

Taste of Italy for 2

ROME ● VENICE ● FLORENCE ● PISA

The Offer

Uncover Italy's rich history, breathtaking landscapes and cultural wonders on this immersive journey through its most captivating cities and regions. Begin your adventure in Rome, where the Colosseum, Vatican Museums and Trevi Fountain bring history to life. Stroll through the charming streets of Trastevere or opt for an exclusive guided tour of the Colosseum and Imperial Fora. With free time to explore at your leisure, the Eternal City's timeless beauty is yours to discover.

From Rome, journey into the heart of Tuscany, pausing in the enchanting hilltop town of Orvieto before arriving in Chianciano Terme, a picturesque spa town famed for its healing waters. Delve into the idyllic landscapes of Val d'Orcia, where rolling green hills, ancient vineyards and medieval villages like Montalcino, Pienza and Montepulciano offer a quintessential taste of Tuscany. Wander through these historic towns, renowned for their world-class wines and stunning architecture.

Continue to Florence, the cradle of the Renaissance, and admire its artistic treasures on a locally-guided tour. Marvel at the grandeur of the Santa Maria del Fiore Cathedral, the iconic Baptistery and Piazza della Signoria. Enjoy time at leisure to soak up the city's vibrant culture or join an optional excursion to savour an authentic Tuscan meal. Siena's breathtaking Gothic cathedral and lively Piazza del Campo await, along with a visit to the medieval towers of San Gimignano, where you'll taste the region's renowned Montepulciano wines.

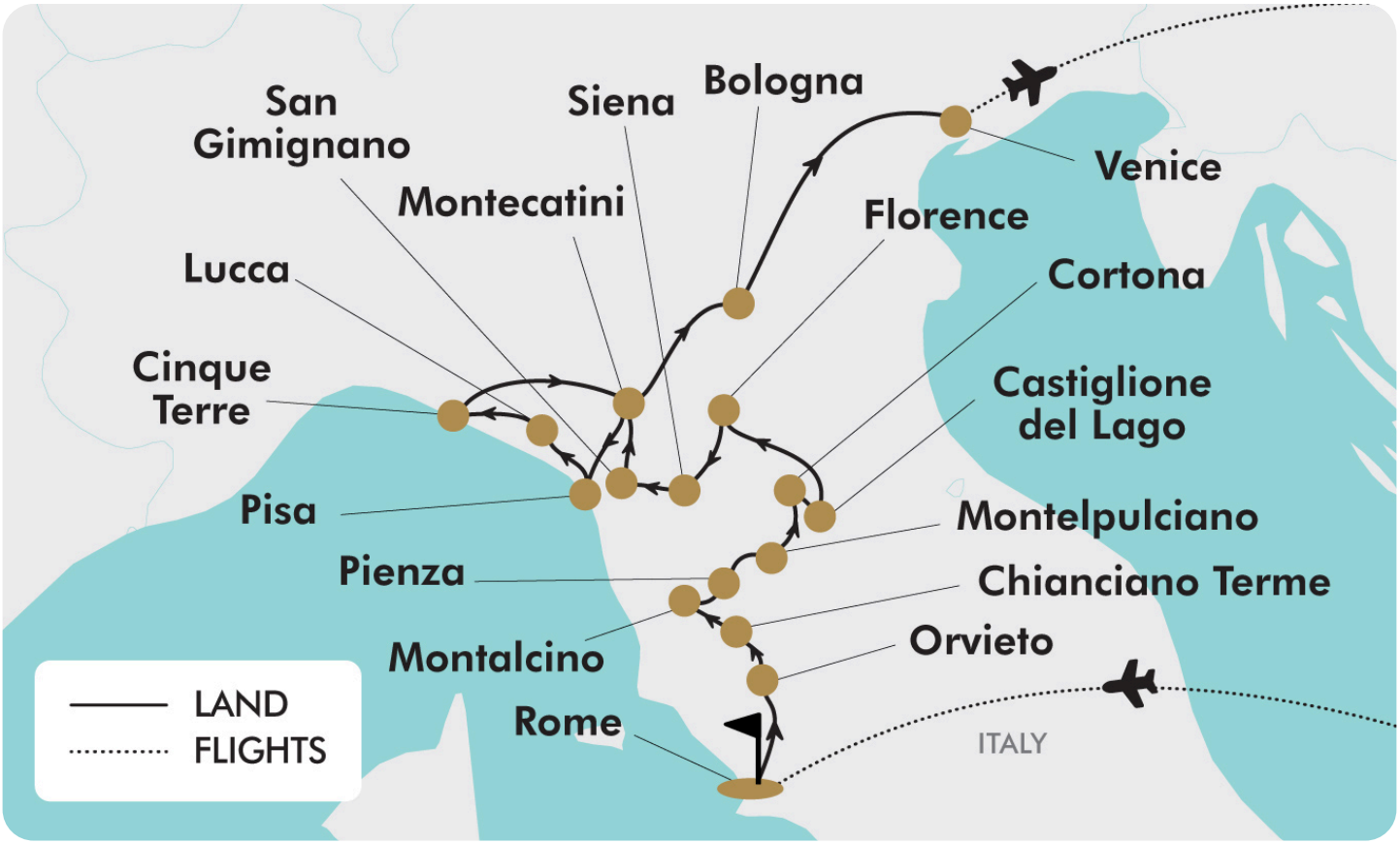
Your exploration of Tuscany wouldn't be complete without visiting Pisa and its famed Leaning Tower, a true marvel of medieval engineering. The charming walled city of Lucca provides a fitting stop, while the stunning coastal villages of Cinque Terre offer breathtaking scenery and a taste of authentic Italian life. Conclude your journey in Venice, where winding canals, grand piazzas and historic architecture create an unforgettable finale. Experience the beauty, history and flavours of Italy in a journey that will leave you spellbound.

