

PRICE PER PERSON IN DOUBLE ROOM:

FROM 620.00 €

TOUR LEVEL:

ACTIVE RIDER

HOTEL LEVEL:

HOTEL 3 AND 4 STARS

DURATION:

5 DAYS/4 NIGHTS

BIKE TOUR FROM FLORENCE TO SIENA – SELF GUIDED

3 days bike trip where you can ride all the way from Florence to Siena, through the hills of Chianti Classico and visiting medieval hamlets, castles, and Romanesque churches.

During the bike tour you will discover the history of Tuscany and the strong fight between Florence and Siena, between Guelfi and Ghibellini.

The itinerary will take you up and down on the typical tuscan hill, surrounded by olive trees and vineyards and you will visit beautiful hilltop towns like San Gimignano, Monteriggioni and Siena.

At the end of each stage you can relax and taste some Chianti or Vernaccia di San Gimignano wines.

ITINERARY DAY BY DAY

Day 1 - "Benvenuti in Toscana"

Individual arrival and accommodation in 3 stars hotel located very close the city center of Florence.

HOTEL	INCLUDED MEALS	OPTIONAL ACTIVITIES
Hotel ☆☆☆	Breakfast	

Day 2 - The road to San Gimignano

56 km – Elevation gain: 1010 meters

- ✓ After breakfast, meet and greet with our staff, you'll receive the maps and all the informations to complete the bike tour.
- ✓ The first stage starts with a very easy uphill to Piazzale Michelangelo, one of the most scenic panoramic spots over the city center of Florence.
- ✓ Montespertoli, cute hilltop town surrounded by beautiful view over the Chianti vineyards.
- ✓ Certaldo, medieval town where the famous Tuscan writer Boccaccio, author of the Decameron, was born.
- ✓ Uphill along the Via Francigena to San Gimignano, the towers of the town can be seen for miles around and the historic town centre is a UNESCO World Heritage Site.

Dinner on your own and accommodation in 3 stars hotel located in the town center of San Gimignano.

HOTEL	INCLUDED MEALS	OPTIONAL ACTIVITIES
Hotel 本本本	Breakfast	Vernaccia wine tasting

Day 3 – Monteriggioni and Chianti region

49 km – Elevation gain: 800 meters

- ✓ Abbadia Isola, beautiful abbey along the Via Francigena.
- ✓ Monteriggioni with its walls and the ring of towers that dominate the hill.
- ✓ Climbing up surrounded by the Chianti vineyards, take a break for a wine tasting.
- ✓ Castellina in Chianti, the most medieval of the Chianti towns.

Dinner and accommodation in 4 stars hotel located at Radda in Chianti.

HOTEL	INCLUDED MEALS	OPTIONAL ACTIVITIES
Hotel ☆☆☆	Breakfast - Dinner	Chianti wine tour and tasting



DAY 4 - THE CASTLE OF BROLIO AND SIENA

52 km - elevation gain: 820 meters

- ✓ Radda in Chianti with its small street and a wonderful view on the vineyards.
- ✓ Gaiole, town where L'Eroica was born in 1997.
- ✓ The Castle of Brolio, symbol of Chianti and good wines to taste.
- ✓ Villa a Sesta and San Gusmè, cute town in Chianti.
- ✓ Castelnuovo Berardenga and its landscape museum.
- ✓ Final arrival in Piazza del Campo, last unforgettable highlights of the bike tour.

Dinner in typical restaurant and accommodation in 3 stars hotel located just outside the city center of Siena.

HOTEL	INCLUDED MEALS	OPTIONAL ACTIVITIES
Hotel ☆☆☆	Breakfast - Dinner	Chianti wine tour and tasting
		Cooking class with dinner

Day 5 - "Arrivederci"

Check-out and individual departure, optional transfer on request. Otherwise you can decide to add more days to your stay and visit this beautiful city.

WHAT'S INCLUDED:

- ✓ 4 NIGHTS STAY WITH BREAKFAST
- ✓ 2 DINNERS, DRINKS NOT INCLUDED
- ✓ MEET & GREET, BRIEFING WITH OUR STAFF ON DAY 2
- ✓ BAGGAGE TRANSPORTATION BETWEEN THE HOTELS
- ✓ 1 INTERVENTION OF TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE ALONG THE ROUTE
- ✓ PICK-UP OF EVERYTHING YOU BOUGHT DURING YOUR DAILY STAGE: WINE, GIFT AND MORE
- ✓ Maps and information for your daily stage
- ✓ GPX TRACKS FOR GPS SYSTEM
- ✓ PHONE ASSISTANCE BY ANIMA TOSCANA STAFF

NOT INCLUDED:

- ✓ Medical baggage insurance
- ✓ Tourist city tax

OPTIONAL SERVICES (PRICES ON REQUEST):

- ✓ Medical baggage insurance
- ✓ BIKE GUIDE
- ✓ VAN SUPPORT DURING YOUR DAILY STAGE
- ✓ BIKE RENTAL (ROAD BIKES, TREKKING, GRAVEL OR E-BIKES)
- ✓ GPS RENTAL
- ✓ TRANSFER HOTEL SIENA TO FLORENCE, AIRPORT, TRAIN STATION OR OTHER HOTELS
- ✓ DISCOUNT FOR BAGGAGE TRANSPORTATION
- ✓ SINGLE OR TRIPLE ROOM
- ✓ UPGRADE IN 4 STARS HOTELS IN SAN GIMIGNANO AND SIENA

BIKE SUGGESTED

The itinerary proposed is 100% on asphalt and perfect for the road bikes, trekking or gravel bikes. On request we can mix some gravel roads to the asphalt.

HOW TO REACH FLORENCE?

You can reach Florence by car, park the car outside the town center. Otherwise you can arrive by train, some regional trains allow the transportation of the bikes with an extra charge.



HOW TO COME BACK FROM SIENA?

You can come back by train or use our private transportation service. You can also decide to don't sleep in Siena, visit the city center and back with our van.

HOW TO BOOK?

Send an e-mail to <u>info@animatoscana.it</u> with the number of people, type of room and date of your arrival. We'll check the availability and reply until 24h with the confirmation of package and all the informations about the tour.

CANCELLATION POLICY

- a) Cancellation until 31 days the date of the arrival: 25% of the total amount
- b) From 30 to 21 days: 50% of the total amount
- c) From 20 to 0 days: 100% of the total amount

Cancellation caused Covid-19: we'll offer a money voucher of the same amount paid, that you can spend until 1 year for one of the packages and services.

