Italy

EUROPE | Rome, Tuscany, Florence, Venice

Season: 2020 Standard

☀️ 8 DAYS  🌧️ 15 MEALS  🌐 31 SITES

Embrace a simpler way of life as you travel through this Old World country steeped in rich traditions and glorious history on the unforgettable Adventures by Disney Italy vacation. Be immersed in the timelessness of a remarkable culture—and be astonished by the warmth of its people.
Trip Overview

8 DAYS / 7 NIGHTS

ACCOMMODATIONS
- Gran Meliá Rome Hotel
- Hotel Borgo di Cortefreda OR
- Brunelleschi Hotel
- Hilton Molino Stucky

4 LOCATIONS
- Rome, Tuscany, Florence, Venice

AGES
Minimum Age: 4
Suggested Age: 6+

FLIGHT INFORMATION
- Arrive: FCO (Rome)
- Return: VCE (Venice)
- Guests may also Arrive/Depart via Train

15 MEALS
- 7 Breakfasts, 4 Lunches, 4 Dinners
Day 1

ROME

Activities Highlights:
Arrive in Rome, Tour the Colosseum

Arrive in Rome
Meet an Adventures by Disney representative in the baggage claim area who will escort you to your car. Take in the sights as your driver delivers you to the Hotel Gran Meliá Rome.

Check into Gran Meliá Rome Hotel
Experience contemporary Italian elegance at this stunning hotel in the heart of Rome’s cultural and entertainment attractions. Offering spectacular views of St. Peter’s Basilica, the Gran Meliá Rome Hotel is located on the banks of the River Tiber, just a short walk from the Vatican. With modern amenities, a magnificent pool and lush gardens, this urban resort offers a stay that is truly unforgettable.

Tour the Colosseum
Enjoy a fantastic tour of the Colosseum that makes you feel part of history! Built by Emperor Vespasian around A.D. 70-72, the Colosseum was a gift to the people of Rome and soon housed spectacles and games as well as wild animal and gladiator combats. All Guests can participate in an engaging tour of the Colosseum that gives them an understanding of ancient Rome.

Dinner Included
Gran Meliá Rome Hotel
Welcome Reception and Private Dinner at Hotel

Meet the other families that will share this adventure in a special gathering, held in a private room with a pool view. After a festive cocktail reception, feast on the first of many mouthwatering Italian meals!
Rome

Activities Highlights:
Privately Guided Walking Tour of Rome, Private Tour of St. Peter’s Basilica, Private After-Hours Tour of Vatican Museums & Sistine Chapel

Breakfast at the Hotel
Enjoy a hearty buffet breakfast to start your day.

Panoramic Motor Coach Tour of Rome
Board a motor coach and enjoy a ride around the city, viewing some of Rome’s most iconic sights.

Privately Guided Walking Tour of Rome
Take to the streets and ancient byways of Rome—and visit the spectacular destinations you’ve always dreamed of seeing. Explore the city center, home to the famed Spanish Steps, the Piazza Navona, the Pantheon and the Trevi Fountain. Stop along the way and taste some authentic gelato!

Lunch at a Local Restaurant
Relish a delicious lunch at one of the delightful local restaurants before continuing your tour.

Private Tour of St. Peter’s Basilica
Marvel at the Basilica via St. Peter’s Square—one of the largest churches in the world and a renowned example of Renaissance architecture. Initially constructed by Constantine in the early 4th century, it was rebuilt in the 16th century by Bernini, Bramante and Michelangelo. It stands on the site where the apostle Peter was crucified. Considered the first pope, he is buried under the main altar along with other popes who followed. Michelangelo’s iconic dome dominates the skyline of Rome.

See important details

Dinner On Your Own
Explore the city’s authentic and molto delizioso restaurants. Be sure to ask your Adventure Guides to make recommendations for a memorable meal that fits your family’s needs.

Private After-Hours Tour of the Vatican Museums and Sistine Chapel
Experience an exclusive after-hours, privately guided tour of the Vatican Museums—home to masterpieces by the greatest artists in history in a collection spanning 4000 years. Also, be guided by a local expert through the Sistine Chapel where you can get an intimate look at Michelangelo’s magnificent achievement. See important details
ROME, TUSCANy

Activities Highlights:
Travel to Orvieto, Umbria

Breakfast at the Hotel
Enjoy a full American-style buffet breakfast to start the day.

Travel to Orvieto, Umbria
Travel to the upper town of Orvieto, all the while taking in the spectacular views of the Umbrian valley.

