

3. **Abbaye de la Bussière, Burgundy, France**

Website: <http://www.abbayedelabussiere.fr/fr/>

Located in a 12th century Cistercian abbey, Abbaye de la Bussière looks like a place taken straight out of a fairy-tale. The castle is nestled in a lovely park, with a small lake, a fountain and perfectly soft lawns. Gothic architecture with Renaissance details is well-preserved and authentic. Even the interiors are filled with reminiscences of the past. With antique furniture in bedrooms and living rooms, gorgeous decorations and art pieces, the hotel is a paradise for history-lovers. There's also something special for foodies – a restaurant serving local wines and dishes made of regional products.

