



# MORBIHAN

## 3 PERFECT DAYS

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### ♥ DAY 1 // ANCIENT HISTORY

The Carnac *alignements* (series of standing stones; p122) are Morbihan's most unmissable sight. You'll need at least half a day to explore them, but count on a full day if you want to factor in a guided tour or a visit to other nearby sites at Locmariaquer (p127). The Carnac area is awash with great places to stay: try nearby La Villa Mane Lann (p295) for a homely welcome, or Le Lodge Kerisper (p295) for designer lines.

### ♥ DAY 2 // COASTLINE CRUISING

Day two is reserved for the *littoral* (coastline). Take a cobblestone wander around Vannes (p130) and a leisurely lunch at Le Roscanvec (p132), before spending the afternoon cruising around the islands of the Golfe du Morbihan (p133). See the sunset next to the Port-Navalo lighthouse, at the tip of the Presqu'île de Rhuys peninsula (p134). Overnight in luxury at the Villa Kerasy (p296).

### ♥ DAY 3 // CASTLE COUNTRY

Day three is for exploring Morbihan's inland charms. Top of the list are the atmospheric châteaux of Pontivy (p137) and Josselin (p136); if you're bringing the kids you might want to factor in a visit to the animals at Branféré (p135) or Pont-Scorff (p121), or take your time with a leisurely stroll and a country picnic on the towpaths of the Nantes–Brest Canal (p136). Spend a night in the trees at Dihan (p295), west of Auray.

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**NANTES-BREST CANAL p136**  
Pilot your own houseboat along an historic waterway

**CARNAC p122**  
The world's greatest prehistoric monument – bar none

**CAIRN DE GAVRINIS p134**  
Travel back into prehistory at this island burial tomb

**BELLE-ÎLE-EN-MER p127**  
Beautiful by name, beautiful by nature

**DISTANCE CHART (KM)**

Josselin	72			
Lorient	47	72		
Pontivy	62	34	57	
Vannes	31	54	56	52

Carnac    Josselin    Lorient    Pontivy

Note: Distances between destinations are approximate