



Directions from the Channel Tunnel

If programming a sat-nav: the town is Hallines, the gates are on Rue de l'Église, and the postcode of the region is 62570.

Reset your car's milometer to zero while on the train if possible. On departure from the French side of the Channel Tunnel you'll find yourself on the A16 (as indicated by the little red box at the top of the road signs). Move into the right hand lane and follow signs for the A26, signposted [Calais](#), [Lille](#) and [Bruxelles](#).

1.3 miles / 2 km from the train: Turn off the A16 once you see the signpost to [St Omer](#) and [Reims \(A26\)](#). Only follow the blue signs to St Omer as that will take you on the quicker motorway route, rather than the green signs, which is the toll-free route along minor roads.

5 miles / 8 km from the train: The sign for the [A26 St Omer \(péage\)](#) is the one you want, so filter off to the right. After about 8 minutes you will see a road sign on the right showing that St Omer is 38 km away. That is the exit you are heading for.

25 miles / 40 km from the train: Come off the A26 at Exit 3, signposted [St Omer](#), [Arques](#) and [Lumbres](#). There is an unmanned toll here. The right hand lane accepts bankcards. Shortly after the toll, there is a roundabout. Take the second exit onto the D342, towards [Setques](#). It is also signposted [Esquerdes](#) and [Wizernes](#).

Do NOT take the first left turn to Wisques and Longuenesse, but after 1.3 km turn left just after the church, signposted [Esquerdes](#), [Wizernes](#) and [La Coupole](#). Stay on this road, the D211, as it goes through Esquerdes. After passing over a motorway you will reach Hallines.

At the crossroads with the traffic lights, turn right. The road here will probably be blocked – the church is suffering from subsidence. There is normally a diversion available through the church car park. Drive through this slowly – remember to drive on the right, there are no road markings. Turn left at the far end of the car park, back onto the road, and then turn immediately right into the white gates of the chateau.

If the car park filter is shut, and the road is blocked you will need to approach from Wizernes. Return to the Hallines traffic lights and turn right. Drive through the village, staying on Rue Bernard Chochoy, through two sets of traffic lights. Bear slightly left at a small roundabout, and then 300 metres later you will reach a major junction with the D928. Turn right – it will be signposted [La Coupole](#).

Follow the road for about 500 metres until it passes over a railway track, and then after 50 metres more, take the next right turn onto Rue du Bosquet. There will be a temporary sign saying Route Barrée 2 km. Remember to keep on the right-hand side of the road! After 400 metres, at the next junction, turn right over the level crossing and then turn immediately left. Keep going straight, then after 600 metres there is a sharp right turn and the road goes over a bridge. The white gates of the chateau are 100 metres on the right.