



SUMMER COURSES FOR TEENAGERS BY THE SEA IN TUSCANY



















Orbetello lies on the Tuscany coast, in the heart of the Maremma region, less than two hours from Rome, Florence, Siena and Pisa. Pearl of the Costa d'Argento, in the centre of a sparkling lagoon, Orbetello is joined to the Argentario promontory by the two long, golden sand dunes, known as the "Tomboli della Feniglia e della Giannella" that offer the visitor kilometres of enchanting, unspoilt beaches interrupted here and there by inviting pine woods. The spectacular views around the Monte Argentario offer a range of breathtaking scenery; high cliffs rising sheer from the sea, alternating inlets and bays where the transparent blue sea invites visitors to enjoy a relaxing swim. Just off the Monte Argentario coast, in less than an hour by ferry, are the islands of Giglio and Giannutri with their crystalline water and limpid seabeds that offer scuba divers an unforgettable experience. Among the many places close to Orbetello worth visiting, Porto Santo Stefano and Porto Ercole, with their distinctive coloured houses and picturesque fishing ports are certainly not to be missed.

All this plus 50 kilometres of unspoilt beaches and rocky coastlines set between two of the biggest protected natural reserves in Italy, make Orbetello an ideal place for a study holiday in one of the most beautiful areas of Tuscany.



OrbitLingua, created in 2002, is an expanding dynamic language school specialized in teaching Italian language and culture to foreign students.

Our school is situated in a quiet place just a short walk from the historical centre. It has been recently completely refurbished and is surrounded by a beautiful garden, an ideal place to have lessons in the open air or to relax in your free time.

We offer courses to students of different nationalities, in a convivial and friendly atmosphere created by our teachers and by all our staff.

Internet

Computers are available for students to use Internet and check e-mails. This service is free of charge.

Free WI-FI

Free High Speed Wireless Internet Access in all parts of the school, including the garden.

Language resources

Students can use the school's classrooms and the garden to study, see films or read the books from the school's language library.

Coffee break

Students can buy hot and cold drinks at school at a very convenient price.

Assistance

The school staff takes care of the students' needs for the complete duration of their stay. They are always available to give students every kind of information and to offer any kind of help they may need.















This course has been especially created for teenagers from 13 to 17 years old.

It combines **lively and entertaining lessons** of Italian language and a rich and varied programme of supervised **leisure**, **sport and cultural activities**, visits and excursions which enable students to discover the many aspects of the Italian culture on a daily basis. It is possible to enroll for 2 to 8 weeks.

The Programme includes:

- 20 lessons of Italian language per week
 (1 lesson= 55 min.)
- Host Family Accommodation on a Half Board basis (breakfast and dinner)
- Lunch in a friendly "cafeteria" preparing a wide range of typical homemade Italian dishes
- 4 afternoons of beach, lagoon or sport activities per week
- 1 half day excursion per week (beach tour by boat, "Terme di Saturnia"...)
- 1 full day excursion per week (Island of Giglio, Rome, Pisa or Siena)
- Certificate of attendance
- Placement test of Italian on arrival and study materials
- All transport and entrance fees included
- Supervision by our teachers and professional monitors.

Host families

All our host families are carefully selected, extremely friendly and helpful and they all live very close to the school (5-10mn walk).

Meals

Students will have breakfast and dinner with the host family and lunch all together in a very friendly "cafeteria" in the historical centre of Orbetello where they will have the opportunity to taste a wide range of homemade typical Italian dishes.





SAMPLE PROGRAMME FOR 2 WEEKS

Sunday Arrival

Monday Argentario panoramic tour by open bus

Tuesday Boat excursion to "Spiaggia Lunga" Wednesday Beach or sport activities (Le Viste creek)

Thursday Lagoon activities

Friday Beach or sport activities (Giannella beach)

Saturday Day excursion to Rome/Pisa/Siena

Sunday Time with the host family

Monday Beach or sport activities (Feniglia beach)

Tuesday Half day excursion to "Terme di Saturnia"

Wednesday Beach or sport activities (Acqua dolce beach)

Thursday Boat tour in the lagoon

Friday Beach or sport activities (Pozzarello beach)

Saturday Day excursion to Island of Giglio

Sunday Departure















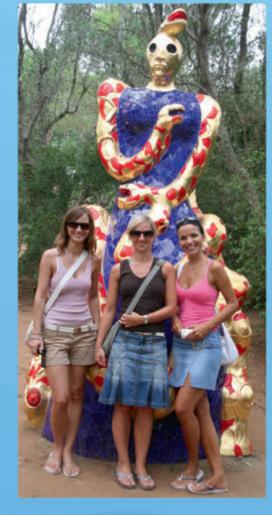


ORBITLINGUA organizes Italian courses for school groups on request of schools, teachers and agencies. We offer this programme for one or two weeks at a specific date of choice:

The Programme includes:

- 20 lessons of Italian language per week
- Host Family Accommodation on a Half Board basis (breakfast and dinner)
- 5 afternoon activities per week
- Certificate of attendance
- On request we can organize a tailor-made programme according to your individual wishes and requirements

For 2 week programmes we also offer the opportunity to study one week in Orbetello and one week in one of our partner schools in Rome, Florence, Siena and Perugia.





HOW TO GET TO ORBETELLO

By train:

- From Rome:
 Rome-Pisa line to Orbetello
- From Pisa:
 Pisa-Rome line to Orbetello
- From Florence: Florence-Orbetello line through Siena

www.trenitalia.it

By car

· From Rome:

Take the motorway A12 Rome-Civitavecchia and then the Aurelia to Orbetello

· From Pisa:

Drive to Grosseto and then take the Aurelia southbound to Orbetello

· From Florence:

Drive to Grosseto through Siena and then take the Aurelia southbound to Orbetello.

By air

Rome airport Leonardo Da Vinci (Fiumicino), Rome airport Ciampino or Pisa airport Galileo Galilei.







Distances from major cities:

-Rome: 140 km -Siena: 110 km -Florence: 180 km 180 km -Pisa: 200 km -Lucca: -Orvieto: 100 km -Assisi: 190 km -Perugia: 200 km



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