



Tour Name

Aperitivo Time! Florence Wine Tour

Tour City

Florence

Tour Snapshot

Experience the oh so Italian pre-dinner drinks ritual *aperitivo*, the Florentine way, with a glass of local red Chianti (or a Negroni) and a plate of delectable Tuscan snacks. We'll try three different versions of *aperitivo* as we explore some of Florence's best neighbourhoods and drop in on our favourite wine bars and cocktail establishments. Did someone say wine o' clock?!

Highlights

- Stroll around some of the prettiest neighbourhoods in Florence with a local by your side
- Taste a typical local red wine, such as Chianti, taste a more modern Tuscan wine and enjoy our favourite Italian cocktail
- Taste an array of Italian delights, including tripe panini, Tuscan prosciutto, pecorino cheese, bruschetta, crostini and salami
- Learn about the ritual of *aperitivo* and its importance as a pre-dinner ritual in everyday Italian life
- Stroll passed some of the city's iconic sights such as the Ponte Vecchio, Palazzo Ferragamo and Santa Trinità Church

Inclusions: All tastings and samples, Local English-speaking guide

Exclusions: Items of a personal nature and tips and gratuities for your guide.

Schedule details

- Duration: 2.5 hours
- Meeting point:
Piazza della Repubblica in front of the Tall marble column situated in front of Gill Cafe & Rinascente Department Store.
- Find the exact meeting point with what3words: [///devotion.wounds.topping](https://www.what3words.com/?w3w=///devotion.wounds.topping)
- Starting time: 5.45 PM
- Ending point:
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Full Itinerary

Upon meeting your local guide, we'll take a stroll through the city, chatting about national and local *aperitivo* traditions. Our first stop will be a typical wine bar that serves tripe, the most well-known street food in Florence. If you are game you can have a taste in the form of a small petite panino.

A tasting of pecorino from southern Tuscany, Tuscan prosciutto and local foccacia bread called *schacciata* will be served next, street food-style alongside our first glass of traditional Chianti.

Up next, we'll take a stroll along one of the city's most beautiful streets and indulge in a spot of window shopping as we gaze at sumptuous displays of Italian fashion. We'll arrive at a historic wine bar that's owned by a family who have been making wine for thirty generations! Here we'll taste a full-bodied super Tuscan red and soak up the old world atmosphere. We'll then take you to the secret palace drive-through that used to sell wine in a similar fashion to the way burger chains sell their wares now.

Our last but certainly not least stop is at a local cocktail bar where you will meet professional Florentine mixologists who really know their stuff when it comes to mixing a killer blend. Choose from a selection of classic Italian cocktails, your guide (who is an expert on all things wine and gin!) will fill you in on local stories related to the bar's vast cocktail selection. More local snacks will be served, paired perfectly with your choice of drink, of course.

After a fun filled crash course in Italian *aperitivo*, we hope you feel ready to try it on your own. Your tour will end with a stroll back to the meeting point but before you head off, don't forget to ask your local guide for more tips on what else to see, do and eat during your time in Florence.

Additional information

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Your Trip: For your Urban Adventure you will be in a small group of a maximum of 12 people.

Confirmation of booking: If you have your voucher, your booking is confirmed. We'll see you at the start point. Get in touch if you have any concerns or require more information via the email address or phone number (business hours only) on your voucher.

Child Policy: This is a child-friendly tour. Children between the ages of 6 and 11 inclusively are permitted on this tour at the rate listed above. Please select 'child' above when booking. Children under the age of 6 are permitted to join this tour free of charge. Please inform us at the time of booking if you'll be bringing a child under the age of 6. You can do so in the special request box on the checkout page.

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