

10 Facts About the Eiffel Tower



It is located in
Paris – the
capital of France

It is named after
Gustave Eiffel, who
designed the tower

It took just over
two years to
build

The tower is
324m or 1,063ft
tall

Around 7 million
people visit it
every year

It was almost
built in Barcelona
instead of Paris

There are replicas
of the Eiffel Tower
all over the world

The tower is
repainted every
7 years

There was a secret
apartment at the
top of the tower

Its nickname is
'The Iron Lady'