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What To Do In Venice, Italy



Doge's Palace

Visit the Doge's Palace, an important historic landmark that served as the seat of Venetian political power for centuries. As you explore the seat of a 1,000-year republic, you'll travel back in time to the Middle Ages. Marvel at the rich details of the magnificent gold staircase and spectacular works of art. Relive the anguish of the prisoners as they crossed the famous Bridge of Sighs.

St. Mark's Bell Tower

St. Mark's Bell Tower overlooks the whole of Venice and its lagoon. When you climb to the top you'll enjoy far-reaching views, nearly to the Dolomites on a particularly clear day. You'll learn about the tower's role in history as well. In 1609 Galileo proved the effectiveness of his telescope right above St. Mark's Bell Tower. Each of the 5 large bells in its loggia had a precise role in the everyday routines of Venice.



St. Mark's Square and Basilica

Napoleon described St. Mark's Square as the most beautiful reception room in Europe. The square is known around the world for the phenomenon of high water. Being one of the lowest points in the city, water from the lagoon begins to invade the square during high tides and visitors walk along catwalks or wear rubber boots. The Basilica has for centuries has been the focus of religious and public life in Venice. The mosaics that decorate the walls of San Marco represent the political power of Venice. The golden tiles were placed at a slightly angular position in order to reflect light from every angle.

Hidden Venice Unusual Walking Tour

Get off the beaten tracks of Venice, away from the overcrowded places. The guide will escort you through the heart of Venice letting you discover the most fascinating and secret corners, rich with history such as the Rialto Area, with its typical markets and the oldest church of Venice: The Church of San Giacometto (about 1200 A.C.). Once upon a time, merchants from all over the world came here to trade and sell their exotic goods.





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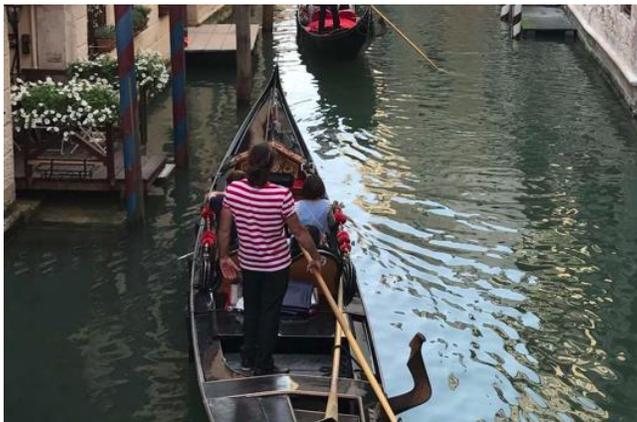


Venetian Lagoon Tour: Visit Murano, Burano, and Torcello

Visit the most beautiful islands in the Venetian Lagoon on this 4-hour afternoon tour. Stop at the island of Murano, home to world-renowned glassblowers, Burano, known for its lace production and the ancient settlement of Torcello. Spend around 45 minutes on Murano and see a demonstration by a glass-blowing master. The tradition of glassblowing has been passed down generations of Murano residents.

Leonardo Da Vinci Museum

Journey through the life and work of one of the world's great artists and inventors at the Leonardo da Vinci Museum in Venice. Learn about some of his major studies of human anatomy, and see high-resolution backlit replicas of his major paintings. Explore both his medical work and artistic accomplishments to build a better understanding of the man. Benefit from descriptions in Italian, English, French, German, Spanish and Russian, supplemented by multimedia displays detailing his life and works.



Gondola Serenade on Grand Canal

Enjoy a relaxing promenade by gondola through the canals of Venice. Soak up the Venetian atmosphere while listening to authentic live music and singing. Cruise through the city's most secluded waterways as you pass under small bridges and along part of the Grand Canal. As your singer and musician for the cruise board the gondola in the center of the row, all participants can hear the beautiful Italian music during the ride. Enjoy being serenaded as you glide through the beautiful and historic canals of Venice.

Penny Guggenheim Museum Ticket

Explore one of the most important cultural attractions in Venice with a skip-the-line ticket to the Peggy Guggenheim Museum. Marvel at works of modern art by Picasso, Pollock and Dalí. Stay as long as you want on your full-day single entry ticket. Created by the American heiress Peggy Guggenheim, the collection was originally put on for the 1st post-war Venice Biennale. The following year, Peggy acquired the Palazzo Venier dei Leoni, an unfinished 18th century palace on the Grand Canal.

