



CHALUCET -LIGOURE

Take a trip into history



A major medieval site

Châlucaet is a spectacular medieval site built on a rocky promontory at the confluence of two rivers (the Briance and the Ligoure). It's an ideal place for a family walk, with open access for unguided visits all year round.



Guided tours

Individual guided tours are available from April to October (lasting approximately 2 hr) including a tour of the cellars in the medieval village, which are not accessible for unguided visits. Departure times: 10.30 am; 12.30 pm (in July and August); 2.30 pm; 4.30 pm (last departure).

Group tours by appointment only.

Prices*

- > full price: 6 €
- > price for groups (from 10 people), joint consultative committee members (on presentation of the membership card) and Haute-Vienne Pass holders (up to 5 people): 4 €
- > students: 3 €
- > under-12s, RSA beneficiaries: free (except group tours).

*Means of payment accepted: cash and cheques.



A free app to explain the site's history

Downloadable free of charge, the **"Forteresse de Châlucaet"** application offers 3D reconstitutions, videos and augmented reality views to explain the organisation of the castle and village and meet the people who wrote its history...

- > Download the app onto your smartphone or tablet before you visit the site and enjoy an entertaining, connected tour (+ Appstore and Google Play logo).
- > you can also borrow a tablet from the reception centre.



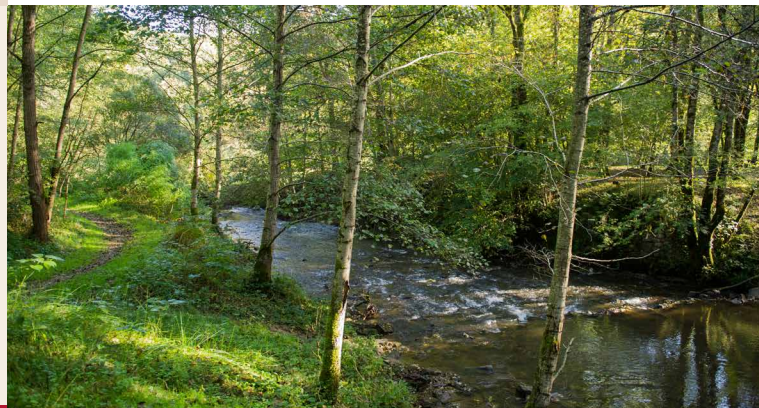
The Ligoure forest park

The 7 km nature trail (lasts 4 hr) takes you to the heart of the Ligoure forest to explore its wealth of animal and plant life and heritage.



There are terminals along the way to provide you with information about the development of this agricultural and forestry estate since the 19th Century: fish farming, the forest warden's house and innovative farming and production techniques and social organisation... Each heritage component contributes to the site's identity, which has been forged along with the history of the Le Play family, which began in 1856.

The forest park is also part of the network of Fragile Natural Areas in the Haute-Vienne Department. It forms part of the Briance Valley Area and a Natural Area of Interest for its Ecology, Animal and Plant Life (ZNIEFF) stretching from the Ligoure and Briance Valleys to Châlucaet Castle.



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OPEN ACCESS TO THE SITE ALL YEAR ROUND

Coach and car park

Outdoor picnic tables

- due to significant gradients, certain parts of the site are not accessible to people with reduced mobility.



RECEPTION CENTRE OPENING TIMES:

> April to June and September to October:

10.30 am to 12.30 pm and 1.30 pm to 6.30 pm.

> July-August: 10.30 am to 6.30 pm non-stop.

Toilets and drinking water available.

Sale of cold drinks and souvenirs.



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