

# EUROPE 2018 CLASSICAL ROME & ITS RE-BIRTH

## WHEN

**Wednesday, May 23 to  
Wednesday, June 6, 2018**

## WHERE

# iItaly!

**Rome • Assisi • Siena • Florence • Pisa •  
Lucca • Ravenna • Padua • Venice**

## CLASSES OF 2019, 2020, & 2021

**Contact Mr. Nydegger for more details and  
a Preliminary Application.**

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**This is a custom-designed trip planned by Mr. Nydegger in  
coordination with Explorica, an educational travel company.**



**\$5,231\***

**TOUR FEE TO EXPLORICA**

**Includes flights, transportation,  
entry fees, tours, breakfast  
everyday, ten dinners.**

\*This fee is based on having 17 students; with 21  
students or more, the fee will decrease. An  
early-bird discount is available, but later  
registrations could see a significant increase.

**\$100**

**INCIDENTALS**

**To cover unexpected group  
expenses and to provide  
flexibility regarding possible  
itinerary changes**

**\$12 - \$15 / DAY**

**SPENDING MONEY**

**lunches, three dinners, optional  
excursions, souvenirs, and gelato!**



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This educational program aims to spark students' sense of wonder about a place near and dear to the classical tradition: Italy. Like the amazing field study in 2016, this tour has two primary objectives: first, to bring students into direct contact with the best art, architecture, and historical locations of Western culture; second, to study a broad swath of Western Civilization as it affected a specific locale. Through giving special attention to one medium-sized city, students have a unique vantage point from which to see the deep waves of history as they have rolled across Europe. The 2018 field study will expose students to the best of classical Roman civilization in Rome, the Byzantine influence in Ravenna, the Middle Ages in cities like Assisi, Pisa, Lucca, and Siena, and the Renaissance as it flowered in Rome, Venice, and Florence. With a full week in Florence, students will experience firsthand the greatest works by the most important Renaissance artists, architects, and poets. We will climb to the top of Brunelleschi's dome, stroll all the way around Michelangelo's David, walk where Dante walked, and contemplate works by Raphael, Ghiberti, and many more.

## INCLUDED VISITS

**Rome:** Ostia Antica, Basilica of San Clemente, Palatine Hill, Colosseum, Forum, Capitoline Hill, Capitoline Museum, Vatican Museums, Sistine Chapel, St. Peter's, Borghese Gallery; **Assisi:** Basilica of St. Francis; **Florence:** Duomo, Baptistry, Cupola, Accademia, Campanile, Basilica di Santa Croce, Pazzi Chapel, Casa Buonarrotti, Museo Casa di Dante, Museo Dell'Opera di Santa Maria del Fiore, Bargello, Pitti Palace, Palazzo Vecchio and Tower, Uffizi, Florence American Cemetery; **Siena:** Duomo, Museo Civico; **Pisa:** Duomo, Baptistry; **Lucca:** Guided Walking Tour; **Ravenna:** Dante's Tomb, Archepiscopal Museum, Neonian Baptistry, Basilica of Sant' Apollinare Nuovo, Basilica of San Vitale, Mausoleum of Galla Placidia, Basilica di San Francesco, Sant' Apollinare in Classe; **Padua:** Scrovegni Chapel, Cathedral; **Venice:** St. Mark's Basilica, Doge's Palace; **Sirmione:** Scaliger Castle, Catullo's Villa; **Vicenza:** Villa Rotonda, Teatro Olimpico, Piazza dei Signori, Basilica Palladiana, Palazzo del Capitaniato



## ITINERARY

May 23 – Depart Phoenix  
May 24 – Ostia, Rome  
May 25 – Rome  
May 26 – Rome  
May 27 – Assisi  
May 28 – Sienna  
May 29 – Florence  
May 30 – Florence  
May 31 – Florence  
June 1 – Florence  
June 2 – Pisa, Lucca  
June 3 – Ravenna  
June 4 – Venice, Padua  
June 5 – Sirmione, Vicenza  
June 6 – Return to Phoenix

Night 1 – Flight  
Nights 2-4 – Rome  
Nights 5-11 – Florence  
Nights 12-14 - Padua