This package includes return international full-service flights, 13 nights of 4-star hotel accommodation, 13 meals including daily breakfast, an English-speaking tour leader and guide, private air-conditioned vehicles and more!

Want more? Add extra days to your itinerary with Arrive Early in Rome or Stay Behind in Venice options.



The Map


San Gimignano
Siena
Bologna
Venice
Montecatini
Florence
Lucca
Cortona
Cinque Terre
Castiglione del Lago
Pisa
Montelpulciano
Pienza
Chianciano Terme
Orvieto
Montalcino
Rome
ITALY
LAND
FLIGHTS



The Itinerary

Day 1 Australia (or New Zealand) - Rome, Italy

Today depart for Rome, Italy.

Please note:

- *Due to flight scheduling and availability, some customers may be required to depart on day 2 and arrive on day 2.*
- *Flight times will be indicated on your final documentation, which you will receive 4 - 6 weeks prior to departure.*

Meals included: In-Flight

Day 2 Welcome to Rome!

Upon arrival, you will be met by your English-speaking tour leader and transferred to the hotel.

Overnight: Hotel Dei Congressi or similar, Rome
Meals included: None

Day 3 Rome Walking City Tour

Today, take part in a locally guided tour of imperial Rome (approximately 3 hours). See the Colosseum (entrance not included). In the same square, you can also admire the Arch of Constantine and the Arch of Titus. Continue to the Roman Forum (entrance not included), the biggest archaeological area in the world - in the heart of Rome. Arriving at the top of Capitole Hill, today the seat of City Hall, you can admire the beautiful square designed by Michelangelo Buonarroti that houses the Palazzo Conservatori and the Palazzo Nuovo.

Afterwards, continue down Capitole Hill and arrive directly at Venice Square, where you will be astonished by the Vittoriano, the biggest European monument. Enjoy some free time in the afternoon in the Eternal City of Rome.

Optional Activity: Colosseum & Imperial Fora

3-hour tour. Includes entrance fees, guided tour and earphones. Please see current pricing in Important Information.

Overnight: Hotel Dei Congressi or similar, Rome
Meals included: Breakfast

Day 4 Rome - Day at Leisure

Take in the Roman sky as the rising sun colours the rooftops of the city. It is a vision that has inspired poets and great thinkers from all over the world for centuries.

Enjoy a free day in the amazing Eternal City of Rome. Take a chance to see famous sights such as the Trevi Fountain, which has become an iconic spot thanks to the movie 'La Dolce Vita', directed by Federico Fellini. Don't miss the Pantheon, Palazzo Madama or the famous Colosseum.

Stroll through Trastevere, a funky, bohemian area that clings to its centuries-old, working-class roots. It's known for traditional and innovative trattorias, craft beer pubs and artisan shops.

Today, you might like to visit the incredible Vatican Museum and Sistine Chapel. Don't miss a chance to be awe-inspired by the murals & the immortal Works of Michelangelo. Guests who are interested in visiting the Vatican Museum and the magnificent Sistine Chapel are advised to book tickets online well in advance in order to secure their place.

Overnight: Hotel Dei Congressi or similar, Rome
Meals included: Breakfast



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Day 5 Rome - Orvieto - Chianciano Terme, Tuscany

After breakfast, your Italian journey continues as you set off on a day tour covering approximately 180 kilometres to the beautiful Tuscan countryside and the tiny UNESCO-listed medieval villages of the beautiful Val d'Orcia. On the way, stop in Orvieto, which seems bathed in a mystical glow.

Set midway between Florence and Rome, Orvieto is Umbrian perfection, with luminous frescoes and enigmatic churches only serving to underline its lofty otherness. Looming on a sheer ledge of lava-stone, Orvieto is a brooding Etruscan presence hewn out of dark volcanic rock. In medieval times, this citadel, perched on its impregnable rock, controlled the road between Florence and Rome.

Afterwards, continue to Chianciano Terme, one of the most admired thermal bath destinations in the whole of Europe, surrounded by beautiful countryside. Chianciano enchants visitors both with its historic town centre and its spa area, rich in mineral healing waters.

Upon arrival, enjoy the remainder of the day at leisure.

Overnight: Hotel G.H. Admiral or similar, Chianciano Terme, Montepulciano Area
Meals included: Breakfast

Day 6 Montalcino - Pienza - Montelpulciano, Tuscany

Today, explore the famous part of the Tuscan countryside called Val D'orcia. Green Tuscan hills characterised by dense vegetation, dotted with vineyards, olive groves, cypresses, beech and chestnut groves, a backdrop of marvellous castles, medieval villages and rural houses.

Drive to Montalcino, a classic fairytale hilltop town set within a full circle of fortified walls and watched over by a mighty castle of medieval perfection. The town looks like a medieval painting. It is bathed in a russet glow at sunset but changes with the seasons. In spring, the surrounding countryside area is lime green, but yellow rape seed, poppies, sunflowers and grapes soon add different hues. It's the prestigious Brunello de Montalcino wine that defines this tiny Tuscan outpost.

