

# The main TOURS

## Western Mediterranean



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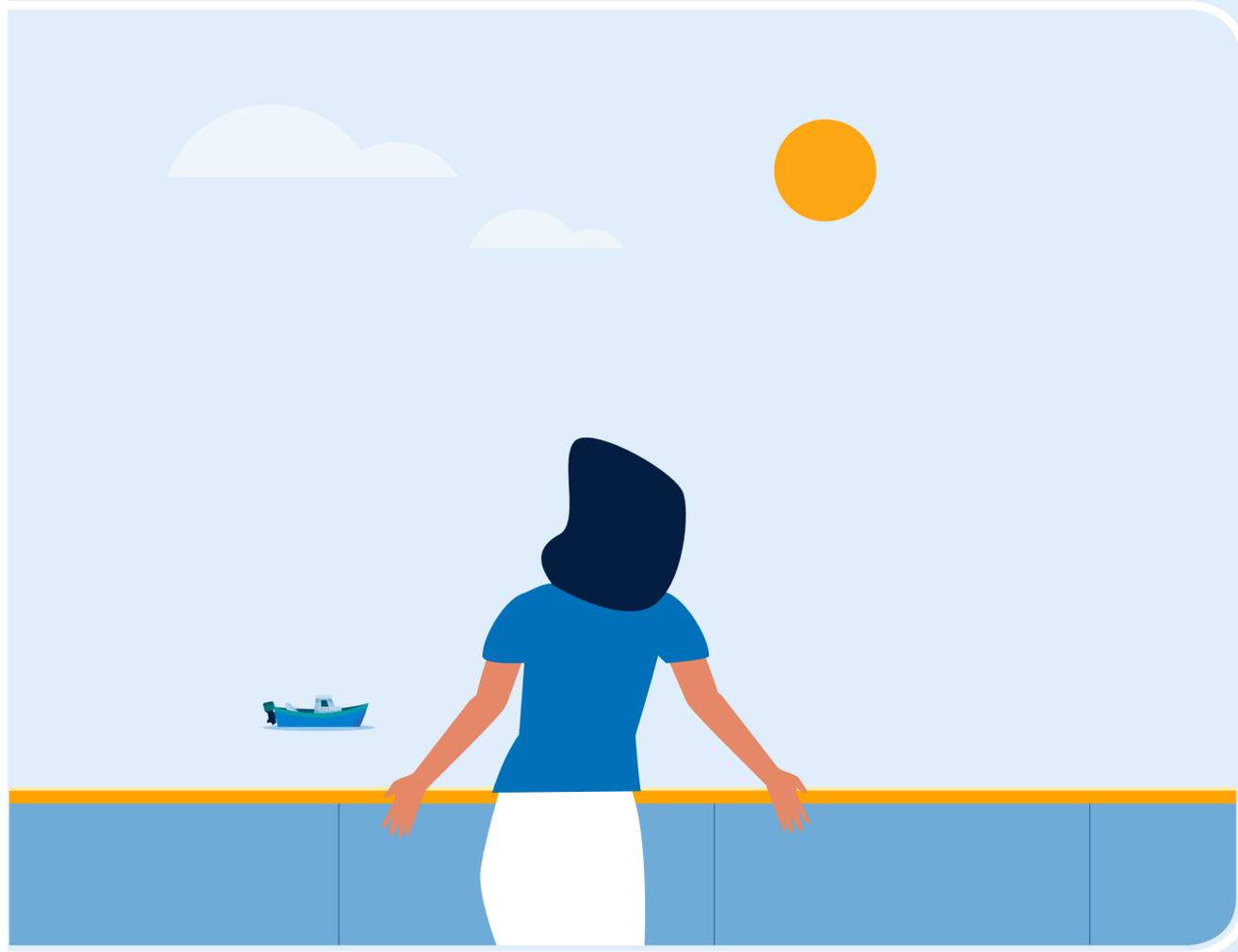
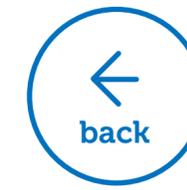


**Rome**



**Savona**





## Safe tours

Despite the unprecedented period we are experiencing, the descent to land will be possible by purchasing one of our safe tours.

> **COSTA TOURS ARE SAFER THAN EVER.**

We have set out new procedures to ensure social distancing, thanks to limited group size and the use of disposable headphones. Additionally, our guides are tested before every tour and they always wear protective masks.

