

# An excursion to the Salt Museum and the lazaretto of la Grande Chaloupe

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**We are going to see the immersed pump where sea water is pumped before being transported to the basins.**



**Destination reached**







**We were lucky  
enough to have  
this amazing  
view.**





**We are walking towards the top basin.**



**This is the tank.**





**A shelter that protected us from the sun.**





The guide is explaining the process of salt making.





## Settling basins





**The salt looked like snow!**



**Salt robber! Mason could not resist.**





**Friends are enjoying the moment spent inside the museum.**



**The salt workers inside the workshop. This job is not easy!**





**These men have been working here for 22 years! And they still love their job.  
Thank you so much for sharing with us!**



**A very friendly picnic at l'Hermitage.**





**A pleasant break on the beach.**





Everyone is enjoying their lunch, especially the chocolate cake.





Lana looked shocked! She should switch off her phone 😊





**Boys' conversation...It's better not to know what they were talking about...**





**Melvyn is helping his colleague: family spirit throughout the day!**



**They look so happy! The more the merrier!**







**Team spirit!!!!**



**Family spirit!!!**  
**« Little brother, I won't forget you! »**



**The teacher is smaller than the pupils!**



**Radjabou is happy because he's going to the lazaretto for the first time.**



**Just in front of the museum**





**This building has become a museum but it used to be an infirmary.**



**A door between two worlds...**





**We were so interested in the portraits of our ancestors from Madagascar, the Comoros, China, India, Africa and Rodrigues!**





Ethan was on a cloud...





**Special thanks to all my PAs! You were so helpful!**





**After visiting the garden (don't miss the exhibition called « Botanical Melting-pot »), we were heading to the cemetery.**





## A memorable place





**Knowing your history gives you strength, it empowers you.  
So do not hesitate: go visit the lazaretto of la Grande Chaloupe. With the help of  
Félicia, our excellent guide and archeologist, we left this wonderful, highly  
symbolic place stronger than ever.**





**We couldn't ask for more: outside the entrance, a centenarian tamarind tree and the mountain in the background.**





**After the visit: tired but happy and grateful to know more about our ancestors!**





**Fantastic, perfect kids!**



See you in the next episode!





*English, what else?*

