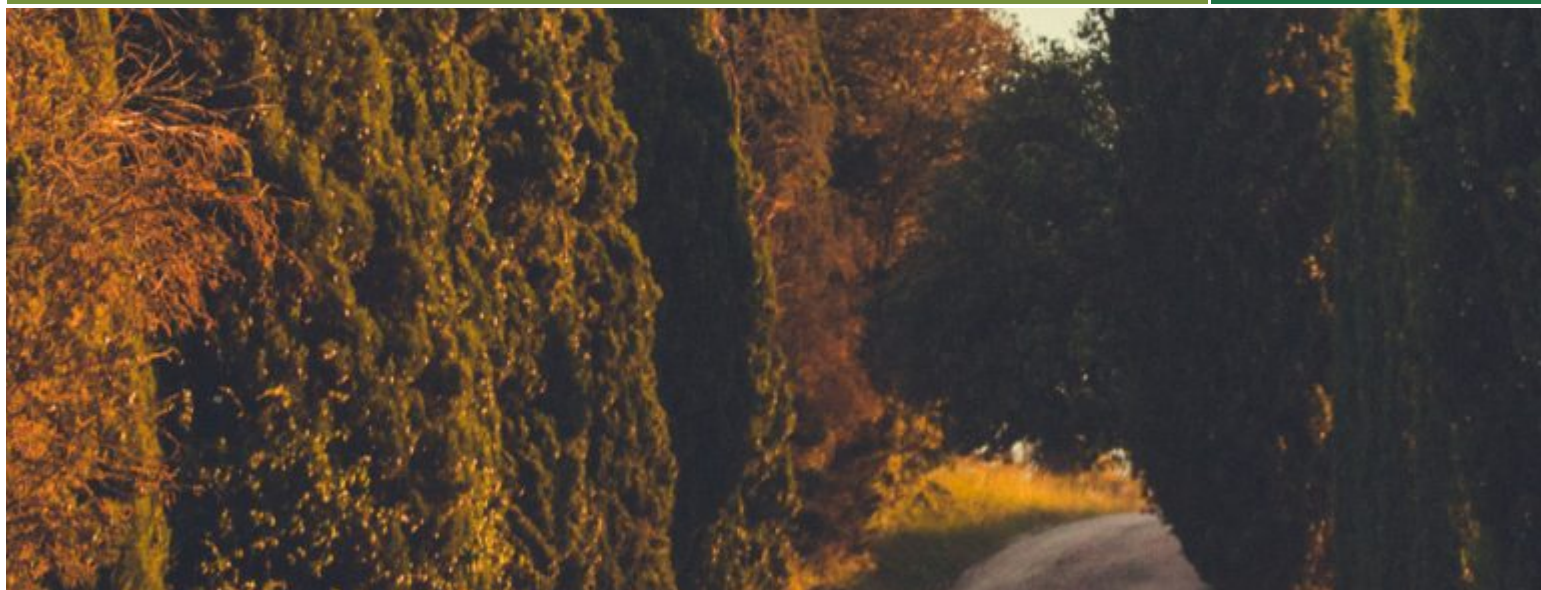


9D8N Country Roads of Tuscany & Central Italy

Price per person
from
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Tour Description

Embark on a journey of discovery with Sedunia Travel! Experience unique destinations, local culture, delicious cuisine, and unforgettable adventures. Our expert planners will take care of everything. Book now!

Tour Itinerary

Day 1 :- Rome

Welcome to Rome, a glorious city filled with classical antiquities, medieval buildings, Renaissance palaces and Baroque churches. Settle in before joining your Travel Director and get to know your fellow travellers over Roman specialities during dinner at a local restaurant.

Dinner

Day 2 :- Rome - Vatican City - Umbria - Perugia

See the imposing Basilica of St. Peter in the Vatican City before crossing the Tiber into Ancient Rome and imagining the gladiatorial combats and sounds of roaring spectators as you visit the mighty Colosseum with your Local Expert. Journey north to the Umbrian village of Baschi. Immerse yourself in the flavours and culture of the region and learn about the secrets of Italian food culture as you join Giovanni and his dog Chris for a truffle hunting session. Afterwards, be entertained by Chef Lorenzo with a fun pasta demonstration and enjoy a delicious lunch accompanied by Orvieto Classico wine. Join a Local Expert in Perugia to navigate the underground labyrinth of little streets, alleys and arches. Walk along Corso Vannucci, resplendent in pale-pink stone, passing the princely Priors' Palace, the cathedral and the finely sculptured Great Fountain in the main square.