> **SAFE BUSES.**

Buses also travel with reduced occupancy to guarantee social distancing. Moreover, sanitization is carried out after every use.

# Barcelona



## Suggested by our TOUR EXPERT

If you like cycling, Barcelona is the city for you. Over 200 km of bike paths offer you the most pleasurable and "Barcelona-esque" way to get around the city.



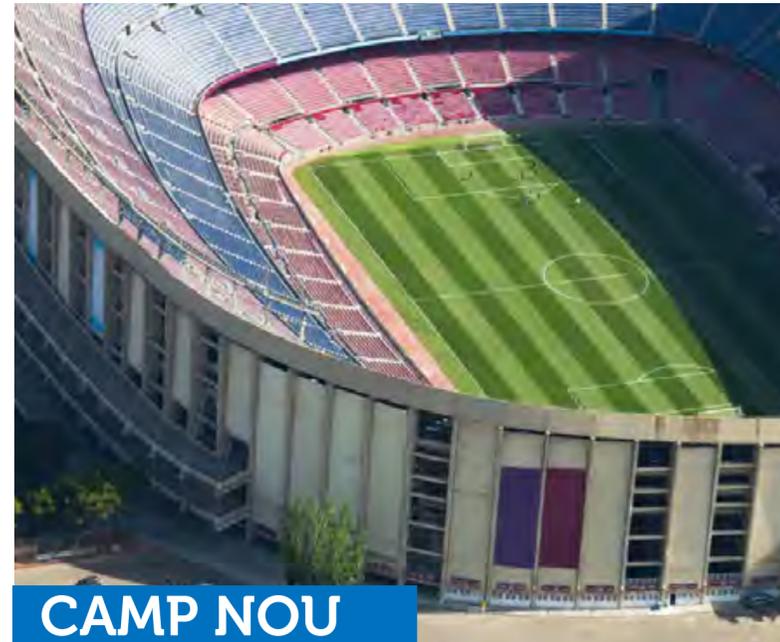
9.30 HOURS



## SURPRISING SALVADOR DALÍ

AN ENTIRE DAY in the world of SALVADOR DALÍ. Eggs on walls, floppy clocks, the unmistakable moustache? See all of these with our expert guide at the Figueres Theater-Museum: interactive works, optical games, installations, HOLOGRAMS, stereoscopes and even Dalí's tomb! And naturally, a fish-based GOURMET LUNCH awaits you in CADAQUÉS before going on to Baia di Portlligat for what is practically a PRIVATE VISIT TO THE ARTIST'S HOUSE-MUSEUM: groups are limited to a maximum of 8 people!

RECOMMENDED EXCURSION:  
003R - Surprising Dalí



## CAMP NOU

One of the most iconic football stadiums in the world: the Barcelona stadium. Here you can discover all the places reserved for professionals only: from the exclusive box seats to the locker rooms of the great football champions and the field. Ideal for children and all football fans.

RECOMMENDED EXCURSION:  
0759 - Sightseeing tour of Barcelona and the Nou Camp Stadium



## GAUDÍ AND THE SAGRADA FAMILIA

Gaudi, the greatest representative of Catalan modernism, is the artistic soul of Barcelona. His main architectural works here are Güell Park, the Güell Palace, the beautiful and lively Casa Batlló, Casa Milà (also known as La Pedrera) and the Casa Vicens. His most famous work is the cathedral of the Sagrada Família: wonderful and unfinished, it looks like a sand castle. A unique masterpiece, in its shape and its brazen architecture. An absolute must.

RECOMMENDED EXCURSION:  
0523 - Gaudi's masterpieces

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# Cagliari

LONGEST SHOREX

7 HOURS



**CAPE SPARTIVENTO**

Splendid beach close to the cape and therefore sheltered from the strong mistral winds. It is considered one of the most beautiful in all of Sardinia for its light and fine sand and for the transparent color of the sea, reminiscent of a Caribbean landscape. Along the sandy shore stretches the Mediterranean scrub and the large sand dunes protect the bay from the mistral winds. AN IDEAL PLACE TO RELAX.

RECOMMENDED EXCURSION:  
01CD - 7 hours at Cape Spartivento



**THE ROMAN AMPHITHEATER**

The amphitheater of Cagliari, which dates back to the first century AD, is the most important public building of Sardegna Romana (Roman occupied Sardinia). It is "naturally" carved into the rocky bank of the valley where it stands. The amphitheater had a capacity of about 10,000 spectators, and was the typical venue for meetings between gladiators and beasts.

