

MUSEUMS, 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 29 Mar 2024 to 27 Oct 2024 Tuesday - Sunday	10:00 - 17:00
From 28 Oct 2024 to 30 Nov 2024 Wednesday Saturday - Sunday	13:00 - 17:00 13:00 - 17:00
From 26 Dec 2024 to 29 Dec 2024 Thursday - Sunday	13:00 - 17:00

## PRICES

Individual	CHF 13.-
Adult	CHF 6.-
Child	CHF 10.-
Pen./Inv./Apprentice/Student	
Group (from 12 pers.)	CHF 10.-
Adult	CHF 5.-
Child	CHF 8.-
Apprentice/Student	
Family	CHF 27.-
2 adults + 2 children (or more)	
Guided visit (on request)	CHF 85.-
Per guide (+ entrance fee)	

## GOOD TO KNOW

- No blacksmith in low season (November to Easter).
- No opening on request outside opening hours.

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