Continue your tour of the Tuscan countryside to the tiny UNESCO-listed medieval village of Pienza in the beautiful Val d'Orcia valley. Enjoy a walking tour of this charming village, the perfect mix of renaissance architecture, food & tradition built to represent a 'Utopian City'. Pienza enjoys a strategic position, standing high atop a hill, dominating all the Orcia Valley with extraordinary views.

Afterwards, head to the beautiful medieval city of Montepulciano. This is a reigning wine town and quintessential Tuscan vision with a medieval centre overlooking vineyards on its hilltop.

Today travel approximately 90 kilometres

Overnight: Hotel G.H. Admiral or similar, Chianciano Terme, Montepulciano Area
Meals included: Breakfast



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Day 7 Tuscany Full Day Explorer

This morning, continue your adventure to Cortona, the queen of Tuscany, making for the perfect Italian getaway. A place of outstanding beauty lies in its lofty setting, splendid views and medieval mood. Cortona is one of the most delightful hill towns in Tuscany. It was founded by the Etruscans, colonised by the Romans, and, after its sale to the Florentines in 1409. The approach road winds through terraced olive groves and vineyards, past villas, farms and monasteries. Enjoy an orientation walk with your Tour Leader.

Afterwards, continue to Castiglione del Lago, a large balcony overlooking the famous Lake Trasimeno: from its Castle, the view captures the entire lake with its islands, the surrounding hills and the profile of the towns that dominate the landscape. Built on a limestone headland, Castiglione was originally an island in the lake, later incorporated by the mainland. Today, it retains a beautiful historic centre, the first stop on any visit to Lake Trasimeno, a true natural paradise home to wild ducks, cormorants, kites and kingfishers. In the late afternoon, return back to your Hotel in Chianciano Terme.

Today, travel approximately 120 kilometres.

Overnight: Hotel G.H. Admiral or similar, Chianciano Terme, Montepulciano Area
Meals included: Breakfast

Day 8 Chianciano Terme - Siena Walking City Tour - San Gimignano Wine Tasting - Montecatini

Today, head towards the beautiful medieval city of Siena in the heart of Tuscany, where you'll take part in a guided tour of this Italian town built around Piazza del Campo. Cathedral Square is dominated by the stunning Duomo, a masterpiece of Romanesque-Gothic architecture with breathtaking mosaic flooring. The beauty of Siena is best experienced by walking through its historic streets and relaxing at the outdoor cafes in the Piazza Del Campo. Enjoy an orientation tour with your Tour Leader.

Afterwards, travel to San Gimignano, a journey through the charm of the Middle Ages and the magic of Nature. A beautiful town nestled between the Tuscan hills surrounded by thirteenth-century walls and rich in still-intact medieval charm, it is a Tuscan pearl. Enjoy a wine tasting of the famous Montepulciano wines in a traditional cellar. In the late afternoon, head to your hotel in the heart of Tuscany between the art mecca of Florence and the walled city of Lucca, in Montecatini Terme – the largest and most famous spa town in Tuscany.

Today, travel is approximately 200 kilometres.
Overnight: Hotel Manzoni or similar, Montecatini,
Meals included: Breakfast



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Day 9 Florence Walking City Tour

After breakfast, depart for Florence, a city located in the heart of Tuscany. Upon arrival, enjoy a guided tour of this incredible city (approximately 3 hours). The tour will take you through some of the famous sights and attractions, including the Santa Maria del Fiore Cathedral and Piazza del Duomo. Piazza del Duomo, together with Piazza San Giovanni, represent the heart of the city. The most important religious monuments of Florence are here, linked by their geometric design and characterised by the typical white, green and pink marble coating.

You will see the Baptistery (entrance not included) with its octagonal shape and three bronze doors; the Cathedral (entrance not included), built in Florentine Gothic style; and Giotto's Bell Tower, regarded as one of the most beautiful towers in Gothic architecture (entrance not included). The tour will continue through Piazza Signoria to the Palazzo Vecchio (entrance not included), the town hall of Florence. Admire the impressive statues that surround the piazza before continuing to the Straw Market, where the tour will end.

Enjoy time at leisure for the rest of the day, or alternatively join one of the optional tours available.

Today, travel approximately 100 kilometres.

Optional Activity: Florence 3-Course Traditional Lunch

Please see current pricing in Important Information.

Overnight: Hotel Manzoni or similar, Montecatini,
Meals included: Breakfast

Day 10 Pisa & Lucca

Today, keep exploring the two architectural gems of Tuscany, Pisa and Lucca.

Pisa is a city renowned for its iconic landmarks, rich history, and vibrant culture. Once a thriving Roman port, sitting on the coast until the 15th century, Pisa now lies on the alluvial plain of the Arno River.

Enjoy a guided tour of this beautiful city.

Pisa is a popular tourist spot with the city's unique Piazza dei Miracoli (The Square of Miracles), a UNESCO World Heritage site, home to Pisa's iconic Leaning Tower. However, beyond the tower, you will discover the many treasures of this city with its unique character, rich cultural heritage and glimpses of an authentic Italian lifestyle.

Continue to Lucca, one of Tuscany's main towns, which is one of the most fascinating and best-preserved medieval cities in Italy. with great honour for its historical and cultural memory, which it carefully preserves, it captivates visitors with its picturesque alleys, squares and characteristic churches.

