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## Erasmus sea in sight

## jeudi 7 avril 2022

The "wonder of the West", Saint-Michel-au-péril-de-la-Mer. This Benedictine

abbey, founded in 966, was erected on a sanctuary dedicated to the Archangel Michael since 708.

# **Objectives: enjoy the day by exchanging and learning the history of the Mont**

The questions follow 3 axes: one is conviviality, the other the European Union because the dam has received EU funding and the site is classified Natura 2000, finally the 3rd is worldwide because the site is protected by Unesco.

**1. Tourist office on arrival**. Take pictures of the model with the Mont, the

Couesnon, the Dam. Attempt to provide an explanation: why the works?

2. What difference do you make between the Mount in 2022 and this







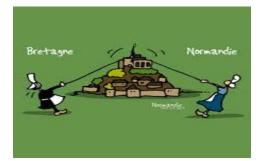


#### 3. QUIZZ : cross out the useless sentences

- 1. Mont Saint-Michel is:
- An abbey♦ An island ♦A town

#### 2. In which region is it located?

\*Lower Normandy \*In Upper Normandy \*Brittany



#### 3. In which department is the Mont?

La Manche♦ Ille-et-Vilaine ♦ Calvados

4. How many people live year round on Mont Saint Michel?

♦ 101
♦ 41
♦ 25

5. In what year was the Mount listed as a UNESCO World Heritage Site? ◆1979◆1963 ◆1863

### 6. To which commune is Mont Saint Michel twinned?

- Miyajima, an island in Japan; near Hiroshima·
- Spike Island, an islet in Ireland, in Cork·
- ◆ None· "No one is worthy of the Mount," the saying goes·

## 4. After the tourist office, we pass in front of the sculptures of cows.

Choose one and take a photo per group of 5. Original, funny, so cute...





#### 5. Promenade bridge: 4 questions

- a. Arrival at the dam: group photo on the promenade bridge
- b. the 4 alphabets, letters and numbers. Why ? in memory of

the work of copyist monks in the Middle Ages. Write today's date in Greek + first

name

c. Take a picture of the animals of the bay engraved on the bronze of the promenade deck. What are the English names of these animals?

d. Some will have to take a picture of the Breton coat of arms, others the

Norman coat of arms. And find the why? why are these 2 regions represented?





# 6. Mother Poulard's restaurant. 3 questions

La mère POULARD: an institution in the French culinary tradition, heads of state,

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stars have come to lunch here

a. What is the most famous local specialty?

Salt-meadow lamb

Stuffed mutton belly

Ewe's milk cockles

b. Take a picture of the menu

c. Why did Mother POULARD, a young woman living in the 19th century, cook an

omelette in her fireplace for all the fishermen who arrived at her house after

hours of work in the mud?

## 7. IN THE STREETS DURING THE DAY : 5 questions for 4 walkers

Ask these questions to 4 walkers:

a. Where are you from ?

b. Why are you visiting Mont-Saint-Michel?

- c. What value do Mont-Saint-Michel and its bay have for you?
- d. Did you know that Mont-Saint-Michel is listed on the UNESCO World Heritage

List? And why ?

e. Is there a property listed in your country or in your region of France?

# 8 .Saint Michael? Hebrew MI KA EL "who is like god" 2 questions

- a. Take a picture of a postcard of the Archangel Saint Michael
- b. What does it represent in religion?

Archangel Gabriel is one of the most important figures in Christianity. His name in Hebrew is Mi Ka El and means who is like God.

So we imagine it with a luminous splendor as dazzling as God himself. In the various books of the Bible, he appears as a chief warrior of the knights of heaven which he leads as the demonic dragon against the forces of evil. It is he who at the end of time must fight the 7-headed beast of the apocalispe.

As an enemy of the dragon, Saint Michael protects at the time of death, the soul of men watched by Satan.

He is therefore represented as the guide of the dead on their last journeys to paradise, from which he guards the gates with his flamboyant sword. He also presides over judgment and weighs souls in a balance even if it means distorting the weighing with a discreet finger. These attributions earned him enormous veneration by men of the Middle Ages, haunted by the fear of the devil and of death.

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# 13. Work on 2018 statistics : 2 questions

- a. Find the number of visitors
- b. Find your country

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	AFRIQUE DU SUD	340	124	0,04		
	ALBANIE	740	241	0,05		
	ALGERIE	759	148	0,06		
	ALLEMAGNE	49 417	15 549	3,92		
	ANDORRE	415	160	0,03		
	ANGOLA	55	22	0,00		
	ANTIGUA-ET-BARBUDA	6	3	0,00		
	ARABIE SAOUDITE	47	20	0,00		
	ARGENTINE	635	269			
	ARMENIE	70	20	0,01		
	AUSTRALIE	2 611	1 019	0,21		
	AUTRICHE	1 825	421	0,14		
	AZERBAIDJAN	2	1	0,00		
	Autres Pays	404	8	0,03		
	BAHAMAS	251	94	0,02		
	BAHREIN	7	3	0,00		
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	TANZANIE	6	3	0,00
	TCHAD	9	4	0,00
	THAILANDE	1 195	291	
	TIMOR-LESTE			0,00
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	TRINITE-ET-TOBAGO	41	18	0,00
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	TUVALU	2	2	0,00
	UKRAINE	1 560	437	0,12
	URUGUAY	131	49	0,01
	VANUATU	177	61	
	VATICAN - SAINT-SIEGE	1	1	0,00
	VENEZUELA	193		0,02
	VIET NAM	216	73	0,02
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	MONGOLIE	28	11	0.00		SENEGAL	81	31	0,01
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	NAMIBIE	97	36	0,01		SEVCHELLES	1	1	0,00
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	NEPAL	46	16	0.00	·	SINGAPOUR	169	59	0,01
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## L'UNESCO : 4 questions



- a. What is Unesco?
- b. It's used for ?
- c. How it works?
- d. What actions are implemented in the bay and at the abbey to preserve them?

#### 14. The European Union : 7 questions

a. The dam was partly financed by the European Union: find the percentage of

European investment or the figure in euros

- b. Natura 2000: how much area is protected by the European Union?
- c. The site is vulnerable, agriculture must be extensive. What is the animal that

walks on the salt meadows?

d. Rivers and estuaries are subject to the tide. What is the difference in water

height between low tide and high tide?

e. The animals are protected by Natura 2000. The PHOCA VITULINA live here and

breed. What is this animal?

- f. Bottlenose Dolphins Resident in the Gulf: Are They an Endangered Species?
- g. Is there a Natura 2000 site in your country?







## during the tour, take photos of....

- 1) The Bay of Mont Saint Michel: D
- 2) The entrance to Mont Saint Michel:  $\square$
- 3) Entrance to the Abbey: 🗆
- 4) The statue of Saint Michael  $\square$
- How is Saint Michael depicted?
- 5) The Gothic Heart: 🗆
- 6) The sculptured garden of the cloister: and  $\hfill\square$  the two small dragons  $\hfill\square$
- What does this garden symbolize?
- 7) The monks' refectory:
- 8) Saint Martin's Crypt: 🗆
- 9) A staircase: 🗆
- 10) A rock: 🗆
- 11) Souvenir shop:
- 12) The Bell Tower:
- 13) A Pillar: 🗆
- 14) Latrine (toilet) door: 🗆
- 15) An oculus (round window):
- 16) Stained glass:
- 17) A table and benches  $\scriptstyle \square$
- 18) A staircase 🗆

## TEAM NAME :

The participants :
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