

The route

Map1 :

- 1 At the corner of the tourist office and the «Maison du Vin», take the «rue des écoles » and cross Saint-Martin gate on your right.
- 2 Go up and when you see the iron gate of Château Canon on your left, follow this narrow road lined with low walls that winds through the vineyard.
- 3 At the stop, turn left and go down the slope.
- 4 At the bottom of this hill, turn left and continue until the main road.
- 5 At the junction, turn right and continue up to road D670.
- 6 At the crossroads with road D670, be careful, cross and go straight towards Branne. Continue on road D122 during 3 km.
- 7 At the give way sign, beware of the traffic and turn left towards Branne.
- 8 At the stop, watch out the cars, and turn right on D936 towards Branne.
- 9 Cross the bridge of Branne on Dordogne river and continue straight on.
- 10 At the junction with the road of Rauzan (on your left), continue on the main street. Then turn left and go up during 4 km on road D122 towards Guillac.
- 12 Cross the village of Guillac and at the stop next to the church, continue straight ahead following the direction of Faleyras.
- 13 At the next junction, continue straight on during 100 meters towards Faleyras, up to the cycling trail.

Map 2 :

- 14 Follow the bicycle track starting on your right towards Bordeaux. Stay on this path during 27 km until Latresne.

Map 3 :

- 15 After crossing the village of Latresne, at the end of the cycling track, follow the road on your left.
- 16 Before the roundabout, take the bicycle path on the left in order to cross the roundabout. And continue riding ahead.
- 17 Ride along the supermarket LIDL and continue straight on following the cycling trail.
- 18 Continue following the cycling track along Garonne river.
- 19 Let the «allée du Bastard» on your right and continue riding ahead on the bicycle path towards Bordeaux.
- 20 Cross François Mitterand bridge and follow straight on the same track.
- 21 Ride along road D113 on the cycling trail and continue straight on towards Bordeaux.
- 22 At Saint Jean bridge, continue straight on the cycling track.
- 23 Near the «Pont de Pierre» in Bordeaux, you are just arrived. You can reach the center crossing this bridge.



Saint-Emilion - Bordeaux by the cycling trail Roger Lapébie



Description

You would like to go riding from Saint-Emilion to Bordeaux, it's possible thanks to a railway converted into a cycling trail named Roger Lapébie (name of the winner of the Tour de France in 1937). This route is 49 km long and has one main difficulty, a 4-km hill between Branne and Guillac (n°11-12).

If you want to learn more about this route and its landmarks, download the free smartphone **application Cirkwi** !



