


## Itinerary

**Route:** 7 Day Depth Tour in Italy (From Rome)

**Countries:** Italy

**Departure:**

 D1 Roma    Departure: 08:00    Meeting Point: Rome Tiburtina Train Station (Piazzale della Stazione Tiburtina - CAP 00162)

**End:**

 D6 Roma    Estimated Arrival: 20:00    Drop Off: Fara Sabina Train Station

 D7 Roma    Estimated Arrival: 18:00    Drop Off: Piazzale della Stazione Tiburtina

**Accommodation:** 4-Star Hotel Accommodation

**Guide:** Chinese Tour Guide

**Itinerary:** Rome-Civita di Bagnoregio-Siena-Florence-Pisa-Cinque Terre-Milan-Sirmione-Venice-Rimini-Assisi-Rome



### Day 1 Rome Civita di Bagnoregio Siena




#### Tour Overview

In the morning, we drive to [Civita di Bagnoregio], a small and charming village perched on a tufa hill that can only be reached over a long pedestrian bridge (You can reach the village by bus for an additional fee). After that we continue our journey to Siena, a city rich in history and culture and with a medieval charm that is still nearly intact today. Visit [Piazza del Campo] and [Siena Cathedral] (no entry). Piazza del Campo, is the true symbol of the city and one of the reasons why UNESCO has listed its historic centre as a World Heritage Site. Siena Cathedral is one of the most significant and magnificent examples of Italian Romanesque-Gothic style. Overnight in Siena or nearby.



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### "City of the Sky" Bailu Lizhi

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Italy's most beautiful ancient city - **Bailu Lizhi** , it has another well-known name: **the city of the sky** . This is a medieval castle situated on a hilltop with only a narrow pedestrian bridge connected to the outside world. Looking from a distance, the castle looms in the clouds, as if floating in the air, hence the name "city of the sky." The inspiration for the masterpiece of Master Hayao Miyazaki, "The City of the Sky," also comes from this. The city of Bailu Lizhi has no traffic, and its relatively isolated geographical environment preserves the entire ancient city, presenting the original medieval castle. Walking through the city, you can see mottled walls, ancient and simple windows and doors, fresh and beautiful flowers, and cats that are lazy and sleepy. Everything is so peaceful and serene. Regrettably, due to the geological role, this ancient city has been sinking and disappearing since the last century. Before the beautiful "City of the Sky" has not died, come and see its beauty.



**Meal:** Not Included



**Accommodation:** Siena or nearby



**Day 2** Siena  Florence  Pisa



**Tour Overview**

After breakfast we will have a sightseeing in Florence. The cradle of the Renaissance and the world capital of art in the 15th century, it boasts one of the oldest historic centres and some of the most famous museums in the world, as well as one of the most iconic and distinctive landscapes as far as the eye can see. Visit [The Cathedral of Santa Maria del Fiore] and [Piazza della Signoria]. The next destination is Pisa. It is a wonderful tourist destination in the centre of Tuscany, an open-air museum but also a lively city, full of events and many historical monuments. Visit [Square of Miracles], a wide expanse of green lawn on which stand the famous [Leaning Tower]. Overnight in Pisa or nearby.

the whole day L



**Leaning Tower of Pisa  
and its surroundings**



**Cattedrale di Santa  
Maria del Fiore**



**Piazza della Signoria**



**Miracle Square**

### [Leaning Tower of Pisa and its surroundings]

The Leaning Tower of Pisa is the campanile, or freestanding bell tower, of Pisa Cathedral. It is known for its nearly four-degree lean, the result of an unstable foundation. The tower is one of three structures in the Pisa's Cathedral Square (Piazza del Duomo), which includes the cathedral and Pisa Baptistry. Between 1589 and 1592, Galileo Galilei, who lived in Pisa at the time, is said to have dropped two cannonballs of different masses from the tower to demonstrate that their speed of descent was independent of their mass, in keeping with the scientific law of free fall.