Symbolic of the city, the imposing 16th-century walls are one of the few examples of city walls that have remained completely intact in Italy. Fascinating to admire, they constitute an ideal excuse for a tour of the countryside while offering a vantage point to see the urban structure of the city, commissioned by the Romans, which is unique in its beauty and harmony to this day.

Enjoy an orientation tour with your Tour Leader.

Today, travel approximately 100 kilometres.



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Overnight: Hotel Manzoni or similar, Montecatini
Meals included: Breakfast

Day 11 Cinque Terre Day Tour

After breakfast, depart to La Spezia to board a train to Cinque Terre. Cinque Terre is a string of centuries-old seaside villages on the rugged Italian Riviera coastline. Enjoy a full day to discover the beautiful villages of Monterosso, Vernazza, Rio Maggiore and more. Enjoy the unique atmosphere of this place, colourful houses and vineyards that cling to steep terraces, harbours that are filled with fishing boats and “trattorias” (typical restaurants) which turn out seafood specialties along with the Liguria region’s famous sauce, pesto.

An approximately 140-kilometre day.

Overnight: Hotel Manzoni or similar, Montecatini
Meals included: Breakfast

Day 12 Montecatini - Bologna - Venice

In the morning, depart to Bologna, the capital city of the Emilia-Romagna region and enjoy an orientation of the city centre with your Tour Leader.

Bologna is a city of two intriguing halves, One side is a modern city where suave opera-goers waltz out of regal theatres and into some of the nation's finest restaurants. The other half is an edgy city, home to one of the world's oldest universities and famous for its graffiti-embellished piazzas buzzing with student life. Admire the middle age historical porticoes listed by UNESCO, including the university and a skyline full of towers, including Asinelli Tower and the city’s main square, Piazza Maggiore.

Stroll around the Quadrilatero, a small area in downtown Bologna where walking streets connect some of the city’s best shopping spots. These include the glossy and upscale shopping mall, Galleria Cavour, which houses boutiques of luxury brands. Afterwards you may like to join an optional traditional lunch in a local restaurant to taste some of the famous specialties of Bologna.

Optional Activity: Bologna 3-Course Typical Lunch

(Please see current pricing in Important Information)

In the afternoon, arrive in Venice and enjoy the remainder of the day at leisure.

Today, travel is approximately 280 kilometres.

Overnight: Hotel Crown Plaza or similar, Venice Area
Meals included: Breakfast

Day 13 Venice City Tour

Today, you will be transferred to the Tronchetto Pier in Venice, where you will be able to admire the beautiful buildings and canals of Venice by water bus (ferry). Upon arrival, be met by a local guide at the Piazza San Marco to start a guided tour of Venice (approximately 2 hours). The tour starts at the iconic St. Mark’s Square, one of the most beautiful squares in the world and the hub of Venetian life.

Around the square, you will see the famous St. Mark’s Basilica, the Doge’s Palace, and the Bell Tower. The church was built to house the body of St. Mark, transported from Alexandria in 828 AD. Inside the basilica, you can admire glittering Byzantine



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Mosaics (entrance not included). The tour will continue onwards to Rialto Bridge, one of the most beautiful bridges and an icon of the city. Enjoy the rest of the day at leisure.

Overnight: Hotel Crown Plaza or similar, Venice Area
Meals included: Breakfast

Day 14 Venice - Day at Leisure

Today enjoy a day at leisure in Venice. You may like to visit the beautiful islands of Burano and Murano in the Venetian lagoon world-renowned for its glassware. Or stroll the Venice alleyways tasting the local specialties and sipping some spritz, a typical Venetian cocktail.

Overnight: Hotel Crown Plaza or similar, Venice Area
Meals included: Breakfast

Day 15 Venice, Italy - Australia (or New Zealand)

Today, at the appropriate time, you will be transferred to the airport for your return flight to Australia or New Zealand after your trip of a lifetime.

Meals included: Breakfast; In-Flight

Day 16 Arrive in Australia (or New Zealand)

Please note: Some flights may arrive +1 day later.

Meals included: None



16-DAY TOUR PACKAGE | TASTE OF ITALY FOR 2

Tour Inclusions

HIGHLIGHTS

- Experience the beauty of Italy
- Immerse yourself in the gorgeous Tuscan countryside
- Visit Rome, Montepulciano, Siena, Florence, Pisa and more
- Explore the ancient wonders of Rome on a guided day tour
- See Rome's iconic landmarks, including the Colosseum and more
- Enjoy a day at leisure to discover the Eternal City of Rome
- Stop at Orvieto, the medieval gem bathed in a mystical glow
- Explore the unique UNESCO-listed Tuscan village of Pienza
- Discover the medieval cities of Montepulciano, Siena and Montalcino
- See Cortona, one of the most delightful hill towns in Tuscany
- Enjoy wine tasting in San Gimignano in between the charm of the Middle Ages and the magic of Nature.
- Visit Florence, the birthplace of the Renaissance, on a guided tour
- Photograph the incredible Leaning Tower of Pisa and marvel at the fascinating Lucca
- Marvel at the breathtaking coastline of Cinque Terre, Italy
- Explore the ancient university city of Bologna
- Wander through the romantic streets of Venice on a locally guided walking tour
- Enjoy a day at leisure in the romantic city of Venice

