



The Original and Best Walking Tours

The Best of Tuscany Tour

Savour the sights, smells and tastes of the region on this visit to three captivating hilltop towns. Our small-group expeditions, led by fabulous local guides, also offer a delicious lunch and wine tasting at a traditional estate.

The Best of Tuscany Tour takes you to three hilltop towns, including lunch and wine tasting!

Highlights of the Best of Tuscany include:

- A small-group (no more than 18 persons) led by a great guide
- Visits to Siena, San Gimignano and Monteriggioni
- Free time to explore the fabulous medieval hilltop villages visited
- Lunch at a Tuscan estate, including a wine tasting
- Fascinating stories to bring the past to life while you travel between towns
- Classic Tuscan landscapes and iconic views
- Tasting of top-quality olive oil and taking in shimmering olive groves and glorious vineyards
- Private mini-bus transport - no large buses!

The finer details of the small-group Best of Tuscany:

Prices: Adults - 154 euro; Students (6-17 yrs) - 139 euro; Children (2-5 yrs) - 89 euro; Infants (0-1 yr) - 59 euro.

Meeting time and dates: Monday, Wednesday, Friday and Saturday at 8.15 am throughout March-November.

Best of Tuscany meeting point: Our Office at Via de' Sassetti, 1 (2nd floor) - see map for details.

Length: 9 hours

Minimum participants required to confirm: 4 people

Maximum participants: 18 people

Weather: This tour runs rain or shine

Please note: Vehicles are not able to enter into the walled cities of the ancient hilltop towns so there is some walking involved. Children are welcome on this tour however we are not always able to provide car seats and by law children cannot ride on a parent's lap. Please contact us ahead of time if you are travelling with small children.

The run-down of the Best of Tuscany Tour:

The Best of Tuscany is a 9-hour excursion to San Gimignano, Siena and Monteriggioni, three remarkable medieval towns in the Chianti region. To facilitate your enjoyment, our guide explains the history and highlights of each fascinating hill town in private air-conditioned transport on the way while you enjoy the very beautiful and aptly famous Tuscan landscape. The guide also stops for photo opportunities at particularly scenic locations.

Upon arrival at each town, you have free time to explore. You may choose to visit churches and museums, do some people-watching in the piazzas, or perhaps shop for great foods and wine or even amazing Italian fashion. Your guide will be able to suggest the best places to see artisan's studios, local producers of typical Tuscan products, nice places to 'people watch' while enjoying a cold drink, and where to explore the town's highlights. You are given free time in San Gimignano, Siena and Monteriggioni where you can choose to just soak up the atmosphere or try one of the other activities outlined above.

Also included is a gourmet light Tuscan lunch of quality products produced in Tuscany, including extra-virgin olive oil. You also visit a classic Tuscan estate with an introduction to Tuscan wine and a wine tasting.

This tour is designed to give maximum enjoyment for a day's outing to Tuscany's most famous hilltop towns.

The Best of Tuscany Tour Shopping Suggestions - what to buy in Siena, San Gimignano and Monteriggioni: These towns are great for quality small gifts to take home. Beautiful, locally-produced traditional design ceramics are available in all towns. San Gimignano is an 'art town' with a large variety of artisan studios to browse. Salami, cheeses, traditional cakes and biscuits like

Siena's famous Panforte are also great to buy (and eat!). Ask your guide to point out great shops with high-quality produce. The estate you visit has a great selection of wines and olive oils as well.

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In the case that 4 people do not sign up for this tour, you may always apply our Minimum Numbers Guarantee to ensure that the tour runs. For more information please click [here](#).

Images on this page are from the picturesque Tuscan countryside of San Quirico d'Orcia.