About Balbigny



Balbigny is a rural village. It has 2840 inhabitants and it is situated in on the banks of the Loire, 10 km from Feurs. This commune is crossed by the RN 82 which runs from Saint-Étienne (62 km) to Roanne (31). It is also served by a motorway exit (A72/A89 interchange).

The Church



The church of Balbigny was built in in the 19th century and has been renovated in 1998. It's the biggest monument in the city.

It's a place you can visit.

It's a place where you can pray ans confess.

The Loire Bridge



The old suspension bridge was created by the architect Jean-Michel. The bridge was built in 1837 but it was destroyed in 1940 by the French to stop the invasion of the German troops.



For 10 years, a temporary footbridge was then installed to unite the two shores.

A new 193-meter long bridge with three spans was put into service in 1950. Its original metal architecture is the first of its kind in France.

The chimeny



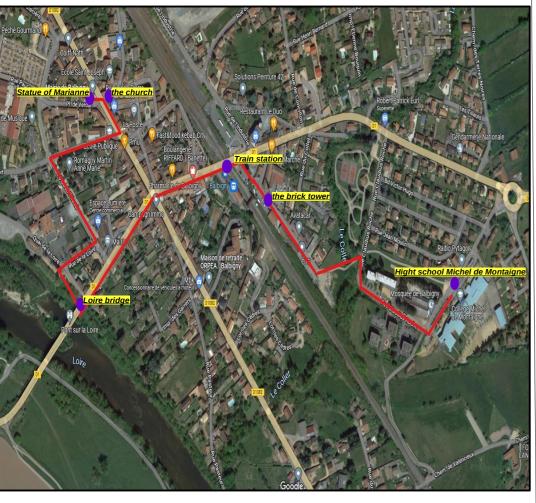
The tile laith's chimney is the tallest building of Balbigny but it's defunct. It's next to the fire station. It's now used to dry fire hoses.

Don't miss this wonderful tour



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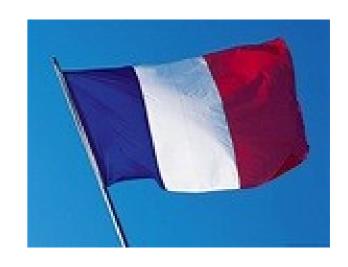
Tour itinerary











Iinerary sites:

- 1-Michèle de Montagne Secondary school
- 2- The Chimeney
- 3-The Church
- 4-The Atlar Table
- 4-The Marianne Statue
- 5-The Loire Bridge
- 6- The Loire River

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