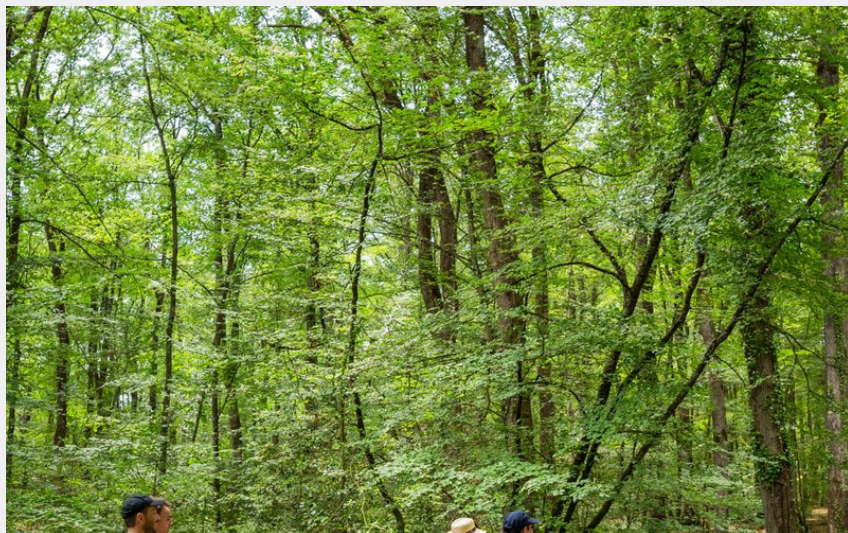
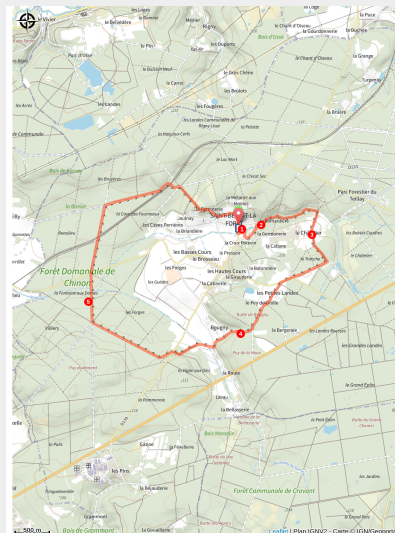


# Saint-Benoît-la-Forêt - N°2

Balades et randos région de Chinon - Saint-Benoît-la-Forêt



Personnes randonnant dans la forêt domaniale de Chinon



*Saint-Benoît-la-Forêt is home to a 3000-hectare forest, 2000 hectares of which are managed by the ONF. The forest is made up of 5 main species: maritime pine, Scots pine, oak and beech. The forest is home to an abundance of wildlife, including wild boar, deer and roe deer, as well as daytime and nocturnal birds.*

## Useful information

Practice : Hiking

Duration : 2 h 30

Length : 11.4 km

Trek ascent : 140 m

Difficulty : Easy

Type : Loop

Themes : Forest, Heritage and history

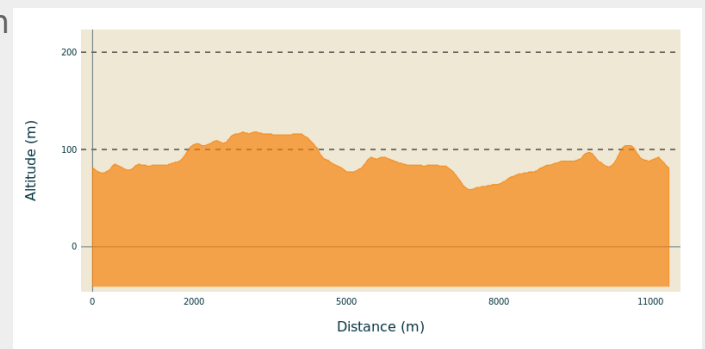
# Trek

**Departure** : Saint-Benoît-la-Forêt's church

**Arrival** : Saint-Benoît-la-Forêt's church

**Cities** : 1. Saint-Benoît-la-Forêt

## Altimetric profile



Min elevation 59 m Max elevation 118 m

### 1. Church

Built in 1877, it dates back to the 12th century, but was remodelled around 1450, as can be seen from the ribbed vault with prismatic mouldings. The current sacristy is the choir of the former medieval church. Its two semicircular windows have been preserved.

### 2. La Pommarrière

Natural area where the Lac-Mort stream rises.

### 3. Beugny Castle

Known as 'Begnarius' in the 12th century, it is built of tufa stone and brick. It comprises a 16th-century building with two wings and six 19th-century pavilions, as well as additions that have altered its original elegance. Both sides of the building bear the Puységur family coat of arms.

# On your path...



# All useful information



## In the forest

### How to come ?

Advised parking

Parking près de l'église



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