HERITAGE ACADEMY CLASS TRIP MAY 8-17, 2024 TRIP #17930

# ITALY WITH KELLY









Discover the best of Italy's cultural and culinary treasures! Immerse yourself in the artistic brilliance of **Milan**, where you can marvel at **Leonardo da Vinci's** masterpiece, '**The Last Supper**'. Indulge in a cooking class in the enchanting city of **Venice** and immerse yourself in the vibrant colors of Murano glass. Experience the charm of **Tuscany** and **Florence**, where history and beauty blend seamlessly. Journey to the eternal city of **Rome** and toss a coin in the iconic **Trevi Fountain**. Lastly, explore the ancient ruins of **Pompei** for a glimpse into the past. Your Italian adventure awaits!

# **SCHEDULE**

# \*PASSPORT REQUIRED\*

May 8&9: Fly from Charleston or Savannah to Milan Italy. This will require a noon departure from the school via motorcoach to check in for the overnight flight to Italy's Milan Airport. Upon arrival, the students will clear Italian customs, enter the EU, and begin their adventure. Explore Milan's top attractions on a walking tour. Led by a guide, visit the Duomo di Milano, Italy's largest church, and enjoy a visit to Leonardo da Vinci's 'The Last Supper'. Students will begin to understand local Italian customs, and money exchange, and have time for lunch at one of the beautiful plazas in the city center. This afternoon we transfer via motorcoach to Mestre for two nights.

May 10: A European breakfast is served daily on this trip. This is a combo of meats, cheeses, fruits, pastries, cereals, and eggs. Today's unique tour includes the water taxi into Venice where a local guide will meet the group for a walking tour. A tiny collection of islands-turned-onetime maritime empire, Venice is one of Italy's most enigmatic and fascinating destinations. On our indepth Venice walking tours of St. Mark's Basilica, the Doge's Palace, the Rialto Market and beyond, our expert guides will bring all 1,600 years of Venetian history and heritage to life. The day will end with free time to enjoy the street artist along San Marco Square and a sunset boat ride back to our bus to return to the hotel.

May 11: Say Buongiorno! Today we visit the "glass island" of Murano and the "lace island" of Burano. Via boat, the group will transfer along the Grand Canal for a day of exploration. Students will observe glass blowing and the art of lacemaking and all the time a local guide will be showing the way. This afternoon we return to the mainland with Venice in the rearview. Dinner is special, a cooking class! Students will learn to cook three typical dishes of the Italian tradition, using professional tricks and techniques. Bon Appetite!

# **PACKAGE PRICE**

based on min 40 paid travelers \$3,699.00 pp triple occ. \$4,299.00 pp double occ.

**Deposit:** \$500.00 pp due August 15, 2023 non-refundable

2nd Payment: \$1,000.00 pp due October 15, 2023 3rd Payment: \$1,000.00 pp due February 15, 2024 Final Payment: Balance pp

due April 15, 2024



# **SCHEDULE CONT'D**

May 12: Board the coach and continue to Tuscany. We will have a rest break in Padua and a lunch stop in Bologna and arrive at a hotel near Florence this afternoon. We climb Piazzale Michelangelo for a glorious view of the city skyline and no other greater spot to watch the sunset in this carnival atmosphere. Later a pasta dinner is waiting at a local trattoria.

May 13: Florence is a walking city, and we enjoy the many sites of the city with a local guide leading the way. The Medici Grand Dukes, the Renaissance, and World War II History will be included today as we cross the Arno River into the city. All the city sights will be covered with a visit to the Academia, home of Michelangelo's David statue. Lunch and dinner are on your own today and there are many options to choose from. Return to the hotel this evening and ready ourselves for the Eternal City of Rome.

May 14: A beautiful drive thru Tuscany includes a stop at the hilltop city of Montepulciano for a rest break and we arrive in Rome this afternoon for a two-night stay. This evening dinner is included at Piazza Navona. Surrounded by outdoor cafes, this square is magnified during the evening with its three fountains. Street artists abound pedaling their crafts and performing. Relax and soak up the ambiance and beauty, but don't forget a gelato or maybe a specialty from Tre Scalini Gelateria!

**May 15:** We begin the day at the Vatican for a guided tour through the Sistine Chapel to experience Michelangelo's painted ceiling and St. Peter's Basilica. Next, the Roman Forum, a giant archeological park where ancient Romans formed government, celebrated victories, and created business daily, it has been called the most celebrated meeting place in the world. Adjacent is the Roman Colosseum built in 70AD, where gladiators once roamed, and 50 to 80 thousand spectators could be seated in this world's largest amphitheater. Other sites include the Trevi Fountain and the Spanish Steps.

May 16: Today we board one of the direct trains to Pompei for a visit into the lives of the ancient Roman elite. Buried in volcanic ash in 79 A.D., the former resort town of Pompeii is now fully excavated and, uniquely preserved as it was, one of the world's richest archaeological sites. Later, our bus and luggage rejoin us, and we transfer to our hotel for one last night. Special pizza dinner, where the pie is said to have been first created, tonight in Naples to celebrate our farewell dinner.

