

# OUR PARTNERS SHOPPING

Paris, city of fashion and fabulous shopping, is a melting pot of top designers and classic labels. Thousands of window displays sparkle with fashion and design creations, from internationally renowned department stores to neighbourhood boutiques: whether it be haute couture sophistication or retro chic, prêt-à-porter street wear or bohemian style, there is something for everyone.

Twice a year, the new seasons' collections place the spotlight on a veritable breeding ground of creativity, and in more and more places, shopping trips remain within easy reach of all budgets, every day of the week, Sundays and evenings included.

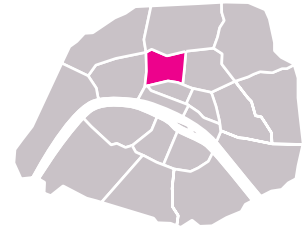
In January and July, the sales are another opportunity to make the most of the wide range of products on offer in Paris; while at any time of the year, a tax refund is applicable to purchases by non-EU residents.

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Considered as the “Capital of Fashion” department store, Galeries Lafayette’s flagship store on boulevard Haussmann offers an incomparable selection of the most prestigious names in fashion, perfumes and cosmetics, accessories, lingerie, interior decor, toys, lifestyle goods and much more. It has become a top tourist attraction for its unique architecture, notably the famous dome, and its choice of the very latest in French and international fashion with brands such as Louis Vuitton, Chanel, Cartier, Christian Dior, Prada, Burberry, Celine, Dolce & Gabbana, JP Gaultier, Agnès b., etc. Gucci, and a luxury jewellery and watch department featuring Tiffany, Bulgari, Chaumet, Omega, etc. Galeries Lafayette, the largest department store in Europe, has exciting events throughout the year: exhibitions and shows on the latest fashion trends and its famous 3J sales in the autumn and spring. Annual sales are in January and June-July.



- A beautiful art deco stained-glass dome dating back to 1912.
- The luxury space with 23 fashion brands, art gallery, champagne bar.
- A unique gourmet food store and one of Paris’s biggest wine cellars.
- Breathtaking views of Paris from the 7th-floor terrace.
- A 70,000 m<sup>2</sup> shopping paradise and one of the most visited destinations in Paris.

### SPECIAL FEATURES

- Welcome service and multilingual interpreters.
- VIP service and personal shoppers.
- Free fashion shows every Friday at 3pm.
- 13 restaurants including gastronomic, wine bars, Asian, etc.
- 12% tourist tax refund for €175.01 or more spent on the same day in the same store.
- Hotel deliveries and worldwide shipping.
- Wine and champagne tastings.



### PARIS COMMITTEE SPECIFIC OFFERS

#### ARGENTINA/BRAZIL

- Spanish- and Portuguese-speaking staff
- Store guide
- VIP service
- Personalized offers for individuals and groups

#### CHINA

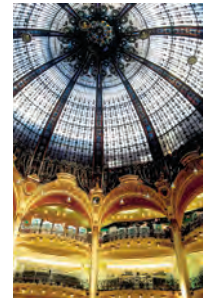
- Chinese-speaking staff
- Special welcome area for groups with tour leaders
- VIP and personal shopping service in Chinese
- Special Lunar New Year and yearly promotions

#### INDIA

- Store guide
- VIP Service
- Personalized offers for individuals and groups

#### RUSSIA

- Russian personalized shopping assistance
- Store guide
- VIP service
- Personalized offers for individuals



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Global Refund provides the easiest way for travellers to collect their correct tax refund. As pioneers in the market, we offer the most efficient and most flexible tax refund process. All you have to do is to look for the Global Refund Tax Free signs in shop windows or inside the shop, and make your purchases there. Indulge yourself while saving money: what could be more exciting?

- 2 cash refund points in Paris: Galeries Lafayette (Porte Trinité – ground floor) and IGE (79, avenue des Champs-Élysées).
- The average refund rate in France is 12% (your refund amount is the VAT less an administration fee).

- Present in 40 countries
- Hundreds of refund points all over the world
- Around 240,000 affiliated stores
- Over 30,000 satisfied customers every day

### SPECIAL FEATURES

3 steps to claim your refund:

- Shopping: shop where you see the Global Refund Tax Free sign and ask for your GR cheque.
- Authorization: when leaving the EU, have your GR cheque stamped by customs officials.
- Refund method: you have the choice between immediate cash, direct credit or a bank cheque.

