

### Orchies Lycée La Providence

La Providence school is located in the north of France, close to the city of Lille and the border with Belgium. Founded in 1836, the school today includes general education as well as vocational studies.

- School grades: 10 to 12 (Lycée)
- Number of students: 600 students
- Percentage of international students: 0,8%
- ► Baccalaureat success rate: 100%
- French as a foreign language course: Not offered at school. The local coordinator can give students information on where to take a French course for an extra fee.
- Duration: academic year (from September), semester (from September and January), term (from September and January)
- School uniform: Only for vocational studies
- ▶ Religion classes: Catholic (optional)

#### Why do students choose this school? Students will appreciate the modernity of the classrooms and the options offered by the school.

### Good to know

Apart from the general studies, the school also accepts international students for their vocational classes.

# A Languages taught at

1st foreign language: English; 2nd foreign language: German or Spanish.

## School facilities

- Library
- Sports areas
- Boarding house (tv, video games...)
- Teaching restaurant
- Bakery shop
- ...

## Optional subjects

(depending on availability upon arrival)

- Sports
- Latin
- Religion (Catholicism)

Terminale (grade 12 only): advanced math, law and important current events

Vocational sections: bakery & pastry or cuisine & service





In town, you can enjoy many clubs for sports (basket, volley, karate, judo, pétanque, tennis, swimming, yoga...) and culture.

Options offered to students are subject to availability upon arrival. Lessons are at school or in clubs depending on the activity. Registration may be charged to the student for activities outside school and acceptance is at the discretion of the club.

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Book early! Availability is limited.

How many people live there? 8.455

### What is the nearest arrival point? Lille Europe train station Lille Flandres train station

Lille-Lesquin airport

### What is the area known for?

- The warm welcome and generosity of the locals
- The food trucks dedicated to French fries
- Europe's biggest flea market (September in Lille)
- ...

## What other interesting places are nearby?

Lille (26km), Valenciennes (29km), Arras (49km)...

### Local cuisine

French fries, fricadelle sausage, Maroilles cheese, mussels, Welsh (with cheddar)...

### Experience the local lifestyle

- Take part in the Dunkerque carnival (February)
- Visit some belfries with your host family
- See an exhibition at the Fine Arts museum in Lille
- Visit the weekly market in Arras to discover food specialties
- ...