RECOMMENDED EXCURSION:  
0132 - Cagliari, old and new



**POETTO AND SELLA DEL DIAVOLO**

Poetto is one of the most beautiful beaches in the Mediterranean, just 5 km from the center of Cagliari. In summer it becomes the center of Cagliari's nightlife. The Sella del Diavolo (the Devil's Saddle) nature reserve is one of the city's natural treasures. It is a very large promontory overlooking the sea that has been inhabited since the pre- Nuragic era.

RECOMMENDED EXCURSION:  
NEW TOUR - By boat to Sella del Diavolo and Poetto beach



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You can't experience the mood of a place without going to its market. That of San Benedetto is the largest in the city. Here you will find all kinds of local products and have just enough time to grab a taste and a gastronomic souvenir to take away.

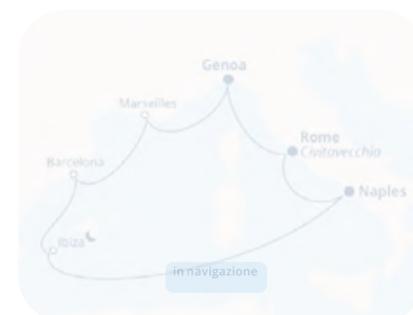


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# Genoa



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8 HOURS



**WALKING  
IN THE CARUGGI**

Explore the alleyways of Genoa: heart and soul of the city. From Piazza delle Erbe to Sottoripa and Via Luccoli, full of shops and a fascinating maze of streets and alleys. And then a trip to Boccadasse, back in time, in the picturesque fishing village.

RECOMMENDED EXCURSION:  
02QW - Genova between taste and history



**AQUARIUM**

With its ten thousand square meters and 71 tanks, it is the largest aquarium in Italy. Inside, the habitats of the Mediterranean, the oceans, the south pole and the tropics are reproduced and it is possible to admire more than 500 different fish species. A must see.

RECOMMENDED EXCURSION:  
0174 - Genoa Aquarium and the old port



**PORTOFINO AND THE GULF  
OF TIGULLIO**

The Riviera di Levante (east coast) reserves some really special gems. A corner of Liguria where you can admire authentic beauty. Portofino is one of the capitals of the jet-set that revolves around its world famous square. And behind it, a few miles away, stands the Abbey of San Fruttuoso.

RECOMMENDED EXCURSION:  
02R2 - Fascinating cruise among the gems of the levante riviera

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It's called "Asinello", known only by the "real" Genoese. It is a vermouth originating here; an ideal aperitif strictly accompanied by a piece of focaccia (un toccu di fugassa).



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Genoa?**



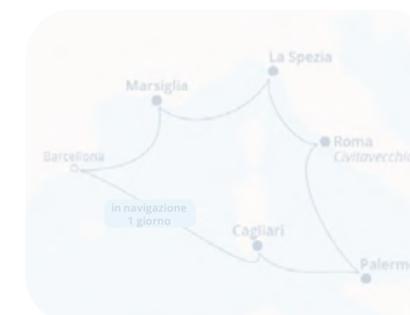
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# Ibiza

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FORMENTERA

It can be reached in a few minutes by boat from Ibiza. It is the smallest and most exclusive of the Balearic Islands, declared a Natural Reserve and UNESCO World Heritage Site. Ses Illets is certainly the most beautiful coast on the island with fine white sand and crystal-clear water. You can also enjoy a walk along the characteristic streets of ES PUJOLS.

RECOMMENDED EXCURSION:  
2718 - Grab a tan in Formentera

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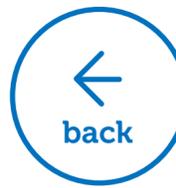
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Ibiza is famous for its discos. To be considered "people from Ibiza" you have to make a trip to Privilege (ex Ku) where Freddy Mercury and Montserrat Caballé shot the legendary video of the song Barcelona in 1987.



## LAS SALINAS AND ES VEDRÀ

In Las Salinas you can see the thousand-year-old structure of salt extraction. It is a unique natural area, perfectly inserted into the ecosystem of the island. Es Vedrà is probably the most suggestive place on the entire island. According to one legend, it was home to mythical mermaids and sea nymphs, but another legend suggests that this area is a re-emerged part of the city of Atlantis.