FLIGHTS

- Return international full-service flights (economy class), surcharges may apply. (Excludes Trip Only option)

ACCOMMODATION

- 13 nights of 4-star hotel accommodation

DINING

- Enjoy 13 meals

ESSENTIALS

- Parking and check point fees
- Audio earphones for hearing assistance during guided tours
- English speaking tour leader and guide
- Airline taxes and surcharges

TRANSPORT

- Transportation by private air-conditioned vehicles
- Return water bus to Venice city centre
- Return Cinque Terre Train

TRANSFERS

- Return airport (excludes Trip Only option) and private boat transfers

Important Information

**Please note: All information provided in this brochure is subject to both change and availability. Prior to purchase please check the current deal for up-to-date information. If you have already purchased this deal, the terms and conditions on your Purchase Confirmation apply and take precedence over the information in this brochure.*

Booking Information

After purchase, you will receive a receipt and a Purchase Confirmation, directing you to an online Passenger Information Form. You must complete the Passenger Information Form within 72 hours of purchase.
Any special requests, preferences and optional extras MUST be clearly stated in your Passenger Information Form. Any change requested after submitting your Passenger Information Form cannot be guaranteed, is strictly subject to availability and will incur surcharges as outlined in the Schedule of Fees below.

Please note: All countries and territories have different entry requirements in relation to vaccinations, quarantine/isolation periods and travel restrictions. Due to the evolving nature, we would ask all of our customers to monitor, meet and adhere to the specific requirements of their intended destination(s) in the lead-up to and immediately before travel, as well as any requirements post-travel upon their return.

Our Policies

Cancellation & Refund Policy

By placing a booking with us, you acknowledge the following important information:

- **we act as your booking agent** ; TripADeal is a booking services provider, and curates the Travel Offers available on our website. We act as your booking agent, and we receive payment for the Booking Services as part of the booking price, however, we do not provide any of the Travel Services (flights, accommodation, tours or other products or services) included in your booking – the Travel Services are provided by a number of third party Travel Suppliers.
- **each booking is unique** ; our Travel Offers are made up of a variety of different components and are, during the booking process, uniquely tailored to suit your requirements, for example, departure dates and ports, flight and room upgrades, tour inclusions, etc.
- **changes/modifications to your booking may not be possible** ; once your booking has been made, changes or modifications may not be possible, and where possible, may incur a fee. It is important to ensure that the information you provide during the booking process is accurate and up to date, and that you read the Travel Offer carefully before placing your order.
- **Travel Offers are a package** ; our Travel Offers have been curated into package offerings and must be used as a package – individual components cannot be used independently of the full package offering.
- **our Travel Offers are generally non-refundable;** in order to provide great value Travel Offers, we work with a variety of Travel Suppliers to find the best deals – this often means the Travel Suppliers' offerings are non-refundable to ensure the best price. We recommend that you obtain travel insurance as soon as you make a booking with us.

To read more about our Cancellation and Refund Policy, please click here.

General Terms & Conditions

By placing your booking with us, you acknowledge and agree to our Terms and Conditions, Privacy Policy and Cancellation Policy.

Offer Essentials

This Travel Offer is valid for travel on selected dates until the 11th November 2026.
Minimum group size 25, maximum group size 40 per vehicle.
This travel offer is priced for 2 people based on a twin share.

Departure Dates & Surcharges

See checkout for live dates and availability.

Single Traveller Supplement

For solo travellers, a full-priced voucher must be purchased.

Please note: Accommodation for single customers who are travelling on a tour or cruise package may be in a single room, depending on availability.

Child Policy

- No child discounts are offered. The full price applies to all children travelling with their parents.
- Valid for children 8 years old and over.

Please note: Children must be accompanied by a responsible adult 18 years old and over to travel. No unaccompanied minors are allowed.

Flights

(Flight information for options excluding Trip Only)

Departure Cities

Sydney, Melbourne, Perth, *Brisbane, *Adelaide or *Auckland

Departure City Surcharges

*Brisbane or *Adelaide: $200 per person
*Auckland: $600 per person

International Flight(s)

- Cabin Class: Economy Class

Please note: We cannot accommodate one-way flights. Travellers must take all included flights within the package, and any flights intentionally forfeited will result in later flights being subject to cancellation.

Please note: From Sydney or Auckland, the flying journey to your destination may take up to 32 hours, with up to 2 stops.

From Melbourne or Perth, the flying journey to your destination may take up to 28 hours, with up to 2 stops.
From Brisbane or Adelaide, the flying journey to your destination may take up to 29 hours, with up to 2 stops.
This is provided as a guide only - actual flight duration can vary depending on availability and airline schedules. Your booking's final details will be confirmed to

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you via email once available.

Preferred Airline Surcharge

- Cabin Class: Economy Class
- Emirates: $500 per person
- Qatar: $200 per person
- Singapore Airlines: $700 per person

Please note:

- *Preferred airlines are subject to availability. If we are unable to fulfil your request, the above extra cost will be refunded.*
- *On any upgrade purchase, short-haul flights and domestic flight sectors are not guaranteed, subject to aircraft configuration.*
- *In the event that a purchased stopover package and a purchased preferred airline upgrade are not compatible, you will have the option to receive a refund for the preferred airline upgrade or be offered an alternative stopover city option, e.g if you choose to fly with Singapore Airlines you cannot stopover in Dubai.*
- *Preferred airline refers to the marketing carrier and could include codeshare partners.*

Arrive Early & Stay Behind Options

Fly out and return home up to 60 days pre and post your tour dates.

