

Luxury Tour of Etruscan civilization

- Your English speaking chauffeur will meet you at your hotel's reception after breakfast.
- Your day will begin with a lovely drive, enjoying the idyllic rolling hills, medieval towns and cypress lined roads. At last **Chiusi**: the place name comes from the Latin "Clusium" that is a naturalization of the Etruscan name "Clevsin" going back to the age of its foundation by the Etruscan civilization. There you will meet your **Chiusi city tour Guide**.
- Among the most interesting monuments to see in Chiusi we point out here the Duomo (Cathedral), the Chiesa di San Francesco (**Saint Francesco Church**), the Chiesa di Santa Maria della Morte (**Saint May of the Death Church**), the Palazzo vescovile (**Bishop's Palace**, the remains of the Fortezza (**Fortress**), the Sepolcri Etruschi (**Etruscan sepulchres**) and the Labirinto di Porsenna (**Porsenna's labyrinth**).
- Particular attention will be done to the **Etruscan National Museum** containing one of the most important archeological collections of Italy.
- Gourmet Tuscany **lunch** in Chiusi.
- After lunch your charming chauffeur will take you to **Montepulciano** for a short visit of village on your own, for enjoying a medieval atmosphere.
- It's time for a **wine tasting** at prestigious Cellars in countryside.
- You'll be tired and your chauffeur will take you home!



Etruscan history is rooted in layers of mystery. Throughout time art historians and archaeologists have tried to milk truths of Etruscan culture from sources plagued by holes and ambiguities. Much of what we have come to know of Etruscan culture has stemmed from the writings of other cultures, mainly that of the Greeks and the Romans, and directly from archaeological evidence gathered from the objects they left behind. The land of Etruria occupied what is now Tuscany in central Italy. The origin of the Etruscans is still an object of debate and a mystery that has sparked investigation by many great writers and scholars. In the first century B.C., a Greek named Dionysius of Halicarnassus studied the early cultures of Italy in Rome; he came to believe that the Etruscans originated from the Pelasgians who settled with natives of the area, only to be taken over by the Tyrrhenians.





Prices will include:

- **Luxury Limousine Service to and from the hotel with English speaking Chauffeur (Mercedes/ Deluxe Minivan) for the full day**
- **Chiusi Guide**
- **1 VIP Winery Visits and Wine Tasting**
- **Traditional Tuscany Lunch at restaurant in Chiusi**
- **Entrance fees to Etruscan National Museum and Porsenna's labyrinth**
- **All Local Taxes**

Early booking of at least two days is advisable

The itinerary is indicative and might vary on the base of the hotel pick up area

Infant up to 3 years free of charge

From 3 to 8 - less 50%

From 8 to 12 - less 30%

QUOTATION ON REQUEST