And what about paying directly in your home currency?

First Currency Choice is the first credit card payment system developed by Global Refund which allows international shoppers to pay in their own currency at the point of sale:

- No more guessing about exchange rates.
- The amount you sign for is exactly what is going to be charged to your bank.
- Our competitive rates are updated throughout the day.



### PARIS COMMITTEE SPECIFIC OFFERS

#### ARGENTINA/BRAZIL

- Shopping guide in English
- Brochure "How to Shop Tax Free"

#### JAPAN

- Marketing office
- Brochure "How to Shop Tax Free"
- Shopping guide in Japanese
- Awareness and promotional flyers
- 3 cash refund points (international airports)

#### CHINA

- Marketing office
- Brochure "How to Shop Tax Free"
- Shopping guide in Chinese
- Awareness and promotional flyers
- 6 cash refund points (at international airports and in the city)

#### RUSSIA

- Marketing office
- Shopping guide in Russian
- Brochure "How to Shop Tax Free"
- Awareness and promotional flyers
- 10 cash refund points (in the city)

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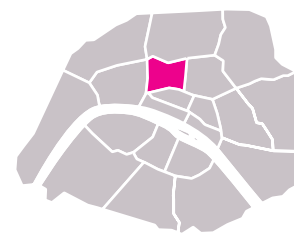
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7 days a week, all year round, enjoy chic outlet shopping at La Vallée Village, an attractive unique open-air village where each house is a store; each facade a window display. La Vallée Village gathers 100 leading fashion and homeware brands offering their previous season's collections at reduced prices (minimum 33% off the original price).

- Only 35 min. from Paris/Cityrama shuttle.
- Prices reduced by minimum -33% and up to -60%.
- Open 7 days a week, throughout the year, including Sunday (closed 25 December, 1 January and 1 May).
- Tax refund available in all stores.

**Over 100 prestigious brands**  
**2.8 million visitors in 2007**  
**17,907 m<sup>2</sup> of sales space**

### SPECIAL FEATURES

- A large range of prestigious brands: Celine, Christian Lacroix, Salvatore Ferragamo, Dunhill, S.T. Dupont, Givenchy, Longchamp, Kenzo, Armani, Agnès b., Burberry, Calvin Klein Underwear, Cerruti Jeans, Diesel, Féraud, Max Mara, Samsonite, etc.
- A discount card programme to obtain an additional 10% discount.
- A Cityrama shuttle service from central Paris to La Vallée Village, every Tuesday, Thursday and Sunday. From April 2009, daily shuttle service!
- Tax refund available in all stores for purchases over €175.01 (in same store).
- A Tourist Welcome and Information Centre with a multilingual staff.
- A contemporary art gallery with exhibitions from leading French and international artists.
- A modern French restaurant, a cosy coffee room and over 10 nearby restaurants (Chinese, Japanese, seafood, wine restaurant ...).
- 2,000 free car park spaces.
- Free coach parking.
- A meal voucher programme for coach drivers and tour leaders.



Village streets



Accessories at La Vallée Village



### PARIS COMMITTEE SPECIFIC OFFERS

#### ARGENTINA/BRAZIL

- Brazilian brochure and website
- 10% discount card
- Interpreter available to welcome groups upon request

#### INDIA

- English brochure and website
- 10% discount card
- Interpreter available to welcome groups upon request

#### JAPAN

- Japanese brochure and website
- 10% discount card
- Interpreter available to welcome groups upon request

#### RUSSIA

- Russian brochure and website
- 10% discount card
- Interpreter available to welcome groups upon request

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Paris Look is a luxury duty-free store situated in the heart of the capital. Prestigious French and international brands are represented in the three universes of Paris Look: perfume and cosmetics, leather goods and fashion, and watches. Find the best prices in the shortest time in Paris at a luxurious address where you can find everything you're looking for.

- Competitive prices.
- Unique shopping experience within 30 to 40 min. with a very large range of gifts, perfume, and cosmetics and accessories.
- Open 7/7 from 10am to 7pm.
- A multilingual welcome and service (Chinese, English, Indonesian, Japanese, Korean, Russian, Spanish, Thai ...).
- Immediate tax refund\*.

