

# Italy Trip - July 2022

## Agenda for parent/student meeting

1. [Personal info](#) for purchase of supplementary travel insurance etc.
2. Liability forms
3. Call your cell phone company for coverage etc.
4. Call Credit card for travel, use ATMs for cash
5. Pack light, carry on only, you would pay \$60 each way to check a bag and you would slow the group down
6. All students will need to comply with all HFCHS behavioral expectations as noted in the student handbook. Of particular note, the following behaviors will result in students being sent home at their parents cost:
  - a. drinking;
  - b. any use of substances not allowed for minors in the US;
  - c. violation of any safety rules we establish before or during the trip;
  - d. other things (tatoos...) that students know are forbidden on a school trip.
7. We will likely need to take COVID tests immediately before, during and on re-entry into the US. Some of these will have a cost. Check current travel protocol [here](#).
8. Trip cost includes hotel, breakfast, transportation, individual supplementary travel insurance, museum entrances, and multiple dinners.
9. Students should have enough money for most lunches, incidental costs and spending money. Let's say around \$300 minimum.
10. Fundraisers are fun although generally not very lucrative. If you want to do one, please volunteer to coordinate your idea.
11. Room assignments. Special requests may cost more.
12. Curfew every night
13. Arrive at MSP airport by 1:00pm June 12
14. Pick up at MSP airport at 5:30pm on July 22

Done?	Due Date	To Do
	9/3/2021	Pay \$1100
	10/4/2021	Participant personal info Google form filled out
	12/3/2021	Pay \$1100
	3/3/2022	Pay \$1100. Are you all paid up?
	4/1/2022	Passport copy to Mr. Dueck
	4/1/2022	Liability form signed and returned to Mr. Dueck
	5/9/2022	Copy of "Covid Vaccination Record" or "Certificate of Recovery from Covid"

Lodging at:

Istituto Oblate dell'Assunzione  
Borgo Pinti 15  
Firenze 50121

and

Casa per Ferie "S.Elisabetta"  
Via dell'Olmata, 9  
00184 Roma

Delta Airlines itinerary

<b>Flight</b>	<b>Class</b>	<b>Date</b>	<b>Origin</b>	<b>Destination</b>	<b>Departure time</b>	<b>Arrival time</b>
KL 656	N	06/12/22	MINNEAPOLIS/ST PAUL MINNEAPOLIS INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT 1	AMSTERDAM SCHIPHOL AIRPORT	15:00	05:55 06/13/22
KL 1639	L	06/13/22	AMSTERDAM SCHIPHOL AIRPORT	FLORENCE PERETOLA AIRPORT	08:35	10:30
AF 1205	L	06/22/22	ROME FIUMICINO AIRPORT 1	PARIS CHARLES DE GAULLE AIRPORT 2F	10:00	12:10
AF 694	R	06/22/22	PARIS CHARLES DE GAULLE AIRPORT 2E	MINNEAPOLIS/ST PAUL MINNEAPOLIS INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT 1	15:30	17:30

City	Day	Tentative daily plan
	1	Fly from MSP to Florence
-Florence	2	Florence - arrive Check into Monastery in Florence Check out neighborhood
-Florence	3	Uffizi Il Duomo Big dinner
-Florence	4	Accademia (to see Michelangelo's David) Meet the Quattrini family (Monica, Massimo, Charlotte) Exploring
-Florence	5	Ponte Vecchio Piazzale Michelangelo hike
-Florence-Rome	6	Mass Train to Rome Check into Monastery in Rome Check out neighborhood Trevi Fountain Pantheon
-Rome	7	Papal Audience St. Peter's and the Vatican Museums
-Rome	8	Roman Forum and Coliseum Villa Borghese Big dinner
-Rome-Pompeii	9	Day trip to Pompeii -Tour of excavations -Private Beach
-Rome	10	Piazza Navona Markets Explore
-Rome- home	11	Fly Rome (FCO) to home Arrive home

## Packing Checklist

You may disagree with this list but no matter what, pack light. You have one carry-on bag and one personal item. You will have some access to washing machines or you can wash things in the sink and hang them to dry in the room. <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=uwPLY5LuDyk>

- 5 shirts/blouses: long- and short-sleeve
- 1 sweater or lightweight fleece
- 2 pairs pants/ skirts
- 1 pair shorts
- 1 swimsuit
- 5 pairs underwear and socks
- 1 pajamas/nightgown
- 1 pair of walking shoes (we will walk a lot)
- Slippers/flipflops for in the hotel
- 1 rainproof jacket with hood
- Money belt
- Money—your preferred mix of:
  - Credit card (call company to make sure it will work in Italy)
  - Dollars to be exchanged or Euros from the bank before you go or a CC that can be used at an ATM
- Passport and any supporting docs (needed only for things like: non-American citizens or people who can't go through airport scanners...)
- Essential electronics
- Appropriate chargers
- Electronic converter
- Daypack
- Empty water bottle
- Toiletries (soap, shampoo, toothbrush, toothpaste, floss, deodorant, sunscreen)
- Medicines (Mr. Dueck can carry EpiPens etc. if need be)
- Glasses/contacts/sunglasses (with prescriptions)

\*\*\*\*\*note that **all fluids** must be in three-ounce or smaller containers and fit within a single quart-size baggie. For details, see [www.tsa.gov/traveler-information](http://www.tsa.gov/traveler-information) .