### [Cattedrale di Santa Maria del Fiore]

The cathedral complex, in Piazza del Duomo, includes the Baptistery and Giotto's Campanile. These three buildings are part of the UNESCO World Heritage Site covering the historic centre of Florence and are a major tourist attraction of Tuscany. The basilica is one of Italy's largest churches and its dome, when first built back in the 15th century, was the largest ever built in western Europe. Although it was later overtaken by St Peter's Basilica, it still remains the largest dome ever constructed of bricks.

### [Piazza della Signoria]

It is the "L"-shaped square in front of the Palazzo Vecchio in Florence, Italy, and still enjoys the reputation of the city's political center. There are many eye-catching statues on the square.

### [Miracle Square]

Miracle Square is the most important place to visit Pisa. The four buildings on the square: Pisa Cathedral, Baptistry, Leaning Tower of Pisa and Cemetery are all masterpieces of architectural history. Miracle Square is the center of medieval art. First, it has had a profound impact on the subsequent architectural design. Miracle Square is named after a description in the novel by Italian writer and poet Gabriel Dengnan. The Square of Miracles was listed as a World Heritage Site by the United Nations Educational and Cultural Organization in 1987. The Pisa Cathedral in the heart of the square was built in the 12th century. It is a masterpiece of medieval Romanesque architecture. The interior of the church is decorated with a mixture of Byzantine styles, forming its own unique "Pisa Romanesque style". Opposite Pisa Cathedral is the Baptistry



**Meal:** Breakfast Included



**Accommodation:** Pisa or nearby



**Day 3** Pisa 🚗 Cinque Terre 🚗 Milan

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### Tour Overview

We will spend our day in [Cinque Terre] (optional). Set along 18 kilometres of stunning coastline, the five villages are still difficult to access, except by train. It is an ideal destination for trekking enthusiasts. They are famous for their natural beauty and, in particular, for their beaches, brimming with bays and coves (Due to time issues, it's not possible to visit all the 5 villages, the tour guide will pick 2 of 5 to visit subject to the situation). Overnight in Milan or nearby.

the whole day



**Emanuele II arcade bridge**



**Cinque Terre**

#### [Emanuele II arcade bridge]

There are many shops in the arcade, and there are many famous luxury shops. It is very lively and is one of the most beautiful commercial arcades in Europe.

#### [Cinque Terre]

The dangerous peaks of the sea and the kite make the five small fishing villages quietly lying in the foothills of the Ligurian seaside have a picturesque enchantment.



**Meal:** Breakfast Included



**Accommodation:** Milan or nearby



## Day 4 Milan Sirmione Venice



### Tour Overview

After breakfast go to Milan. While it is considered one of the world's fashion and design capitals, as well as a financial hub, Milan is also a city of culture and thought. We will visit [Duomo di Milano (Milan Cathedral)] (optional), [Galleria Vittorio Emanuele II] and [Castello Sforzesco] (no entry). Next go to Sirmione, one of the best ways to enjoy all the beauty of Lake Garda is to treat yourself to a visit Sirmione. The small municipality in the province of Brescia lies on the long peninsula surrounded by the waters of the lake, between the gulfs of Desenzano and Peschiera. Here you're free to wander, enjoy the beauty and comfort of this town. Overnight in Venice or nearby.

**\*It is recommended to purchase the ticket for Milan Cathedral in advance on your own.**

**Time 11:00 AM**

<https://ticket.duomomilano.it/en/categoria/biglietti/>



### **Small town of Sirmione**

#### **[Small town of Sirmione]**

The small town of Sirmione in Italy is a clean and exquisite place. It is different from the old streets and ancient towns in China. The flowers are everywhere, the sun is shining, full of vitality, but it is quiet. Stepping on the small stone road of the town, walking through the narrow alleys, strolling among the flowers, lingering between the lakes and mountains, if you enter the dreamy paradise, and the Scaligerburg built in the 13th century The ancient fort is the most characteristic ancient building in the town. It is set up along the middle corner of the old castle. On the thick wall, the suspension bridge, the lake, the beach and the town are all in sight. In the narrow alleys and quiet little squares of the town, antique shops, restaurants, small bars and cafes are scattered.