On Your Own in the Upper Town of Orvieto
Be amazed by this medieval city that’s seemingly untouched by time. Explore the magnificent Duomo di Orvieto—a cathedral famous for its Gothic façade, pillars, grand sculptures, stained glass and frescoes.

Lunch at a Local Restaurant in Orvieto
Revel in a delicious Italian experience featuring local cuisine.

Journey to Tavernelle Val di Pesa
Take a motor coach across the countryside abundant in pastoral splendor to Tavernelle Val di Pesa, Tuscany.
Check-In at Hotel Borgo Di Cortefreda

Enjoy a welcome drink as your Adventure Guides check you into this quaint hotel in Tavarnelle Val di Pesa. In the heart of the Chianti region atop a Tuscan hilltop, Hotel Borgo di Cortefreda offers spectacular views—olive orchards, rows of vineyards and the rolling Chianti Mountains dotted with cypress trees. Savor the charm and comfort of this grand hotel featuring an outdoor swimming pool, Turkish bath and Finnish sauna, among other impressive amenities.

For December 22 & 27, 2020 Departures:

Check-In at Brunelleschi Hotel

While your Adventure Guides check you into this lovely hotel in the heart of Florence, putting you within footsteps of the Piazza della Signoria, as well as famed shopping areas like Via Tornabuoni.

Adult Dinner at Hotel

Dine at leisure enjoying excellent Tuscan cuisine made from the finest local and regional products. Begin by tasting an assortment of locally produced and award-winning wines before settling down to dinner on the terrace, under the Tuscan sky.

Junior Adventurers – Dinner & Disney Movie

Junior Adventurers enjoy an evening of lawn games and an Italian soda tasting activity, followed by a kids-only dinner and a Disney movie.
**TUSCANY**

**Activities Highlights:**
Fattoria Poggio Alloro - Pasta-Making Activity, Wine-Tasting in Fioroni Family Winery

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**Breakfast at Hotel**
Start your day with a delicious breakfast and then head by motor coach for half a day on a farm.

**Fattoria Poggio Alloro – Pasta-Making Activity**
Travel by coach to Fattoria Poggio Alloro—a working farm with its own winery—located in the heart of the Chianti wine-growing region. Be welcomed by the chef, who will lead you in a fun pasta-making activity. And take in the spectacular views of the medieval towers of San Gimignano, a fortified hilltop town, standing on a nearby hilltop.

**Adult Wine Tasting in the Fioroni Family's Winery**
Tour the family winery, and then enjoy wine tasting, sampling several of their recent vintages.

**Kids Olive Oil Flavoring**
While adults taste wine, Junior Adventurers pick herbs from the garden and learn how to infuse them into bottles of olive oil—another product of the farm.

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**Breakfast, Lunch and Dinner Included**

**Hotel Borgo di Cortefreda** OR **Brunelleschi Hotel**
**Private Lunch at Fattoria Poggio Alloro**

Enjoy a delicious pasta lunch at this picturesque farm. Weather permitting, lunch will be served on the terrazza, overlooking the beautiful scenery and medieval towers of San Gimignano.

**Afternoon on Your Own at Hotel Borgo Di Cortefreda**

Return to your charming Tuscan hotel and enjoy a relaxing moment at the pool or sauna. Or stroll through Tavarnelle Val di Pesa to explore the shops and cafés.

**Tuscan Dinner to Remember in a Castello**

Indulge yourself at a banquet set in a 15th-century castle—one of the most beautiful locations in picturesque Tuscany. Costumed servers enhance the remarkable atmosphere of this truly unforgettable evening.
TUSCANY, FLORENCE

Activities Highlights:
Travel to Florence, Privately Guided Tour of Florence, Private VIP Tour of Palazzo Vecchio

Breakfast at the Hotel
Enjoy a delicious breakfast and get ready for your trip to Florence.

Explore Florence
Share the timeless treasures of the Renaissance on a privately guided exploration designed to enchant travelers of all ages. Enjoy reserved entry and access to see Michelangelo's David followed by a walking tour of the city's famed Duomo, Baptistry, Plaza della Signoria, Plaza de la Republica, Ponte Vecchio and other sights.

Lunch On Your Own in Florence
Enjoy authentic Tuscan cooking at one of the fine restaurants in Florence or choose a restaurant that offers international fare. Ask your Adventure Guides to suggest an ideal restaurant for you and your family.

