

# Bayeux Tapestry



UNESCO has listed, the Bayeux Tapestry as a “Memory of the World. At 70 metres long it was made in the 11<sup>th</sup> Century to celebrate the conquest of England by William, Duke of Normandy.

Despite being called the Bayeux Tapestry it is believed that it was made in England after the Battle of Hastings in 1066. The tapestry depicts the exploits of William and Harold his English opponent who wanted the throne himself.

## The Museum is open every day except:

- Monday to Friday of the second week in January.
- From 24 December at 12:30pm to 26 December at 2pm.
- From 31 December at 12:30 to 2 January at 2pm.

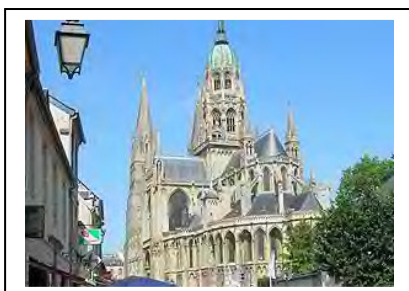
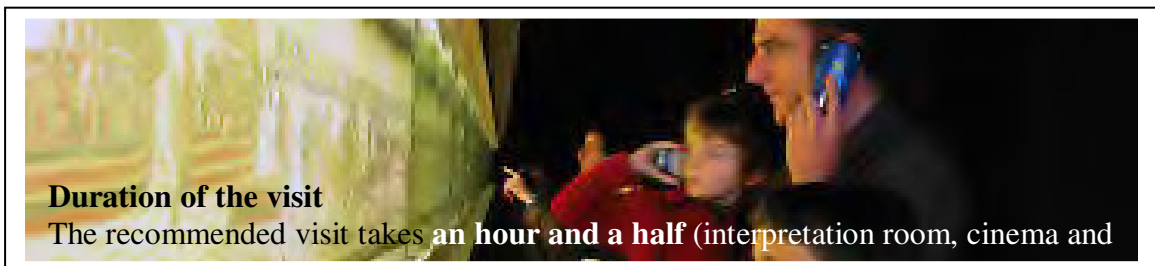
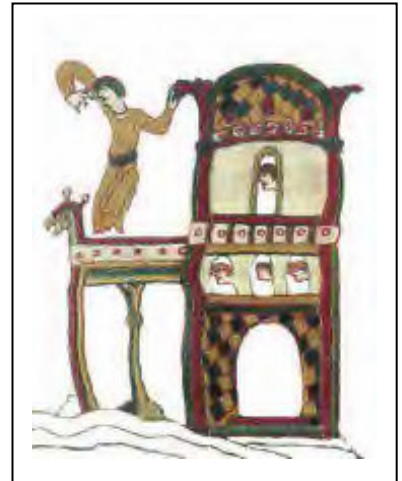
## Opening hours:

Summer, **15 March to 8 November:**

**9:00 to 18:30** non-stop (till **19:00** from May to August)

Winter, **9 March to 14 March:**

**9:30am to 12:30 and 2pm to 6pm**



Bayeux itself is a beautiful town with stunning old buildings and must see Cathedral. Unlike most towns in Normandy it was left unscathed by the Second World War, it even has the quaint feel of a small village. The buildings take you back to four centuries ago steeped in history.