**Meal:** Breakfast Included



**Accommodation:** Venice or nearby



## **Day 5 Venice Rimini**



### **Tour Overview**

After breakfast go to Venice(Take a boat to the Venice island for an additional fee). Venice has an eternal charm, is separated by canals that act as waterways, forever bustling with gondolas and boats in a never-ending back-and-forth. Visit [St. Mark's Square], [Bridge of Sighs], and take a [gondola](optional) ride to experience the charm of the water city of Venice. Overnight in Rimini or nearby.



**St. Mark's Square**



**Bridge of Sighs**



**Palazzo Pubblico&La Statua della Liberta**

**[St. Mark's Square]**

St. Mark's Square is a square surrounded by beautiful Renaissance buildings such as the Duke's Palace, St. Mark's Church, St. Mark's Bell Tower, and the French Emperor Napoleon once praised it as "the drawing room of Europe".

**[Bridge of Sighs]**

The enclosed bridge is made of white limestone, has windows with stone bars, passes over the Rio di Palazzo, and connects the New Prison (Prigioni Nuove) to the interrogation rooms in the Doge's Palace. It was built in 1600. The view from the Bridge of Sighs was the last view of Venice that convicts saw before their imprisonment. The bridge's English name was bestowed by Lord Byron in the 19th century as a translation from the Italian "Ponte dei sospiri", from the suggestion that prisoners would sigh at their final view of beautiful Venice through the window before being taken down to their cells.

**[Palazzo Pubblico&La Statua della Liberta]**



**Meal:** Breakfast Included



**Accommodation:** Rimini or nearby



**Day 6** Rimini  Assisi  Rome




**Tour Overview**

After breakfast head to [Rimini], which is close to the sea and also a city rich in history and culture. Then visit [Assisi]. Assisi is a sacred place that touches the soul. Here, St Francis was born, lived, was baptised, walked through the lush green valleys, found refuge, heard the voice of God while meditating in silence, met Clare, died and left his aura. Leaving a human and artistic legacy of inestimable value. Overnight in Rome or nearby.



**Drop Off \*For reference only, the actual arrangement is subject to the tour guide**

 D6 Roma      Estimated Arrival: 20:00      Drop Off: Fara Sabina Train Station



**Meal:** Breakfast Included



**Accommodation:** Rome or nearby



## Day 7 Rome



### Tour Overview

Rome is the Eternal City. It offers and almost demands endless new discoveries, thanks to the enormity of its artistic heritage. We will visit [Piazza Venezia], [Trevi Fountain], [Piazza di Spagna]. In the afternoon, explore [Colosseum] (optional), in ancient Rome, it was a massive amphitheater, known for hosting gladiator fights, animal hunts, and public spectacles, symbolizing Roman architectural ingenuity and power. Not far away, you will see [Arch of Constantine].



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D7 Roma

Estimated Arrival: 18:00

Drop Off: Piazzale della Stazione Tiburtina

the whole day

### Please Note:

Due to the crowd control in Colosseo, it is highly recommended to book your tickets **online in advance** if you want to visit inside.

Link: <https://colosseo.it/>

Reservation: **13:45-14:00** tickets.



Colosseum



Arch of Constantine



### [Colosseum]

It is the largest ancient amphitheatre ever built, and is still the largest standing amphitheatre in the world, despite its age. The Colosseum is built of travertine limestone, tuff (volcanic rock), and brick-faced concrete. It could hold an estimated 50,000 to 80,000 spectators at various points in its history, having an average audience of some 65,000; it was used for gladiatorial contests and public spectacles including animal hunts, executions, re-enactments of famous battles, dramas based on Roman mythology, and briefly mock sea battles. Although substantially ruined by earthquakes and stone robbers taking spolia, the Colosseum is still a renowned symbol of Imperial Rome and was listed as one of the New 7 Wonders of the World. The Colosseum is depicted on the Italian version of the 5 euro cent coin.