### 1,000 m<sup>2</sup> of selling space

**A sales force composed of more than 20 nationalities and languages spoken**  
**3 stores, 3 product universes with a selection of the most prestigious French and international brands: more than 70 perfume and cosmetic brands, some 30 accessory brands and more than 20 Swiss-made watch brands**

### SPECIAL FEATURES

- 12% immediate tax refund\* for €175.01 or more spent on the same day in the same store (Paris Look, Paris & Watches & Korres).
- Open all year long, 7/7 from 10am to 7pm (on Sunday from 11am to 6pm).
- Most currencies\*\* and cards\*\*\* accepted.



### BUSINESS TOURISM

- Possibility of buying tickets for museums and River Seine sightseeing tours.



### PARIS COMMITTEE SPECIFIC OFFERS

#### ARGENTINA/BRAZIL

- A dedicated sales team
- A special welcome and service in Portuguese, Spanish or English
- Immediate tax refund\*
- Attractive exchange rate and most currencies accepted\*\*
- Website in Spanish/English

#### INDIA

- A dedicated sales team
- A special welcome and service in English
- Immediate tax refund\*
- Brochure in English
- Attractive exchange rate and most currencies accepted\*\*
- Website in English

#### RUSSIA

- A dedicated sales team
- A special welcome and service in Russian
- Immediate tax refund\*
- Attractive exchange rate and most currencies accepted\*\*
- Website in Russian

\* See condition in store.

\*\* Euros, dollars, yens, pounds sterling, Swiss francs and traveller's cheques.

\*\*\* Visa, JCB, Diners, Master Card, American Express, China Union Pay accepted.

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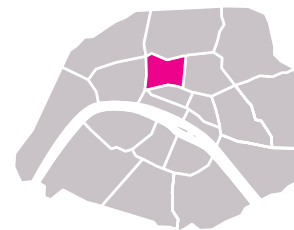
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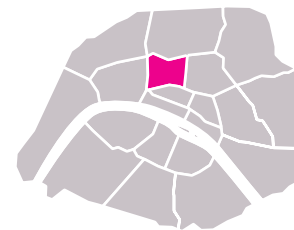
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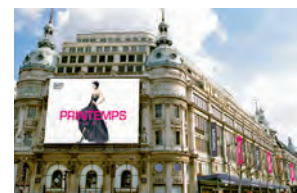
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Just minutes away from the Madeleine, Printemps is a number one reference for department stores in Paris, where local and international, luxury and trendy labels meet and mix. Classified as a historical monument, Printemps offers a panoramic view over Paris from its rooftop restaurant.

- The luxury floor: the most prestigious jewellery, timepieces and leather goods brands from the Place Vendôme or rue du Faubourg-Saint-Honoré together in a single showcase.
- An entire floor (3,000 m<sup>2</sup>) dedicated to women's shoes.
- A unique beauty department which brings together rare scents, organic products, beauty care treatments and for quick hairstyling the Coiff'bar.
- The food hall: a space devoted to the best in fine gourmet food and French gastronomy.
- 6 eclectic restaurants created by renowned chefs and designers to make the setting and food go hand-in-hand with style.



### SPECIAL FEATURES

- Printemps Concierge: available on the 1st floor of Printemps Mode. Upon presentation of a valid foreign passport, the team will gracefully open its address book.
- Printemps Reception with a multilingual team.
- 12% tax refund: for individual foreign customers, resident outside the EU, with over €175.01 of goods purchased the same day in the same store.
- Personal shopper service: free fashion advice in the store or welcome in a private room, by a style expert, by appointment on +33 (0)1 42 82 66 11.
- Dynamic currency conversion: with Visa or Mastercard, possibility of paying in euros or in a foreign currency (7 currencies).
- Delivery to Parisian hotels and shipping worldwide.



### BUSINESS TOURISM

- Possibility of reserving the Brasserie Printemps (350 persons) and the Montmartre Rotunda (30 persons) for private dinner, reception, board meeting, etc.



### PARIS COMMITTEE SPECIFIC OFFERS

#### ARGENTINA/BRAZIL

- -10% shopping discount card
- Store map in Portuguese and Spanish

#### CHINA

- Printemps international service desk with Chinese staff
- Store map in Chinese

#### INDIA

- -10% shopping discount card
- Printemps reception with English staff
- Store map and a map of Paris in English
- An English website

#### JAPAN

- Takashimaya service desk offering specific services
- Store map in Japanese

#### KOREA

- Printemps international service desk with Korean staff
- Store map in Korean

#### RUSSIA

- -10% shopping discount card
- Store map in Russian



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