Breakfast Lunch

Day 3 :- Perugia

This morning, during a MAKE TRAVEL MATTER® Experience, visit an artisanal workshop to meet Marta—recipient of a TreadRight Foundation grant—and her team of weavers. Discover how the fascinating art of loom weaving has been passed down through generations and learn how this ancient craft is being preserved today. Later, enjoy free time to explore the many delights of Umbria's capital city or join an Optional Experience to Cortona. In the evening, take your pick from a hand-picked selection of Perugian restaurants for a Dine Around experience—choosing the ambience and menu that suit you best. Buon appetito!

Breakfast Dinner

Day 4 :- Perugia - Assisi - Perugia

Journey to Assisi, one of Italy's most beautiful medieval hilltop towns, set high up in the mountains and enclosed by fortress walls. In the valley, see the famous Church of St. Mary of the Angels, much venerated as the place of St. Francis' death, then continue up Mount Subasio to the upper town. Step inside the massive, 13th-century Basilica of St. Francis with your Local Expert to learn how Giotto masterfully painted frescoes that inspired a variety of Renaissance artists.

Breakfast

Day 5 :- Perugia - Siena - San Gimignano - Tuscany

Follow the shores of Lake Trasimeno and continue to the narrow, cobble streets of Siena. Standing in the shell-shaped Campo, imagine the frenzied atmosphere of the biannual Palio horse race and see the Town Hall. Explore Siena with Insight Choice. Choose to visit the medieval Cathedral or, alternatively, sample panforte, a traditional Tuscan dessert. Travel to the medieval town of San Gimignano, where your Travel Director will show you the medieval skyscrapers, serpentine streets and hidden squares. The town is also home to world champion gelato maestro Sergio Dondoli. At his artisan ice cream parlour on Piazza della Cisterna, the silky-smooth frozen treats are beautifully displayed in a range of unique flavours for you to try. Your home for the next three nights is nestled in the Tuscan countryside.

Breakfast Dinner

Day 6 :- Tuscany

Enjoy your day at leisure, taking in your Tuscan surroundings. Relax at your hotel or you could opt to join an Optional Experience to Lucca.

Breakfast

Day 7 :- Tuscany - Florence - Tuscany

The morning is devoted to the Renaissance city of Florence. A fascinating walking exploration with a Local Expert takes you to the marble-clad cathedral crowned by Brunelleschi's dome. See the baptistery with its beautiful Gates of Paradise and Giotto's splendid bell tower. Walk on to Piazza della Signoria with its open-air gallery of Renaissance sculptures, followed by free time to shop for top-quality Florentine leather or gold. Toast to your travels during a delicious Farm-to-Table dinner at a local restaurant and enjoy tasting flavoursome dishes prepared with locally grown ingredients, home-made pastas, traditional Chianti wine, all sourced from the farm in the Tuscan region.

Breakfast Dinner

Day 8 :- Tuscany - Bagno Vignoni - Pienza - Rome

Enjoy the rolling Tuscan hills as you journey south through the Italian countryside. This morning, visit the medieval spa town of Bagno Vignoni, renowned for its mineral-rich thermal baths, then continue to the 'model' Renaissance town of Pienza, famous for its delicious pecorino cheese, before making your way to Rome.

Breakfast

Day 9 :- Rome

Bid farewell to the glories of Italy.

Breakfast

What's included

Destination	Italy , Vatican City
Departure Location	Rome
Return Location	Rome
Price includes	

- Handpicked 4 & 5 star hotels in great locations
- Daily breakfasts & many relaxed morning starts after 9am
- 'Business Class' style coaches with extended legroom*
- Local discovery led by Local Experts
- Superior dining in top rated restaurants
- 24/7 personal service – knowledgeable Travel Director & expert Driver
- Insider Access, Insightful Encounters and Insight Choice experiences
- Porterage, plus tips and gratuities at hotels and restaurants, is included

Price does not include

- International air ticket
- Travel insurance
- Others not mentioned above