May 17: Transfer early to the Naples airport for the return flight to the USA.













Please read the following terms and conditions carefully. By registering your student for the tour, you are agreeing to the terms listed on this flyer

### **TRANSPORTATION**

Modern motor coach transportation will be provided for this tour conducted by Kelly Tours. The coach will be operated by an experienced driver and equipped with a DVD player and restroom. Rigorous cleaning and disinfection procedures are in place for all vehicles operated by Kelly Tours. Upon return from each tour, buses are fully disinfected with the usage of electronic mister technology which ensures full wrap around sterilization coverage of all surfaces. In addition to this cleaning, drivers and guides will disinfect surfaces throughout the bus during the actual tour daily. Hand sanitizer will be readily available onboard. For more information please visit our website on how Kelly Tours is dedicated to keeping travelers safe.

### **FOOD ALLERGIES**

Kelly Tours is compassionate to specific food requests and dietary needs. While we will make every effort to accommodate all requests, please be prepared to send alternate food options with your traveler if you have concerns with the group menus. A vegetarian option will be available for all meals. Please contact Kelly Tours at least 45 days prior to the trip departure with special dietary needs.

### **KELLY TOURS TOUR DIRECTOR**

A Kelly Tours representative will accompany the group to all destinations to oversee the trip and take care of all arrangements. This is an added feature that will allow the chaperones to handle their responsibilities.

### **GRATUITIES**

Gratuities for the driver and escort who accompany the group are not included in the package price. We recommend \$2 per person/per day for the driver and \$2 per person/per day for the escort as each will work hard to ensure that everyone has a great trip! Meal gratuities are included in your package price.

### **PAYMENT INFORMATION**

Don't Turn Money into Teachers or the School! Please make all payments directly to Kelly Tours. Payments can be made online at <a href="https://www.kellytours.com">www.kellytours.com</a> or by mailing a check to the address below. Make payments conveniently, set up an automatic draft and check the remaining trip balance online at the Kelly Tours website, visit www.KellyTours.com and click on the tab labeled online payments. First time visitors will need to create a Username and Password. Returning customers will login. Use the online help tool or

contact Kelly Tours if you do not remember your Username or Password. You will search for your tour using the Trip Number on the first page of the trip flyer. Please make all check payments payable to Kelly Tours, Inc. and send with the sign-up form on the last page of this flier. Please include your driver's license number, student's/traveler's name and the trip number on your check. (A charge will be incurred on all checks returned for insufficient funds. Questions concerning Express Checks can be directed to www.expresschecks.org or 912-355-8593).

### **CANCELLATION**

All payments listed on this flyer marked as nonrefundable will be non-refundable should a traveler cancel for any reason. Travel insurance is included on this tour. All refunds will be processed by travel insured international.

### **WAIT LISTS**

Availability is based on a first-come first-serve basis. If there are no available spots, travelers may be placed on a waiting list. Kelly Tours buses accommodate 50 passengers (including the chaperones and escort). An additional bus may be added to the trip (at the discretion of the school and Kelly Tours) if the waiting list exceeds 20 people by the final payment date. \*Some tours may be limited by special program availability, by the school or group leader. In these cases, registration will be based on a first-come first-serve basis.

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### QUESTIONS

Feel free to direct any questions to the offices of Kelly Tours at (800) 442-6152 M-F 9am-5pm or online at www.kellytours.com.

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\*By signing your registration form, you are giving us permission to use your child's photo for marketing and other promotional materials for the Facebook page and website. Please let us know if you have any concerns.

Please be sure to fill out the attached forms completely and send in with your payment. Failure to fill out the following forms could result in your payment being returned, improperly posted or the student could be denied space on the trip. Thank you!

CANCELLATION – All payments listed on this flyer marked as non-refundable will be non-refundable should a traveler cancel for any reason. Travel insurance is included on this tour. All refunds will be processed by travel insured international.

PLEASE READ THIS ENTIRE DOCUMENT THOROUGHLY. BY REGISTERING FOR THE TRIP AND MAKING THE INITIAL PAYMENT, YOU AGREE TO ABIDE BY THE TERMS AND CONDITIONS OUTLINED IN THE DOCUMENT ATTACHED.

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# **HOW PARENTS CAN SIGN UP THEIR STUDENT**

- 1. Parents will log into their Kelly Tours account via our website, **kellytours.com**, by clicking the "**Book or Pay**" option at the top of the page. If they do not have an account with us, one can be created by clicking "**Register**" at the bottom on the sign in window.
- 2. Once logged in, they will enter the **tour number** into the search window at the top right of the page.
- 3. Parents will fill out their student's information in the tour booking window.
- 4. If a parent has more than one traveler attending a trip, multiple travelers can be added by clicking the "Add a Traveler" button.
- 5. If available, parents can choose a payment plan that fits their budget.
- 6. Once a payment plan is chosen, they fill out their payment information using our secure payment window, review the tour information, and approve their student's booking.

