





Dolomites

#### **ITALY**

# ESSENTIAL DOLOMITES (TOUR CODE: 12520)

STARTS AND ENDS	TRAVEL PERIODS	EXPERIENCE	TRAVEL STYLE
Venice to Milan	24 Apr 24 - 04 Oct 24	Escorted	Escorted Group Tour

Join a 5-day group tour through enchanting Northern Italy. Discover the medieval charm of Asolo, the picturesque hills of the Prosecco region, and the awe-inspiring beauty of the Dolomites!

## Highlights

- Guaranteed Departures
- Small Group Tour up to 24 pax
- Be amazed by the breathtaking Lake of Braies, also called Pragser Wildsee, tucked away in the magnificent Dolomite Mountains
- Discover the charming town of **Brunico**, where Alpine tradition meets Italian charm.
- Take in the views while driving towards Cortina d'Ampezzo!
- Discover Valdobbiadene and the Prosecco Road with wine tasting!

Embark on a 5-day journey through the enchanting landscapes of Northern Italy. Explore Asolo's medieval charm, the Prosecco region's picturesque hills, and the Dolomites' awe-inspiring beauty. Visit captivating lakes, charming towns like Brunico and Merano, and savor Alpine cuisine. Conclude in Milan, tracing the oldest Italian wine route and experiencing Trento's historical grandeur.

## **INCLUSIONS**

- · 2 nights in Bolzano at Stadt Hotel 4\* or similar
- 2 nights in Cortina D'Ampezzo at B&B Hotel Passo Tre Coci Cortina- 3\* or similar
- Speck tasting in the Dolomites region
- Transportation by deluxe motorcoach

#### **ITINERARY**

### Cortina D'Ampezzo Lake Braies or Lake Anterselva Brunico Bressanone Bolzano

Today, our first enchanting stop is at the captivating **Lake of Braies**, nestled amidst the breathtaking Dolomite Mountains. This pristine alpine lake, also known as Pragser Wildsee, is a haven of tranquility and natural beauty. Its crystal-clear waters mirror the majestic peaks that embrace it, creating a serene atmosphere perfect for relaxation and photography. Surrounded on three sides by towering Dolomite peaks, including the iconic Croda del Becco, Lake Braies offers a scenic charm that is unparalleled.

In the event that Lake Braies is not accessible due to logistical reasons, fear not, for we have an equally mesmerizing alternative in store: **Lake Anterselva**. Also known as Antholzer See, this hidden gem is a captivating spectacle in the heart of the Dolomites. Whether you find solace in its serene ambiance, indulge in short strolls along its shores, appreciate its unique cultural allure or even if you just look for an Instagram photo moment, Lake Anterselva promises to ensure you depart with cherished memories of this alpine paradise.

Next, the tour takes you to the charming town of **Brunico**, also known as Bruneck. Nestled in the heart of the South Tyrol region, Brunico offers a delightful blend of Alpine tradition and Italian charm. Stroll through its well-preserved medieval streets, lined with colorful buildings, and discover the historical treasures of its Old Town. Brunico is also a gateway to the majestic Kronplatz mountain, a popular destination for outdoor enthusiasts, offering hiking, skiing, and breathtaking panoramic views.

There will also be a stop in **Bressanone**. Brixen, as they call it in German, is a picturesque town in the Eisack Valley, surrounded by vineyards and rolling hills. This enchanting town boasts a rich history and a stunning medieval cathedral that dates back to the 10th century. As we explore Bressanone, you'll have the opportunity to soak in its unique blend of Austrian and Italian cultures, reflected in its architecture, cuisine, and traditions. Don't miss the chance to sample the local wines and enjoy the tranquil ambiance of this charming Alpine town. Finally, we'll reach Bolzano.

Overnight stay in Bolzano at Stadt Hotel or similar.

Breakfast

## ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

OFFICIAL LANGUAGE	LOCAL CURRENCY
Italian	EURO

- No age limit
- All passengers must be able to indepently board and alight the coach.
- We work with a selection of hotels in each location. All bookings are subject to availability, which means our team will confirm your specific hotels upon confirmation and payment of deposit. The package price is based on 4-star accommodation.
- · A minivan with driver/guide, normally not equipped with wifi, will be provided if the number of participants is equal to or less than eight.
- For organizational reasons, the itinerary may be reversed or modified without notice. In this case, our supplier ensures similar visits and excursions in accordance with the spirit of the tour program.
- · Blackout dates may apply during festive season.

#### Excluded

- International airfares and taxes
- · Domestic airfares and taxes, unless otherwise specified in our holiday package
- · Visa expenses, processing and issuance fees
- Meals other than as specified in our holiday package
- · Travel Insurance or expenses of a personal nature (mini-bar, phone call, laundry, etc.),
- Tips or gratuities to guides, drivers, porters, hotel, restaurant or boat staff, etc.
- · Or any other travel expense that has not been included in our holiday package