Arrive Early

Rome, Italy - From $300 per person, subject to availability.

Stay Behind

Venice, Italy - From $300 per person, subject to availability.

Please note:

- ***Exclusions:***

  This fee does not include extra nights' accommodation, meals or airport transfers.

- ***Cancellations & Changes:***

  Flight booking changes or cancellations after air tickets have been issued are not guaranteed and may incur additional fees and fare difference, subject to the airline cancellation and change policies. Flight changes are subject to availability at the time of booking.

- ***High-Season:***

  A high-season Arrive Early or Stay Behind can be purchased for an additional charge, subject to availability. For pricing, please refer to the cart.

- ***+ 60 days:***

  You can fly out up to 60 days before your package's start date, and/or return home 60 days after your package's end date. Should you wish to fly out or return home for more than 60 days from the tour, please contact us to request availability. Additional costs may apply.

- ***Estimated dates:***

  Your estimated departure, return, and arrival dates are all subject to availability and may vary. The confirmed schedule for all flights will be provided when you receive your flight tickets.

- *High season surcharges apply to flights departing between the below date ranges:*

Arrive Early & Stay Behind Options

- High season surcharges apply to flights departing between the below date ranges:
- 18th September 2026 - 9th October 2026
- 12th December 2026 - 18th December 2026
- 19th December 2026 - 3rd January 2027
- 4th January 2027 - 26th January 2027
- 19th March 2027 - 28th April 2027
- 19th June 2027 - 18th July 2027
- 11th September 2027 - 10th October 2027
- 10th December 2027 - 19th December 2027
- 20th December 2027 - 3rd January 2028
- 4th January 2028 - 31st January 2028
- 1st April 2028 - 30th April 2028
- 1st July 2028 - 23rd July 2028
- 16th September 2028 - 15th October 2028

Stopover Packages

- Doha, Qatar
- Dubai, U.A.E

Includes:

- 2, 3 or 5 nights in 4-star accommodation
- Daily breakfast
- Return airport transfers

For pricing, please refer to the payment cart at checkout.

Please note:

- *When a pre and post-tour stopover is chosen, the same stopover location must be chosen each way, due to the airline used.*
- *When selecting to Arrive Early for your tour in conjunction with a Stopover Package, your fly out date from home will take place before the stopover.*
- *When selecting to Stay Behind after your tour in conjunction with a Stopover Package, your stopover will take place before your final flight home.*
- *Stopover packages are subject to availability.*
- *In the event that a purchased stopover package and a purchased preferred airline upgrade are not compatible, you will have the option to receive a refund for the preferred airline upgrade or be offered an alternative stopover city option, e.g if you choose to fly with Singapore Airlines you cannot stopover in Dubai.*
- *Blackout dates apply to flights departing between the below date ranges:*

Doha Grand Prix: 26 November - 02 December 2026
Abu Dhabi Grand Prix (for Dubai): 03 December - 09 December 2025
Christmas and New Years Eve: 18 December 2026 - 3 January 2027
Doha Grand Prix: 25 November - 1 December 2027
Abu Dhabi Grand Prix (for Dubai): 21 - 26 October 2027
Christmas and New Years Eve: 20 December 2027 - 3 January 2028

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Please note: the exact dates for 2027 are yet to be confirmed.

Flight Class Upgrades

Business Class: For pricing, please refer to the payment cart at checkout.

Please note:

- *Flight upgrades are subject to availability and pricing changes (if we cannot fulfil your request, the upgrade cost will be refunded).*
- *On any upgrade purchase, short-haul flights and domestic flight sectors are not guaranteed, subject to aircraft configuration.*

Missed Flights

If you fail to arrive for your outbound flight, you risk all flight and land arrangements in your destination being automatically cancelled by the airlines and land operator, respectively. Additional fees may apply to reinstate these services. If you miss your flight for whatever reason, please contact us as soon as possible to make arrangements.

Trip Only Option

If you choose to remove international flights from your package, your holiday may be shorter, as travel days for flights are not included in the Trip Only package. You will receive an email confirmation when minimum numbers have been met and the departure is guaranteed.
We recommend making further travel arrangements, such as flights, after you have received confirmation of a guaranteed departure.
TripADeal assumes no liability for financial losses incurred due to travel arrangements made prior to confirmation of guaranteed departure.
Note: The Trip Only Package does not include return international airfares or airport transfers. At the conclusion of the tour, you will be responsible for booking your own onward travel.
Click here for full Trip Only terms and conditions (see section 4.1)

Accommodation

Accommodation Used

4-Star Properties (Self-Rated)

- Rome: Hotel Dei Congressi or Hotel Caravel
- Chianciano Terme (Tuscany): Grand Hotel Admiral or Grand Hotel Milano
- Montecatini Terme (Tuscany): Hotel Manzoni, Hotel Panoramic or Hotel Ariston
- Venice Area: Hotel Bristol in Lido di Jesolo, Hotel Villa Patriarca in Mirano or Hotel Crown Plaza in Quarto d'Altino

Please note: Accommodation/rooms offered are based on a lead-in room type and are subject to availability based on seasonality. In the instance a property is not available, a similar standard of accommodation will be provided. Properties will be confirmed and included in your travel pack, which you will receive 4-6 weeks before travel.