RECOMMENDED EXCURSION:  
0553 - Free time in playa de Las Salinas

# La Spezia



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Did you know that La Spezia hosts the largest exhibition of Polene in the world? These "ship bows", true works of art in wood, are exhibited at the Naval Technical Museum located here. Included among the pieces is one that comes from one of Garibaldi's ships from the Expedition of the Thousand!



### THE TREASURES OF FLORENCE

The Duomo, Piazza della Signoria, Palazzo Vecchio, THE BEST OF MICHELANGELO AND GIOTTO and all the main attractions of Florence in an extraordinary day-long experience, with a local guide who will choose the BEST LOCAL TRATTORIA for you to try FLORENTINE STEAK, some BRUSCHETTA WITH TOMATO and homemade desserts. Will you discover the history of soccer through the origins of Florentine soccer?

ESCURSIONE CONSIGLIATA:  
0181 - I TESORI DI FIRENZE



### A WALK IN THE CITY

It is worth making a stop at the Holy Church of the Assumption of Mary to admire the polychrome terracotta of The Coronation of the Virgin by Andrea della Robbia and The Martyrdom of Saint Bartholomew by Luca Cambiaso. It also worth taking a quick gastronomic break of farinata and Ligurian white wine.

RECOMMENDED EXCURSION:  
017N - La Spezia discovery and taste



### LE CINQUE TERRE

Monterosso, Vernazza, Corniglia, Manarola and Riomaggiore are the five ancient seafaring villages that are well known worldwide for their rare beauty. The Cinque Terre were included on the "WORLD HERITAGE LIST" (World Heritage Site) in 1997 by UNESCO. At the last stop in the alleyways of Portovenere you can taste a dish of "mesciua" (traditional garbanzo bean soup) and a glass of Sclacchetrà, the exquisite sweet wine of the Cinque Terre.

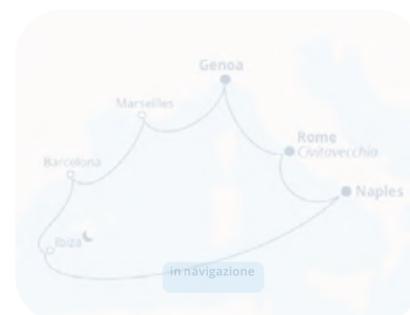
RECOMMENDED EXCURSION:  
012M - The best of 5 Terre and Portovenere

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# Marseille



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AIX-EN-PROVENCE

Aix-en-Provence is an elegant Provençal town with retro charm, with its wicker baskets full of lavender, local shops, outdoor cafes and bubbling fountains, in particular, the Mossy Fountain (Fontaine Moussue) so called because it is completely covered with moss. Aix-en-Provence has all the charm of the deepest southern France.

RECOMMENDED EXCURSION:  
00XI - Provençal air and culture



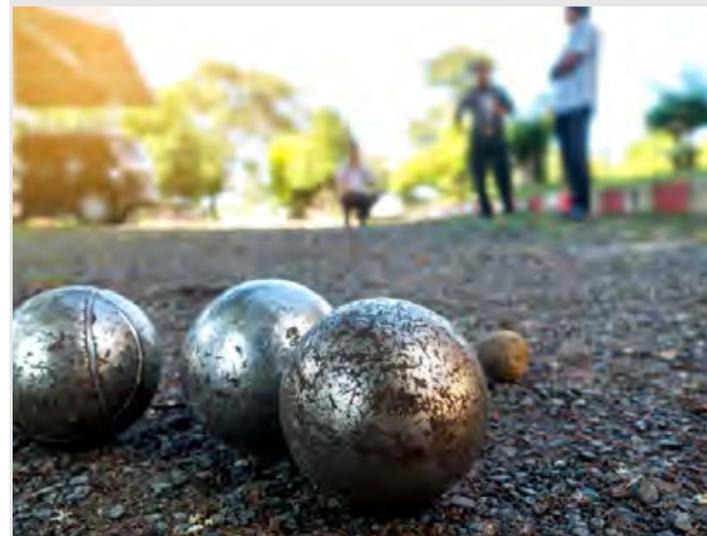
AVIGNON

The city of Avignon is famous for having been the seat of the Papacy from 1309 to 1377, in what has gone down in history as the "Avignonese captivity". Here, as many as 7 Popes succeeded one another, guaranteeing Avignon a period of greatness and prosperity. The Palace of the Popes, declared a UNESCO World Heritage Site in 1995, is a veritable fortress and one of the most extraordinary examples of Gothic architecture of the 14th century.

