 00
Internet: www.laposte.fr

Pharmacy



Pharmacies are recognised by a large green cross outside the premises and are generally open 9 am-1 pm and from around 2 pm-7 pm daily, except on Sundays. Out of hours is on a rota basis displayed in pharmacy windows.

Pharmacy Centrale Franca:

Photo: Gemma Garner
Address: 15 Boulevard Féart, Dinard
Phone: +33 2 99 46 22 68

Telephone



Country code: +33 Area code: (0) 2 99

Photo: Jardson Almeida

Electricity



220 Volts

Photo: Stirling Tschan

Population

11,720

Currency

Euro 1 € = 100 cents

Opening hours

The shops in Dinard are generally open Monday to Saturday from 9 am or 9.30 am to 7 pm in high season, and 9 am or 9.30 am to 6 pm at other times of the year. Coffee shops and patisseries are often open earlier in the morning from around 7.30 am. Most shops are closed on Sundays with a few exceptions, notably those for the tourist industry.

Newspapers

Ouest France
Courrier du Léon
Le Télégramme
Bretagne Magazine
Le Figaro

Emergency numbers

Emergency: 112
Police: 17
Fire: 18

Tourist information

Tourist Office
2 Boulevard Féart, Dinard
+33 821 23 55 00



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Plage de Saint-Éogat

Plage de l'Écluse

Baie du Prieuré

Plage du Prieuré

Plage Port Nican

Parc de Port Breton

LES COLLINES DU PRIEURÉ

LA MALOULINE

LA CONCHÉE

LA VICOMTE

Avenue Albert Caquot	D4	Rue Clos de la Fontaine	C2	Rue des Landes	B4
Avenue de la Vicomte	C3 D3 D4	Rue Coppinger	D2	Rue des Lilas	B3
Avenue des Mimosas	B2 C2	Rue de Barbine	C3	Rue des Marettes	C1
Avenue des Tilleuls	A1 A2	Rue de Dixmude	C2 C3	Rue des Minees	A2 A3 B2
Avenue du Chateau Hebert	A1	Rue de la Callibotais	C3	Rue des Ouches	A1 A2
Avenue du General Giraud	C3	Rue de la Chataigneraie	B4 C4	Rue des Vergers	B2
Avenue du Port Riou	B1	Rue de la Cite des Cognets	D4	Rue des Villas de Mer	B1
Avenue du Vallon	C1	Rue de la Corbinais	B3 C3	Rue du Bois Met	C4
Avenue Edouard VII	A2 B2 C2	Rue de la Croix Guillaume	C3	Rue du Cap Frehel	B1 C1
Avenue George V	D2	Rue de la Gare	B2	Rue du champ Picou	A4 B3
Avenue Harbour	B1	Rue de la Mettrie	D4	Rue du Docteur Derrien	B3
Boulevard Albert 1er	C2	Rue de la Paix	C2 D2	Rue du Domaine	B2
Boulevard Albert Lacroix	B1 C1	Rue de la Pionniere	C2	Rue du Douet Fourche	C4
Boulevard Alexis Carrel	A3	Rue de la Saudrais	B4	Rue du Dr Besnier	B3
Boulevard de la Liberation	C4	Rue de la Vallee	C2	Rue du Marechal Leclerc	C3 D2
Boulevard de la Mer	B1 C1	Rue de la Ville es Lemetz	A3	Rue du Petit Manoir	B2
Boulevard des Marechaux	C3	Rue de la Ville es Meniers	B4	Rue du Plateau de la Mettrie	D4
Boulevard du Villou	A3	Rue de la Ville Mauny	A4	Rue du Port Blanc	A1 A2
Boulevard Feart	C2 C3	Rue de l'Epave	B1	Rue du Sergent Boulanger	A1 A2
Boulevard Jules Verger	B4	Rue de l'Ilse Celee	D4	Rue du Val es Roses	C2
Boulevard Lhotelier	B2 C2	Rue de l'Orhalais	C4	Rue Edison	B3
Boulevard Wilson	C2 D2	Rue de Pival	A2	Rue Emile Bara	C2
Chemin de Feuvrette	B2	Rue de Port Nican	D4	Rue Ernest Renan	A2 B2
Chemin des Corbieres	C1 C2	Rue de Saint-Enogat	B2 C2	Rue Faber	D2
Chemin des Houles	A1	Rue de Saint-Lunaire	A2 B2	Rue Faraday	B3
Chemin du Tertre Mignon	A1 B1	Rue de Starnberg	A2	Rue Gardiner	B2
Impasse de la Carriere	A3	Rue de Val Poree	C4	Rue Gouyon Matignon	B3 B4
Impasse des Goelands	A2	Rue de Verdun	C2	Rue Gramme	B3
Pass des Buissons	B4	Rue des 3 Freres Julien	B3	Rue Henri Dunant	A2 B2
Pass des Rochettes	B4	Rue des Anciens Combattants	C3	Rue Jacques Cartier	C2 D2
Passage Beausejour	B1 B2	Rue des Bains	B1	Rue Jean Richepin	B1
Passage du Gulf Stream	A3	Rue des Bas Sablons	C2	Rue Kieffer	C2 D2
Passage du Vieux Manoir	B2	Rue des Broussardieres	A3 B3	Rue L d'Arabie	B3
Passage du Villou	A2	Rue des Cedres	D2	Rue Levavasseur	C2 D2
Rue Abbe Langevin	B1 B2	Rue des Corbierres	C2	Rue Maurice Nogues	B3
Rue Abbe Legraverend	C3	Rue des Ecoles	C3	Rue Pichot	C3
Rue alain Legac	A2	Rue des Elfes	C4	Rue Raphael Veil	C2
Rue Ampere	B3	Rue des Freres Lumiere	A2	Rue Rene Aillerie	C2
Rue Andre Chapron	B3	Rue des Glycines	A3	Rue Sadi Carnot	C2
Rue Branly	B3	Rue des Hortensias	B3	Rue Saint-Alexandre	B3
Rue Charles le Goffic	A2 A3	Rue des Iles	A2	Rue Theodore Botrel	A2
Rue Clairefontaine	A2	Rue des Jonquilles	C3	Square Jean Moulin	C3