Accommodation Location

To ensure a comfortable and convenient experience for everyone, we've carefully selected hotels that best suit the size and specific needs of each group. While this means your accommodation may not be in the city centre, you can rest assured that our hotels are typically located near public transportation and a variety of local restaurants and attractions. Once your tour begins, your friendly driver or tour leader will be happy to help you get your bearings and offer assistance, should you need it.

Extra Nights

Not available.

Please note: If you are interested in booking additional nights of accommodation pre or post-tour, please wait until you receive your travel documentation approximately 4-6 weeks before departure for the confirmed list of hotels. If booking your own additional accommodation directly with the hotel, please be aware that you may be required to change rooms at the start/end of your tour.

Maximum Room Capacity

2 people.

Triple Share

Not available.

Bedding Configuration

Twin or double (subject to availability).

Optional Tours/activities

- Day 3: 3-hour guided tour with entrances to the Colosseum & Imperial Forum: $95 AUD per person.
- Day 8: Traditional 3-course lunch in Florence (no drinks): $70 AUD per person.
- Day 12: Traditional 3-course lunch in Bologna (no drinks): $70 AUD per person.

Please note:

- *Prices are based per person, are subject to availability, time permitting and weather conditions, and are payable directly to the tour operator in the currency specified. OR*
- *The optional tours listed above must be purchased on checkout or over the phone before submitting your passenger information form (subject to availability).*
- *Some tours or shore excursions require minimum numbers to operate.*

Exclusions

- Visa fees and requirements
- Domestic transfers and flights not stated in the deal offer
- Meals/beverages not stated in the deal offer
- Optional gratuities/tipping
- Optional activities/tours
- Personal expenses
- Travel insurance
- Any costs associated with an interruption to your tour as a result of an airline schedule change or cancellation
- Mandatory city tax
- Venice Historical Centre Entrance Fee

Please note: A daily City Tourist Tax (or a Docking Tax for cruise visitors) is charged in some European destinations. They are paid directly to the hotel or cruise company, and

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cannot be prepaid. Further details will be included in your travel.

Please note: Return international flights and transfers to and from the tour are not included in the Trip Only option.

Venice Entrance Tourist Tax

Venice, Italy

It is now mandatory for all tourists who are daytripping or staying less than one night in Venice to pay an entrance tax online prior to arrival. The cost of the tax will change based on the season and the turnout of tourists. Prices will range from €3 up to €10 per person, per day.
Exemptions:
- Guests staying more than one night in Venice and Venice area (with proof of stay)
- Children 6 years and under
- Residents, Home owners, Students of Venice
- Tourist bus passengers

Gratuities / Tipping

Land

Gratuities (tips) are not included for the services of the tour leader (when available) and driver throughout the tour. The recommended tip is €5-€7 per person per day. This covers the guide/leader and the driver and will be collected on tour.

Please note: Tipping for services provided is always a matter of personal discretion; however, please be aware that many locals consider tipping part of their normal remuneration, and they may approach you for payment; there's no need to be intimidated by the request.

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City Taxes

Payable directly to the hotel at check-in.
- Venice Area: €3.10 per person, per night
- Chianciano/Montecatini: €2 per person, per night
- Rome: approx. €6.00 per person, per night

Please note: All pricing is approximate and subject to change.

TOUR GUIDE VS. TOUR LEADER

Tour Guide:

Often locals with intimate knowledge of an area, its culture, and history. Their role entails providing commentary, routing the tour, and seeing that people have a good time. They are a licensed, qualified expert who supplies specific information on the history, art, architecture and culture of the city/village/attraction where they are guiding the tour. The guide meets the group at the required place and leaves it at the end of the tour; they do not travel with the group.

Tour Leader:

An experienced person tasked with ensuring the smooth operation of tours, as well as providing practical support to passengers throughout the whole trip. Their role primarily includes assisting with accommodation, transportation between locations, and communication with tour guides at each stop. A tour leader may provide general guidance around a city or village and offer information on the place visited on the bus. However, they are not required to have specific art, architecture, or historical knowledge. They are not allowed to provide a guided tour or commentary of a city/village/attraction once there and, if caught doing so, can be fined.

Please note: Tour leaders/guides are not a standard inclusion in all travel offers. Tour leaders/guides will only be made available when required to enhance the experience of the destination featured.

CLIMATE & AVERAGE TEMPERATURES

Italy

Italy is largely characterised by a typical Mediterranean climate made up of warm springs and hot and dry summers, the climate here is very pleasant. Along the coast of Southern Italy in July and August the average temperature is above 25°C. April to June and September to October are the best months to travel through southern Italy. You can expect temperatures of up to 26°C during the warmest part of the day.
In the northern areas in October the average daily temperature is 14.5°C but temperatures can still reach highs of 19°C which can feel quite pleasant.
Temperatures are starting to drop low during this month though, especially at night. The average minimum temperature in October is 10°C.

Weather

We always suggest referring to an online source for the most up-to-date weather information for your destination/s.

FLIGHTS

Seat Selection & Frequent Flyer Points:

We do not arrange seat selection. It is essential to highlight that some airlines do not allow pre-selected seats. We strongly suggest you contact the airline directly with seating allocation requirements and/or arrive at the airport earlier to arrange your seating. While we do not add frequent flyer member details to bookings, you can do this directly with the airline once you have your flight information.

