



# Italy 7 Nights 8 Days

## Day 1: Arrival in Rome

Transfer from the airport to your hotel. Spend the rest of the day at leisure, exploring the city or relaxing. Overnight in Rome.

## Day 2: Vatican City Tour

After breakfast, embark on a guided excursion to the Vatican City. Visit the Vatican Museums, Sistine Chapel, and St. Peter's Basilica without waiting in line. Your guide will lead you through the museums, showcasing one of the world's most important art collections. Marvel at the spiral stairway, the Gallery of Tapestries, and the Gallery of Geographical Maps before arriving at the renowned Sistine Chapel and St. Peter's Basilica. Spend the afternoon at your leisure. Overnight in Rome.

## **Day 3: Ancient Rome Exploration**

After breakfast, enjoy a leisurely morning. In the afternoon, depart from your hotel for a guided tour of the Colosseum, Roman Forum, and Palatine Hill. Skip the lines and discover the Palatine Hill, the birthplace of Rome. Be amazed by the Colosseum, an iconic symbol of Rome. Walk along the Via Sacra in the Roman Forum and see ancient landmarks such as the Temples of Vesta, Antonino and Faustina, and the ancient Basilica Julia and Aemilia. Reflect on the grandeur of the Roman Empire. Overnight in Rome.

## Day 4: Rome to Florence

After breakfast, transfer to Termini railway station and take a high-speed train to Florence. Upon arrival, transfer to your hotel. In the afternoon, join a guided city tour of Florence. Visit the picturesque village of Fiesole and enjoy stunning views of Florence and the Arno Valley. Travel back to the city along the Arno River and visit the Basilica di Santa Croce. Continue your walking tour to Piazza Signoria, where you will admire Palazzo Vecchio and the statues of Loggia de' Lanzi. End your tour at the Uffizi Gallery, marveling at masterpieces by Leonardo, Giotto, Michelangelo, Botticelli, and Raffaello. Overnight in Florence.

#### Day 5: Florence to Venice

After breakfast, transfer to Santa Maria Novella Station and take a high-speed train to Venice. Upon arrival, transfer to your hotel. In the afternoon, embark on an excursion to the islands of Murano, Burano, and Torcello. Watch the art of glassmaking on Murano, explore the lace-making heritage of Burano, and visit the historic Cathedral of Torcello. Return to St. Mark's Square. Overnight in Venice.





#### Day 6: Venice Walking Tour and Doge's Palace

After breakfast, join a walking tour of Venice with a qualified guide. Explore the most important historical sites of the city, learning about the rich history of the Serenissima Republic. After the walking tour, visit the Doge's Palace, which served as the political seat of Venice for centuries. Admire the splendid rooms filled with masterpieces of painting. Overnight in Venice.

#### Day 7: Venice to Milan

After breakfast, transfer to Venice railway station and take a high-speed train to Milan. Upon arrival, transfer to your hotel. In the afternoon, explore Milan on a sightseeing double-decker bus. Choose from 3 lines with commentary in 8 languages, and discover the city's most important attractions from a unique perspective. After the tour, return to your hotel. Overnight in Milan.

#### **Day 8: Departure from Milan**

After breakfast, transfer from your hotel to Milan airport for your departure.

This improved itinerary ensures a seamless and enjoyable travel experience, highlighting the mustsee attractions and providing flexibility for leisure activities.