Private VIP Tour of Palazzo Vecchio
Explore the spectacular town hall of Florence with a special VIP tour of Palazzo Vecchio, a magnificent structure that remains one of the most impressive in Tuscany. Walk through the hallowed halls, decorated with works by the masters, including Michelangelo, Botticelli
and Vasari. Climb the high tower, dress in medieval period costumes for photo opportunities—and explore secret passages once used by the Medici family, famed patrons of the arts.

📍 Afternoon and Dinner On Your Own in Florence

Step into the pages of history and discover the beauty of this magical metropolis. Shop for treasures at a bustling marketplace or marvel at great works of art in magnificent museums. Then, indulge your senses with a dinner on your own in Florence! Ask your Adventure Guides for recommendations.
TUSCANY, VENICE

Activities Highlights:
ITALO Train to Venice, Private Gondola Tour, Private Walking Tour to Piazza San Marco

Breakfast at Hotel
Enjoy a delightful breakfast at the hotel before you begin your trip to Venice.

ITALO Train to Venice – and Lunch Onboard
Bid farewell to the countryside and climb aboard the ITALO bullet train that features advanced technology and on-board conveniences including free Wi-Fi. A boxed lunch is provided along the way.

Private Gondola Tour
Upon your arrival in Venice, be serenaded as you explore the City of Canals by gondola, the traditional mode of Venetian transportation. Travel near the Rialto Bridge, gliding along the famed Grand Canal on a private tour of this floating city.

Private Walking Tour to Piazza San Marco
See Venice's illustrious history come to life and its architectural treasures illuminated on a privately guided, story-filled walking tour.

Private Boat to the Hotel Hilton Molino Stucky
Board a boat to reach your luxury hotel. Located on Giudecca Island—and occupying what was once Venice’s immense flour mill—the Hotel Hilton Molino Stucky is now a prestigious 5-star hotel.

💻 **Check-In and Welcome Reception at the Hotel Hilton Molino Stucky**

As you Adventure Guides check you in and handle your luggage, look around this grand hotel that offers a range of amenities including a unique rooftop swimming pool, a tempting Nutella Bar and distinctive views of Venice. Then join your Adventure Guides for a welcome reception.

🍴 **Dinner On Your Own in Venice**

Decide where you and your family would like to enjoy a Venetian dinner. Choose between gourmet restaurants, tempting trattorias or local favorites.
VENICE

Activities Highlights:
Guided Tour of the Doges Palace, Venetian Carnevale Mask-Making,
Farewell Dinner on the Jolly Roger

Breakfast at the Hotel
Start your day off with a tasty breakfast before you explore more of this exciting city.

Guided Tour of the Doges Palace & Detective Game
Get an up-close look at this monumental palace built in Venetian Gothic style. Now a museum, this landmark was once the residence of the Doge, the supreme authority of the Republic of Venice.

Junior Adventurers get to play sleuths as they participate in a special Adventures by Disney art detective game designed by Disney, exclusively for kids.

Tragicomica – Venetian Carnevale Mask-Making
Take a scenic walk through the heart of Venice and head to Tragicomica—a shop where you can participate in a private, hands-on workshop in the art of mask-making under the guidance of an artisan. And create a masquerade masterpiece of your own!

Lunch On Your Own in Venice
Enjoy a Venetian lunch with your family at one of the many excellent restaurants.
On Your Own in Venice

Explore the canals, bridges and footpaths of Venice—and encounter dazzling boutiques and art museums along the way!

Farewell Dinner on the Jolly Roger

Board the Jolly Roger, the pirate-themed galleon that is modeled after the ships launched by the Venetian Republic. Toast the bountiful adventure you’ve shared with your family and newfound friends. And enjoy delectable Italian dishes, lively entertainment and a few Disney surprises at this special party that celebrates the adventure of a lifetime!
VENICE

Activities Highlights:
Transfer to Venice Marco Polo Airport OR Train Station

Breakfast at Hotel
Bid farewell to all your fellow Adventurers and enjoy one last meal in Venice.

Transfer to Venice Marco Polo Airport or Train Station
Relax as we handle your luggage and arrange for transportation to the airport or train station. Say "arrivederci" to beautiful Italy—until you return again!
IMPORTANT DETAILS

*Accommodations are pending your departure date:

○ **Hotel Borgo di Cortefreda**: All 2019 and 2020 departures except December 20, 2019; December 22 & 27, 2020

○ **Brunelleschi Hotel**: December 20, 2019; December 22 & 27, 2020 departures

**Day 1**

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**Day 2**

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