### [Arch of Constantine]

The Arch of Constantine is a triumphal arch in Rome dedicated to the emperor Constantine the Great. The arch was commissioned by the Roman Senate to commemorate Constantine's victory over Maxentius at the Battle of the Milvian Bridge in AD 312. Situated between the Colosseum and the Palatine Hill, the arch spans the Via Triumphalis, the route taken by victorious military leaders when they entered the city in a triumphal procession. Dedicated in 315, it is the largest Roman triumphal arch.



**Meal:** Breakfast Included



**Accommodation:** Not Included

## Price Explanation

### What's included

- (1) Accommodation: 4-star hotel (shared twin/double room)
- (2) Vehicle: coach or car (Note: depending on the number of applicants)
- (3) Driver/Guide: driver + tour guide (Note: If a car with 9 seats or less, there will be only driver)
- (4) Meals: breakfast
- (5) Luggage: 1 piece of luggage weighing 23 kg and 1 piece of carry-on luggage

## What's Excluded

- (1) Entrance Tickets: Guests can choose whether or not to participate according to their own wishes. The tour guide will arrange the tickets during the tour.
- (2) Lunch and Dinner
- (3) Tips to driver and guide
- (4) Single room Supplement
- (5) Additional costs due to force majeure such as traffic delays, strikes, weather, aircraft, machine failure, flight cancellation or change time.
- (6) In-house laundry, hairdressing, telephone, fax, pay TV, drinks, alcohol and other personal consumption.
- (7) Other items not included in the above "What's included".

## Good to Know

- (1) Special price for children:

2 adults with a child under 6 years old sharing a double room, children can get 35% off on the bed. Children occupy the bed at the same price as adults. An adult has a child who is the same price as an adult.

- (2) Bus front-row seat reservation, first come, first served:

There are only 16 seats in the front five rows of buses and 6 seats in the front two rows of minibuses. If we change to a 9-seat car, the fee will be refunded.

## Recommended activity reference (at your own expense)

| Must pay   |   |
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| Rome city transportation fee (you don't need to pay if you don't take it)                    | 6,00 €                                      |
| Venice Island Cruise Fee   | 9,50 €                                      |
| Cinque Terre Train Pass  | 19,50 € *During holidays 27,00 € or 32,50 € |
| City Permit and City Tax (Mandatory) (half price for 6- 12 years old; free for ≤5 years old) | 100 €                                       |
| Sky City Bus   | 2,00 €                                      |
| Attraction tickets   |   |
| Venice Gondola (up to 5 people, priced according to the number of people)                    | 40,00 €/per person                          |
| Golden Waterway (from 8-12 people)   | 40,00 €/per person                          |

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| Colosseo   | 16,00 €/adult<br>Free (< 18 years old)<br>2,00 €/Online booking fee |
| Duomo Milano   | 10 €/Adult<br>5 € /Children (6-18)<br>Free/Children(0-5)            |
| Sky City ticket fee                                  | 5,00 €  |
| <b>Lunch and dinner fee</b>                          |   |
| Chinese Lunch (Group Standard: 6 dishes and 1 soup)  | 15,00-20,00 €   |
| Chinese Dinner (Group Standard: 6 dishes and 1 soup) | 15,00-20,00 €   |
| Venice Specialty                                     | 30,00 €   |
| Florentine T-bone Steak Specialty Meal               | 40,00-50,00 €   |
| <b>Driver and guide tip</b>                          |   |
| Tips per person for Venice Local Guide               | 2,00 €  |
| Tips per person per day for Guide                    | 3 €<br>From May 5€  |
| Tips per person per day for Driver                   | 3 €<br>From May 5€  |

The above is only the reference price, if the price is adjusted, it will be subject to the announcement at that time.

For self-funded projects, please cooperate with and obey the tour guide's itinerary.