

VALENCE

Tourist information



Welcome...



Built in the beginning of the 16th century by Antoine de Dome, teacher at the University and consul of Valence, this house marks the crossing from the High Gothic style to the Renaissance.

Its name is due to the numerous sculpted heads located on the facade, the corridor and the inner courtyard.

On the facade, The Winds, the Fortune, the Time and emblematic figures as Theology, Law and Medecine are represented.

From September to June :
open from Monday to Thursday 8.30 am - 12 pm and 1.30 pm - 5.30 pm; Friday 8.30 am - 12 pm and 1.30 pm - 5 pm; Saturday 9.30 am - 12.30 pm and 2 pm - 6 pm; Sunday 2 am - 6 pm

From July to August :
open from Monday to Thursday 9 am - 12.30 pm and 2 pm - 6 pm; Friday 9 am - 12.30 pm and 2 pm - 5.30 pm; Saturday and Sunday 9.30 am - 12.30 pm and 2 pm - 6 pm

It is a page of universal history bearing witness of identities and itineraries which are both individual and collective, marked by persecution, genocide, exile and the integration into country of refuge. It is also the singular history of citizens of Valence from Armenian origin.



From October to March :
open from Tuesday to Sunday 2 pm - 5.30 pm
From April to September :
open from Tuesday to Sunday 2.30 pm - 6.30 pm
Closed on public holidays and from 25/12 to 06/01



In the very heart of the town, the Park Jouvét is an exceptional wonder of foliage, extended on 7 ha. More than 700 trees with various and rare essences, are waiting for you.

Favourite walk for the citizens of Valence, it will enjoy children and adults : trees, flowers, canals, musical fountains, animals, playgrounds...

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Sunday and public holidays
10.30 am - 3.30 pm

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Sunday and public holidays
10.30 am - 1.30 pm

Closed on 25/12, 31/12, 01/01, 01/05

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Valence town center map

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- C** General Council / Préfecture
- D** Railway station / Bus station
- E** Gendarmerie
- F** Post Office
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- H** Valence Municipal Theatre
- I** Cinema Le Navire
- J** Campsite / Billard-Bowling
- K** Multiplex - cinema Pathé
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- M** City of Art and History Department
- N** Public Library
- O** CPAM
- P** Cinema Le Lux
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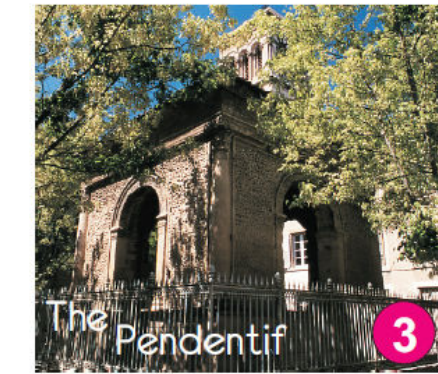
A beautiful love story on glazed paper started a night of 1942. The designer Raymond Peynet stopped off in Valence and his steps led him to the "Champ de Mars" where, appealed to the beauty of the place, he immortalized the bandstand and its two lovers.

Today the Peynet bandstand is listed "monument historique".



The actual construction is equivalent to a 12th century building which mixes antiques reminiscences to roman architecture. The cathedral had an important restoration at the 17th century, in the tradition of the Roman style. An engraved lintel reminds the visit of the Pope Urbain II in Valence in 1095. On the East side, the ambulatory leads to the radiating chapels, where is located the funeral monument of the Pope Pie VI, dead in Valence.

In the cloister of the cathedral was erected in 1548 the funeral monument of the canon Mistral. Built in molasse (friable sandstone from the quarry of Châteauneuf sur Isère), it testifies by its shape in triumphal arc to the renewal interest of the Renaissance for the Ancient Times.



Justly famous since the 17th century for the perfection of its vault, the "Pendentif" was one of the first monuments listed in France (1840), three years only after the creation of the "monuments historiques" commission.



In the heart of a leisure park with protected nature (European Blue Flag), Valence houses the n°1 river marina in France. You will find lots of attractions: health course, botanic path, bowling alley, tennis courts...
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