RECOMMENDED EXCURSION:  
0428 - Avignon, the city of Popes

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Do you want to feel like a true Marseillaise? I advise you to play a game of Petanque, the locals' favorite game. Here it's practically considered the World Cup of bocce and the most famous on the planet. A chat, a pastis in hand and let the match begin!



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Soft, golden and bathed with rum, the babà is one of the classics of Neapolitan pastries. You can not leave Naples without having tasted one. Stop by the Capparelli pastry shop, in via dei Tribunali, (just behind via San Gregorio Armeno, also called "Christmas Alley"). It's worth it.



An exploration of the Amalfi Coast is an experience. Sorrento with its lemons, the narrow streets of the center and its Cathedral dedicated to Saints Philip and James which houses a magnificent organ built in 1901; Amalfi with its white houses and cliffs overlooking the sea.

RECOMMENDED EXCURSION:  
03FL - Amalfi and the scents and flavors of Sorrento

The ancient city of Pompeii is the most visited archaeological site in the world thanks to the well preserved remains of the city buried by the volcanic eruption that caused its tragic end in 79 AD. It was, however, precisely the great quantity of volcanic material that covered it almost instantaneously that determined the exceptional state of conservation of buildings, furnishings and bodies, retaining its posterity nearly intact as if it were conserved in a time capsule. Since 1977 it has been a UNESCO World Heritage Site.

RECOMMENDED EXCURSION:  
0212 - A journey through time to Pompei

Capri became famous in 1826 after the discovery of the Blue Grotto and is a "mythical" place that continues to be a destination for travelers, intellectuals and VIPs. From the small port of the island, it takes twelve minutes by cable car to reach the village, where you can admire tuff houses, terraced roofs, arches, pergolas and winding streets that lead to the famous Piazzetta, a real open-air lounge with a view of Marina Grande.

RECOMMENDED EXCURSION:  
0227 - Capri by funicular

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# Palermo

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**MONDELLO**

Mondello is in the heart of a bay close to Monte Pellegrino (which Goethe called 'the most beautiful promontory in the world'). What was once an ancient fishing village today is the chic beach of Palermo's inhabitants. Many of the Art Nouveau villas in the area were built by the famous architect Ernesto Basile and are among the best examples of Art Nouveau in Italy and Europe.

RECOMMENDED EXCURSION:  
0306 - Mondello beach exclusively for you



**BALLARÒ MARKET**

A must for those passing through Palermo! Not a market, but THE market, where you can taste typical street food, from panelle to sardines to beccafico. Ancient, colorful and open every day. A corridor of stalls that on holidays turns into a flea market. Aromas, tastes and a typically Sicilian mood reign supreme. It is the definition of culture.

RECOMMENDED EXCURSION:  
00J7 - A walk to discover Palermo and its flavors



**THE CATHEDRAL**

The Cathedral of Palermo is an almost perfect illustration of the thousand-year history of the city: first early Christian basilica; then mosque, as part of the long Arab domination; finally again a church of the Norman kingdom. A mixture of styles to which are added the tombs of royalty, including the sarcophagus of Frederick II and, above all, the tomb of Santa Rosalia, patron saint of the city.

RECOMMENDED EXCURSION:  
0235 - The best of Palermo and Monreale



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Lovers of pastry, unite! Palermo has a special relationship with food; not only with street food, but also with delicious desserts. Stop in the center and among cassate, cannoli and granitas, you'll be spoiled for choice.

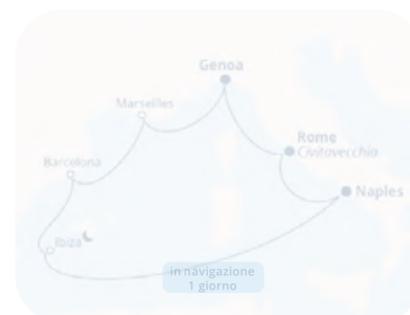


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Majorca is famous around the world for Abarcas (or commonly called Majorcan), typical hand-made leather shoes. So, do not leave Majorca without a pair of Majorcan shoes on your feet. You can find them in many shops.



