

Château Pédesclaux is preparing its vineyard for conversion to organic farming

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Since the Lorenzetti family started the adventure of Château Pédesclaux 10 years ago, a series of experimentation in organic and biodynamic farming have been conducted on the vineyard of this Grand Cru Classé located in Pauillac.

In 2018, more than 50% of the vineyard was organically and/or biodynamically farmed, while the remaining part was grown in sustainable agriculture.

“Micro-cuvées” were made each year to compare wines made from organic, biodynamic and ‘sustainable’ grapes. The evolution and the qualitative improvement of our wines, in addition to with the thorough knowledge of our plots, led us to choose farming methods that seem to be the most in line with the respect of our environment.

We are initiating organic certification with confidence, ambition and great enthusiasm. The official conversion of Château Pédesclaux is starting with the 2019 vintage. The official certification to ‘organic farming’ should be obtained for the 2022 vintage, after the three years of conversion.