Passport Validity:

Customers must provide valid passport details either at the time of purchase or no later than 45 days before the departure date. Failure to do so may result in the cancellation of the booking. Customers will be responsible for any costs and fees incurred in this instance.

COACH TOUR

Meals:

For meals not included, the tour leader (when available) will offer assistance with reservations, suggestions and directions to local restaurants. It is your responsibility to notify us of any dietary requests/requirements.

Please note: We will do our best to meet your requests/requirements; however, we cannot guarantee that we will always be able to.

Luggage:

You will be responsible for all your

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personal belongings whilst on tour. You must carry your own luggage from the vehicle to the hotel room and back to the vehicle. The driver will assist with the uploading and unloading of bags from the vehicle.

OTHER

Mobility:

If you require wheelchair access please contact our friendly sales and service team to inquire on your behalf.

Fitness Level Required:

Adventure (and spontaneity) create some of the best travel memories. Bear in mind, your home schedules and timings might not be adhered to on tour - it's all part of the fun!
A moderate level of fitness will be required.
Expect a moderate pace of touring with a focus on guided tours that may include full days with extended activity, guided city tours or nature walks. You will require a general level of fitness for unassisted navigation of stairs and inclines, longer distances with possible periods of standing when visiting sites, walking on sloping, uneven ground or elevations. You will be responsible for your own luggage and have the ability to board all modes of transport without assistance.

Please note: It is expected that every traveller must be self-reliant and able to undertake all aspects of their own travel. Please speak to your booking agent about your personal circumstances and any assistance requirements to ensure this tour is right for you.

Please note: If you have any concerns, please consult your healthcare provider prior to purchase/travel.

Sightseeing:

Please note: If entry to a site is affected by changes in operating hours or public holiday closures, your itinerary, where possible, may be adjusted, or a similar activity will be offered in its place (subject to availability).

Shopping:

Shopping overseas can be a daunting and confusing experience, especially when there is a language barrier. Please be very cautious when foreign currencies and prices are involved. If paying by credit card, please pay close attention to the amount you are being charged and keep all your receipts.
Do not make any purchases you are not comfortable with or feel pressured into. If you are uncertain or need assistance with the language barrier, please seek assistance from your Tour Guide/Leader. Please refer to our Terms and Conditions regarding shopping for further information.

Visas

A tourist visa is not required for Europe for stays up to 90 days if travelling on an Australian passport.

EU Entry/Exit System (EES)

From October 12, 2025, a new European Entry System (EES) replaces the current manual passport-stamping process for non-EU travellers. Upon arrival in the Schengen area, Australian and New Zealand passport holders will have their fingerprints recorded and a photograph taken. Their entry and exit dates will be electronically registered. No previous action is required, but please be aware of longer wait times at border entry. From 10 April 2026, the EES will be fully operational at all external border crossing points of all the European countries (Schengen area) using the system.

European Travel Information & Authorisation System (ETIAS)

As an extension of the EES implementation introduced from 2025, ETIAS travel authorisation is a mandatory entry requirement for visa-exempt nationals travelling to any of these 30 European countries, including Australian and New Zealand citizens, that will be introduced in 2026. We advise you to monitor smartraveller.com.au closer to your departure to ensure you are up to date on the requirements at the time of entry.

Important:

- *Please start arranging your visa three weeks before departure to account for any delays due to consulate operating hours.*
- *Visa rules are subject to change. Please check with the nearest embassy, consulate or immigration department of the destination/s you are visiting once you receive your travel documentation to ensure you have the most up to date information.*
- *It is your responsibility to be travel-ready and ensure that you are aware and comply with any destination or travel requirements, including the validity of all required travel documents.*
- *Passengers who are not Australian citizens must also check with the respective consulate or visa agency to determine what their visa requirements are and what personal identification is required.*
- *It is also important to note that some areas of employment, such as journalism, government authorities and charity organisations, may have additional restrictions in applying for visas. This may, in turn, affect the type of application required.*

Travel Insurance

Embarking on your next trip is exciting, and while you hope the unexpected does not happen, it is best to be prepared. We strongly recommend you take out travel insurance when making your booking. Whether it's a potential medical emergency, a flight cancellation, a delayed suitcase, or an unforeseen event, it's important to ensure you're adequately protected. For more information or advice visit https://www.tripadeal.com.au/travel-insurance

Schedule Of Fees

Voluntary Changes

This includes booking changes requested by you, including but not limited to those changes requiring an airline ticket or a Purchase Confirmation reissue.

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- Changes - $100 per booking and any additional charges applied by the airline/ cruise company/accommodation/other travel providers.

Name Changes Due To Passenger Error

- If the incorrect name has been provided, charges of $100 per booking and any additional charges applied by the airline/ cruise company/accommodation/other travel providers.

Supplier Fees

In the event the tour package you have purchased is unable to proceed, and/or a Travel Supplier is unable to fulfil the tour due to external circumstances (Limitation of Liability e.g. a Force Majeure event), there may be a fee or amount of money that is withheld by our Suppliers and is unrecoverable. This may be due to non-refundable airline tickets, cancellation penalties with cruise cabins or unrecoverable payments with our land/ accommodation partners. If refunds are not available from Suppliers, we will endeavour to obtain a travel credit on the best terms available and communicate these outcomes to you. In the event we are unable to obtain a refund or travel service credit, or part thereof, this cost is passed on to the customer as a Supplier Fee.