8.30 HOURS



VALLDEMOSSA

Valldemossa is not only famous for its stone houses, alleyways, workshops and the Cartuja convent, but also for the typical "merendar" with "coca de patata", specifically to have a snack of the typical potato brioche. It is an essential stop for those who want to discover art, beauty and typical flavors.

RECOMMENDED EXCURSION:  
0770 - Real tradition and majorcan cuisine



THE CAVES OF DRACH

One of the largest caverns on the island which encompasses four caves connected to each other and formed by the activity of the sea. Inside the caves you can see one of the largest underground lakes in the world, Lake Martel, 117 meters long and 30 meters wide.

RECOMMENDED EXCURSION:  
0588 - Dragon's caves and pearls



THE ART OF PALMA

Strolling through the medieval heart of Palma, you won't want to miss the most famous building of the city, the gothic Cathedral of Santa Maria (La Seu), renovated between 1904 and 1914 under the direction of Antonio Gaudí; on the main façade is one of the largest Gothic rose windows in Europe: the Ojo del Gótico (the eye of the gothic).

RECOMMENDED EXCURSION:  
0581 - Tour of the city of Palma de Mallorca

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# Rome



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**THE COLOSSEUM**

One of the quintessential symbols of the city and one of the seven wonders of the modern world not to mention a symbol of the greatness of "Roma caput mundi" (Latin meaning The Capital of the World), where the bloody fights between gladiators and ferocious animals took place.

RECOMMENDED EXCURSION:  
02FY - Long trip in the eternal city



**I MUSEI VATICANI**

Visiting the Vatican Museums is a unique experience, it is a long and interesting journey through more than twenty centuries of history and art. The Sistine Chapel, Raphael's rooms and the Pinacoteca, are only part of a large number of priceless collections. The Vatican Museums bring together one of the world's most impressive and extensive collections belonging to the Catholic Church, with more than 70,000 objects on display over 42,000 meters.

RECOMMENDED EXCURSION:  
2095 - Roman treasures: Vatican Museums, St. Peter's, the Colosseum and the Forum



**BAGNOREGIO**

Civita di Bagnoregio is one of the most beautiful villages in Italy. It has only 11 inhabitants! Here you can understand that time has stopped, lending it a surreal atmosphere. You can only reach it by crossing a 300-meter-high suspension bridge then walking among stone houses overhanging the Calanchi (badlands). This is a must!

RECOMMENDED EXCURSION:  
01Z6 - Italy's hidden treasures - Civita di Bagnoregio

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Do you like jogging? Rome offers you many options. In the center, in parks, along the Tiber river, at the Circus Maximus. Running in Rome means running on the paths of history while you enjoy the beauty of the city.



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# Savona

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8 HOURS



**ALBENGA**

Albenga, the city of one hundred towers, is one of the most interesting in western Liguria. The ancient city, shows its Roman, early Christian, medieval and Renaissance influences through the palaces, towers, monuments and museums of its historical center. Albenga is a city of wine and an agricultural and floriculture capital in addition to being the home of the Museum of the Oil Civilization, an original oil museum dedicated to the processing of olives, olive oil and wine.

RECOMMENDED EXCURSION:  
00YX - Discover and taste. And viceversa



**FINALBORGO**

Finalborgo is one of the most beautiful villages in Italy. The medieval atmosphere and the imposing Castel San Giovanni, which rises majestically to defend the city, tells us the story of its glorious past. Noteworthy are the artistic examples of Savona's rich heritage such as the Basilica of San Biagio, the ancient Convent of Saint Catherine and the numerous Renaissance palaces.

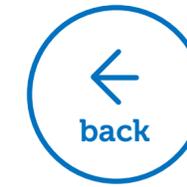
RECOMMENDED EXCURSION:  
01QJ - Italy's hidden treasures - Finalborgo and Noli



**BERGEGGI**

The islet of Bergeggi: a cone of limestone covered in Mediterranean scrub. Here, you can admire coral-rich seabeds and the typical marine fauna of the Ligurian Sea. On the sandy seabed it is possible to admire the underwater meadows of Posidonia oceanica (Neptune Grass).

RECOMMENDED EXCURSION:  
014S - Snorkeling on Bergeggi island



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If you're traveling with your partner, the Museum of the Treasure next to the Cathedral which exhibits, among others, the relics of Saint Valentine Martine, patron saint of lovers surely merits a visit.



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