# Study Abroad in TUSCANY





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The 2022 Summer Program in Tuscany, Italy, will

place students in the pastoral town of **Montepulciano**, a historic location nestled in the Tuscan countryside. Halfway between Florence and Rome, Montepulciano reflects a more tranquil side of Italian culture. The sprawling vineyards and olive groves provide a backdrop for the II Sasso Language School, where students may immerse themselves in Italian atop a hill surrounded by the breathtaking Tuscan scenery.

Montepulciano's old town center is full of churches and "palazzi." The setting for the films *The Twilight Saga: New Moon* and *Medici: Masters of Florence*,

Montepulciano is surrounded by Etruscan and Roman sites. In July, Montepulciano hosts *Cantiere Internazionale d'Arte*, an annual festival of musicians, actors, singers, and conductors and is the ideal place for learning and practicing Italian.



#### **DATES**

July 1 - August 1, 2022

#### **COURSEWORK**

Designated "W" course; fulfills TIER II LEP requirement. Students must register in at least one of the following 3-credit courses via Banner Web, but are strongly encouraged to register for both:

- · ITA 220 Italian Cities (taught in English)
- ART 398 The Photographic Travel Journal

Additionally, students may choose to enroll in an optional 3-credit language course, to be taken at II Sasso Language School in Montepulciano. The following courses will count towards the SCSU foreign language requirement: ITA 100 Italian I; ITA 101 Italian II; ITA 200 or any other courses in Italian as needed. Students interested in enrolling in these courses must submit an additional fee of \$926 to the OIE.

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Course tuition is separate from the program fee and will be paid via BannerWeb or directly to the Student Accounts Office.

